

## **ST. ANDREW PARISH**

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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 – No Mass*

*Wednesday 7:00 am – No Mass.*

*Thursday 7:00 pm – Finney Miller*

*Saturday, November 10, 2018 – 4:30 pm*

*Joan Oakey*

### **ST. CLEMENTS**

#### **WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

*Tuesday 7:00 pm – Gertrude David*

*& McGrath Family (living)*

*Wednesday 9:00 am- Gertrude David*

*& Kathleen Murphy*

*Thursday 9:00 am – Gertrude David*

*& Harry Mullen*

*Friday 9:00 am - No Mass*

*Saturday: November 10<sup>th</sup> - 4:00 pm*

*Maria Nguyen*

## **REFLECTION**

### ***Thirty First Sunday of Ordinary Time***

Jesus' words in response to the scribe who inquires about the most important commandment echo Moses' words in the First Reading. To the Commandment of Honour the Lord God Alone with love of one's heart, mind, and strength, Jesus adds the Second Commandment to Love Your Neighbour as Yourself. Understanding these Commandments brings one near to the Kingdom of God

## **NOVEMBER – MONTH OF**

### **REMEMERING OUR BELOVED DEAD**

*On Thursday, November 1*, we celebrate a beautiful Feast of all those who have gone before us and are "Before the Face of God". All Saints Feast Day is a day we continue to ask those before the face of God to remember us and to intercede for us before the Throne of God. Every Mass we pray, we not only add the Saint of the particular Church we are praying in, but we seek always the intercessions of all the Saints who are in Heaven. This is where our earthly Praise & Worship joins the Angels and Saints in Heaven.

On Friday, November 2, we offer the Memorial of All Souls. The Eucharistic Prayer of the Mass beautifully reminds us and commends us to pray for our Beloved Dead. The words in Eucharistic Prayer I - "Remember also, Lord, your servants ....., who have gone before us with the sign of faith and rest in the sleep of peace. Grant them, O Lord, we pray, and all who sleep in Christ, a place of refreshment, light, and peace."

It is more than just a nice thing to do, to remember the dead, it is of great importance. Connecting what we do here on earth, as the pilgrim journey toward where we hope to be together again, gathered in God's gift of refreshment, light, and peace. Let us continue to pray for our dead.

At each Mass those names will be lifted up in prayer so that Eternal Rest may be granted to them.

## KNIGHTS' BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus Council 10486 will meet this Sunday evening, November 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in Room A of the Parish Center.



An Executive Meeting will precede the business meeting at 6 pm.

## CWL MEETING



CWL will be holding their regular monthly meeting this Sunday, November 4, 2018, at the Parish Hall.

Please arrive by 1:15 pm for prayers, and 1:30 pm for our meeting. Hope to see you there.

## ALTAR SERVERS



On Friday, November 16, the Altar Servers from Saint Andrew and Saint Clement will have a fun night out with a little competitive bowling followed by pizza and refreshments at the

Woodside Bowling Alley.

We are going to schedule the bowling for 6 pm. All Altar Servers plan to be there. Altar Servers from Saint Andrew Parish please RSVP by November 7 to Darini and Saint Clement Parish to Adam Scott.

## PLEASE BE REMINDED \*REMEMBERANCE DAY \*\* November 11<sup>th</sup>



Where November 11<sup>th</sup> falls on a Sunday this year, we are making some adjustments to our Sunday Mass schedule in

both churches for that particular Sunday. Saint Clement Mass will change to 9 am and **Saint Andrew will change to 8:30 am followed by our community's Annual Remembrance Day Ecumenical Service taking place at St. Andrew's at 9:30 am, ending with the laying of wreaths at the Royal Canadian Legion, Main Road, Eastern Passage.**

## MEMORIAL MASS

### For All Deceased This Past Year

On Wednesday, November 21, at 7 pm, we will be celebrating a Mass at Saint Andrew's Church, for all those who have died in this past year.



We will invite members of the family to come and celebrate this Mass remembering our beloved dead. We will invite you to light a candle in memory of your loved one and offer the prayer of the Mass for their soul.

