



**Happy Labour Day Weekend!!!**

## *St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish*

### **Holy Family Church**



**52 Falkland St  
Moncton, NB  
E1E 4S8  
Tel: 854-6099**

### **Holy Ghost Church**



**2 Church St  
Riverside-Albert, NB  
E4H 3W8  
Tel: 882-1123**

### **Immaculate Heart of Mary Church**



**5 Fatima Dr  
Riverview, NB  
E1B 2X8  
Tel: 386-6178**

### **St. Jude's Church**



**3062 Main St  
Salisbury, NB  
E4J 2L5  
Tel: 372-4748**

### *Mass Times*

**Mondays** at 9:00 a.m. at Holy Family Church, Moncton

**Wednesdays** at 9:00 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Riverview

**Fridays** at 2:00 p.m. at Peoples Park Tower Chapel, Moncton

#### **Saturdays**

4:00 p.m. at Holy Ghost Church

7:00 p.m. at Holy Family Church

#### **Sundays**

8:30 a.m. at St. Jude's Church

10:30 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

**Private confessions** at Immaculate Heart of Mary on Saturday afternoons from 1:00 – 1:30 p.m.

### *Welcome to Our Parish!*

If you are new to our church or just visiting, we are pleased to have you share in this celebration of the Eucharist! If you would like to join our parish, you can do so online on our website ([www.setmoncton.com](http://www.setmoncton.com)) or registration forms are available at the parish office, 386-6178!



*22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
**Sept 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018**

*with Sympathy*

We pray for all who mourn the loss of two dear souls, Ann Marie Gallagher and Carole Sullivan, sister of Fr. Bernie Sloan. May those grieving find comfort in God's unending love.



We also pray for those who are sick, including Terry Murphy, brother of Colleen Murphy and for Jessica MacLennan. There is strength in prayer. There is comfort in prayer. Let us pray.

### *Daily Readings (September 3<sup>rd</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018)*

<i>Monday (St. Gregory)</i>	1 Corinthians 2:1-5		Luke 4:16-30
<i>Tuesday</i>	1 Corinthians 2:10-16		Luke 4:31-37
<i>Wednesday</i>	1 Corinthians 3:1-9		Luke 4:38-44
<i>Thursday</i>	1 Corinthians 3:18-23		Luke 5:1-11
<i>Friday</i>	1 Corinthians 4:1-5		Luke 5:33-39
<i>Saturday (The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary)</i>	Romans 8:28-30		Matthew 1:1-16, 18-23
<i>Sunday (23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in OT)</i>	Isaiah 35:4-7	James 2:1-5	Mark 7:31-37

*Liturgies for the week of September 3<sup>rd</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018*

**Peoples Park Tower Chapel**

Friday, September 7<sup>th</sup> 2:00 p.m. Albertine Thibodeau – Joe Thibodeau

**Holy Ghost Church**

Saturday, September 8<sup>th</sup> 4:00 p.m. Solie Barbour – A parishioner

**Holy Family Church**

Monday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> 9:00 a.m. Harry and Gertrude Delahunt (Anniv) – Mary Helena

Saturday, September 8<sup>th</sup> 7:00 p.m. Bob Comeau – Knights of Columbus 9270

**St. Jude's Church**

Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup> 8:30 a.m. For the People

**Immaculate Heart of Mary Church**

Wed, September 5<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. Maria Robichaud (Anniv) – Bob and Helena Vaughan

Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup> 10:30 a.m. Cathy Kennedy (Anniv) – Fred and family



*Food Basket Challenge*

**Holy Ghost/Immaculate Heart of Mary** Rice (any kind) and toiletries (shampoo, body wash, soap, etc)

**St. Jude's** - Cereals, pancake mix/syrup, peanut butter, sandwich fixings - mayo, ketchup, mustard, relish, jams, cheese wiz, granola bars and cookies for the little ones.

