## 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 Church on Saturday afternoons from 1:00 – 1:30 p.m.



We pray for those who are sick and today we hold in our hearts Juliette Robichaud (sister of Simone Berry), Evilena Kendrick, Kelly Campbell, Earl Rossiter and Thérèse Gadoury (sister of Claudette Derdaele).

We also pray for those who have died and today, let us hold in love the family and loved ones of Tim Creaghan and also of Elsie Forsey, dear mother of Walt Forsey.



#### Liturgies for the week of March $16^{th} - 22^{nd}$ , 2020

**Peoples Park Tower Chapel** 

Friday, March 20th 2:00 p.m. Teresa Brennan – Winnie Smith

**Holy Ghost Church** 

Saturday, March 21st 4:00 p.m. Lester Rossiter – Grace Elderkin

**Holy Family Church** 

Monday, March 16th 9:00 a.m. Peter and Lydia Boucher – Janet Gordon and family

Saturday, March 21st 7:00 p.m. Ronaldo Lavoie – Mary Helena Delahunt

St. Jude's Church

Sunday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> 8:30 a.m. For the People

**Immaculate Heart of Mary** 

Wednesday, March 18th 9:00 a.m. Rose and Gerald Keeman - Sherry

Sunday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> 10:30 a.m. Donald Fournier (Anniv) – Michèle and kids

Have you always wanted to have a more personal relationship with God? Now you can achieve it by attending a



7-week "**Life in the Spirit**" seminar where you will grow closer to the Holy Spirit. Come meet wonderful people and enjoy a casual evening of teaching and music. As well, you will also enjoy hearing about wonderful life experiences and touching stories. Already attended by hundreds of people in our diocese and millions across Canada and the world, this seminar of "Life in the Spirit" is not to be missed! Come and see why, each Monday starting March 23<sup>rd</sup> until May 4<sup>th</sup> at Holy Family Church from 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. \$15.00 fee includes all materials. Contact Roberta for more information at 386-5175.

### **Exploring Our Faith**

#### THAT THIRST

Have you ever been so caught up in your routine daily activities, or the busyness of life that you have forgotten to drink enough water, and suddenly you realize your throat is hot, crackling dry, and maybe slightly swollen and not only are you are developing a headache, but start to feel surly? You feel like you have crossed a desert. Then you realize your body is telling you it needs hydration, so you obey and drink the water, and when you drink the water and it is the right temperature for you (I like mine joltingly cold with ice), you wonder why you did not think of this sooner? After that, your throat thanks you, the headache dissipates, as does the surliness that started troubling you.



Or perhaps you are a responsible adult and more conscientious about your water intake. Maybe you have had a similar experience during or after a vigorous workout, or mowing the lawn on a hot day, or during a meeting that has gone on too long. The feeling I have in mind is how *good* it feels to drink the water, especially when you may not have even realized how parched you were. Not only did drinking the water alleviate your thirst, but there are broader benefits of drinking the prescribed 6-8 glasses of water each day. I Googled it. You may have more energy, an improved memory, you may over-eat less, and you may be less susceptible to colds.

In the story of the Samaritan woman at the well, Jesus and the woman engage in what seems to be friendly banter about drawing water from the well, but they are talking about more than just quenching thirst on a hot day in the Middle East. This conversation speaks to me about my own human thirst for the "living water" of God. Just like my experience with the physical thirst, there have been times in my life when I have felt spiritually parched by my disconnection from God and was unaware of it until I noticed something "off" and began the work of reparation. Then comes the, "Why did I not think of this before?" I am telling you though, it comforts me to know that even at those times when I am busy attending to my ego, the living water still flows, diligently at work, waiting for me to drink of it gratefully and take advantage of what is gracefully offered.



Trevor Droesbeck

Archdiocese of Moncton Office of Youth Faith Development

Daily Readings (week of March $16^{th} - 22^{nd}$ , $2020$ )			
Monday	2 Kings 5:1-15		Luke 4:24-30
Tuesday	Daniel 3:25, 34-43		Matthew 18:21-35
Wednesday	Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9		Matthew 5:17-19
Thursday (Saint Joseph)	2 Samuel 7:4-5, 12-14, 16	Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22	Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24
Friday	Hosea 14:1-9		Mark 12:28-34
Saturday	Hosea 5:15 - 6:6		Luke 18:9-14
Sunday (4th Sunday of Lent)	1 Samuel 16:1, 6-7 10-13	Ephesians 5:8-14	John 9:1-41

#### The Way of the Cross

We will pray the Way of the Cross during the holy season of Lent on Friday evenings at 6:30 p.m. To make this prayer available to as many people as possible, we will celebrate it in different churches according to the following remaining schedule:

March 20th - IHMC

April 3<sup>rd</sup> – St. Bernard's

March 27th - St. Augustine's

Good Friday, April 10th - Holy Family

Lenten Penitential Service

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Wednesday, April 1st at 6:30 p.m.
at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



**St. Augustine's 2020 Lenten Parish Mission**, "The Power of the Cross" with Fr. Mark Cherry to be held March 16th, 17th and 18th at 340 Dominion Street, Moncton. (Each session will be at 7:00 p.m.)