In addition to our own Parishioner list, if anyone has lost a member of your immediate family outside of Saint Andrew, we invite you to call the Parish Office and have their name added to be announced at this particular Mass. We invite you to ask other family members to come and celebrate with us.

## UPCOMING VIDEO SERIES

Fr. Peter will be offering a Lectio Divina Course after Tuesday morning Mass in the St. Francis Room at the Church. This Course will run from November 27<sup>th</sup> until December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Each class will begin at 9:45 am and last roughly one hour. All are welcome.

Also, Rick Thibault will be offering an Advent video series on journey and prayer to the birth of Christ on Tuesday evenings 7:00 pm at St. Andrew Parish Center (Room B). Starting the 27 of November until December 18.

## NEW PARISHES - STRONGER TOGETHER



Last Friday and Saturday, Archbishop Mancini invited people from all parishes and missions to come together for a weekend of prayer, deeper discernment, and to hear more about the vision for the future of our Archdiocese.

There were some great presentations and we also heard on Friday night from the Archbishop himself regarding the vision for Churches working more closely together to enable the Mission to be the central focus of our ministry. We have been invited as a Faith Community to join with the Faith Communities of Saint Clement, and Saint John XXIII.

**What does this mean for us?** We have been asked to begin the Transition process. Since we are aware of the three Churches that are involved in our parish configuration, we have asked that the committees, councils, and various apostolates in each of our Churches to take an inventory of what is happening.

This material will be used in the conversation that members will have together with the members in each Church.

We have already decided at Saint Andrew and Saint Clement to have our young people in the Junior High levels, particularly, those who are preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation, participate in the Edge Program offered at Saint John XXIII on Tuesday evening. I pray

that our conversations and our beginning to work together will bear great fruit for the Lord. Please continue to pray that our Community of Faith will have a stronger sense of the gifts, strengths, and hopes that we have together, enabling a healthy and vital vision for being a Church with a Missionary thrust.

### FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

The month of November marks a very important time for both Saint Clement and Saint Andrew Parishes. November 23 is the Feast Day of Saint Clement; November 30 is the Feast Day of Saint Andrew. In addition to the Feast Day Masses we are planning an opportunity to enjoy a potluck meal on the Saturday evening after the Mass so that we can have an opportunity to get together, and celebrate with a meal on this special occasion.

Please mark your calendars now for the Feast Day, and plan if you are able to attend the Mass. More information will be shared about the potluck meal in our Bulletin and Website/E-mail.

### NEW LIFE Course

**NOV. 16- 18**

Fri. 6:30 pm to Sun. 3:30 pm  
St. Vincent de Paul Parish  
Stewardship Centre

Come and enjoy a weekend of Faith, Friendship and Fun.

**THIS INTRODUCTORY COURSE** is a weekend of faith enrichment in which everyone

can know

Jesus Christ more personally and be empowered by His Spirit to live a more joy-filled Christian life. Animated by a team of lay faithful and priests committed to the New Evangelization of our culture. Cost: \$100.00 (non-refundable)

To register, please contact Theresa Astle at (902) 434 2408 or register online

<https://goo.gl/forms/XEf7Ce5KK9ostbvz2>

Presented by: SVDP SASE



## THANK YOU FOR JOINING US THIS WEEKEND!



Between our 2018 Assembly of the People of God and our Steubenville Atlantic

Launch Party, Archbishop Mancini gathered with over 700 members of the faithful – young and young at heart - to talk about and pray for the local Church of Halifax-Yarmouth.

We thought it was pretty great and we hope that everyone who participated in any way this weekend thought so too. Thank you so much to everyone for sharing their time, their ideas, and their gifts with our family of faith.

If you want to re-live the experience, or if you weren't there and want to see what you missed, you can check out the recordings of our livestream broadcasts by check our website and click the link listed below:

*Equip the Saints: 2018 Assembly of the People of God*

### EQUIP THE SAINTS Community Collection



Thank you to all who have generously donated to the Community Collection. The first collection for this campaign was on October 21 and the

second collection will happen on November 25. But you don't have to wait until November to contribute. You can make your donation at anytime in the following ways:

By cheque: Place your cheque along with your completed donors card in your weekly collection or mail them directly to the Archdiocese. If you are placing your gift in the

weekly collection please make the cheque payable to your church. If you are sending your donation directly to the Archdiocese, please make your cheque payable to the Archdiocese of Halifax-Yarmouth.

