



**SAINT THERESA'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
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Parish Council: Kim Carroll 902-564-0097	<b>Welcome all who join us in Worship!</b> <a href="http://www.sainttheresasydney.com">www.sainttheresasydney.com</a>	Food Bank: 902.564.9235
<b>Weekend Masses:</b>	St. Theresa Parish Hall: 902.564.8555 <i>Sat 4:15 pm Sunday 11:00am</i>	Secretary: Flora Marchand
	Sacristan: Pat Parago <i>Weekday Mass Thursday, Friday 12:10 pm</i>	
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	
	<b><u>Office Hours – Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs. 9:00 till noon</u></b>	

**Easter Sunday- ARRIL 9<sup>th</sup> , 2023**

**Happy Easter! He is Risen Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

- April 13, 2023-Thursday, Deceased Members of the Bennett Family
- April 14, 2023-Friday, Peter Morrison
- April 15, 2023-Saturday, Eddie & Florence Mrazek
- April 16, 2023-Sunday, Donald Douglas Gillis

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

**Winner of the St. Theresa's Men's Club Draw** for the \$750.00 Oil or Cash is Sharon Youden. Thank you to all who purchased tickets.

**Collection for April 2, 2023:** Envelopes-\$3,009.55; Bldg. Fund-\$280.00; Good Friday-\$32.00  
 Easter Offering-\$100.00; Food Bank-\$120.00; Flowers-\$15.00; Del.& Peace-\$90.00; Missals-\$6.00;  
 Antigonish Society-\$20.00; PADS-\$427.85

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

**CWL General Meeting:** The April CWL Meeting will be held April 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. Feast Day Celebration will be on Thursday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023 beginning with Mass at the church at 5:30 pm., supper at the hall at 6:30pm. The tickets are now available from Betty DeLiski-902-539-6170; Gen Farrell-902-539-8535; Ada Hagen-902-539-5294; Wanda Bruckswaiger-902-539-5342. Tickets \$20.00 per person and must be purchased in advance up to our meeting date. Our Feast Day Project will be a collection for St. Theresa's Food Bank which is in need of our help, either monetary or by food donations

**St. Theresa CWL Rosary Project:** *The St. Theresa Rosary Project of the St. Theresa CWL continues with 128,854*

**CWL Members:** The Annual diocesan Meeting (used to be Convention) is being held Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup> in Heatherton, from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Then mass if you wish to attend at St Ninians. Registration paid by Diocese; lunch \$18.00 need to know before April 21<sup>st</sup> if interested call Barb 902-564-0880.

**KOC Notice:** Our Lady of Guadalupe Silver Rose Service hosted by KOC Council 9476 at 7:00 pm Holy Rosary Church, Tuesday, Eight Silver Roses travel North America between March and December to honor the Blessed Mother, a 62 year tradition of KOC. All are invited to attend.

**KOC Council 9476 Food Drive:** April 29<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm KoC Members will be at the following parking lots: Our Lady of Fatima, Holy Rosary, St. Marguerite Bourgeoys, St. Theresa's and St. Mary's East Bay; in support of Loaves and Fishes and local food banks. Signed: Kyte Power, Deputy Grand Knight Council 9476

### **Hall Roof**

Cost of Whole Roof	\$40,738.75
Insurance Paid	17,487.50
HST Paid by Insurance	<u>1,311.56</u>
Deposit to Building Account	\$18,799.06
<b><u>HST Rebate for 2024</u></b>	\$2,001.20
Will be deposited in the Building Account	

### **St. Theresa Parish Support Group**

- The people of Sydney, Canada, are warm, kind, and deeply connected to their community and the environment.
- However, international students face challenges finding jobs, affordable and safe housing, and reliable transportation.
- The community can create a network of contacts to provide referrals and organise job fairs to connect students with potential employers in the Cape Breton Regional Municipality.
- A list of verified landlords and rental properties can be created to prevent students from falling victim to housing scams with an unforeseen agent.
- Carpooling or shuttle services can be organised for Sunday church services and other community events. Giving a lift after Mass to whoever is heading in the right direction.
- Volunteer programmes can be created to support the elderly with tasks such as grocery shopping, clearing snow from the walkways of residents during this winter, season shopping, and general logistics.
- Resources can be provided for the elderly to connect with others and avoid isolation.
- Let us work together as a community to address these challenges and support one another.

If you are able to help in any way within these specific need areas which is outlined above, please leave your name and number: Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ the St. Theresa Support Group will be in touch with you. Thank you, and God bless you all

A Warm Welcome to Our **New Parishioners!** 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.

**This week Diocese:**<http://www.antigonishdiocese.com/images/ThisMonthintheDiocese.pdf>

**Please Pray for one another!**