St. Augustine's Lenten Penitential Service will begin after the session on Tuesday, March 17th.

Our **Social Action Committee** meeting will be held at the Dan Bohan Centre on **Friday, March 20**th at 10:00 a.m.

**Did you know?** "The RCIA Scrutinies are meant to uncover, then heal all that is weak, defective or sinful in the hearts of the Elect, to bring out, then strengthen all that is upright, strong and good." Like the Elect, our Lenten sacrifices allow us to empty ourselves so we can be filled, once again with the grace of the Pascal Mystery at Easter. We are not "born again" Christians just once: we are the People of God, preparing for renewal and re-renewal, again, and again and again.



Karen needs your 'pop up' dishwashing liquid tops for our upcoming **Vacation Bible School**! Please start to save yours and then bring them in. This is the kind where you pull up on the little top to allow the soap out.

Thank you! 😊



#### **ATTENTION ALL PARENTS OF CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES:** Gatherings for Confirmation preparation

- **Sunday March 15**th **at 6:00 p.m.** in the Dan Bohan Centre. Sponsor is to attend with the Candidate.
- **Sunday March 22**nd **at 6:00 p.m.** in the foyer of Immaculate Heart of Mary. Sponsor is to attend with the Candidate

#### You and your sponsor will have 3 options to choose from for the BLESSING during LENT:

- Saturday **March 14**th at 7:00 p.m. Mass at Holy Family
- Sunday March 15th at 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Jude
- Sunday **March 29**th at 10:30 a.m. Mass at Immaculate Heart of Mary Please remember to sign the book. It is located in the foyer of each church.

**ATTENTION ALL PARENTS OF CHILDREN IN YEAR 2**: Your next gathering for preparation for Communion is on **Monday March 23**<sup>rd</sup> at **6:15 p.m.** in the foyer of Immaculate Heart of Mary Church.

#### ATTENTION ALL PARENTS OF CHILDREN PREPARING FOR FIRST RECONCILIATION:

• Pre-Reconciliation celebration is on Wednesday March 25th at 6:30 p.m. in the IHM church First Reconciliation will take place on Wednesday April 1st at 6:30pm in the IHM church



IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY PARISH, RIVERVIEW

**ALL FAMILIES ARE INVITED** 

CONTACT KAREN AT 387-4198 FOR MORE INFORMATION

Journey to the Cross is an experience for families that will take place as part of the Children's Good Friday service.

**Journey to the Cross** is a powerfully moving, family event that takes people along the path that Jesus walked during his last days on earth. Activities focused on Iesus' love and forgiveness demonstrate the real meaning of Easter: our risen Christ's victory over death! Designed specifically for parents and their children to experience together, this event teaches about the lifechanging message of the cross in a way that everyone can understand, and no one will forget!

#### This Share Lent, let's stand in solidarity with the defenders of the Earth



This year, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada is encouraging us to support all those in the Amazon and the Global South who are caring for God's creation. How can we help?

- 1. Donate online at devp.org/give or give during the Solidarity Sunday collection on March 29th. Your generosity helps support over 149 projects in 36 countries around the world!
- 2. Read Development and Peace's Share Lent literature (in last week's bulletin) and watch the videos to learn about, and hear from, the guardians of the Earth.
- Sign the Solidarity Letter addressed to two embattled Brazilian communities at devp.org/act. For more information, please contact Al Daly at 386-2563.





#### March 15<sup>th</sup> - The Mura: beset by buffaloes, plagued by potash

For several years now, the Mura people of Brazil's Amazonas state have sought to assert their claim to their ancestral lands. To their frustration however, it has been much easier for cattle herders and a potash mine to occupy and control those lands than it has been for them to have their rights respected. Development and Peace's partner, the Indigenous Missionary Council (CIMI), helps them advocate for, defend and publicize their cause more effectively. "On behalf of the Mura in my region, I want to thank Canadians. We are very happy to have your support. It helps us in our struggle to have our rights and our land respected." - Jeremias Oliveira, representative of the Mura community, Brazil Watch the Mura's testimony at devp.org/campaign/mura.



