St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish **Holy Ghost Immaculate Heart Holy Family** St. Jude's Church Church Church of Mary Church 52 Falkland St 2 Church St 5 Fatima Dr 3062 Main St Moncton, NB E1E 4S8 **Riverside-Albert, NB E4H 3W8 Riverview, NB E1B 2X8** Salisbury, NB E4J 2L5 Tel: 854-6099 Tel: 882-1123 Tel: 386-6178 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 Sundays** (times changing first Sunday in October!) 4:00 p.m. at Holy Ghost 8:30 a.m. at St. Jude's 7:00 p.m. at Holy Family 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. 23rd We pray for all who mourn and today we hold in our prayers the family of Bernard Lunney, brother of Dan Lunney, for Sunday in oathu those grieving the passing of Donna Landry and for all who Ordinary loved Gregory Samson, brother of Charlene Sharpe. Time

Let us pray for those who are sick and today we hold in our loving prayers, Kim McCormack and also Bernadette O'Leary, sister of Shirley Connor.





Food Basket Challenge 2019

Holy Ghost/Immaculate Heart of Mary – rice (any size), instant oatmeal, Kraft dinner, and always important, snacks for the children for school **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

Thank you all for the help given.....food banks are truly grateful!

Liturgies for the week of September $9^{th} - 15^{th}$, 2019					
Peoples Park Tower Chapel					
Friday, September 13 th	2:00 p.m.	Bernadette McGee – Pat Dunphy			
Holy Ghost Church		MASS			
Saturday, September 14 th	4:00 p.m.	Leo Beck – Teresa O'Hara			
Holy Family Church					
Monday, September 9 th	9:00 a.m.	Special intention for two friends – Mary Helena Delahunt			
Saturday, September 14 th	7:00 p.m.	Sirvart Kouyoumdjian – Mary and Varouje Kouyoumdjian			
St. Jude's Church					
Sunday, September 15 th	8:30 a.m.	Greg Sullivan – Phyllis and Ray Vigneault			
Immaculate Heart of Mary					
Wednesday, September 11 th	9:00 a.m.	Maria Robichaud (Anniv) – Bob and Helena Vaughan			
Sunday, September 15 th	10:30 a.m.	For the People			

Exploring our Faith

AUTUMN RENEWAL

Many people tell me they have mixed feelings about this time of year because even though they happily anticipate the artistic beauty of autumn, they know the cooler, shorter days foretell the arrival of winter and all that entails in New Brunswick...what Sr. Joyce Rupp calls an "*unforgettable sacrament of absence*." I have been avoiding even the thought of it for a couple of weeks now, but Summer 2019 is nearly over, leaving memories of long days spent with friends and family in backyards, beaches, parks and campgrounds. Bike rides, brilliant sunsets, campfires, stargazing and fireflies. The arrival of autumn brings with it the temporary surrender of these good things and a reminder of the times when dying is

necessary for growth.

Regardless of my age, I continue to associate this time of year with the return to school. As a young teen, each September I took great pleasure in shopping for school supplies; happiness was untouched notebooks, loose-leaf wrapped in cellophane, unsharpened pencils, and rubbery-smelling erasers, but most importantly...possibilities and new experiences. With the previous school year all but forgotten, September arrived with an opportunity to start



over with a clean slate. Granted, the first week or two back took a bit of adjusting, but soon enough I was settled comfortably into the rhythm of the new season.

As a young adult studying at St. Francis Xavier University, I kept on my dorm room wall a dry-erase fourmonth calendar listing important dates for the academic term. Each May I looked forward to "clearing the slate". Joyfully rubbing away the deadlines, due-dates, and exam schedules somehow also allowed me to clear my head of the drama of every self-induced crisis I had entertained in the previous four months. When I returned to classes in the fall, I did so with an unmarked calendar and an opportunity to fill up the following four months with newness and renewal. Literally anything was possible.

This past week some of us returned to school after a blissful two or three-month hiatus, many left home for the first time to study in another city, while others returned to a "regular" work schedule. We will encounter new people, experiences, and challenges, and for me there is not only an undeniable sense of redemption present in our moving forward into a "new" year, but a graceful offering of personal growth and like nature around us, transformation.

I totally understand the mixed emotions around summer's end, because our often-severe winter brings with it a degree of darkness and uncertainty. However, I have been told by a reputable source that the buds on the trees set in the fall, so even before winter sets in Creation extends to us the promise of renewal in the spring. Just watch and wait.

I am listening to the death of old ways. I am listening to the life force turning inward. I am listening to the renewal of the earth. I am listening. ~Joyce Rupp

Trevor Droesbeck, Office of Youth Faith Development, Archdiocese of Moncton

Daily Readings (week of September 9 th – 15 th , 2019)						
Monday	Colossians 1:24 – 2:3		Luke 6:6-11			
Tuesday	Colossians 2:6-15		Luke 6:12-19			
Wednesday	Colossians 3:1-11		Luke 6:20-26			
Thursday	Colossians 3:12-17		Luke 6:27-38			
Friday (St. John Chrysostom)	1 Timothy 1:1-2, 12-14		Luke 6:39-42			
Saturday (The Exaltation of the Holy Cross)	Numbers 21:4-9		John 3:13-17			
Sunday (24th Sunday in Ordinary Time)	Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14	1Timothy 1:12-17	Luke 15:1-32			

Catechism



Year 1 formal catechism in our St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish Grouping begins for all children who will be six years old before December 31st of this year. We use a "Parent Coaching Model" where parents/guardians and child come to catechism and sit at a table together. A Coaching Catechist leads the parents through each session so that the parent is, in fact, the Catechist for the child!

