

SAINT THERESA'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH 381 WHITNEY AVENUE; P.O. BOX 367 SYDNEY, NOVA SCOTIA, BIP 6H2

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Parish Council: Kim Carroll 902-564-0097	Welcome all who join us in Worship! www.sainttheresasydney.com	
	St. Theresa Parish Hall: 902.564.8555	
Weekend Masses:	<u>Sat 4:15 pm Sunday 11:00am</u>	Secretary: Flora Marchand
Sacristan: Pat Parago	Weekday Mass Thursday, Friday 12:10 pm	
Men's Club: Ken MacNeil 902-562-2386	No weekday mass if Funeral *	CWL: Pres. Barbara Burke 902-564-0880
Hall: Alex LeBlanc 902.564-8555	Thursday Prayer Group 2:00 pm in the church	
	Office Hours - Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs. 9:00 till noon	

Seventh Sunday of Easter, Ascension of the Lord – MAY 21, 2023



As they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him from their sight. (First Reading)

MASS INTENTIONS

May 25, 2023-Thursday, Archie Thomas

May 26, 2023-Friday, Elizabeth Raymakers

May 27, 2023-Saturday, Mary Bonaparte

May 28, 2023-Sunday, Kenneth Doucette

<u>Collection for May 14, 2023:</u> Envelopes-\$2,231.60; Bldg. Fund-\$200.00; Food Bank-\$55.00; Pastor's Dues \$277.60; Pope's Pastoral Works \$10.00; PADS-\$422.08

<u>St. Theresa's Men's Club Meetings:</u> Meet on the first Sunday of the month at 7:00 pm in the hall. Next meeting is **June 4, 2023**, at St. Theresa's Parish Centre.

<u>St. Theresa's Men's Club Father's Day Lobster Draw.</u> 1st prize, 1 doz. Lobsters, 2nd prize, ½ doz., 3rd prize ½ doz. Tickets \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. Draw June 16th. Tickets available from any member of the Men's club or at the office.

*****ST THERESA'S CWL NEWS*****

St. Theresa CWL Rosary Project: The St. Theresa Rosary Project of the St. Theresa CWL continues with 129, 732.

St. Theresa's CWL Members: Next CWL Meeting will be held May 28th at 7:00 pm at the parish hall.

<u>Canadian Summer Job Grant: (CSJ):</u> St. Theresa's Graveyard Committee has been approved for a CSJ Grant for 8 weeks. The job is for the graveyard mowing and maintenance as well as helping at the Hall. Eligible candidates must be students or persons entering the workforce, between the ages of 15 and 30 years, and must be a Canadian citizen. Resumes will be accepted at the parish office, 172 Howe St. until noon on Tuesday, May 23rd, or could be emailed to romacdona67@gmail.com. Employment will begin June 5th and run until July 28th. Hr. rate \$14.50.

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<u>Diocesan Pastoral Centre</u>: 200 Churchill Dr., Suite 103, has a Summer Student position offering opportunities to work in areas of accounting, data entry, customer service and merchandising. Working under the Accounts Receivable Clerk, the summer student will copy and forward cheques, issue income tax receipts, provide administrative support and update our donation data base. They will also be trained in the inventory and sales components of SAGE 50, our POS and accounting software. Having a working knowledge of Microsoft 360 Word, Excel, and Outlook, is an asset. We offer a wage of \$15 per hr. Please submit your resume to Debbie at daker@dioceseofantigonish.ca.

Sacred Heart Church in Marion Bridge (Trout Brook Road) is having a variety Concert called "Music on the Mira" June 4th from 2-4pm, Marion Bridge Elementary Choir will be singing, The Ukulele Unlimited, Guitar Gals, and D&R dance group, along with Jerry Gillis, Phyllis and Wilfred MacEachern! Good Cape Breton tea and oatcakes will be served. Times are especially hard now for so many, so we are depending on the generosity of donations at the door. For further inquiries, call 902-578-8879.

A Warm Welcome to Our <u>New Parishioners!</u> Interested in joining Saint Theresa's Parish Family Please let us know who you are and we will be happy to offer you more information and introduce you to our Parish life. Just fill out the form at the entrances or online) place it in the basket. It's great to have you with us!

We encourage you to use our 'Pre-Authorized Donation' (PAD) service and boxed set of envelopes. Choosing the PAD service makes it easier for you to support us and is a welcomed benefit to the Parish as our expenses continue year round. Please help support us by picking up a PAD form and a boxed set of envelopes found in the Church foyer. Please consider remembering St Theresa's Parish in your Will and include us in the bequeath section of the obituary notice. Our Registered Charity number is: #106880147 RR0081. Thank you and many blessings to you and your loved ones! The Office is now able to accept Visa, MasterCard and AmEx. As well as PayPal. **Envelopes:** There are envelopes in the Centre Entrance and at the office for Memorial Donations to the Hall or the Church or the Cemetery. We have also added a Donation Button to the Web Site.