

# 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

9:00 a.m. at St. Jude's Church

11:00 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!



*Christ  
the King!*

**Nov 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

with  
*Sympathy*

We pray for Mohamed Daoud as he and all his family mourn the loss of his mother in Syria. We also pray for the family and loved ones who are saddened by the passing of Garry Castilloux. May all who are grieving, find peace and strength in the love that surrounds them at this time.




And we pray to bring healing and peace to those who are sick and to their caregivers and especially today, we pray for Charlie O'Hara.

## Daily Readings (November 26<sup>th</sup> – December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018)

Monday	Revelation 14:1-5		Luke 21:1-4
Tuesday	Revelation 14:14-19		Luke 21:5-11
Wednesday	Revelation 15:1-4		Luke 21:12-19
Thursday	Revelation 18:1-2, 21-23, 19:1-3, 9		Luke 21:20-28
Friday (St. Andrew)	Romans 10:9-18		Matthew 4:18-22
Saturday	Revelation 22:1-7		Luke 21:34-36
<b>Sunday (1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent)</b>	Jeremiah 33:14-16	1 Thessalonians 3:12 – 4:2	Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

*Liturgies for the week of November 26<sup>th</sup> – December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018*

<b>Peoples Park Tower Chapel</b>			
Friday, November 30 <sup>th</sup>	2:00 p.m.	Murray Saunders and daughter, Joanne – Geri and family	
<b>Holy Ghost Church</b>			
Saturday, December 1 <sup>st</sup>	4:00 p.m.	For the People	
<b>Holy Family Church</b>			
Monday, November 26 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 a.m.	Special Intention – A parishioner	
Saturday, December 1 <sup>st</sup>	7:00 p.m.	Alphonse Dennis – Eileen and Kathleen	
<b>St. Jude's Church</b>			
Sunday, December 2 <sup>nd</sup>	9:00 a.m.	Reg Ross – Melda Dwyer	
<b>Immaculate Heart of Mary Church</b>			
Wednesday, November 28 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 a.m.	Clarence Kavanaugh – Alan and Anne Mongraw	
Sunday, December 2 <sup>nd</sup>	11:00 a.m.	Cy Doucette – Bob and Joan Carruthers	



*Food Basket Challenge*

**Holy Ghost/Immaculate Heart of Mary** - Rice (any kind) and oatmeal for the cold winter months ahead!

**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, breakfast cereal, canned or powdered milk and **juice boxes**, margarine, mustard and ketchup for the House of Nazareth.




**Stewardship**

Your **church** and **community** offer many opportunities for using your time and talent in God's service.

**Time & Talent Stewardship**  
*Sharing God's gifts*




**Let's Do Lunch!** Want to consider something different for gifts this year? Perhaps, instead of buying oh-so-many Christmas gifts for family and friends, how about sharing your blessings with those less fortunate by donating a number of dinners to the **Karing Kitchen!** When \$1 buys one serving, this is a wonderful gift idea! We have red 'Karing Kitchen' cards at both Holy Family and Immaculate Heart of Mary churches that could be put under the tree for your loved ones! Karing Kitchen says thank you for your generosity and for sharing your love.




**In Memory Of.....**we are now accepting **donations** in memory of deceased family and friends for Christmas season environment in the churches. A list will be printed in the bulletin of those being remembered. The easiest way is to call the Parish Office (386-6178) and then put your donation in a clearly marked envelope (**Christmas Flowers**) and drop it in the collection basket.


**Please note that we need to know who is being remembered and by whom, and please identify the church.**




**The Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet Tuesday, November 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at the Dan Bohan Centre.**




**Our Regional Parish Council (RPC) will be meeting on Thursday, November 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the IHMC basement.**



**ADVENT PENITENTIAL SERVICES**  
Thursday, December 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. – Holy Family  
Sunday, December 9<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. – St. Bernard's  
Wednesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m.–St. Augustine's



**During the month of November, a *Book of the Names of the Dead* will be placed in each of our churches** for all parishioners to write in the names of deceased family and friends, who will be prayed for at each Mass during the month.



**The First Saturday of the Month Mass** requested by Our Lady of Fatima will be celebrated at **St. Bernard's Church on December 1<sup>st</sup> at 9:30 a.m.** with Father Charlie presiding. Confession before Mass, doors open at 8:30 a.m. and Rosary at 9:05 a.m. All are welcome.

# Exploring our Faith

## Hail the King!

The Church did not celebrate Christmas, at least not liturgically, until the 4<sup>th</sup> century. The same is true of the great feast of Pentecost. No Marian feast was celebrated by the Church until the 5<sup>th</sup> century. The martyrs, who willingly laid down their lives for the faith, were not honored with formal celebrations until the 7<sup>th</sup> century. And the Solemnity of Christ the King, which we celebrated this weekend, was only instituted in 1925 by Pope Pius XI as a response to totalitarianism in Europe.

