

## **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 – Dennis Dunphy*  
*Thursday 7:00 pm – Gerd DeBois*

**Saturday: April 27<sup>th</sup> 2019 - 4:30 pm**  
*Susanne Hudak and Trevor Pluff*

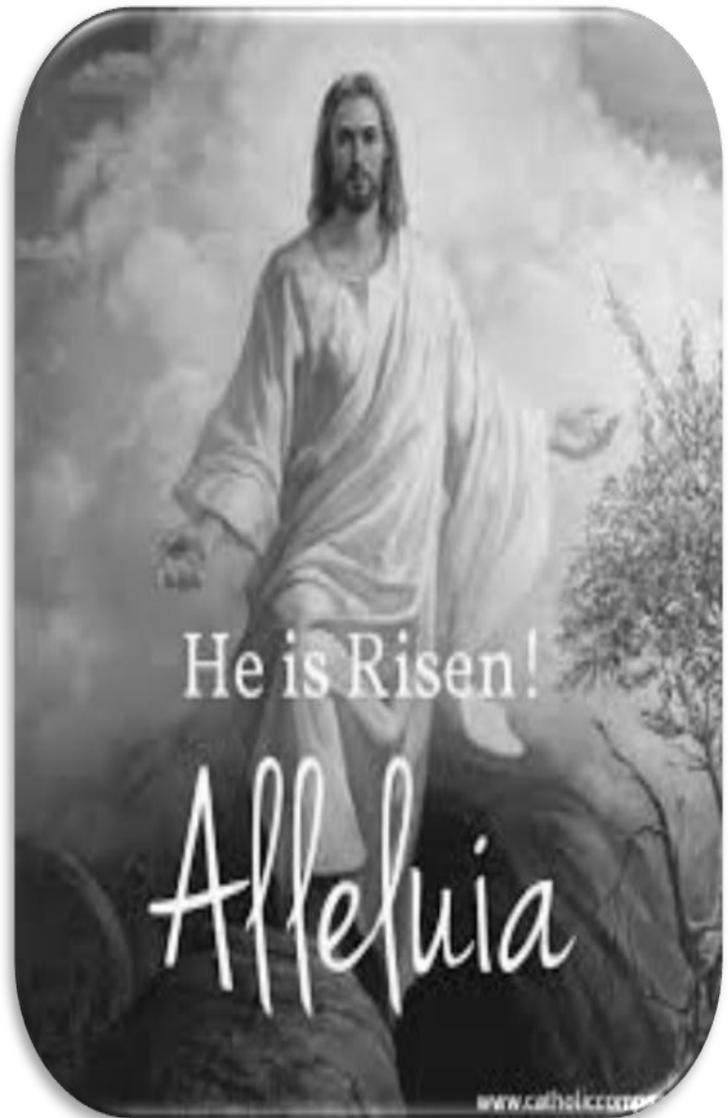
### **ST. CLEMENT**

#### **WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

*Tuesday 12:00 Noon – Maria Nguyen*  
*Wednesday 9:00 am - George Saurt*  
*Thursday 9:00 am Craig Baker*  
*Friday 9:00 am – Holly Baxter*

**Saturday: April 27<sup>th</sup> 2019 - 4:00 pm**  
*Maria Nguyen*

## **EASTER SUNDAY**



We have journeyed through the season of Lent and have given permission to God to shine His light to show us the way.

The Lord is Risen, truly He has, Alleluia! Alleluia!!!

I would like to take this opportunity to wish each and every one of you a very Happy and Holy Easter Season. I pray that these next 50 days till Pentecost, will truly be a renewing experience for you.

May the Truth that the Resurrection of Jesus Christ renew our Church and our homes always.  
– Fr. Gerald

## EASTER FLOWERS



Easter flowers have been donated in memory of: David & April Moir, Bill & Marion Hartley, Therese Johnson, Bob & Andrea Young, Ron Stephenson, Deceased parents, Louis & Clara MacCormack, Wayne LeBlanc, Patsy Claus, deceased MacLean Family members, deceased Naugle Family members, Anne & Ralph Cameron, Eldon Craig, Alfred & Maude Henneberry, Arthur & Lena Craig, Ruby & Bum Silver, Charlene Silver, Levinia & Thomas Naugle, Olive & Jack Silver, Ed & Kay Terrio, Isabelle & Harold Naugle, Vincent Oakey, Joan Oakey, Helen Purcell, Catherine & Cassandra Rudicil and Laurence, Shirley Mixer, Bobby and Jimmy Cleary.

May they rest in eternal peace.

## DINNER THEATRE THIS COMING WEEKEND



**Some Tickets still available**

Our newest show is called "*Fit to be Showered*".

