

ST. ANDREW PARISH

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Eastern Passage

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MASS TIMES

Saturday Mass: 4:30 pm

Sunday Mass – 10:00 am

CONFESSION

Saturday - 3:30 - 4:00 pm

ST. ANDREW

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday 9:00 am – Della Whalen

Wednesday 7:00 pm – Donna Robar

Thursday 7:00 pm – Vince Oakey

Saturday, Oct 06, 2018 – 4:30 pm
Dan Briand

ST. CLEMENTS

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday 7:00 pm – Tom Gilfoy &
Ho Tom

Wednesday 9:00 am- Judy Jennings &
JP Gilby

Thursday 9:00 am – Ho Tom &
Alex LeBlanc

Friday 9:00 am - Gertrude David &
Antoinette Belliveau

Saturday: October 06th - 4:00 pm
Millie Ross and Ho Tom

REFLECTION

Twenty – Sixth Sunday Ordinary Time – Jesus instructs his disciples not to prevent anyone performing a mighty deed in his name. Anyone not against him is for him. Anyone who provides for you because you belong to Christ will retain his or her reward. But whatever causes you to sin, cut it off so that you will not experience Gehenna, but rather the Kingdom of God.

FEEDBACK REQUESTED

On the Fourth Tuesday of the month, Saint Clement Parish group called the Golden Circle of Friends, come together for a Mass at 12 noon, followed by a light lunch, and an activity or Social.

I would like to place the proposal to have the seniors from Saint Andrew Parish join us on the fourth Tuesday of the month. We will then have one Mass at 12noon and an opportunity to socialize as well as build up our connections in the Faith and our Church Communities.

I would like to receive feedback from the Parishioners of Saint Andrew (especially those who attend the 9am Mass) by phoning the Parish Office (902) 461-1987 or sending an email to me personally geraldldavid9@gmail.com.

LIFE CHAIN

On Sunday, September 30 from 2pm – 3pm, Life citizens peacefully and prayerfully proclaiming the sanctity of human life are asked to gather Robie Street, Halifax Commons side between Quinpool and Cunard. This is a prayerful gathering of people, who while holding signs proclaiming the sanctity of life, are a visible/ silent gathering proclaiming the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death.

Those who have space in their car – maybe we could meet at Saint Clement or Saint Andrew Church parking lot and carpool in for this event. Those who do not have a drive in, please call and inform the parish office and we can see who might have room.

NEW WINDOWS AT PARISH CENTER

As you probably have noticed, the two front windows upstairs at the Parish Center were replaced during the summer months. Both of these windows were unrepairable and needed to be replaced. The cost to change these windows was \$3220.00 in total.

Once again, the Knights of Columbus here at St. Andrew came forward offering to pay the full amount of the bill. Due to their generosity the cost to the parish was \$0.00.

Thank you to the Knights not only for funding the cost of this repair but for the continued physical and financial support they give to St. Andrew and the community of Eastern Passage. Their kindness and support does not go unnoticed.



A special thank you also to our Maintenance Committee who are diligent in keeping our property in great repair.

ST. ANDREW CWL BURSURY



St. Andrew's CWL is pleased to announce that applications are now being accepted for the Aleotha Osborne Continuing Education Bursary to female parishioners. This bursary is for

\$100.00.

Please apply in writing to St. Andrew's CWL, PO Box 187, Eastern Passage, NS B3G 1M5. Deadline is October 19, 2018.

EMPOWERED CATHOLIC CONFERENCE FOR MEN

Calling all men in Nova Scotia and abroad! The new EMPOWERED Catholic Conference for Men will take place on October 12 and 13 at the Bella Rose Arts Centre, Halifax West High School.

Registration is \$70.00. Deadline for registration is October 2, 2018.

For more information and to register see the website at www.empoweredccfm.com or email empoweredccfm@hotmail.com or call Tony at 902-435-1568.

OCTOBERFEST SUPPER & SOCIAL

Mark your calendar for this event.



Join us on October 20th, 2018, from 5:30 pm – 12:00 am for a delicious Oktoberfest Sausage Meal at St. Andrew

Parish Center. Dance and play fun games all evening. Cash Bar and Door prizes.

Adults \$15.00 and \$8.00 for children 12 and under.

Tickets available by calling Cathy at 902-465-6440.

CHALICE NEEDS YOUR HELP



In case you are not aware our children's collection where they put coins in the lighthouse at Mass goes to families we support through Chalice. Chalice is honoured to

be one of three Canadian charities invited to participating in Grant Thornton's Campus Charity Contest.