It is with some irony that we celebrate the One who refused the title of king throughout his life with a feast called "Christ the King." The irony deepens as we have just spent the entire year hearing stories of Jesus touching lepers, giving hope to prostitutes, hanging out with tax collectors, washing feet, and being crucified between two thieves and being laid to rest in a donated grave...hardly activities proper to a king.

Presiding over three funerals this past week draws me back to some of the prayers used at funerals and why we need to celebrate Christ as our king. Recall the words toward the end of the funeral mass: **"One day we shall joyfully greet him/her again when the love of Christ, which conquers all things, destroys even death itself."**

Something will be victorious, namely the love of Christ over and against sin. Or similarly, again at a funeral we hear, **"Although this congregation will disperse in sorry, the mercy of God will gather us together again in joy of his kingdom."** Something will be victorious—mercy and joy over and against vengeance and sadness. And finally, some

of the last words you hear at a funeral Mass, **"Help us who remain to comfort one another with assurances of faith, until we all meet in Christ and are with you and with our brother/sister forever."** Something will be victorious, namely our togetherness, our oneness over and against isolation and separation.



Apart from funerals, many couples as part of their wedding liturgy choose Paul's letter to the Corinthians (1 Cor. 13:1-8). You know, the reading with all that love stuff: **"love is patient, love is kind, love is not boastful or envious..."** It concludes with **"love will never end."** Something will be victorious—love over and against hatred, violence, and even death.

This something is actually someone, Christ the King. He is the one who comes down from heaven as Emmanuel (God-with-us). He is the one who returns to heaven with the words, **"I am with you until the end of time."** This is the only king worth hailing.

Fr. Phil

## Schedule of Christmas & New Year's Masses



### Christmas Eve, Monday December 24<sup>th</sup>

4:00 p.m. - Immaculate Heart of Mary

6:30 p.m. - St. Jude's

7:00 p.m. - Holy Family

8:30 p.m. - Immaculate Heart of Mary

### New Year's Eve, Monday, December 31<sup>st</sup>

4:00 p.m. - Holy Ghost

### New Year's Day, Tuesday January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019

11:00 a.m. - Immaculate Heart of Mary

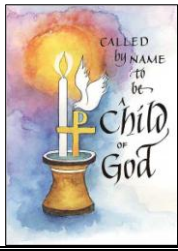
### Christmas Day, Tuesday December 25<sup>th</sup>

10:00 a.m. - Holy Ghost



We would like to wish Happy 85<sup>th</sup> Birthday to fellow parishioner, Siene Bos, of St. Jude's! There will be an Open House for Siene on **Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>** from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. at her home (79 Horsman St in the Common Room).

Cards and best wishes only, please! Siene would love to see you!



From the perspective of a 5-year old child, ***“Baptism is when Jesus is born in my heart”***. Exactly! Out of the mouth of babes! It is indeed, our own birth in the life of God and at the same time, it is when Jesus comes to live in us, “to be born in our heart”.

**Please join us in welcoming into our faith community, Liam, son of Joshua and Chantal, who received the Sacrament of Baptism last weekend at St. Jude’s!**

*See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God. 1 John 3:1*

### Albert County Christmas Aid



Attention clients of the Albert County Food Bank! Phone lines for the Albert County Christmas Aid will be open from Monday, November 26<sup>th</sup> to Friday, December 7<sup>th</sup> between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Please call **386-1771** to register your family and when you call, be sure to have Medicare numbers available for all those in the family you are registering.

A financial assessment may be required, if your family has not already had that done at the Food Bank this year. Also, for those wishing to visit Headstart Toyland, an appointment will be assigned at this time. Only one family per address can be registered and please note that you cannot register for another family. Act now, as you will only be able to register for Albert County Christmas Aid up to December 7<sup>th</sup>!

**Camino de Santiago** - For anyone who may have missed Al Daly’s Camino presentation last June, he will do another on **Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 p.m.** at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, if there is enough interest.



Using words and pictures, Al will describe his amazing pilgrimage walk – the Camino de Santiago, that is, the Way of Saint James. If you’ve not heard of this pilgrimage before, it takes place in northwestern Spain and has been a Catholic pilgrimage route since the 9<sup>th</sup> century!! Al’s walk ended in the *Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela* where tradition has it, that the remains of Saint James are buried. Please call Al at 386-2563 to let him know if you are interested.