What happens when the hall has been double booked by a seniors' exercise group and a Russian bridal shower party?? Come and find out 😊

**Dates** – Friday, April 26 and Saturday, April 27

**Time** – 6 pm doors open, dinner at 7 pm

**Place** - St. Andrew's Parish Centre  
Cash bar, 50/50, Tickets - \$25 each

**A Delicious Roast Beef Dinner will be served.**

**\*\* Saturday evening is SOLD OUT!**  
**There are a few Tickets left for Friday evening.**

Contact Cathy for tickets at 902-465-6440 or by e-mail at [patriquinfamily@eastlink.ca](mailto:patriquinfamily@eastlink.ca)

## CWL CONVENTION



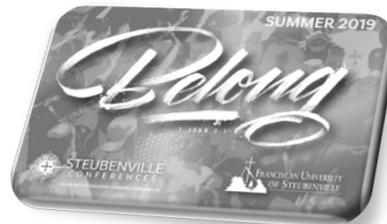
Please be reminded that the CWL Convention will be held on the Weekend of May 03<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>. More information will be posted in next week's bulletin.

## STEUBENVILLE ATLANTIC

Thank you to Justin Ward and Brad MacKinnon from Saint John XXIII Parish for coming to invite and encourage our young people last weekend at Saint Andrew.

We will welcome their invitation at Saint Clement at a future time. Our hope is that we will have a number of young people from both Saint Andrew and Saint Clement join and participate in the Steubenville experience this Summer in Halifax.

## STEUBENVILLE 2019 BELONGING



Steubenville returns to Dalhousie University July 5-7. This conference, which can be a

life-changing experience for young people, is open to youth currently in grade 8 - 12.

To sign up, or learn about our fundraising efforts, contact Brad MacKinnon the Youth Minister at St. John XXIII (902-449-8791) or [brad@saintjohnxxiii.ca](mailto:brad@saintjohnxxiii.ca).

For more on the conference and the lineup of speakers, go to [www.steubenville.ca](http://www.steubenville.ca).

Join the 36 participants already registered for Steubenville and working on fundraising to reduce their cost. This conference annually attracts hundreds of young people from all over Atlantic Canada for this life-giving experience

## COADJUTOR ARCHBISHOP ANNOUNCED FOR HALIFAX- YARMOUTH



On the morning of Saturday, April 13, 2019 the Holy Father, Pope Francis announced the appointment of Most Reverend Brian Dunn, current Bishop of Antigonish, as Coadjutor Archbishop for the Archdiocese of Halifax-Yarmouth. Bishop Dunn, our Coadjutor Archbishop Elect, will join Archbishop Mancini and the faithful at the Chrism Mass.

Bishop Dunn is familiar to many in our diocese. He was appointed Bishop of Antigonish on November 21, 2009 by His Holiness Pope Benedict XVI, and installed on January, 25, 2010. Prior to his Antigonish appointment, Bishop Dunn was Auxiliary Bishop of Sault Ste-Marie, Ontario.

Bishop Dunn was born in St. John's, Newfoundland in 1955 and ordained to the priesthood in 1980. He served a number of parishes in the Diocese of Grand Falls until 1988 when he moved to Ottawa in order to complete his doctoral studies in Canon Law at Saint Paul University. In 1991, he was assigned to parish ministry and also worked as Vice-Chancellor and Chancellor for the Diocese of Grand Falls while teaching theology in the Maritimes. In 2002, he became a faculty member at St. Peter's Seminary, in London, Ontario and from 2005 to 2008 he served as the seminary's Dean of Studies.

Upon the release of this appointment Archbishop Mancini shared Letter of Announcement to the faithful of the diocese

*Dear Friends,*

*It is with a great sense of gratitude that I share with you the Holy Father's appointment of the Most Reverend Brian Dunn, as Coadjutor Archbishop of the Archdiocese of Halifax-*

*Yarmouth. The news was published in Rome today, April 13, 2019.*

*I thank Pope Francis for kindly accepting my request for a coadjutor to assist me in the pastoral charge of this Archdiocese at this important time of transition, when we are restructuring the Archdiocese to be better equipped to become a Church of missionary disciples. As coadjutor archbishop, Bishop Dunn takes office immediately upon presentation of his apostolic letter of appointment to the College of Consultors which will take place at a later more convenient time. He has the right of succession, which means that upon my resignation as Archbishop, hopefully in November 2020, Bishop Dunn will assume the office of Archbishop of Halifax-Yarmouth.*

*In the interim, Bishop Dunn will have the time and occasion to become familiar with the people and clergy who make up the faithful of our diocese. There will be ample opportunity to discover the strengths of this local Church as well as become aware of the various challenges which must be faced in the missionary task of the New Evangelization.*

*I look forward to this experience of shared leadership and particularly to the gifts and new energy which Bishop Dunn will bring to our collaborative work. This will insure a smooth transfer of episcopal responsibility and succession in the pastoral leadership of the Archdiocese.*