**Holy Family** - instant rice, powdered coffee creamer; beef bouillon, canned or powdered milk and **juice boxes** and margarine for the House of Nazareth.



It's difficult to embrace **stewardship**, unless we all have a clear understanding of exactly what stewardship is. If we wish to practise stewardship, we must learn every definition or aspect of stewardship. Here goes!

**#5 Stewardship is transformative.** Once we embrace the stewardship message, it changes the way we look at every decision we make. Stewardship becomes a total way of life.

*A chequebook is a theological document; it will tell you who you are and what you worship. Billy Graham*



With each September, the **new school year** brings excitement and anticipation of a new beginning! Please join us next weekend during **Mass (Sept 8/9)** as we **bless this new journey** for the many children and adults of our faith community embarking on an exciting new chapter in their lives. Children, please bring your backpacks for this blessing!

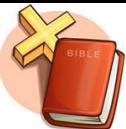
**Catechism**

**\*\*\*\*\* Registration Alert – September 4<sup>th</sup> \*\*\*\*\***



Well, it's that time again!!! **Catechism** is beginning in little over a week! We still need some Coaches, helpers, and babysitters. If this is something you are interested in, please give Karen a call at the Catechism office 387-4198 or email [ihmccatechism@rogers.com](mailto:ihmccatechism@rogers.com).

**Registration for Catechism** may be done Monday to Friday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the parish office or Tuesday, September 4<sup>th</sup>, 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in the foyer. Catechism fees are paid at the time of registration, \$30 for one child or \$50 for more than one.



**RCIA** stands for "**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**". RCIA requires a modest commitment in time but we think you will find the process a lot easier than you might expect. In addition, we have found that everyone who becomes involved, young or old, highly religious or moderately so, finds it to be a wonderful experience.

**An invitation is extended to...**

- Those who are unbaptized
- Those baptized in the Catholic Church but have not received the sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation
- Those baptized in another Christian Church who are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church

We generally meet every second and fourth Wednesday of the month in the evenings from 6:45-8:00 p.m. Participants gather for sharing of the Sunday Mass scripture readings. You are welcome to join us at any time throughout the year. To find out more, just contact the parish office at 386-6178. We will set up a date to meet with you to discuss your desire to take a closer look at the Catholic faith community.



**\*\* Please note – regular office hours are back - Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. \*\***



**Social Action** will be having their regular meeting on **Friday, September 21<sup>st</sup> at 10 a.m. in the Church Hall.**

### **Adult Faith Development Opportunity**



**THE BIBLE  
TIMELINE**  
*The Story of Salvation*

**Are you looking for a new faith experience for this fall and winter?  
Do you sometimes wish you knew more about our sacred scriptures?  
Do you sometimes feel that the readings at Mass are beyond your reach?**

If you answered 'yes' to any of the above then maybe you should think about joining us for

#### **The Bible Time Line: the Story of Salvation**

*“As you explore salvation history—from its beginning in Genesis through the coming of Christ and the establishment of the Catholic Church—you will see how God’s loving plan for humanity has unfolded, resulting in a greater love for God and a deeper appreciation for your faith.”*

*“You will:*

- *Read fourteen narrative books of the Bible and discover the amazing story woven throughout Scripture*
- *Learn how the key people, places, and events in the Bible fit together to reveal God’s plan for humanity*
- *See how the events in the Old Testament are fulfilled in the New Testament by Christ and the Church*
- *Study the Bible from a Catholic perspective and see how our faith is rooted in Sacred Scripture”*
- *And more!”*



Excerpted from **The Great Adventure Catholic Bible Study** website at <http://biblestudyforcatholics.com>

We will offer this bible study over the next two years. It is a wonderful program that people have enjoyed for the past five years, and this year we will offer it on **Monday night** (1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays) at 7:00 pm at Holy Family Church. Cost is \$25 as partial payment for course materials.

