

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

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

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

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



Stewardship

Giving and sharing are learned responses. It is our responsibility to teach our young people this lesson.



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 Nazareth House



We offer our condolences to Anne Griffin on the passing of her beloved husband, Wilfred. We send our love and prayers to Wilfred's grieving family. We also hold in prayer all who mourn the loss of Leonard Arsenault. May these good men, rest in peace.



We also pray to bring strength and peace to those who are sick and today we pray for Heather Murphy and also for Sawyer Spencer-Wilson, grandson of Aubrey and Chris Spencer. May God give strength to all who are sick and to their caregivers.

Liturgies for the week of May 20th – 26th, 2019

Peoples Park Tower Chapel

Friday, May 24th 2:00 p.m. Simone Bastarache – Roger and Judy Bourque

Holy Ghost Church

Saturday, May 25th 4:00 p.m. For the People

Holy Family Church

Monday, May 20th 9:00 a.m. Christina Barrera (Anniv) – Liliana and Gordon Trail

Saturday, May 25th 7:00 p.m. Vera O'Donnell (Anniv) – Brian O'Donnell

St. Jude's Church

Sunday, May 26th 8:30 a.m. Sam and Rita Bernard – their loving family

Immaculate Heart of Mary

Wednesday, May 22nd 9:00 a.m. Lois Brown (Anniv) – Dan and Carol Lunney and family

Sunday, May 26th 10:30 a.m. Thérèse Pelletier – Lisette and Dave Robinson



Ordination Celebration! Fr. Luc Poirier, who will be a newly ordained priest, will be celebrating his first Traditional Latin Mass in Moncton June 9th at 2 p.m. at the Our Lady of the Assumption Cathedral. After Mass, a luncheon will be served at the Saint Augustine's Church basement at 340 Dominion Street.

Exploring our Faith

FIGURE IT OUT

My friend, Byron, wrote and successfully defended his PhD dissertation on the Apocalypse. After he died, I was given a copy of his work, although before that, he had told me his understanding of what the Apocalypse or the *Book of Revelation* was all about. There were two points that Byron made to me. The first was that it was a message sent to particular Christian communities at a very definite time in history, a time when they had just survived a terrible persecution and were facing a new one. The second point was that the author wrote of real events in symbolic language that he expected people to understand. They were aware of the events. The symbolism was an attempt to show the invisible divine presence in history. The author encouraged them with the word repeated often, 'Nike', which loosely translated means, 'We shall overcome' and he also gave this instruction, 'This wisdom: anyone who has intelligence figure out the number of the beast, for the number is a man's.' (Rev. 13:18)

I would like to follow that instruction to figure it out in an attempt to understand Exodus.

Moses, floating as an infant among the papyrus reeds, means he was born to do something with papyrus. We know cuneiform clay tablets have been found in the land where Abraham came from. Presumably, Abraham's children brought them with them when they went down into Egypt and were welcomed there. After 600 years, Egyptian leaders questioned their religious beliefs and began to persecute them. We have the story of Moses breaking the tablets and giving this people a new law. Does this not tell us that Moses was instrumental in transforming tablets of genealogies and laws (similar to the laws of Hammurabi) as well as the writing down of oral traditions some thousands of years old even then, onto papyrus scrolls. And what did Moses take out of Egypt along with the people? We know well: he took the Ark of the Covenant containing those papyrus scrolls.



They came to a finger of water at the north end of the Red Sea. We Monctonians have a similar geologic formation right here. If, at the time of Moses, someone local knew the times of the tidal bore, and someone did, and told Moses since he knew, then he and his people could safely cross. If someone from away came after them, and someone did, then they might enter just before the tidal bore arrived and they would be in deep trouble. It is not the bore itself that is so dangerous. It is the formidable flood that follows it. So the people were saved. And the story uses imagery to express the invisible presence of the divine. And the manuscript scrolls of Genesis were saved. For some three thousand years afterwards, thousands of people have spent their lives studying these precious words and copying them from old rotting pages onto fresh new ones for future generations to again recopy them. They began 'ta biblia' or 'Holy Scripture'.

Read Genesis, perhaps copy a story in handwriting, and you can experience the Miracle of the Book.

Agnes Beirne

Daily Readings (Week of May 20th – 26th, 2019)

<i>Monday</i>	Acts 14:5-18	John 14:21-26
<i>Tuesday</i>	Acts 14:19-28	John 14:27-31
<i>Wednesday</i>	Acts 15:1-6	John 15:1-8
<i>Thursday</i>	Acts 15:7-21	John 15:9-11
<i>Friday</i>	Acts 15:22-31	John 15:12-17
<i>Saturday</i>	Acts 16:1-10	John 15:18-21
<i>Sunday</i> (6 th Sunday of Easter)	Acts 15:1-2, 22-29	Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23 John 14:23-29

Registration is now open for VBS 2019!