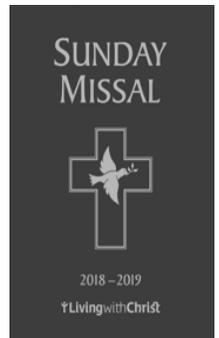
By credit card: Donations can be online or by using your donation card. Please include the CVV, found on the signature line of your credit card.

Thank you for your cooperation and your generosity!

If you have any questions or need more information contact: Christine Spears at (902) 429-9800 ext 312 or [cspears@halifaxyarmouth.org](mailto:cspears@halifaxyarmouth.org).

### SUNDAY MISSALS

The Sunday Missals have arrived and are now available for the 2018/19 Liturgical Year (C) beginning on December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018, the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent.



The cost will be \$4.00 again this year just to cover the purchase price and shipping.

### CHRISTMAS CARDS



Religious Christmas cards will be available for purchase near the entrance of the church beginning the weekend of October 20/21.

They are sold in packages of 10 cards, for \$10 per package or

3 packs for \$25.

Please contact the Parish Office if additional cards are required.

## VISIT THE RELICS OF SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA

SAINT ANTHONY IN  
NOVA SCOTIA



Visit of the Relics of Saint Anthony of Padua: New dates added!"

Two holy relics of Saint Anthony of Padua will visit the diocese during November. Father Alex Ratti, a friar from the Basilica in Padua, will bring two first-class relics of the beloved Saint

One reliquary contains layers of skin of Saint Anthony's cheek and the 2nd reliquary contains a fragment of the Saint's Floating Ribs.

The Floating Rib relic has special meaning because it was received in the Cathedral of Buenos Aires by the then-Archbishop of Jorge Maria Bergoglio (now Pope Francis) in the year 2000.

This same relic was also venerated by Sister Lucia of Fatima in her convent in Coimbra, Portugal, in 1995, for the 800th anniversary of Saint Anthony's birth.

### **Dates and hours of masses and veneration are as follows:**

#### **Sunday, November 4**

Saint Mary's Cathedral Basilica - Veneration after each of the Sunday Masses

#### **Monday, November 5**

Saint Bernard's Church, Enfield: Veneration 9 am to 1:30 pm and Mass at 12:00 Noon

Saint Anthony of Padua Church, Berwick: Veneration begins 5 pm and Mass at 7:00 pm

#### **Tuesday, November 6**

Saint Anthony's Church, Dartmouth: Veneration 8:00 am to 11:00 am and Mass at 9:00 am

Saint Peter Church, Dartmouth: Mass at 12 noon followed by Veneration

Saint Vincent de Paul Church, Dartmouth: Veneration begins at 5:00 pm and Mass at 6:30 pm

#### **Wednesday November 7**

Holy Family Church, Amherst: Veneration from 9:30 am- 1:30 pm and Mass at 12 noon

Immaculate Conception Church, Truro: Veneration begins at 4:00 pm and Mass at 7:00 pm

#### **Thursday, November 8**

Saint Theresa's Church, Halifax: Mass at 9:00 am and Veneration until 10:00 am

Saint Catherine of Siena Church, Halifax: Veneration from 11:00 am to 1:00pm

Saint Joseph Church, Bridgewater: Veneration begins at 4:00 pm and Mass at 7:00 pm

#### **Friday, November 9**

Saint John the Baptist Church, Halifax: Veneration 8:00 am to 10:30 am and Mass at 9:00 am

Saint Agnes Parish, Halifax: Mass at 12:10 pm and Veneration from 12:30 pm to 4:00 pm

(NEW) Saint Michael's Church, Halifax: Veneration 5:30 pm followed by Mass at 7 pm

#### **Saturday, November 10**

(NEW) Saint Ninian Cathedral, Antigonish: Veneration from 1:00 pm to 6:30 pm and Mass at 4 pm

#### **Sunday, November 11**

(NEW) Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Catholic Church, Halifax: Veneration from 10:30 am to 1:00 pm and Mass at 11:00 am