

# 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

7:00 p.m. at Holy Family

**Sundays**

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

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

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



Our heartfelt prayers and sympathy go out to Ron Robichaud (IHM) on the loss of his sister, Irene Boudreau and also to Carmen Lanigan (IHM) on the loss of her mother, Béatrice Allain. May we join together in prayer for our fellow parishioners.



We also pray to bring strength and peace to those who are sick and to their caregivers and especially today, we pray for Paul Finnegan, for Paul Rose, husband of Marina Rose, for Bertha Roy, mother of Carmelle Cochrane, for Pat Ogden, mother of Debbie Brine, and for Jessica Dockrill, granddaughter of Al and Corinne Kavanaugh.

## Daily Readings (January 28<sup>th</sup> – February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019)

Monday (St. Thomas Aquinas)	Hebrews 9:15, 24-28		Mark 3:22-30
Tuesday	Hebrews 10:1-10		Mark 3:31-35
Wednesday	Hebrews 10:11-18		Mark 4:1-20
Thursday (St. John Bosco)	Hebrews 10:19-25		Mark 4:21-25
Friday	Hebrews 10:32-39		Mark 4:26-34
Saturday (The Presentation of the Lord)	Malachi 3:1-4		Luke 2:22-40
Sunday (4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)	Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19	1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13	Luke 4:21-30

## Liturgies for the week of January 28<sup>th</sup> – February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019

### Peoples Park Tower Chapel

Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup> 2:00 p.m. Ronald Hay – Roean Abrams

### Holy Ghost Church

Saturday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> 4:00 p.m. Violet O'Hara (Anniv) – daughter, Mary Richardson

### Holy Family Church

Monday, January 28<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. Sandra Cluney (Anniv) – Gerry and family

Saturday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> 7:00 p.m. For the People

### St. Jude's Church

Sunday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> 9:00 a.m. Souls in Purgatory – A parishioner

### Immaculate Heart of Mary

Wednesday, Jan 30<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. Emily Ross – Geralda MacDonald

Sunday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> 11:00 am. Anne Felix (Anniv) – the Violette family





### Food Basket Challenge 2019

**Holy Ghost/Immaculate Heart of Mary** - Toiletries of any kind and tea and coffee!

**St. Jude's** - Dish detergent, laundry soap and toilet paper.

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



### Stewardship

Some of the obstacles that keep us from "making a straight path" for the Lord are the same obstacles that keep us from embracing stewardship as a way of life. John the Baptist calls us to reform our lives and to let go of the selfishness and greed that keep us from following in God's footsteps.



The **First Saturday of the Month Mass** requested by Our Lady of Fatima will be celebrated at St. Bernard's Church on February 2<sup>nd</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.



**We are asking those with palms from last year to please bring them into the parish office by Thursday, February 24<sup>th</sup>. We will burn these palms to have the ashes for Ash Wednesday. Thank you.**



The Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet **Tuesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>** at the Dan Bohan Centre at 7 p.m. Bring your shawls and works-in-progress for an evening of sharing, prayer and fellowship. (and fun...did we mention fun! ☺)

### Catechism

#### ATTENTION PARENTS OF CHILDREN RECEIVING FIRST COMMUNION IN THE SPRING

\* Your first session for first Communion preparation will take place on Monday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. in the foyer of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church.



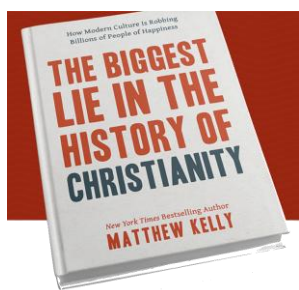
\* Your next session for Communion preparation will take place on Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. in the foyer of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church.

#### ATTENTION CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES, PARENTS AND SPONSORS



\* Your second small retreat will take place on Sunday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> at Immaculate Heart of Mary @ 6:00 p.m. Both Candidate and Sponsors are expected to attend. If the sponsor is not available a parent may attend instead.

\* The Kiddie Karnival will take place on Sunday, February 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m. in the Riverview Community Hall. All Candidates are expected to attend. Parents and Sponsors are welcome to help out.



