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CONFESSION
Before Masses

ST ANDREW MASS TIMES

Sunday – 11:00 am
Sunday – 6:00 pm – October 13th
Jean Murphy

ST. ANDREW

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE
Tuesday 9:00 am – Daniel Briand
Thursday 7:00 pm – Butch Miller

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Tuesday 6:30 pm – Mary McDonough
Thursday 9:00 am – Brian Thompson
Saturday: October 12th - 4:00 pm
Joan Leonard

27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



In today's Gospel we hear Jesus teach about faith and service to God. The context is a continuing dialogue between Jesus and His followers about what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. Jesus has just finished an instruction on sin and forgiveness.

There are two related teachings that Jesus offers to His disciples when they cry out for an increase in faith. The first is the familiar reminder that faith, even just a little, will enable the followers of Jesus to do wondrous things.

But this uplifting and inspiring teaching is quickly followed by the second teaching, a caution about knowing one's place in God's plans.

The disciples of Jesus are to understand themselves as servants to God and His plans.

Even when God works wonders through us, with our mustard seed-sized faith, we must not seek praise. Our participation in God's plans is God's grace to us—nothing more, nothing less.

When we are graced enough to co-operate with God, the work we do is nothing more than our obligation to God as faithful stewards.

And yet, our faith enables us to believe that what we have offered in service to God, as His servants, can be made to produce a hundredfold.

- Loyola Press

THE MONTH OF HOLY ROSARY



The month of October has been designated as a month of Mary.

The Church invites us to reflect and pray the Rosary seeking Mary's intercession.

The Memorial Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary is October 7.

Mary has been entrusted to each of us as a Spiritual Mother and her role is one of drawing us closer to her Son Jesus. May Mary, Our Blessed Mother, intercede for all the intentions we place before her.

CANADA NEEDS OUR LADY

October 12, 2019 marks the 102nd anniversary of our Lady of Fatima and, in honor of the anniversary, there is a Rosary Crusade being planned across Canada.



Canada Needs Our Lady is a special campaign of Canadian Society for the

Defence of Christian Civilization to win the hearts and minds of Canadians for Mary.

The Canadian Society for the Defense of Christian Civilization was incorporated on June 25, 2013 as a federal non-profit organization "to advance religion by the promotion of the religious teachings, tenets, doctrines, morals, and observances of the Roman Catholic faith and their application to individuals, families, and society in Christian culture and civilization."

This year, Jim Hickey will be leading this crusade here at St. Andrew and would like to

invite as many people as possible to gather outside the church and pray the Rosary.

More than ever, Catholics need to grab on to the Rosary and to pray with all our might. Because we are faced with situations in our private lives and in the Church that are very serious and confusing. For further information please see Jim Hickey.

ST. ANDREW CWL CONGRATULATE Stephen Warwick, Jenna Rehberg, Brett Henman, and Aidan Durnford on being awarded the Aleotha Osborne Continuing Education Bursary.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

It is not too late to register your child[ren] to learn about God and our Catholic Faith. Please join us on Sunday morning from 9:45 am to 10:45 am at the Parish Centre, 16 Disciple's Way (between Island View Senior apartments and the Irving Station)

Any questions, please contact Cathy Patriquin via email: patriquinfamily@eastlink.ca or phone: 902-465-6440.

FALL FREE GIVE-A-WAY DAY

Care Free Outreach Program will be having a giant giveaway day on Saturday, October 12th, from 9 - noon at St. Andrew's Parish Centre.

Families are welcome to come and shop for FREE, a huge assortment of gently used clothing (adult and children), bedding, books, toys, footwear, and household items.

We are also accepting donations of gently used clothing, especially winter clothing.

For more information, please contact Shelia Turner at 902-469-3456 or email shelia-bee@hotmail.com

Please spread the word to all families in our community that could use a helping hand.

ARCHBISHOP'S DINNER



The night will also include silent and live auctions with items ranging from a hockey stick signed by the Halifax Mooseheads, an original painting by Archbishop Mancini, dinner for 10 with a private chef, and much more!