To register, please call the parish office at **386-6178**. Deadline for registration is **September 12<sup>th</sup>**.

### **Important Fundraiser!!**



In May 2017, while visiting family in the Philippines, Immaculate Heart of Mary parishioner, Alma Hamilton and her husband Jamie Hamilton, were asked a life-changing question. A niece, a young mother of two, was dying of kidney disease and she asked Alma and Jamie if they would be willing to adopt her two young children. Her request was to see 6-year old Kisha and 5-year old Carlos raised in Canada with two loving parents and a brand new life. It absolutely was, a life-changing question.

Alma and Jamie returned home to Riverview and decided that they would begin the international adoption process. They are now coming to the final stages of that process and over these past 14 months, have seen costs continue to mount. Most notably, by law, they must return to the Philippines together this fall in order to be able to bring the children home to Canada.

A wonderful fundraiser is being organized, asking the community to rally around this new little family. On **Saturday, September 8<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 – 10:30 a.m., the Pine Glen Community Centre** (365 Pine Glen Rd) will be hosting a delicious **Pancake Breakfast** complete with **White Elephant Table** and **Silent Auction!** Riverview residents, business people and organizations have stepped up with some amazing donations and we are asking our faith community to come on out and show their support for Jamie, Alma, Kisha and Carlos!! *Thank you all!*



**A Good Read!** Carmel Higgins, a faith-filled great grandmother from our diocese, has had her third book recently published. It’s entitled **Heart and Mind of the Cosmos**, and like her first two books (*Cosmic Fire, Local Sparks & Beyond Theism*), this book gives the reader many reasons to ponder faith and marvel at our place in God’s great design. If you would like to order a copy you can contact Fr. Phil, or Carmel herself at [carmelsmhiggins@gmail.com](mailto:carmelsmhiggins@gmail.com) or visit Cover to Cover Books in Riverview (across from Home Hardware).

## Grief and Prayer



In light of the sad and disturbing revelations concerning the abuse of minors by members of the clergy, I feel it is necessary to have an evening where we can express our individual and collective grief. Along with the obvious pain and long-lasting harm experienced by the victims themselves, we are all carrying some pain. Please join us on **Monday, September 17<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church** where, through grief sharing and ritual, we will try to create a forum to express our disappointment, frustration, shame, and even anger over the harm done to so many young people over the years. We will also lift up our bruised and battered Church to God seeking forgiveness and healing. And lastly, we will give thanks to God who, through the Spirit of his Risen Son, has promised, "I am with you until the end of the ages."

*Fr. Phil*



## 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Papal Site Mass

**The Knights of Columbus of Moncton** send out an invitation to all for the Annual Papal Site Mass. Come and help us celebrate the 34<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Saint Pope John Paul II's visit to Moncton. There will be a bilingual recital of the Rosary at the Prayer Garden at 10:00 a.m.

followed by a procession to the Papal Site for the 11:00 a.m. celebration of the Mass. Following the Mass, there will be a family BBQ at the Prayer Garden. **This celebration will be on Saturday, September 15<sup>th</sup>.**

If it rains, the celebration will be at the Notre-Dame-de-Grâce Church, 854 Mountain Rd.



Listed below are some items that will better enable us to fulfill our mission of serving all people. Your help - whatever you can give, wherever you can help - is truly appreciated!

- \$50 - Registration for Young Adults Retreat
- \$1200 - Men's Rite of Passage Retreat
- \$3000 - New Eyes-Open Heart Young Adults Retreat (Overall cost)

*Thank you!*



**New Eyes**  
**Open Heart**

A two-day journey in faith  
based on the work of Fr. Richard Rohr

**NOVEMBER 2ND-4TH, 2018**

**FOR YOUNG ADULTS 19-39**

**BROADLEAF GUEST RANCH**

**COST IS \$50/PERSON**

REGISTRATION TO OPEN SOON. FOR MORE INFO, CONTACT TREVOR ON FB OR AT  
TREVORD.DIOCESE@GMAIL.COM

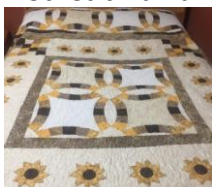
## **New Eyes - Open Heart Retreat - November 2<sup>nd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018 - Calling all young adults, ages 19-39!**