All children who are 3 years of age by June 24th up to the end of Grade 6 are encouraged to register. For the first time, we are pleased to offer VBS for those children who have not yet entered kindergarten! Spaces are limited for these younger children, so please don't wait to register!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
JUNE 24 - 28

You can register on the diocesan website at www.diomoncton.ca →Pastoral Offices →Youth Faith Development →Vacation Bible School. There is no cost to register your child for the program.

For more information contact Karen at 387-4198.



This year, we are walking in solidarity with the 68.5 million children, women, and men who have been forced to flee their homes. Every step taken is sending a strong message to the Canadian government that it must do more to end forced migration around the world.

By August 31st, 2019, the national objective is to walk the equivalent of the Earth's circumference (40, 075 km), all the while raising funds to support Development and Peace's community development programs. **We are excited to report that as of last Monday, May 13th, the national distance walked has surpassed that number, reaching 46,350 km and growing! Great news!**

By August 31st, 2019, the local objective is to walk the equivalent of the circumference of the Archdiocese of Moncton (600 km), also raising funds for Development and Peace. **We are excited to report that as of last Monday, together we have walked 525 km! We are so close!**

Yes, we are so close and it is not too late for you to add to that number! Please keep reporting your walk results online at <https://www.devp.org/en/education/fall2018/walk> or by calling Nicolas Kalgora at 801-0440.

Every step taken sends a stronger message! Please report your walks!

Holy Moments! ATTENTION EVERYONE! Even though Lent is over we have decided to extend the Holy Moment project throughout the Easter season. We would like to invite EVERYONE in the parish to join us.

Help us completely cover the wall of Holy Moments!

*Found a microwave for a person in need
Brought a new driver out for practice
Helped raise funds for school improvements in Nicaragua*

*Volunteer my time with
Boys and Girls Club*

The possibilities are endless!
Holy Moments are when you are trying to be a better version of yourself and we have little papers for you to write up your Holy Moments!

Parish Appreciation Night!!

Holy Ghost – Holy Family – Immaculate Heart of Mary – St. Jude's



Thank You!

Friday evening, June 7th, please let us celebrate YOU!!

Join us at Immaculate Heart of Mary for prayer at 6:00 p.m. then over to the Dan Bohan Centre for food and a whole lotta fun!

RSVP (by Monday, June 3rd)

- Call the office! (386-6178)
- Send us an email info@setmoncton.com
- Drop a note in the collection basket!



Capacity at Dan Bohan Centre is 220, so please let us know if you plan to attend as there's always a waiting list.



The **Prayer Shawl Ministry** will have their final meeting before summer break on Tuesday, May 28th at the Dan Bohan Centre at 7:00 p.m. Bring your shawls, your yarn and your love for an evening of sharing, prayer and fellowship!

And may we take this opportunity to thank all members of this ministry for the beautiful shawls that are so lovingly knit and crocheted and most special of all, that are so freely given. God love you all.



Men's Retreat - On Saturday morning, June 8th from 8:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. at the Dan Bohan Centre there will be a retreat for all men in our parish unit. This is being hosted by the Knights of Columbus, but all men are welcome! The retreat will finish with Mass and lunch will be served.



Tabs for Kids has increased its count by another 22,275 to reach the grand total of 2,585,605 tabs! While you're helping the environment, you wonderful people are also helping the Boys and Girls' Club Breakfast Program! (Ummmm, and the tabs collection container is full once again....better get 'tab'ulating Jim! ☺)



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

Ellen - 857- 9952 or 857-9531, ext. 1261 or ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com;

Trevor - 857-4879 or 857-9531, ext. 1260 or trevord.diocese@gmail.com

Deb at 857-9531, ext. 1262 or liturgymoncton@gmail.com

Youth Faith Commission - The next meeting of the Youth Faith Commission will take place on **Monday, May 27th** at 6:00 p.m. at 45 York Street.

The Office of Faith Development will close May 24, 2019 and reopen August 26, 2019.



Starting June 4th, the Diocese Office will be open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Regular hours will resume on September 3rd.



Vision Bookstore Spring Sale - Come visit us at Place de la Cathédrale, 224, St-Georges St. from May 21st to 31st, Tuesday to Friday, between 9:00 a.m. to Noon and from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. and take advantage of a special Spring Sale where children books and bestsellers will be reduced by 25% and some books sold at one dollar! Info: 857-9531, ext. 1238.