*Bishop Dunn has manifested a great sense of service in his own Diocese of Antigonish and comes to us with great pastoral experience and theological knowledge. He has demonstrated great freedom and generosity in accepting the call of the Holy Father to continue his episcopal ministry in the service of this Archdiocese. I thank him and welcome him as a brother in episcopacy and invite all of you to pray for him. Sincerely, †Anthony Mancini Archbishop of Halifax-Yarmouth*

**WEEKLY COLLECTION  
ST. ANDREW - ORDINARY REVENUE**

Ord. Rev.	#of Env	April 14/19	Average
Sunday Env	109	\$2076	\$19.04
Loose		\$203.90	
P.A.D.	15	\$250.00	\$16.70
<b>Total</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>\$2529.90</b>	
Budget		TBA	
+ / -		TBA	



**LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR**

You're invited to attend the Life in the Spirit Seminars at St Vincent de Paul Church, 320 Flying Cloud Drive, Dartmouth. (Just off Forrest Hills Parkway on Thursdays from April 25, 2019 to June 6, 2019 following the 6:30pm Mass.

Registration is on Thursday, April 25, 2019 after the 6:30pm Mass at approximate 7:30pm in the main foyer.

Sponsored by the Bread of Life Prayer Group:  
For more information please call: Gail Muise # 902- 463-2952 or Patsy Robbins # 902-435-5861

**DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE**

In a March 29, 2019 statement by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops and the Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace - Caritas Canada (CCODP) we read that "Acts of charity and justice are among the important ways to promote the dignity of the human person and integral human development."

April 7th was Solidarity Sunday and the highlight of CCODP's annual Share Lent campaign. The funds taken up in parish collections that day will be used to support over 162 projects in 37 countries around the world!

CCODP wishes to thank all those who contributed to this year's Share Lent campaign. It is the biggest fundraiser of the year and is vital for long-term community development projects to support those in need in the Global South and for education work in parishes across Canada.

CCODP is the official international development organization of the Catholic Church in Canada and the Canadian member of Caritas Internationalis.

In this year's Share Lent campaign, CCODP joined Caritas Internationalis in a symbolic sharing of a journey with refugees and immigrants.

You can continue to support the goals of the Share Lent campaign by Taking part or organizing a Share the Journey walk in solidarity with forcibly displaced persons: [devp.org/walk](https://www.devp.org/walk)

Read the Development and Peace Share Lent materials as a way to encounter children, women and men who have been forcibly displaced and to learn how our partners are making a difference.

<https://www.devp.org/en/sharelent2019/materials>

## HOLY FATHER URGES PROMOTION AND PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS FOR THE ELDERLY

Archbishop

Bernadito Auza, the Holy See's Permanent Observer to the United Nations in New York, on

April 15 addressed a

working group on the promotion and protection of the human rights of older persons.

By Robin Gomes

The Holy See is urging the promotion and protection of the rights of the elderly, saying they are the living memory of our people who can help everyone discover their roots and dignity.

“The promotion and protection of the human rights of older persons will be enhanced when they are advanced in the strength of youth, in the maturity of adulthood, in the vulnerability of illness, and in the weakness of the final moments of life,” said Archbishop Bernadito Auza, the Holy See's Permanent Observer to the United Nations in New York, on Monday.

He was speaking at a working group on measures to enhance the promotion and protection of the human rights of older persons. Exclusion of the elderly.

Warning with the words of Pope Francis that we have “normalized the exclusion of our elderly,” the Vatican diplomat said they are disproportionately impacted by the burdens of poverty, illness, disability, social isolation, violence, abandonment, abuse, and lack of access to such basic resources as adequate food and shelter, quality health care, reliable communication, nourishing companionship, and effective support in times of violence or disaster.

Respect for old age

To counter this trend, Arch. Auza suggested two areas of focus. Firstly, he called for “education, training, life-long learning and capacity building” to foster respect for the wisdom of age and the value of full participation that leaves no senior behind. He said the elderly are the “living memory of our people,” and for that reason they can help everyone to discover their roots and become more aware of their own dignity.”

Social security

The other area of focus is to ensure “social protection and social security” to the elderly which they are too often denied because they are not considered “productive” and “useful” anymore and hence are a burden to government and society.

This attitude is particularly pronounced in places where euthanasia and assisted suicide claim the lives of the elderly who are ill and vulnerable. The Holy See condemns, in the strongest possible terms, these practices and calls for the protection of older persons from such attacks.

Arch. Auza also called for redoubling efforts to promote human rights for all, saying it will help promote an intergenerational solidarity that does not separate generations from each other but binds them together.

### FRANCISCANS OF HALIFAX FURNITURE BANK

The Franciscans of Halifax have begun a furniture bank located at St. Anthony Parish Hall, 27 Farrell St., Dartmouth N.S.



We will serve individuals and families who are in need of household items and are asking for donations of slightly used furniture, dishes, and other household items.

We are also pleased to pick up any household items, call Fr. Peter Hanna at 902-225-4722

Or email: [fohfurniturebank@gmail.com](mailto:fohfurniturebank@gmail.com)