



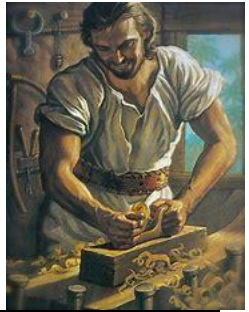
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4th Sunday in Ordinary Time


† JAN. 31ST, 2021, ORDINARY TIME YEAR A †

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ST. JOSEPH PARISH NEXT WEEK

Date	Location	Time	Details	Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK 
Mon. Feb. 1st	Private Mass			James Johnston
Tues. Feb. 2nd	Private Mass			For All The Sick
Wed. Feb. 3rd	Private Mass			For Joe Chisholm
Thurs. Feb. 4th	Private Mass			For Austin Fyfe
Fri. Jan. 5th	Private Mass			For All Priests & Deacons
Sat. Feb. 6th	St. Joseph Church St. Joseph Church	3:15 pm 4:00 pm	Confessions Mass	For All The Unemployed
Sun Feb. 7th	St. Joseph Church	10:00 am	Mass	For All Parishoners

Ministries	4 pm Mass Saturday, Feb. 6th	10 am Mass Sunday, Feb. 7th
SACRISTAIN & LINENS	Deacon Roy Smith, Team	Deacon Roy Smith, Team
CHOIR		
GREETERS	Ellen McNamara w/ Kim Dooley, Sally Ryan	Pam Hall, Viola Smith
USHERS	Irene Cogan, Susan Spurrell, Rebecca Gracie	Cavell Young, Yvonne MacDonald, John Ratchford
READERS	Frank McNamara	Taralee Malnnis
PRESENTATION OF GIFTS		
EXTRAORDINARY MIN. OF HOLY COMMUNION	Deacon Roy	Deacon Roy
Cleaning of Church	Team	Team
PORTER - OPENS CHURCH	George Quirk	Calvin Gracie

PARISH NEWS.

Income Tax Receipts-for 2020 are now available at the back of the church.

Holy Cross Cemetery

St. Joseph Parish, North Sydney
 Holy Cross Cemetery Care Committee
 At this time, the Holy Cross Cemetery Care Committee members extend our condolences to you and your family on the loss of your loved one. This can be a difficult time for families, with many details to attend to. We hope that in sharing this document with you, it can serve as a reference of what to expect in relation to the burial of your loved one and what the associated costs are. Our Committee is responsible for managing the ongoing care and maintenance of both the Holy Cross Cemetery and the older St. Joseph Cemetery. To ensure the cemetery grounds are cared for and maintained in excellent condition, we employ two Caretakers from May 1st to October 1st. We also maintain an electronic database of the cemetery plot plan, Funds to operate the cemeteries are generated from payments received for plot purchases and burials, as well as bequests.

Once we receive notification of death from the funeral home, a bill will be issued to you, which will include the amount owing for the requested plot(s), plus charges for the burial itself. Please note, this bill is separate and apart from any funeral home expense. Prices for single and multiple plots, as well as burial costs are listed below.

New Lots Price

- 1 - Grave Lot \$625,00
- 2 - Grave Lot \$1000.00
- 3 - Grave Lot \$1375.00
- 4 - Grave Lot \$1650,00
- 5 - Grave Lot \$1950.00

Full Burial \$800,00

Cremation Burial \$500.00

Perpetual Care is included for the purchase of any plot(s). This includes seeding the plot(s), mowing and maintaining the area. Using the price list above, the total cost for a single plot with cremation burial would be \$1125, while the cost for a single plot with full burial would be \$1425. For the purchase of multiple plots, the cost per plot is reduced. For instance, the purchase of two plots would be \$1000 and if a cremation burial is requested that would be \$500, bringing the total cost to \$1500.

Sincerely and in prayer,

Daniel McKeough, Committee Chair
 Michael Tobin, Committee Vice Chair
 Heather Duff, Committee Secretary
 Maureen Guy, Committee Accounts
 Sally Ryan, Committee Member
 Father Doug MacDonald

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Northside Particular Council of the Saint Vincent de Paul is reopening the Clothing Depot located in Sydney Mines Food Bank. The depot will open on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month from 1 to 3pm reopening on February 1st. Clothing and small household items are available free of charge to those in need. We continue with Covid 19 limited numbers at one time, social distancing, as well as masks, hand sanitizing and sign in for contact tracing if necessary. The SSVP phone number is 902736-6543. We have an answering machine which is checked often.

Notice To Visitors To Holy Cross Cemetery- the chain on the second road at the cemetery will be open as long as the weather remains good. The roads will remain open, up to our next announced snow storm.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

What is required of one who is to be baptized?

Everyone who is to be baptized is required to make a profession of faith. This is done personally in the case of an adult or by the parents and by the Church in the case of infants. Also the godfather or the godmother and the whole ecclesial community share the responsibility for baptismal preparation (catechumenate) as well as for the development and safeguarding of the faith and grace given at baptism.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

“Do not lose your inner peace for anything whatsoever, not even if your whole world seems upset. If you find that you have wandered away from the shelter of God, lead your heart back to Him quietly and simply.” St Frances de Sales

HALL NEWS

Hall Envelopes - Donations to the hall are 100% levy free. The finance committee created *new hall envelopes* that are available in the pews. For tax receipts write: *St. Joseph Hall* on your cheque.

Community Compassionate Care

Kids Help Phone – 1-800-668-6868

Prevention Through Action – Reporting and healing incidents of abuse or misconduct in our diocese. Rev. Charles Cameron 1-902-863-4373 or email: charleshugh7@gmail.com.

Canada Suicide Prevention Service
 1-833-456-4566 or Text. 45645

Canadian Sport Abuse Help Line

Call/text: 1-888-837-7678
info@abuse-free-sport.ca www.abuse-free-sport.ca

Compassionate Community Care

Euthanasia Prevention Advice, Support, Confidential and Free 1-855-675-8749

Expectant Mother Fund-diapers, formula, and baby accessories for parents in need. Phone 902-794-3951

Jan.23 rd & 24 th	
Envelopes	2090.00
Faith Formation	
Fuel	30.00
Church Improvement	
Special Collection	80.00
Candles	60.00
Expectant Mothers	
Totals	2260.00
Hall Fund	250.00

DIOCESAN NEWS

KOC

KOC 4th Degree meeting scheduled for Sunday January 31st in St Joseph Parish Hall, is cancelled due to Covid restrictions.

Sincerely,
 Kyte Power
 Faithful Navigator.

CWL

January is Recruitment Month for the Catholic Women’s League

Membership in the League provides many opportunities for new learning, fun, development of new and lasting friendships, and wonderful memories. It fosters personal and spiritual growth and spiritual growth and a true sense of fulfillment.

Be as involved as time permits; each member brings her own gifts and talents and does what she can.

To learn more, contact:

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CWL Notice:

Our National office has directed that an “Instructed Vote” on changes to our Constitution & Bylaws must be held at an in-person meeting of our council early in 2021. All of the proposals must be voted on within the same time frame.

I look forward to seeing you, on Monday, Feb 8th at 2 pm. All pandemic protocols will be followed. Thank you, Janis Rose , President – CWL Council