The funds raised at the dinner will go to support our infirmed and retired priests.

When: Wednesday, October 9, 2019

Where: Cunard Centre, 961 Marginal Rd, Halifax

Cost: \$125/person (A tax receipt for a portion of the ticket cost is available)

To purchase tickets go to www.halifaxyarmouth.org/dinner

We look forward to seeing you there!

ARE YOU REGISTERED FOR THIS YEARS ASSMBLY?



Over the past 12 months, the Archdiocese has experienced many changes. What does it all mean? Join Archbishops

Mancini and Dunn – and hundreds of Catholics from across our diocese – at the 2019 Assembly of the People of God , October 25-26, and find out what it means.

This once a year gathering brings the whole diocese together to celebrate how far we have come and discuss and discern where God is calling us next. Come and be a part of the conversation that brings about the renewal and transformation of our local parishes.

Assembly participants will:

Hear from our archbishops during the large group plenary sessions.

Equip themselves in workshops that look at vocations (one's personal call to holiness), co-responsibility, leadership, worship, and the ministry of care and companionship.

Pray together for the Holy Spirit to pour out the gifts and graces needed to transform our hearts and our Church

Connect with their peers from other parishes and parts of our vast diocese

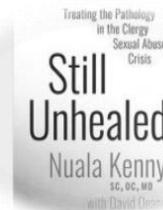
Have a faith formation opportunity for themselves and their children through on-site childcare as well as an on-site NET retreat for youth

Increase their awareness and understanding of what our Church can be and do as we strive to truly be stronger together

This year's assembly will have something for everyone – register now!

For more information on the Assembly and to register go to www.halifaxyarmouth.org/assembly

BOOK LAUNCH: STILL UNHEALED



Sr. Nuala Kenny, SC has written a new book on the sexual abuse crisis in our Church.

A book launch for, Still Unhealed: Treating the Pathology in the Clergy Sexual Abuse Crisis, will happen on Thursday, October 3, at 6:30 in the Chapel Building at the Atlantic School of Theology. Dr. David Deane was also a contributing author to the book.

The book is currently available through Novalis for pre-order and copies will be available for purchase at the launch.

For more information on the book see the Novalis

<https://en.novalis.ca/products/still-unhealed>

FM 645 MEN'S GROUP

Saint John XXIII, Dartmouth

FM 645 is a gathering of Christian men. We share faith through prayer and reflection. We meet every Friday morning, except if Christmas Day falls on Friday.

We start at 6:45 am with coffee. Friday, October 04, 2019, Friday, October 11, 2019, Friday, October 18, 2019, Friday, October 25, 2019, Friday, November 01, 2019

All men are welcome to come and join us.

TRAINING FOR PARISH PALLIATIVE CARE VOLUNTEERS:

Do you feel called to visit the sick, terminally ill, dying and bereaved in your parish community? As a member of a Parish, you would represent your parish community by journeying with a person and being a loving support by listening, with some understanding of the challenges with which they may be coping, to ease the suffering and improve quality of life.

Two day certified course— November 02 and 16, 2019, 8:00am-3:30pm

Location: St. Thomas More Church, 15 Caledonia Rd. Dartmouth NS

Presenters: Mary Wylde RN, Sister (Doctor) Nuala Kenny and Susan Duggan
Please register by October 14, 2019 (earlier is better). Contact: Dianne Bulger
diannebulger@ns.sympatico.ca or 902-880-3494. Cost: \$25.00 to cover materials and lunch

EOHSJ HOSTS A PUBLIC LECTURE ON JEAN VANIER

The Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem (EOHSJ), will host a public lecture: Jean Vanier : His Faith and Legacy on Saturday, September 26 at 7:30pm at the Atlantic School of Theology Chapel (660 Francklyn St., Halifax).

The EOHSJ is delighted to welcome Dr. Michael W. Higgins, KCHS as the lecturer for this talk.