A central principle of the Parent Coaching Model is that we cannot succeed in faith formation with children unless their parents and guardians are also deeply engaged with the process, so you will find:

- Catechism sessions are 75-90 minutes in length and take place once every two weeks.
- You will accompany your child to each session where you will journey alongside them, as together you grow in ٠ faith. (We understand that families lead busy lives. If you are unable to attend with your child, they may be accompanied by another adult, such as a grandparent, an aunt or uncle, or a close family friend.)
- Children will be separated into two groupings: one grouping for Years 1, 2 and 3 and another grouping for Years 4. 5 and 6. If you have more than one child registered in the same grouping, (for example a child in Year 1 and another in Year 3) you can all attend the same session together!

We have had great success with this program and know that it is opening doors for parents to be able to talk more comfortably about their faith and beliefs with their child. Many parents have commented on how this catechism program is renewing and deepening their own faith as they journey with their child. Awesome!



Letters have been mailed out for all children expected to register for Year 1.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR COACHING CATECHISTS FOR THE CATECHISM PROGRAM! If you are eager to spread God's love and help others grow in their faith along side of you this is the ministry for you. Also, we **are in need of babysitters**. For more information please all the Catechism office at 387-4198 and get all the details.

ENTION PARENTS OF CHILDREN IN YEAR 1...the children will be presented with their Treasure bag on Thursday, September 9th here in the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church at 6:00 p.m.

MEMORIAL SERVICE – A Memorial Mass will be held on Monday September 16th at 6:30 p.m. for the families of persons who died at the Dr. Georges Dumont Hospital during the months of May, June and July 2019. This service will take place in the amphitheater of the hospital, (from main entrance, please go to second floor).

Contact Janice Cormier at 383-9882 or Louise Boissonnault at 862-4571.



Hospice Southeast New Brunswick

Grief and Bereavement Support Group Tuesdays, starting September 10th from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. at Camden Court in Moncton for 7 weeks. Facilitated by Ruth Johnstone, experienced leader. If you have lost a loved one and would like to gain some tools for dealing with your grief, please register today. Caregiver Support Group Wednesdays, starting October 9th from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. at Camden Park Terraces in Moncton for 5 weeks. Facilitated by Eleanor Kreplin, Certified Counsellor. If you are taking care of a family member or

a friend with a life threatening illness, this group is for you. There is no charge. Register for both programs at 854-9530, 383-2404 or volunteer@hospicesenb.ca with Debbie Landry-Jaillet. Some grief and caregiver support groups also available in Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert and Petitcodiac or Salisbury this fall.



Saturday, September 14th - 35th Annual Papal Site Mass

The Knights of Columbus sends out an invitation to all for the Annual Papal Site Mass. Come and help us celebrate the 35th 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.

(If it rains, the celebration will be at the Christ the King Church, 300 Dominion St).



Come Taste and See: Life in the Spirit Seminar The Living Word Community Prayer Group is offering a Life in the Spirit Seminar with a difference. Each session takes place every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. at Saint Augustine's Church basement, September 18th through to November 13th.

The seminar provides a way to learn more about living in the Spirit. The gift of the Spirit fills our whole life and changes us so that we begin to know and experience God's love. Teachings are by video and are given by leaders in the Charismatic Renewal such as Ralph Martin, etc. There is a \$10.00 fee to cover cost of materials. For more information, phone: Mary at 855-8330 or Cail at 858-8575.

Prayer Day - Our Parish Weekly Prayer Day resumes on Wednesday, September 18th at IHMC. On these Wednesdays, starting after morning Mass and until 3 p.m. everyone is invited to drop in to spend some quiet time in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament, in prayer, meditation or just to be there. In the church, there is a box placed in the Marian Chapel for any intentions that you would like to have included in prayer.

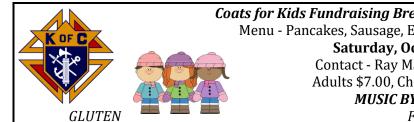
Wedding Anniversary Celebration!



If you are celebrating (or have celebrated) your 1st, 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, etc. Wedding Anniversary any time in 2018, please join us on Friday, October 18th at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, for Mass at 6 p.m. followed by an Anniversary Dinner in the Dan Bohan Family Centre, prepared and served by the Knights of Columbus!

From each happy couple, please call the office (386-6178) any time before Tuesday, October 15th with your: Phone number Names Anniversarv date

Or if it's easier for you, you can put this information in an envelope marked "Wedding Anniversary Celebration" and drop it in the weekend collection basket. And you just gotta be part of the **Wedding Photo display**, so please drop off a framed wedding photo to the office before Oct 15th. Come and let the Parish Community celebrate with you!