The charity who received the most votes will receive a generous \$10,000 donation! It would be greatly appreciated if you could start voting for Chalice today on the link listed below and pass this on to anyone you know, who has a heart for helping children, because that's who we are doing it for.

The link to vote and learn more: <https://www.grantthornton.ca/en/careers/students-and-recent-graduates/make-a-difference/>

**ARCHBISHOP MANCINI:
FEAST OF OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY**



Moved by the current crisis in our Church worldwide, Archbishop Mancini is inviting the faithful in the Archdiocese of Halifax-Yarmouth to pray in a very particular way on October 7, 2018 – the Feast of the Our Lady of the Rosary.

In a Letter to the Faithful dated September 21, 2018, he writes: Dear friends, October 7 is the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary and on this particular feast day, I am inviting all of our faithful to pray the rosary and ask Mary to help us in these troubled times.

In fact, with this invitation, I am appealing to one and all in our Archdiocese to enter into a year of atonement through prayer and fasting.*

Let us begin on this date a time of fasting and a time to pray for unity in our Church; to intercede for all who are suffering from any kind of abuse and who are seeking healing and reconciliation in the Body of Christ.

Let us pray for families, for the Holy Father, for bishops, priests, deacons and all in leadership roles, that Mary may touch the hearts of all with her love and compassion.

Through Mary's intercession, may we all experience the grace of conversion; rediscover that the Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ, the Lord, and that he calls us to be the one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

**ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL DINNER
JOIN US**



The 6th Annual Archbishop's Dinner is only a few weeks away! Are you planning to join us for this evening of fundraising, faith, and fellowship? We are pleased to welcome Mrs. Angèle Regnier as this year's guest speaker.

As the co-founder of Catholic Christian Outreach, Angèle brings a wealth of experience and wisdom when it comes to ministry with young people.

Come and be inspired and encouraged in our efforts to evangelize our youth. Proceeds for this fundraising dinner will go towards youth ministry and promoting vocations.

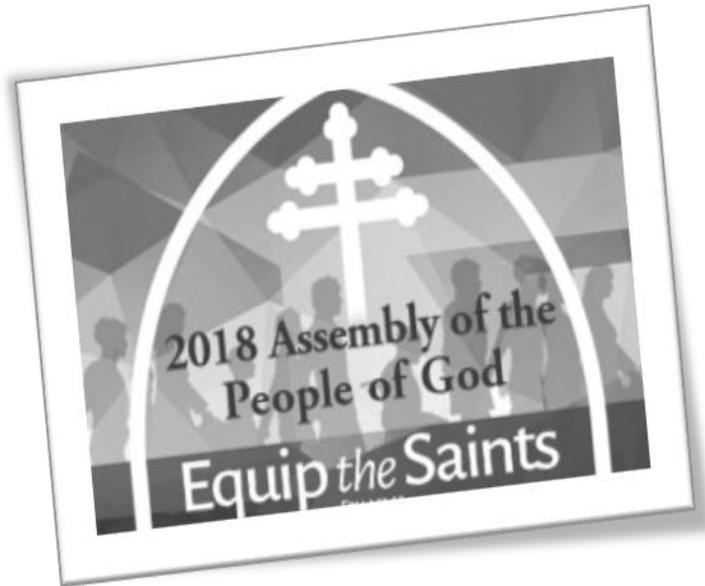
Tickets are \$125 (tax receipt available for a portion of the ticket cost). Gather a group and book a table as a parish!

All proceeds will go towards our ministries to evangelize young people and promote vocations.

To purchase a ticket contact Sandra Moreau at (902) 429-9800 ext 403 or smorneau@halifaxyarmouth.org

You may also contact the parish office if you are interested in attending this worthwhile event.

**ASSEMBLY OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD
October 26-27**



What will the Archdiocese of Halifax-Yarmouth look like on January 1, 2019 – and beyond? Find out at this year’s Assembly! After hearing from the clergy and many of you, the faithful, Archbishop Mancini has discerned the next steps needed to equip us to be missionary disciples in our local Church. As we gather at the Assembly, Archbishop will offer his proposed vision for the road ahead and once again invite your feedback.

Specific pastoral plan workshops with Archbishop Mancini are being scheduled for parish council and finance council representatives to explore what their ministry and role will look like as we become New Parishes: Stronger Together.