### Cancer Research Fundraiser 2019!



One of our parishioners is planning a unique and amazing fundraiser! Hailing from Grand Falls, NB and with her Mom still living there, she is going to create a ‘Christmas at Home’ Christmas Tree Festival at the Farmer’s Market there! Imagine 100 (or more) decorated trees, each depicting a favourite room of the house, all twinkling and sparkling, music playing, carollers singing and oh, the smell of hot apple cider! All proceeds will go to the Canadian Cancer Society!

#### *So how can you help?*

This inspired parishioner is trying to collect as many **artificial Christmas trees and ornaments** as she can – everything will be helpful in creating the display. While the fundraiser is planned for Nov/Dec 2019, the time to be collecting the trees and ornaments is right now – while we are all going through our Christmas goodies! If you can help, please contact Anne Senechal at [annesenechal@rogers.com](mailto:annesenechal@rogers.com) or 961-5894.



## *Scent-free*

The health of some parishioners is at risk when they are exposed to smells and perfumes. “We Share the Air” so let us “Care” about each other and not use scented products when at church.

*Thank you*



## Holy Family Church



**Holy Family Local Parish Council** will be meeting on Tuesday, November 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at the church. We hope to see all members in attendance. Thank you.



The **Holy Family Seniors Club** will be hosting its annual Christmas Dance at the Dan Bohan Centre on **Wednesday, December 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.** Come out for a wonderful evening with supper and dance! For more information, please contact Joe Esson at 204-4917.

**50/50**  
FUNDRAISER

**Fundraiser Alert!** Holy Family will be selling **50/50 tickets** before and after Saturday Masses up to and including, December 2<sup>nd</sup> and then the draw for the winner will take place on December 9<sup>th</sup> at the Jonathan Ryu Christmas Concert! Tickets will sell 1 for \$2 or 3 for \$5. Let's all show our support for our wonderful church!



The "**Box for Mittens**" is our traditional Advent project and we welcome donations of mittens, hats and scarves! The box is out and will remain there until December 16<sup>th</sup>, after which time the donations will be given to the schools in our local area. Each and every year that we've done this project, the schools have been truly grateful, so thank you for your support!



Once again this year, Holy Family will be hosting a lovely **Christmas Dinner** for those who have no family nearby with whom to share the holiday spirit. Whether you're one person or a family, please plan to join us on **Tuesday, December 25<sup>th</sup> at noon**. Registration will be limited to 50 people, so please register early by calling the parish office at 386-6178.

If you have any questions, call Gerard at 866-3906.



**A Brilliant Holy Family Church Fundraiser!**  
**Jonathan Ryu in Christmas Concert at Holy Family Church**  
**Sunday, December 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.**

*Master of Ceremonies will be Fr. Phil Mulligan*  
*Free will offering only*

*All proceeds for Holy Family Church*  
*For more information please call Parish Office 386-6178*



## St. Jude's Church



**Thank you so much** for the outpouring of blankets, towels and winter clothing donated by you to give HOPE & Comfort to members of your community! I had the pleasure of delivering over 18 large blue bags to organizations such as the Helping Hands Food Bank, SPCA, Harvest House and Crossroads for Woman. They were so pleased with the donations!! Thank you everyone!

*Tracy Lagace*



**Christmas tags are ready from the Food Bank and have been placed in the back windows of the church.**

We are joining forces with other churches in our area to lighten the load for the less fortunate this Christmas. Each tag represents an item for someone in our community. Please take as many as you wish. It's a great idea to go in as a group on some of the bigger ticket items.

**Gifts are due back at church by December 9th**

- unwrapped
- tags attached
- placed in the HOPE CHEST in the foyer

**They can also be dropped off at the Food Bank by calling 372-9787**

**THANK YOU!**

## Holy Ghost Church



*Sunday Missals* have arrived for personal copy and we ask \$5.00 to offset the cost. Thank you.

## Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



**Please consider taking part in 'White Gift Sunday', set for December 9<sup>th</sup>!** For several years, our faith community has been donating food, gifts, new clothes and knitted items on 'White Gift Sunday'. Gifts do not need to be wrapped! Just bring them into the church between now and Dec 9<sup>th</sup>!  
Thank you everyone!

*White Gift Sunday began in 1903 in Painesville, Ohio when a minister's wife, upset over her two daughter's arguing over gifts they had received in a Sunday School Gift exchange, came up with the idea. She remembered a story about a wise king, Kubla Khan who received gifts from his people that were wrapped in white so that all the gifts looked the same. By doing this, the love and devotion of the giver became more important than the gift. The following year, it was suggested that the Sunday School bring gifts wrapped in white that would be given to people in need in the community. The idea caught on and is still practiced in many churches today.* ❤️



### Knights of Columbus Council 9270 Christmas Party! Saturday, December 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.

