

STELLA MARIS & ST. MARGARET'S PARISHES
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Feast of Christ the King
Nov. 24, 2024

Today's Readings:

1st Reading Daniel 7:13-14

2nd Reading Revelations 1:5-8

Gospel: John 18:33b-37

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday, Nov. 23rd, 5 pm, Chapel Johnena MacLellan

Sunday, Nov. 24th, 9:30 am, St. Margaret's Church Parishioners

Sunday, Nov. 24th, 11 am, Chapel Parishioners

Please Note: Weekday Masses are celebrated in Stella Maris Parish Centre Chapel unless otherwise announced.

Tuesday, Nov. 26th, 12 noon, Chapel Special Intention

Wednesday, Nov. 27th, 11am, Stella Maris Church Funeral Mass for Jessie Clark

Thursday, Nov. 28th, 12 noon, Chapel Catherine Beaton

Friday, Nov. 29th, 11 am, Chapel Winnie MacInnis

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 11 -11:45 am before the weekday Masses in Chapel.

Marian Cenacle: Mondays, 11 am in Chapel

Holy Hour: Saturdays, 10:30 am in Chapel

Lectors: Nov. 30th & Dec. 1st

Sat., Nov. 30th, 5 pm Angus L. Campbell

Sun., Dec. 1st, 9:30 am Donnie MacLellan

Sun., Dec. 1st, 11 am Frank MacDonald

Gift Bearers: Nov. 30th & Dec. 1st Advent Candle

Sat., Nov. 30th, 5 pm No Gift Bearers Anne Lok

Sun., Dec. 1st, 9:30 am Anita MacLeod & Bernadette MacLeod Claire Beaton

Sun., Dec. 1st, 11 am No Gift Bearers Mary Chisholm

Sunday Offerings: Thank you!

Nov. 16th & 17th

Stella Maris: \$1,445.00 St. Margaret's: \$1,032.00

Building Fund Stella Maris: \$0 St. Margaret's: \$110.00

Stella Maris Heating Fund: \$100.00 Veteran's Memorial Fund: To Date: \$1,2304.30 + Go Fund Me

(Please Note: Donations to Building Fund & Heating Fund all go to "Building Fund". By earmarking Heating Fund donations we are able to keep track of amount going specifically towards heating system.)

*Please Note: Anyone making a donation by cheque, please check to assure it is signed and date is correct.

Book of Remembrance is set out outside the Parish Centre Chapel for anyone who would like to include names of deceased family and friends to be prayed for this month. The book will remain there for the month of November.

Condolences to the family and friends of Winnie MacInnis whose Graveside Service on Saturday, Nov. 23rd in Stella Maris Cemetery. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Condolences to the family and friends of Florence Gillis Tompkins (sister of Ann O'Connor, Margie H. MacIsaac & P.A. Gillis) whose Funeral Mass celebrated on Saturday, November 23th in Quincy, MA Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Condolences to the family and friends of Jessie Clark whose Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, November 27th, 11 am in Stella Maris Church. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Rosary for Peace in the world will be prayed at Stella Maris Chapel and St. Margaret's Church before weekend Masses.

All are welcome to come and join in the prayers beginning at 4 pm on Saturday in Stella Maris Chapel, on Sunday mornings starting at 9 am at St. Margaret's and at 10 am in Stella Maris Chapel.

Weekly Church Bulletin available at the back of the church or by email. If you would like to receive the bulletin and have an email, please forward your email address stellamarisparish@bellaliant.com

Prayer Line - Please Note: Calls to the Prayer Line are to be made between 10 am - 6 pm. at 902-258-2328. Otherwise please leave a message with your request and it will be passed along to the group. Thank you

St. Margaret Gift Bearers are asked to pick up the new Gift Bearers list at the back of the church.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Sunday, December 1st, 2 pm in Stella Maris Parish Centre Chapel..

Family Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, December 8th, 11 am at Parish Centre Chapel. Reception to follow. Parishioners are asked to bring sandwiches/sweets.

Bible Study will take place on Tuesdays, 6:30 pm in Stella Maris Parish meeting room.

Holy Communion will be taken to the sick and shut-ins on the second Thursday and Friday of the month.. If you wish to receive Holy Communion please contact the Parish Office with your name, phone number, and civic address. If no one is in the office, please leave a message with your information.

Tree of Lights IMO of deceased loved ones will be set up in Stella Maris Parish Chapel. Tree will be blessed and lit on Sunday, December 1st at 11 am Mass and will be lit at weekend Masses during the Christmas Season. Names of deceased loved ones will be placed on Angels and hung on the tree. Donations may be made by contacting Linda 258-2798, Marilyn 258-3264, Marguerite 258-2249 or drop in to Parish Office. Income Tax receipts will be issued for donations.

St. Margaret's Finance Committee meeting on Wednesday, November 27th, 6:30 pm in vestry.

St. Margaret's Church Decorating for Advent & Christmas Season will take place on Monday, December 2nd, 9:30 am
With Tuesday, December as an alternate weather day. Many hands make light work!

Healing Mass will take place on Saturday, November 30th, 2:30 pm at Our Lady of Grace Monastery celebrated by
Fr. Albert MacPherson. All are welcome to attend.

ICMH Christmas Tea & Sale hosted by ICMH Auxiliary on Sunday, November 24th, 2-5 pm at Royal Canadian Legion. Eat-in or Take-out Tea - \$5 per person. Inverness and surrounding areas to provide sweets for tea. Tables include Crafts (all areas); Fudge (Broad Cove & area); New To You Jewellery (all areas); Parcel Post (Port Hood/Judique); Bake Table (Margaree/Mabou). Silent Auction items, Activity Table & Face Painting for children as well as other surprises. Santa will visit!

The Congregation of The Sons of the Immaculate Conception will be celebrating the bicentenary of Founder Blessed Luigi Maria Monti in 2025. "HERE IT ALL STARTED!"

Broad Cove Veterans Memorial Fund - A Go Fund Me has been created to raise money to erect a monument in remembrance of the almost one hundred Veterans of WW1, WW11 and Korean War from the parish of St. Margaret's and area. You may Google GoFundMe ---Search---type in Broad Cove Veterans Memorial Fund. Donations may also be dropped in collection baskets at the weekend Masses, sent by mail to Veterans

Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 250, Inverness, N.S. B0E 1N0 or dropped in to Stella Maris Parish Office. Please include name and address and envelop number if applicable. Income Tax receipts will be issued for any donation. Your continued support is very much appreciated

Jesse Tree will be set up in Stella Maris Chapel and St. Margaret's Church during the Christmas Season beginning the 1st Sunday of Advent. Parishioners can donate hats, mittens, socks, etc to hang on tree. These items will be distributed to families with children who receive Christmas Cheer boxes in the area. Thank you for giving!

Christmas Cheer Applications will be available beginning on Monday, Nov. 25th at Stella Maris Parish Office during office hours Monday – Thursday, 9 am – 12 noon, Friday, 9am – 4 pm. Please bring a copy of income.

Angel Tree is set up at Freeman's Pharmacy for anyone wishing to donate a children's gift. Donations for Christmas Cheer Fund would be appreciated and can be dropped off at Parish Office. Income Tax receipts will be issued.