

St. Agnes & St. Thomas Aquinas Canadian Martyrs Parish

Sunday, July 7th; 2019

He went to him and bandaged his wounds.

Welcome

St. Agnes -
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www.stagnesparish.ca
Office Hours -
Monday to Thursday -
8 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Friday, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

St. Thomas Aquinas
Canadian Martyrs
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Halifax, NS. B3H 3Z7
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Office Hours -
Monday to Friday -
8 a.m - 4 p.m.

Mass Schedule

St. Agnes

- Tuesday & Thursday - 8 a.m.
- Wednesday & Friday - 12:10 p.m.
- Saturday - 4: p.m.
- Sunday - 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

St. Thomas Aquinas Canadian Martyrs

- Wednes., Thurs. & Fri. - 9 a.m.
- Saturday - 4:30: p.m.
- Sunday - 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.



TRANSITION COMMITTEE UPDATE: Adjusted Parish Mass Times As of August 3rd & 4th

Dear Parishioners,

As you know, St. Agnes and St. Thomas Aquinas Canadian Martyrs are in the process of becoming one new parish. One of the ways we will become one stronger, unified parish is through our Masses. Having a near full church at all our Masses will help us feel like one parish. These fewer Mass times will also greatly benefit our incoming priest, who will no longer need to cover six Masses every weekend. We recognize this will be an adjustment for everyone, but we trust that it will be better long term. Once again, we encourage people to attend the Mass time which best suits you and you are very welcome and encouraged to come to St. Agnes Church or St. Thomas Aquinas Church for your weekend Mass.

The **NEW** proposed mass schedule which we will try for the months of **August and September**, is as follows:

- 4:00 p.m. St. Agnes Church (for August only) and St. Thomas Aquinas Church (for September)
- 9:00 a.m. St Thomas Aquinas Canadian Martyrs Church
- 10:30 a.m. St. Agnes Church

As always, your feedback is important! parish13transitionteam@gmail.com

Final Stages for Naming our New Parish

We are in the final stages of the process for naming our new parish. Thank you to all of you who submitted a name for consideration. Starting next weekend, you will all have an opportunity to vote on your top picks from the names that have been submitted. We will provide the full list of names submitted divided into two parts – those that are valid options for the name of the new parish and those that cannot be considered along with the reasons they are not valid.

There are three ways that you can vote for your preference:

- 1 An email link to a 'survey monkey' survey will be sent out to everyone who is on the email list
- 2 The survey monkey link will be in the bulletin and on the Transition Team website
- 3 At the back of both churches there will be ballots with the list of valid names to choose from and a box to submit your responses

Voting will be open on Saturday July 13th and continue for 3 weeks. This will be an honour system and we ask that you only submit your response once. Details will be in next week's bulletin. Our goal is to have the name chosen and sent to the Bishop for his approval early in August.

14TH ANNUAL ST. AGNES/ELIZABETH KEIZER MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT: LAST CALL, REGISTER NOW.



Last call for teams for the 4th Annual Saint Agnes/ Elizabeth Keizer Memorial Golf Tournament is Sunday, July 7th and all golf entries and money must be in by **July 8th** to the St. Agnes Church Peter, Dave, or Al. Lots of excellent prizes to be won for closest to the hole and most accurate drive contests.

The tournament will be held on **Wednesday July 17th** at Lost Creek Golf Club. A delicious meal and a good time to be had. The cost this year for 18 holes, plus cart, dinner and prizes will be \$90/person (*taxes and gratuity included*). If you have any questions or wish to donate prizes please contact Alan Henneberry, Dave Bowen or Peter Bonner. We hope to see you on the green.

ST. AGNES NEWS:

ST. Agnes Parish News

Parish Office Summer hours: The St. Agnes Parish Office is now on summer hours and will be closed on Fridays at 12 p.m.

Funeral Mass: There will be a Funeral Mass for Corrine Napier on Friday, July 12th at 10 a.m. Please note there will not be a Regular Mass that day.

Fr. Paul away: Fr. Paul will be away the week of **July 15 to the 19th** - There will be **no weekday Mass** celebrated during this week. St. Thomas Aquinas Canadian Martyrs weekday Masses are Wed - Fri @ 9:00am

Farewell social for Fr. Paul Morris: Fr. Paul's Farewell social will be held in the Auditorium **Sunday July 21 following the 10:30am Mass**. All are welcome to come in and have a refreshment and say goodbye to Fr. Paul - who will be moving on the 29th of July to his new post as Rector of St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica.


Welcome Bishop Dunn: We welcome Bishop Dunn, who officially took office as our coadjutor Archbishop on Friday, July 5th.

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CANADIAN MARTYRS NEWS:

Refugee Fund: Fraterne's brothers

To date, we have raised \$13,569 toward our goal of \$30,000 for the sponsorship of Fraterne's brothers. This is sooner than was anticipated and so we are asking for your generosity to help support Patrick & Fiacre settle in Canada. The parish, as their sponsor, is committed to providing financial support (rent, food etc.) for their first year in Canada. Fraterne and his two brothers survived the Rwandan Massacre, were separated from their parents, and lived in a refugee camp in Malawi since they were children. The parish is sponsoring his brothers Patrick & Fiacre, and will be supporting them for their first year. There are extra envelopes available at the back of the church for those wishing to contribute. Also, if you wish to obtain a copy of Fraterne's presentation, there are copies at the back of the Church or on the website, www.stacm.ca

MASS INTENTIONS

 FOR THE WEEK



<i>Date</i>	<i>St. Agnes</i>	<i>St. Thomas Aquinas Canadian Martyrs</i>
<i>Tuesday, July 9th</i>	<i>Joyce Dickey † (8:00 a.m.)</i>	
<i>Wednesday, July 10th</i>	<i>William Hanna † (12:10 p.m.)</i>	<i>Marguerite Khoury † (9:00 a.m.)</i>
<i>Thursday, July 11th</i>	<i>Dominico Bartolacci † (8:00 a.m.)</i>	<i>Mary Gillis † (9:00 a.m.)</i>
<i>Friday, July 12th</i>	<i>No Mass Today - Funeral</i>	<i>Brian Knight † (9:00 a.m.)</i>
<i>Saturday, July 13th</i>	<i>Dave Carter † (4:00 p.m.)</i>	<i>Patricia Clarke † (4:30 p.m.)</i>
<i>Sunday, July 14th</i>	<i>Edna & William Forbes Sr. † (8:30 a.m.)</i>	<i>Geraldine Noddin † (9:00 a.m.)</i>