This will be a two-day spiritual journey based on the work of Fr. Richard Rohr. It will be a time to savour the healing power of God and nature, as well as a time to allow yourself, your image of God, your spirituality to be *s-t-r-e-t-c-h-e-d!*

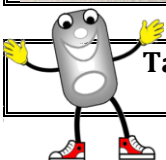
The retreat team is comprised of Fr. Phil Mulligan, Sr. Denise Lirette, Mark Mahoney, Sandra Perkison, Claudette Derdaele and Trevor Droesbeck.

**To register, contact Trevor at [trevord.diocese@gmail.com](mailto:trevord.diocese@gmail.com)!**

## Retreat Fundraiser!



It's time to **spread** the word! Fr. Phil is very excited about **November's young adults retreat** down at Broadleaf Guest Ranch and so to help raise enough funds, he has gone out and bought a beautiful fall homemade quilt that he has donated to the cause to be raffled off! This gorgeous, scallop-edged sunflower quilt is on display in the foyer and tickets are now on sale at the parish office (\$2 each or 3 for \$5)! Please don't delay - get your tickets today!



**Tabs for Kids** has increased by over 95,000 tabs over the summer to reach **2,256,132!** Thanks a million (make that a couple million) for everyone 'pulling' together and let's keep those tabs coming in!

## OBERAMMERGAU, GERMANY \*\*\*\* POLAND \*\*\*\* CZECH REPUBLIC

This pilgrimage is set for September 2020, but bookings for the world famous Passion Play in Oberammergau, Germany are quickly filling up! We only have 8 seats left, so if you're planning to join us, you need to act now!

Imagine.....

- **Oberammergau, Germany** is a small village in the mountains of Bavaria, where God answered the villager's prayers back in the 1600's and they honour Him by producing a play every 10 years, something they vowed to do for all of eternity! Tickets are sold all over the world, so please **join us for this incredible, once-a-decade performance of the Passion Play!**
  - We will also visit several locations in **Poland** including its two largest cities, Warsaw and Krakow as well as, Wadowice, the birthplace of Saint Pope John Paul II.
  - We will wrap up our experience by visiting three cities in the **Czech Republic** including its capital, Prague!
- For more information, contact Liliana Trail (travel consultant) at 386-8954 or Fr. Phil at 386-6737



**St. Andrew School of Evangelization (SASE-Canada)** presents the session "NEW LIFE", an active-participatory methodology. **FOR WHO?** All adults who want to make a personal encounter with the risen Jesus and feel a new life with the Holy Spirit. **BY WHO?** Father Mario Doyle, C.Ss.R. **WHEN?** Friday, September 7<sup>th</sup> 6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. and Saturday, September 8<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. **WHERE?**

Basement Rectory Saint-Louis-de-Kent. **COST?** \$25 for registration and two meals on Saturday. To register, please call (506) 876-2109 or email [parstlouis@rogers.com](mailto:parstlouis@rogers.com).



A **Memorial Mass** will be held on **Monday, September 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.** for the families of persons who died at the Dr. Georges-L. Dumont University Hospital Center during the months of May, June and July 2018. This service will take place in the amphitheater of the hospital - directions will be provided from main entrance of hospital. Contact information: Janice Cormier at 383-9882 or Louise Boissonnault at 862-4571.



**A year after their mass exodus, let's not forget the needs of the Rohingya!** A year ago, close to one million Rohingya, a Muslim minority in Burma (also known as Myanmar), fled their country to Bangladesh. Thanks to your generosity and with funding from the Canadian government, Development and Peace has been able to help almost 100,000 Rohingya refugees. These people have become the world's largest stateless population and they continue to need urgent aid as they face water and food shortages and the risks of the monsoon season.