The aim of all of our Assembly workshops is to help participants look at what it takes to build communities of missionary disciples. Join us at the 2018 Assembly of People of God and have the opportunity to learn more as we move into Year 2 of our Equip the Saints Pastoral Plan.

Be a part of the conversation and consultation. Archbishop Mancini wants to hear from you! Join us on October 26-27 at The Seton Academic Centre, Mount Saint Vincent University! Early bird registration is \$20 - until

September 30! After that regular registration is \$25.00.

**Fr. Gerald remarks on the
Assembly of the People of God**

Assembly of the People of God – On October 26 & 27, the Lay people of the Archdiocese will be invited to gather in assembly to reflect/pray/and discern together the path forward. These are important gatherings in the life of our local Church.

These gatherings offer us opportunities to pray with, support and encourage one another as we journey along as Disciples of Jesus Christ in our local Church. I am hoping that a number of people from both Saint Andrew and Saint Clement will be in attendance. To register please call and inform the Parish Office.

PARISH ENVELOPE SYSTEM

The parish office will be preparing the offering envelopes for the 2019 physical year over the next several weeks and would like to insure that each family has an opportunity to contribute to their parish.

If you are currently **not** receiving parish envelopes and would like to obtain a packet of offering envelopes for the 2019 year or sign up for PAD please contact Deacon Gordon at the parish office.

Please view the chart below to see the tax credit available to those who donate through envelope offering or P.A.D. via Income Tax Credit on Charitable Donations: - Please note that the following does not take into account all possible tax situations.

Donation Yearly	Tax Credit
\$25.00	\$5.95
\$100.00	\$23.79
\$250.00	\$72.58
\$500.00	\$197.58
\$1000.00	\$447.58
\$2000.00	\$947.58
\$3000.00	\$1447.58

PARISH MISSION

You are invited to attend the Mission at St Ignatius Parish, Bedford the week of Oct 21 - Oct 24. It will run from Sunday until Wednesday night at 7:00 pm. It will be conducted by Redemptorist Fr. Eugene O'Reilly.

Join us and allow Jesus Christ through the richness of His Word, to love you into fullness of life and a deep sense of personal well-being.

COMMUNITY HANDCRAFTERS SHOW St. Peter Parish - Dartmouth

Join us on October 20 as we raise money for our Refugee Fund! From 9:00am - 4:00pm.

St. Peter Parish is aiming to sponsor another family and continue to offer support to the first family we sponsored.

We will be hosting a Community Handcrafters Show at the Parish Centre on October 20 as one of our first fundraising events.

Admission is by donation and tax receipts will be issued for donations of \$20 or more.

We encourage you to attend and if you have a particular handcrafted item that you would like to sell at the event, please visit our website for details on how to join us <https://www.stpeterdartmouth.com/community-handcrafters-show>. Contact Debbie at refugeerelieffund@gmail.com for more information or if you have questions.

FALL FAIR

Saint Mother Teresa of Kolkata, Halifax will host a Fall Fair on Saturday, October 20, 2018 From 10:00 am – 1:00 pm in Saint Mother Teresa Parish hall (in St. Stephens Church)

Including special events planned for the children.

Events include: Cake & Gift Walk, Christmas Kisses Booth, Penguin Toss and other games, Craft Table, Baked Goods, a Giant Christmas

Stocking and Canteen. We have gifts in all price ranges for everyone on your list.

Bring a friend and start your Christmas shopping.

Proceeds from the Christmas Bazaar benefit the various projects sponsored by our church groups and committees throughout the year.

Door prizes! \$1.00 admission.

AGING:

I thought I had a Handle on life... But, the handle broke off!

How do we receive/accept Life--our own and that of others--when it comes with a broken handle? How able are we to change our grip when the handle breaks?

This reflection day invites you to courageously accept the progressive unfolding of life--the continuous consciousness of letting go and moving on.

Facilitated by Dr. Beverly Musgrave, Ph.D

Barat Spirituality Center 1455 Summer Street Halifax, NS B3H4L6 - Saturday, Oct. 27, 2018 from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm. \$20 suggested for day. Please bring lunch--drinks provided.

Email: baratspirituality@gmail.com

Website: www.baratspirituality.org

Please call ahead, email, or send a message via the website to register.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND October 7-18

Join Fr Simon Lobo, CC and Fr Bryan Sabourin, CC on this prayerful journey from Halifax/Toronto the Holy Land Oct 7-18, 2018. Find out more

at www.privatelabeltravel.ca or e-mail Bob

Sime at bsime@privatelabeltravel.ca