Coats for Kids Fundraising Breakfast at the Dan Bohan Family Centre! Menu - Pancakes, Sausage, Eggs, Ham and Beans, Juice, Tea., Coffee Saturday, October 19th from 8:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Contact - Ray March (march.rav@gmail.com) or (866-4195) Adults \$7.00, Children (6-12) \$3.50 Under 6 - Free Admission MUSIC BY THE SUSSEX AVENUE FIDDLERS AND FRIENDS. FREE AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

SAVE THE DATE! October 4th and 5th, 2019



- Plan to join us at Immaculate Heart of Mary for:
 - Workshop for Cantors October 4th from 1 3 p.m.
- **Concert for all** October 4th from 7 9 p.m. (\$20 at the door)
 - Retreat/Workshop for Music Ministers & Liturgy Committee members -October 5th, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. (lunch provided)

Registration is required, so please go to <u>www.setmoncton.com</u> to register and for more information. Deadline to register is September 20th.

Lori enjoys offering workshops and retreats, highlighting a variety of topics relevant to the life of the church, as well as concerts that feature the liturgical music she writes. Please plan to join us for any or all of the Lori True events happening at Immaculate Heart of Mary October 4th and 5th! She will inspire!!

New Eyes open : heart

A TWO-DAY JOURNEY IN FAITH BASED ON THE WORK OF FR. RICHARD ROHR

October 18th-20th Cap-de-Cocagne

Registration deadline is September 27th, so please don't delay. Spots are filling up quickly!

"Nature is the one song of praise that never stops singing!" Richard Rohr

Cost is \$50/person Contact Trevor at trevord.diocese@gmail.com/857-4879

Register online at www.diomoncton.ca → Pastoral Offices \rightarrow Adult Faith \rightarrow Formation Opportunities

Community



Senior Fitness Classes at St. Paul's United Church will begin on Tuesday, September 10th at 10 a.m. This is at an easier level for those just beginning or for anyone with minor health issues. We will be offering training in cardio, strength, flexibility and balance practicesand lots of fun! Everyone welcome - come and bring a friend ! Cost for the Fall Session is \$55.00. To register or for more information phone Marge at 372-4570.



Saint-Charles Parish Supper: Sunday September 15th from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at the Saint-Charles Community Centre. Menu: Turkey with all the trimmings, desserts and beverage. Adult \$13, children 12 and under \$7. Take out service available. All are welcome!



Off Your Rockers Fitness Program resumes at the Salisbury Baptist Church on Wednesday, September 18th from 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. Cost is \$25 for the year and everyone is welcome!



Faith+Life+Questions – UN-DECIDED Rev. Daniel Gilman of Ravi Zacharias Ministries presents a seminar for young adults at Bethel Presbyterian Church (Coverdale Rd). All happening on Wedneday, October 9th at 7:00 p.m. For more information call the church at 386-6254.

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

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Tending the Soil, Tending the Sower 2019

Facilitators for *Tending the Soil, Tending the Sower 2019* include:

- Archbishop Valéry Vienneau One God, Many Followers, Part II
- MAGMA team MAGMA Crossing Cultures in Faith
- Dr. Andrew Wilson Same Water, Different Well

The formation takes place on September 14th at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church from 8:45 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. All those involved in parent coaching are expected to participate in these sessions. Also invited to join us for the day are those involved in marriage preparation, RCIA, baptismal preparation or anyone in the ministry of catechesis, or interested in deepening their faith. Pre-registration, by September 12th is necessary and may be done by contacting Ellen, Trevor, Karen or online at our website <u>www.diocesemoncton.ca</u>, by clicking on the icon which says "Tending the Soil, Tending the Sower." Lunch is provided. **Participation in this day of formation is critical for all those who will be catechist coaches or helpers with children's catechesis.**

Holy Family Church

Holy Family Seniors Club will be meeting on Tuesday, **September 10th at 11:15 a.m.** at Holy Family Church Hall. Are you 55 years of age or older? New members are always welcome! Any questions, please contact Jean Ryan at 382-9812.

Line dance classes will be starting up on September 12th and we hope that you will join us! Once again, classes will be held on Thursdays at Holy Family Church Hall. The class scheduled for 6:00-6:30 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. will feature 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 out a jar for free-will offerings for

the church. Come one and all! Bring a friend! Great workout – great fun!

Weekly Collection for all Churches **Peoples Park Tower Chapel (incl PADs)** Holy Ghost Church (incl PADs) Church Support \$310.00; Loose \$82.00 Church Support \$447.00; Loose \$37.00 Maintenance Fund 35.00 Cemetery (IMO Leo Beck) \$40.00 Holy Family (incl PADs) Church Support \$1439.00; Loose \$118.00 **Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (incl PADs)** Maintenance Fund \$214.00 Church Support \$4649.50; Loose \$251.00 St. Jude's Church (incl PADs) Property Upkeep \$580.50; Youth \$55.00 Church Support \$440.00; Loose \$96.00 Social Action \$290.50