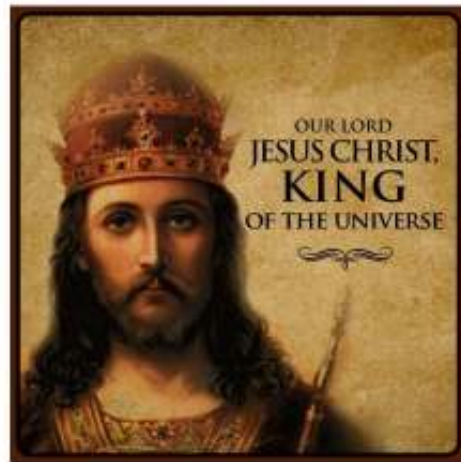


**HOLY ROSARY PARISH**  
**WESTMOUNT, NS**  
**PARISH PRIEST – FR. DOUG MURPHY**

**MASS TIMES: SATURDAY – 4:15 P.M. –**  
**SUNDAY – 10:00 A.M.**

**November 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019**



**THEME:** Today, we celebrate the Universal Kingship of Jesus. We participate as his agents to its establishment throughout the world. Luke depicts Jesus not so much as a royal Messiah but the Messiah who was anointed to bring good news to the poor.

**COLLECTION** \$ 1,940.00 - Church envelopes for 2020 are at the church entrance. A sincere thank you to all who contribute to the support of the parish each weekend.

**SUNDAY MISSALS:** Sunday Missals for the new Liturgical Year beginning on the First Sunday of Advent are also at the church entrance for \$5.

**WELCOME:** We welcome Fr. Everett McDow this weekend. Fr. Murphy is on vacation.

**FEASTS:** Saturday – St. Andrew – Apostle

**BULLETIN NOTICES:** Bulletin notices can be sent to Donna Lewis by e-mail at [donna.lewis@intact.net](mailto:donna.lewis@intact.net) or by phone at 902-564-2047. It would be appreciated if all notices could be received by Thursday at noon. Thank-you.

**PRE-MARRIAGE PROGRAM DATES:** February 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020 and June 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at Family Service office, 9 Minto Street, Glace Bay. Participants must call (902) 849-4772 to pre – register.

**ADVENT RETREAT:** Start a new tradition with your family and join the Aucoin family (Claudia, Bert, and Janelle) for an afternoon of reflection and Music at Our Lady of Fatima, in Sydney River, on Sunday, December 1<sup>st</sup> at 2:00 pm.

**PAUSE FOR ADVENT:** Take a pause during this busy time of the year. On Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup> at Holy Family Parish in Sydney Mines at 2:00 p.m. Come join us with Father Oliver to learn more about the Eucharist, and to discuss what it means in our lives.

**CHALLENGERS:** A follow up will be held on Thursday, November 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. at Our Lady of Fatima.

**ST. F.X.U. ALUMNI:** The annual gathering of alumni of St. Francis Xavier University will take place Dec. 3rd at St. Theresa Parish Hall at 7:00 p.m. All alumni, spouses, and friends are invited and encouraged to attend. Mass to celebrate the feast day of St. Francis Xavier will be followed by a short AGM. Of course, there will be something to eat and then door prizes will be drawn around 8:00 p.m. Hope to see y'all there!



**Saturday: November 30<sup>th</sup>: Bras d’Or Hall in Support of St. Anne Church, Alder Point.**  
**17th Annual Christmas Craft Show & Sale:**  
 St. Anne Church is pleased to help you get a jump on your Christmas shopping while supporting local crafters and your local church. From 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Admission is \$ 2.00 per person.  
 Lunch is available, soup, tea biscuit, squares, tea or coffee for \$6.00. Lots of door prizes!

**Sunday, December 8<sup>th</sup>: Holy Family Church – Sydney Mines. Christmas Variety Concert:**  
**"They Won't Be Expecting That!"**  
 Featuring local musicians & talents and Holy Family's Faith Formation Students. This afternoon hopes to fill our hearts with the beauty of the Season. This concert will be held in the church. Time – 2:00 p.m. Tickets \$ 10.00 with children under 12 admitted free.

**CWL:**



**COLLECTIONS:** The CWL is collecting personal items (toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, soap, etc.) plus new underwear (men and women) for both the Men’s & Women’s Shelters. Also needed are winter jackets, boots, mitts, gloves and socks. All donations are greatly appreciated and can be left in the box located at the church entrance.

**JAR FOR THE NEEDY:** The Jar for the Needy is at the back of the church. The money collected will go toward Adopt a Family for Christmas.

**CHRISTMAS PARTY:** Our Christmas Party will be held on December 3<sup>rd</sup>. Happy hour at 5:30 p.m. followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. We will be accepting voluntary donations for the needy and

we ask that you bring a small wrapped gift. The cost of the dinner is \$ 12.00 per person.

**BAKE SALE:** Our Annual Christmas Bake Sale will be held this year on November 30<sup>th</sup> and December 1<sup>st</sup> after Mass in the foyer of the church. Anyone wishing to donate baked items can drop them off at the Church after 2:00 p.m. We are very grateful for the support we have received in past years from members and parishioners. Let’s make it a success again this year!

**LOAVES & FISHES:** Group # 2

**MASS CARDS:** Mass cards can be obtained for an offering of \$10.00 from Jo-Anne Currie, Evie O’Rourke, and Kay Henrich. Mass cards are also available at the Glebe House and before and after the weekend Masses.

**POP TABS & EYE GLASSES:** This collection is ongoing.

**FUNERAL RECEPTIONS:** Group #2

**CHURCH LINENS:** November – Kay MacDonald December – Lillian Wylde

*May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in your faith so that in the power of the Holy Spirit you may be rich in hope.*