Thank you for your generous contributions in the past and if you can help these people today, you can donate online at [www.dev.org](http://www.dev.org) or simply drop your aid into the collection basket in a marked envelope.

## Holy Ghost Church



**Summer Fundraiser!** Tickets are being sold so please make sure to get yours! You could win \$300 worth of Gift Certificates!! They are selling for \$2 each or 3 for \$5. Holy Ghost parishioners have tickets to sell and there are some in the Parish Office too!  
**Draw will be September 22<sup>nd</sup>!**

Thank you to the parish grouping for supporting our fundraiser!

## St. Jude's Church



We are writing to express our **thanks for the sewing machines and fabric** donated by your parish grouping! We have had volunteers sewing bags for newcomers on your donated machines and we are so grateful that you entrusted your surplus to our care. We just assisted with teaching a "Learning to Sew Course" to 20 youth at a summer camp. We also took machines to CAFI offices where nine Syrian women came in to sew or learn to sew. They were at varying skill levels but glad to have a day out and felt it was productive. We will carry on throughout the fall and if others are clearing out and wish to direct machines or fabric in our

direction, feel free to call 382-1160 for pick up.

*Phyllis Murray and Joanie Sichel*

## Holy Family Church



Last chance!!! Holy Family is collecting **School Supplies** to help the less fortunate and we invite anyone who would like to donate, to do so! Look for the clearly-marked box at the back of Holy Family church!

Some items to keep in mind as you're collecting to donate, would be: white erasers, glue sticks, Crayola crayons, pencil crayons, washable markers, HB pencils, pencil cases, Duo-tangs, highlighters, Hilroy scribblers, sharpeners, rulers, binders (1" and 1½"), calculators (scientific and regular), campfire notebooks, pens...**all types of school supplies are welcome but this year, the schools already have their supply of looseleaf in stock!**



**Line dance classes will resume September 13<sup>th</sup> and will be held Thursdays at Holy Family Church hall.**

The class scheduled for **6-6:30 p.m. is dedicated to absolute beginners.** It will feature very basic instruction and is designed for newcomers and those in the early stages of line dancing.

A second class held **6:30 -7:30 p.m. features more advanced instruction** and a quicker pace. It is designed for those who have had previous exposure to line dancing and who understand the basics.

Classes are free although we will again put the bank out for free-will offers for the church. Come one and all! Bring a friend. Lots of fun and laughs, all while enjoying a good dance workout.



**Save the Date!!** Holy Family Church will be hosting a fabulous yard sale on **Saturday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Church Hall.** The month of August is quickly wrapping up, so please think about us and tuck away anything that you can donate to the fundraiser. For now, if you have things to drop-off, please do so around the Monday (9 a.m.) and Saturday (7 p.m.) Mass times. **Thank you!**

## Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



The regular meeting of the **IHM Ladies Society** takes place on **Tuesday, September 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m.** in the Dan Bohan Centre.



The **Knights of Columbus Council 9270** will meet on **Wednesday, September 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.** in Council Chambers.



One of our parishioners has been patiently working with the hundreds (and hundreds) of used cards that so many of you sent in! Get ready to check out the church foyer after Mass on **Sundays, September 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> as well as the mornings of October 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup>!** More details to come!



**Save-the-Date! Church Fundraiser! Card Party and Luncheon!**

Mark your calendar for **Noon on two Tuesdays, October 2<sup>nd</sup> and November 6<sup>th</sup>!** We are excited to get back to the fun and friends! As we begin to get organized, please know that donations of lettuce, cucumbers and tomatoes would be greatly appreciated! Hope to see you there!