For the past couple of weeks, we have announced that free copies of Matthew Kelly's book, *The Biggest Lie*, will be available at the entrance(s) of the church after Mass on February 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> on a first-come, first-serve basis. Matthew is a prolific writer and evangelizer who writes (in *Rediscover Jesus*, p. 137) that 'we will change the world simply by behaving as Christians. There are two billion Christians on the planet - anything we do together will have enormous influence. If Christians simply behaved as Christians, the world would be a different place in a matter of weeks.'

In *The Biggest Lie*, Matthew gives some very practical suggestions that will help us become better Christians in the simplest of ways. Feel free to pick up (as long as they last) a copy of *The Biggest Lie* after Mass next weekend, read it, digest it and then pass it on to a friend. Remember, they are free, but that does not make them less valuable.



**The Boys and Girls Club 'Tabs for Kids'** has increased their total count by another 42,000 tabs (oh, those wonderful, shiny, recyclable bits) bringing them up to an incredible grand total of **2, 511, 726!**  
**Yes! Let's keep pulling together for these kids!**



A parishioner has a Kenmore Bread Maker to give away. If you've been thinking about getting one, call the office at 386-6178 and it will be yours!

# Exploring our Faith

## UNITY IN CHRIST

Looking at today's second reading, I interpreted the theme to be **unity**. **Unity** is defined as *the state of being united or joined as a whole*. First, we listen to Paul tell the Corinthians that all are baptized in the one body of Christ. He explains that every member of a body is important because it makes up the whole. Next he writes about the unity of the gifts we are given to serve the body of Christ.



At the start of the reading, he explains that there is no single part of the body that is more important than another. Another definition I found is: *"unity teaches that each person is a unique expression of God, that each person is sacred, and each person is worthy"*. This is where he parallels a community to the body. Telling us that every single member of our community is important and to be cherished, as each member serves a purpose. None should be despised, no one can replace the other. He writes: *"God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honour to the inferior member, that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another"*. Thus, we are all on the same level and should all enjoy the same dignity. It's understood that if we show respect, love and dignity to the poorest, the weak and the disenfranchised, we keep the hierarchy.

Towards the end, he goes on to talk about the individual functions of the body of Christ. He lists the gifts that God has appointed: Apostles, Prophets, Teachers, deeds of power, gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, and various kinds of tongues. These gifts are diverse, the ministries are different, but all have the same Spirit, the same God working through them. Their functions differ, but they're all important. Their **unity** isn't found in the gifts exercised, but simply in the one God who distributes the variety of these gifts. It is important that we understand that spiritual gifts are not given to us as a badge of righteousness or spirituality. They are a gift given in spite of ourselves, to fulfill God's own purposes, not to enhance our spiritual portfolio. He writes this to show us that the gift of the Spirit doesn't or shouldn't, lead to competition or rivalry but simply, to **unity**.

God has arranged his body – the Church- so that each part can be considered important and well taken care-of. Whether these parts are the gifts given to the members of the church community, or the parts referring to our poor, weak and disenfranchised people, God wants us **united** and to know that each very different person and gift goes into making a healthy, capable, well-rounded body.

Katy Mahoney

**ATTENTION ANYONE WITH CHILDREN 3 TO 12:** the youth preparing for Confirmation (and some others)

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**KIDDIE KARNIVAL**  
Riverview Community Hall  
11 a.m. - 2 p.m.  
\$5 per child age 3 - 12



will be hosting the **Kiddie Karnival** that takes place during Riverview Winter Carnival! It will take place on Sunday February 10<sup>th</sup> at the Riverview Community Hall located at 145 Lakeside Drive from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Cost is \$5 for children 3 to 12, everyone else is free! There will be bounces, games, and face painting. There will be pizza to purchase for lunch! Come along its great fun! All proceeds will go to the Albert County Food Bank.