Open to all Knights of Columbus and guests.  
Tickets will be on sale before and after Mass on  
November 25<sup>th</sup>, December 2<sup>nd</sup> and December 9<sup>th</sup>

You can also call Paul Perkison at 387-7379,  
Paul Brenton at 386-7865, John Coughlan at 386-5451 or  
Rick Duchesne at 387-8730

\$15 per person + non-perishable food item and Music by Gary Donelle  
**Social 6:00-7:00 p.m. Meal 7:00 p.m. Dance 8:00-11:30 p.m.**



## Community

### St. Paul's United Church Gently-Used Ladies Brand Name Clothing Sale! December 1 from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Nine West, Liz Claiborne, Nygard, Simon Chang & more!  
Sizes 6, 8 10, 12 (Small, Medium, a few large).  
Bring a friend and find some treasures.  
Proceeds will be given to the UCRC  
(United Coalition Refugee Committee)



### Riverview Carol Festival Gunningsville Baptist Church (160 Old Coach Rd) Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7 p.m.

Come out for an evening of music, carols and readings  
and please bring a non-perishable food item for the  
Albert County Food Bank.

An offering will be received in support of the  
Riverview Ministerial Bursary Fund.

### P.A.C.E. Event

#### Christmas Dinner & Dance!

**December 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 p.m. at Dan Bohan Centre**

Tickets are \$23 for members and \$25 for non-members  
Santa might be there!! (Optional gift exchange \$10 limit)  
Music by Garry Donelle

Dinner at 6:45 p.m. and Dance starts at 8:30 p.m.  
For tickets, call 852-4576



### The Best of the Metro Tones' Christmas Songs!

**Merry Christmas from the Metro Tones!**

**Friday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m.**

Moncton Wesleyan Celebration Centre  
in support of Food Depot Alimentaire,  
Karing Kitchen and Ray of Hope Kitchen

Tickets are \$10 + non-perishable food  
item(s)

Tickets available at Jean Coutu Pharmacies,  
Reads Newsstands, Sobeys Vaughan Harvey, Hospice  
Shoppe and Peoples Park Tower



## Weekly Collection for all Churches

### Peoples Park Tower Chapel (includes PADs)

Church Support \$425.00; Loose \$101.00  
Maintenance Fund \$15.00  
Heating the church \$80.00

### Holy Family (includes PADs)

Church Support \$1657.50; Loose \$124.00  
Maintenance Fund \$111.50  
Heating the church \$258.00

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

Church Support \$335.00; Loose \$133.00  
Heating the church \$95.00

### Holy Ghost Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$167.00; Loose \$5.00

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

Church Support \$5296.75; Loose \$294.00  
Property Upkeep \$583.50; Youth \$69.00  
Social Action \$342.00  
Heating the church \$920.00



**2019 offering envelopes** are now available at each church.

- Please have a look at the mailing label and let us know if we need to make corrections.
- Do we have your email address? It sure would help us stay connected if we did! ☺
- Would you like to receive a box of envelopes? Just call Anne at 386-6178!
- Would you like to start a Pre-Authorized Debit (PAD) offering? Just call Anne!

### 2018 Charitable Donation Receipts



Thank you to the many parishioners who make a donation to the church at this time of the year. Please note though, that the parish office will be closed between Christmas and New Year's, so **if you wish to make a donation and have it included in your 2018 tax receipt, it must be in the collection at one of our four churches (not St. Bernard's or St. Augustine's) by December 30<sup>th</sup> or dropped off into the office in Riverview by noon on December 24<sup>th</sup>.** This way, we can have the monies deposited by December 31<sup>st</sup> and then everything will be included in your 2018 tax receipt. Again, thank you!



Please note that the Parish Office will be closing at noon on Christmas Eve and reopening with regular office hours (9 a.m. – 4 p.m.) on Wednesday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019.



### From the Offices of Faith Development, Liturgy and Youth Faith Development

To contact us: Ellen - 857- 9952 or [ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com](mailto:ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com); Trevor - 857-4879 or [trevord.diocese@gmail.com](mailto:trevord.diocese@gmail.com) and Deb at [liturgymoncton@gmail.com](mailto:liturgymoncton@gmail.com)



### Storyteller and Evangelist: The Gospel According to Luke

**Contact Trevor by November 28<sup>th</sup>** for your final opportunity to register for this session with Dr. Andrew Wilson on the Gospel of Luke. Dr. Wilson will explore such questions as: Why is it believed Luke painted the first portrait of Mary? Why is his symbol a bull? How is Luke's Gospel different from the other Gospels? What does Luke's story of Jesus tell us of our experience of Jesus? How is this story our story? Did you know that Luke has Jesus preaching a sermon on the *Plain*?

This event takes place on **December 1<sup>st</sup> from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Holy Family Church Hall** on Falkland Street. Lunch is included.