## Community



### Buy A Cake for Becca!

Please join us and help support the fundraiser to rebuild the **All World Super Play Park in Riverview in honour of Rebecca Schofield!**

Buy a voucher for a Dairy Queen 8" Cake from **September 1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>** and support the "Buy a Cake for Becca" campaign at participating DQ locations. 100% of net proceeds will go support the new Rebecca Schofield All World Super Play Park.

To celebrate her legacy, a group of community volunteers have come together to rebuild the All World Super Play Park and rename it in Rebecca's hour. We

need your help to bring this vision to life. If you would like to support the park with a donation, please contact Sean Rollo at 856-3450 or you can also visit our website at [rebeccaschofieldpark.com](http://rebeccaschofieldpark.com).



**The Greater Shediac Community Garden** will offer a free lingual workshop, "**Poetry Readings**" with Zev Bagel & friends. This final workshop will be presented at the Greater Shediac Community Garden, 265 Breaux Bridge St, next to the water tower, on **Tues, Sept 4<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.** Readings in the garden with Zev and fellow writers will fill the air with soothing sounds! For information, please contact Odette at 531-0252. Bring your mat or sit on a chair - come relax!

## Weekly Collection for all Churches

### Peoples Park Tower Chapel (incl PADs)

Church Support \$386.00; Loose \$105.00  
Maintenance Fund \$40.00

### Holy Family (incl PADs)

Church Support \$890.50; Loose \$209.00  
Maintenance Fund \$156.50

### St. Jude's Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$1155.00; Loose \$57.15

### Holy Ghost Church (Aug 18<sup>th</sup> and Aug 25<sup>th</sup>)

Church Support \$512.00; Loose \$50.00  
Fundraiser Tickets \$236.00

### Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$3018.50; Loose \$130.00  
Property Upkeep \$404.50; Youth \$44.50  
Social Action \$345.50



From the Offices of Faith Development, Liturgy and Youth Faith Development  
Ellen at 857- 9952 or [ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com](mailto:ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com); Trevor at 857-4879 or  
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\*\*\*\* **The Office of Faith Development has reopened!** \*\*\*\*

### Summer God Sightings 2018



Summer is fabulous, but has gone by in a flash, so this summer let us all be more mindful of our encounters with God! First, follow **#yfdmoncton** on **Instagram**. Then, snap a picture of something that inspires you, or reminds you of the wonders of creation, and share your *Summer God Sighting* on Instagram with the hashtags **#monctongodsightings**, and **#youthfaithmoncton**.



### MEETINGS

**Parish Catechetical Coordinators** will meet for the first time this pastoral year on **Wednesday, September 5<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m.** at the Diocesan Offices on York Street. Please use the Dominion Street entrance.

**Adult Faith Commission** meets for the first time this pastoral year on **Tuesday, September 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.** at the Diocesan Offices on York Street. Please use the Dominion Street entrance.



### Save the date: *Tending the Soil, Tending the Sower 2018*

This year's catechists' formation takes place on **September 8<sup>th</sup> at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.** While of particular interest to those who are catechist coaches with the coaching parents process of children's catechism, the day is open to all those who work in the ministry of catechesis, i.e. marriage preparation, RCIA, baptismal preparation.

This year's sessions and presenters are:

- One God, Many Followers, facilitated by Archbishop Valéry Vienneau
- When Speaking the Good News, Make Sure You're Heard, facilitated by Kevin Robart
- Don't Stay Where You're To, But I'll Come Where You're At: Journeying in Faith with the Other, facilitated by Craig Murphy
- I Have My Binder; Now What Do I Do, facilitated by Claudia McCloskey

Pre-registration is necessary and may be done by contacting Ellen, Trevor, Karen or online at our website [www.diocesemoncton.ca](http://www.diocesemoncton.ca), by clicking on the icon which says, "Tending the Soil, Tending the Sower." Registration deadline is September 6<sup>th</sup>. Lunch is provided.

**Participation in these days of formation is critical for all those who will be catechist coaches or helpers with children's catechesis.**