## Holy Family and Immaculate Heart of Mary Churches

**WE NEED  
YOU!**

### Help Wanted!

The third Wednesday of each month volunteers from Holy Family and Immaculate Heart of Mary churches help out at the Karing Kitchen at St. John's United Church to prepare and serve lunch to those in our community in need. There is a need to increase our volunteer base to meet our commitment. The time required of volunteers is from 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. If you can spare 4½ hours each month or so, please contact Maureen Merrill at 388-9372 or at [mychloe@nbnet.nb.ca](mailto:mychloe@nbnet.nb.ca). Thank you!



**Vision Bookstore : Monthly Sale!** - Come visit us at Place de la Cathédrale on Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup> between **(new hours!) 9 a.m. and Noon and from 1 to 4 p.m.** and take advantage of a special monthly sale where most books and CD's (in stock) will be reduced by 10%.



## St. Jude's Church



**Would the person who is using Envelope #36 at St. Jude's, please call Anne at the office, 386-6178. Thank you.**



A message from **Helping Hands Food Bank** Going into the new year, we are suggesting for your sharing baskets, donations of cleaning and paper supplies for the next couple of months. A child is much happier and accepted in school if he or she is clean, as well as having a full belly therefore; we feel these items are as important as food. Much needed at this time are dish detergent, laundry soap, and toilet paper. Thank you!

## Holy Family Church



**Would the person who is using Envelope #14 at Holy Family, please call Anne at the office, 386-6178. Thank you!**



Mark your calendars folks! The **Annual General Meeting for Holy Family Parish** will take place on **Sunday, February 17<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m.** in the main body of the church. We will be providing updates on where we are compared to last year at this time after our meeting with the Archbishop, as well as information on all aspects of the life of our parish. All your concerns and questions will be addressed. All are invited and encouraged to attend!



**Parish Pot Luck and 50/50 Draw**  
Dig out your favourite recipe and fire up the wood stove! On **Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5 p.m.** we will be having a parish pot luck supper at the hall. We're hoping to have dishes that represent the many different ethnic communities that are present in our parish, so be ready to try dishes you may never have had before! Also, beginning this Saturday at Mass, we will be selling 50/50 tickets with all proceeds going toward parish funds. The draw will take place at the pot luck supper on March 3<sup>rd</sup>.

## Holy Ghost Church



As a parish, we will be looking at fundraisers for this coming year. We need to look at what we can do to help offset expenses (for example, fuel is a big expense, especially during a winter as cold as this one!) and yet we still want it to be about gathering as community as we fundraise.

**Please, bring your thoughts and ideas forward!!**

## Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



Knights of Columbus Council 9270 is offering 4 bursaries of \$500 each to graduates of Riverview High School. Application forms can be found in the foyer of IHM and at the guidance office at RHS. Applications must be received no later than **May 6<sup>th</sup>**. Also, do not forget about the \$800 Knights NB State Council bursary application – that one is due **March 1<sup>st</sup>**.



Riverview Winter Carnival's Chowder and Soup Social is sponsored by our **Knights of Columbus!** Mark your calendar for **Saturday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>** and plan to be at the Dan Bohan Centre between 4:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. A take-home option will be available!  
**Cost is \$5.00 at the door.**



### Church Fundraiser! Card Party and Luncheon!

We still have room to take more bookings for the Card Party on **February 5<sup>th</sup>**. If anyone is interested in booking a table, please call Shirley at 387-7122 as soon as possible. For anyone that has never attended before, the cost is only \$10 and we serve a cold plate with homemade dessert, tea or coffee. Starts at 12 noon and ends around 3:30 p.m.



Riverview Winter Carnival's Chicken Luncheon is sponsored by our **IHM Ladies Society!** Mark your calendar for **Saturday, February 9<sup>th</sup>** and plan to be at the Dan Bohan Centre between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

**Call Pam Coughlan at 386-5451 for tickets!**  
**Cost is \$5.00.** (Storm date – Feb 10<sup>th</sup>)

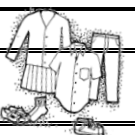


On **Saturday, February 16<sup>th</sup>**, the Knights of Columbus will be hosting our annual "Ladies' Appreciation Night". The evening will feature a delicious meal, music and fun! Tickets are \$20.00 per person and will be available after Mass for three Sundays, January 27<sup>th</sup>, February 3<sup>rd</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> or you can call Ken Murray at 860-0575. **Gentlemen, say thank-you to your wives and get them a ticket!**