Dr. Higgins is Distinguished Professor of Catholic Thought, Sacred Heart University in Connecticut, a Senior Fellow at Massey College, University of Toronto, and the author and co-author of many books.

He is a biographer of Thomas Merton, Gerald Emmett Carter, Henri Nouwen and Jean Vanier.

This event is sponsored by The Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem, Canada Atlantic Lieutenancy. For more information on the Order visit www.oessh.va

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Join us Wednesday mornings at 10:00 in St. Clement Church hall as we begin a 10 – session course on “The Eucharist – The Holy Mass” by Dr. Brant Pitre, beginning on Oct. 16.

If you are interested in this course contact Corinne at corinnecasey57@gmail.com

For “cradle Catholics,” this is often a sacrament they’ve participated in nearly every week of their lives—for some, every day. For non-Catholics, it is a foreign rite that many are cautious to approach.

In both groups there is likely a varied understanding of the Eucharist and what the Church teaches about this sacrament, described as the “source and summit of the Christian life.”

Over the course of this study, Dr. Brant Pitre will take us back to the biblical roots of the Eucharist. Together we’ll see how this sacrament is deeply rooted in Sacred Scripture.

We’ll explore its origins, its foreshadowing in the many mysterious and miraculous events of the Old Testament and gospels, and the essential purpose and reality of Jesus’ words and actions at the Last Supper. In the end, we’ll examine how the Eucharist is not just a something, but rather someone with whom we are meant to be in communion.

CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN OUTREACH

Catholic Christian Outreach is a Canadian organization which has developed Faith Studies for Catholics. If you are interested in refreshing your understanding of the Faith maybe DISCOVERY is something that would be of help to you. DISCOVERY invites participants to encounter Christ through a simple but challenging look at the Gospel message. You can contact us at : adultfaith.stjxxiii@gmail.com

CCCB RELEASES FEDERAL ELECTION GUIDE



To help guide Canadians, the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) has released a 2019 Federal

Election Guide pamphlet. The 2019 Federal Election Guide, prepared by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops' (CCCB) Episcopal Commission for Justice and Peace and published in the name of the Permanent Council, has been formatted for online sharing and includes hyperlinks directing the reader to further resources on various issues important to Catholics.

The Guide's content offers a reflection on key ethical and moral issues that voters, especially Catholics, may want to consider. You can find the document by visiting <https://www.cccb.ca/site/eng/media-room/5143-voting-as-catholics-2019-federal-election-guide>.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL CWL FALL FAIR AND TEA

320 Flying Cloud Drive Dartmouth
 Saturday, October 19, 2019
 Annual CWL Fall Fair and Tea - 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Free admission

Baking, preserves, fudge and crafts for sale

BINGO for the whole family, Silent auction Ladies' Boutique - gently used, quality women's clothing, purses, shoes and other accessories New-to-you jewelry, used books, huge yard sale.
 Fall Fair Tea: coffee or tea served with a variety of sandwiches and sweets \$6.00.per person (\$4.00 for children)
 Building is wheelchair accessible.

ST THOMAS MORE CWL ANNUAL FALL FAIR

15 Caledonia Road Dartmouth
 St Thomas More CWL along with our Knights of Columbus will be hosting our annual fall fair on October 26 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. Located at 15 Caledonia road Dartmouth

We will feature our beautiful handmade quilt called "Baskets "and a painting created by our own member Marilyn Hatfield called ""Winter Sunset.

We will have a variety of tables including our popular bake table, handmade crafts, country store featuring homemade preserves etc., our book nook, like new ladies clothing, purses, shoes etc, "new to you" table, jewelry, bingo and several ticket sales items.

Once again we will serve a lovely "chicken a la king lunch along with coffee or tea.

All Welcome! See you there!

WEEKLY COLLECTION ST. ANDREW - ORDINARY REVENUE

Ord. Rev.	#of Env	SEPT 29/19	Average
Sunday Env.	109	\$1680	\$15.41
Loose		\$225.15	
P.A.D.	15	\$256.00	\$17.06
Total	109	\$2161.15	