The Vision Bookstore will close on May 31st and will reopen September 3rd.

Holy Family Church



Annual Spring Cleanup Time! If you can spare some time to help us clean up the outside area around the church, we would love to have you join us on Saturday, June 1st from 8 a.m. until noon. See ya there!

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



FUNDRAISING GARAGE SALE at the DAN BOHAN CENTRE!

Saturday, May 25th from 8:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Books! Kitchen, Household and Sports Items! Jewellery! Toys! Small furniture! Recycled greeting cards! Baked goods! Tea, coffee and juice! Knights of Columbus Frozen Soup! Also, if you could help with pricing on May 24th anytime between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. that would be terrifico!

Bubbles the Clown will be there making balloon animals from 10-11 a.m.!!

Holy Ghost Church



Roast Beef Supper! Holy Ghost is putting on another one of their delicious roast beef suppers! Come on down to the Riverside Rec Centre on **Sunday, June 2nd from 4 – 7 p.m.** and enjoy!

Adults \$12 and children \$6, payable at the door.

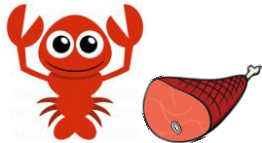
We will also have recycled greeting cards for sale (anniversary, sympathy, birthday, Mother and Father's Day, etc – all occasions!) with proceeds going to Holy Ghost!

St. Jude's Church

Annual Lobster and Ham Supper – Eat-in or Take-out – Advance Tickets Only

Mark your calendars because it's all happening at St. Jude's on **Saturday, May 25th from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.**

1½ cracked lobster or a generous portion of ham, potato salad, coleslaw, rolls, dessert, tea and coffee – all for only \$22 for lobster or \$10 for ham! Children under 5 eat ham free.



Take-out available from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at the front door of the church with free delivery in the Salisbury area from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. for Seniors and Shut-ins.

For tickets, call Dave at 856-8604, Carm at 372-5963 or the Parish Office at 386-6178!
(Please get your tickets prior to May 23rd.)

Note for those in Moncton, Riverview, Riverside-Albert

St. Jude's will be making a **special delivery** to the **Dan Bohan Centre** parking lot between 2:00 and 3:00 p.m. on the day of the supper, should anyone prefer take-out from the surrounding areas. **Indicate when buying your ticket.** ☺

Community

Bookworm Bonanza Softcover Book Sale

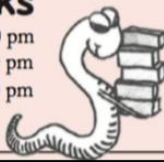
Bring this ad and
get one book free!

DAN BOHAN FAMILY CENTRE
5 Fatima Drive, Riverview
beside Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

Donate Books

May 19 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm
May 20 10:00 am - 8:00 pm
May 21 10:00 am - 8:00 pm

Softcovers Only



Buy Books

May 21 1:00 pm - 8:00 pm
May 22 10:00 am - 8:00 pm
May 23 10:00 am - 12:00 pm



June 4th – 10th
Go to
[http://signup.com/go/](http://signup.com/go/FLBplayground)
[FLBplayground](http://FLBplayground.com) and
sign yourself up
to help!

Fabric and Yarn Sale Grandmothers 4 Grandmothers Moncton

In support of African Grandmothers who are raising grandchildren orphaned by HIV/AIDS



Proceeds donated to:
SATURDAY, JUNE 1ST, 2019
9 AM - 1PM

Moncton Lions Club
55 Mark Ave.
Moncton, NB

FIND BARGAINS IN -

Fabric, Yarn, Knitting
Needles, Notions,
Crafting Supplies



ALL FABRICS \$1/METER

FABRIC, YARN, CRAFT DONATIONS
WELCOMED

For pick up prior to May 25th email
G4GMoncton@gmail.com or call Marilyn at
506-532-3290



Indoor Yard Sale at St. Vincent de Paul (113 Norwood Dr, Moncton)

June 8th from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

New and used clothing, shoes, toys, books, flea market items and more! All proceeds will help the needy of our community.

Weekly Collection for all Churches

Peoples Park Tower Chapel (incl PADs)

Church Support \$400.00; Loose \$144.00
Maintenance Fund 25.00

Holy Family (incl PADs)

Church Support \$1073.00; Loose \$146.00
Maintenance Fund \$126.50

St. Jude's Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$527.00; Loose \$103.30
Cemetery \$100.00

Holy Ghost Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$232.00

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$3860.50; Loose \$258.00
Property Upkeep \$527.50; Youth \$23.50
Social Action \$253.50

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