## Community



**St. Paul's United Church - "New To You" Sale - Clothing, Footwear, Accessories for all ages!**  
**Saturday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> from 9:00 a.m to noon**



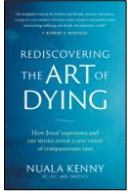


**From the Offices of Faith Development, Liturgy and Youth Faith Development**  
 Ellen - 857- 9952 or 857-9531, ext. 1261 or [ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com](mailto:ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com)  
 Trevor - 857-4879 or 857-9531, ext. 1260 or [trevord.diocese@gmail.com](mailto:trevord.diocese@gmail.com)  
 Deb at 857-9531, ext. 1262 or [liturgymoncton@gmail.com](mailto:liturgymoncton@gmail.com)



**Medically Assisted Death and Challenges to a Good Death**

On **Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup>** Dr. Nuala Kenny will be in our archdiocese to present on the impact of the legalization of Medical Assistance in Dying. Dr. Kenny is a medical doctor, medical ethicist, Professor Emeritus of Dalhousie University, past Ethics and Health Policy Advisor for the Catholic Health Alliance of Canada, a Sister of Charity and author of *Rediscovering the Art of Dying*. She will speak of how human suffering and dying has been medicalized with this legislation, through her presentation of 4 sessions:

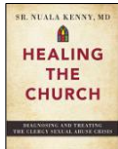


- Medically Assisted Death & Challenges to A Good Death
- Values, Beliefs and Bioethics in Health Care Decisions
- Responding to Interest in MAiD
- Challenges to Being a Community of Mercy

This workshop will take place at St. Bernard’s Church Hall, Botsford Street, from 2:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Cost is \$15, which includes supper. Please register with Mark Mahoney at [markmahoney@rogers.com](mailto:markmahoney@rogers.com) or Ellen or Trevor at the above contact information, by March 7<sup>th</sup>. Anyone interested in this topic is most welcome to attend.

**The Challenge of Healing Together from Clergy Sexual Abuse**

On **Monday, March 11<sup>th</sup>**, join Sr. Nuala Kenny, for *The Challenge of Healing together from Clergy Sexual Abuse*. Sr. Nuala is the author of *Healing the Church* and is presently writing a second book on the topic of clergy sexual abuse. She serves as Advisor to the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops Ad Hoc Committee for the Protection of Minors and Chair of the Archdiocese of Halifax Yarmouth Ministry of Care and Companionship Committee. This session will take place at the Dan Bohan Family Centre from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Please register with Ellen.



**Weekly Collection for all Churches**

**Peoples Park Tower Chapel (incl PADs)**

Church Support \$315.00; Loose \$133.00  
 Maintenance Fund \$30.00

**Holy Family (incl PADs)**

Church Support \$1582.50; Loose \$248.00  
 Maintenance Fund \$74.50

**St. Jude’s Church (incl PADs)**

Church Support \$405.00; Loose \$49.60

**Holy Ghost Church (incl PADs)**

Church Support \$232.00; Loose \$10.00  
 Fuel \$30.00

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

Church Support \$4491.50; Loose \$101.00  
 Property Upkeep \$309.50; Youth \$42.00  
 Social Action \$155.00



*Memorial gifts are a special way to give to the life and work of our parish. These gifts can be made in memory of a loved one or to honour a living person. Please contact the parish office at any time if you have questions or if you wish to make a gift. It is a wonderful way to make an ongoing difference to our faith communities and our churches.*

*During the month of January 2019, Al Close made a memorial gift to Holy Family Church in memory of his dear wife, Clara Close.*



**Income Tax Receipts** will be available for pickup at Holy Family, St. Jude’s and Immaculate Heart of Mary Churches starting the week of January 28<sup>th</sup>. If you’d like to have your receipt emailed to you, (that would be kinda wonderful!) please just send an email to [info@setmoncton.com](mailto:info@setmoncton.com) and we’ll reply with your receipt! ☺