**Tabs for Kids** has increased its count by another 43,984 to reach the grand total of **2,894,453 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....Terry was there!....better get 'tab'ulating Jim! ©)

#### Caretaker Immaculate Heart of Mary Church 5 Fatima Drive, Riverview, NB

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church is seeking a full time **Caretaker**. The Caretaker plays an integral role in the life of the parish by keeping the church buildings and property clean and maintained. Additionally, the Caretaker does set ups and take downs for events and activities in our parish. The successful candidate will be capable of physical work, independent work, and working with other staff and committee members. The tasks require the successful candidate to work both inside and outside. This position is full time with a probationary period of up to 6 months.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Physically capable of completing the work assigned
- Able to lift objects up to 50 lbs
- Previous caretaker or custodial experience is an asset

#### **Conditions of employment:**

- Must have reliable transportation
- Must pass an RCMP security clearance

#### References will be required (at least 2)

For more information about the position or to request a full position description, please send an email to <a href="mailto:ihmc@rogers.com">ihmc@rogers.com</a> or call 386-6178 to speak to the Business Manager.

**Applicants may submit a resumé** by email to <a href="mailto:lhmc@rogers.com">lhmc@rogers.com</a>, or by mail, or in person at the church office, 5 Fatima Drive, Riverview, NB E1B 2X8

**Deadline for applications:** March 25th, 2020 **Start date:** April 22nd, 2020



#### **Holy Ghost Church**



Holy Ghost parishioners are selling tickets (\$2 each or 3 for \$5) on a wonderful combination of gift cards worth \$300! We have tickets at the parish office too!

Winner will be drawn on April 4th!



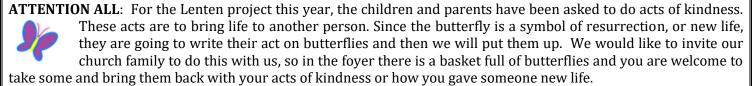
Let's make this fundraiser another wonderful success!

#### **Holy Family Church**



The next Local Parish Council (LPC) meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 17<sup>th</sup> in the double room at 7:00 p.m. If you have any items that you would like the Council to consider at this meeting, please contact a Council member and ask to have the topic placed on the agenda. Observers are always welcome at Council meetings. Minutes of meetings are posted in hardcopy at the back of the church and on-line at our website, setmoncton.com/schedules, once approved at a future scheduled Council meeting.

#### **Holy Family and Immaculate Heart of Mary Churches**



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



This month's Ladies Society Lunch Club will be held at Noon on **Thursday, March 19**th at Cheers (Brandon St). If you're planning to attend, please let Pam know 386-5451.



#### **Riverview Knights of Columbus Invitation**

The Knights of Columbus are pleased to invite the members of our parish to attend and witness the **Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity**, which will take place

Sunday, March 29th at 2:00 p.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

This will be a combined event with members from Councils 9270 (Riverview) and 1310 (Moncton).

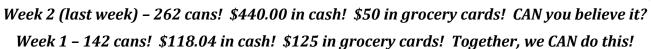


#### The 40 Cans for Lent campaign has begun!

- 1. **You CAN** buy your cans while you do your grocery shopping and bring them to the church. A wagon will be placed in the foyer so you don't have to carry them too far. *Also, if you need help bringing the cans from your car to the church, please ask one of the Knights to help you!*
- 2. **You CAN** purchase a grocery card at the church and drop it in the box provided. Win-win!
- 3. **You CAN** place a cheque or cash donation in a plain white envelope marked "40 CANS" and drop it into the collection basket. This way, you'll receive a receipt for your donation!

Each week, a priority item for the upcoming week will be posted in the bulletin.

#### This coming week, we hope to collect CANNED STEW!





**Knights of Columbus Council 9270** is offering 4 bursaries of \$500 each to all graduates who are children and grandchildren of fellow Knights.

Application forms can be found in the foyer of Immaculate Heart of Mary Church and must be received no later than **May 4**th.

#### **IOB OFFER - PART TIME MANAGEMENT POSITION**

The Archdiocese of Moncton is seeking candidates to fill the position of Manager of Our Lady of Calvary Cemetery on a part-time basis. The interested candidates must be proficient in both English and French and have demonstrated management experience. Candidates may submit their resumé to the Moncton Archdiocese (224 St George Street) Attention: Financial Administrator, by March 20th, 2020. A job description is available at annettel.diocese@gmail.com.

#### Community



**St. Patrick's Mass** will be celebrated at St. Bernard's Church on Tuesday, March 17th at 11:00 a.m. (Irish music starting at 10:30 a.m.)

The offering will be used for the Fr. Peter McKee and Gerry McCarthy bursaries given by the Irish Canadian Cultural Association.

#### St. Patrick's Corned Beef and Cabbage Lunch

March 17th at 12:45 p.m. Moncton Press Club Tickets \$15.00 each, ONLY 100 TICKETS AVAILABLE Entertainment provided

Contact Al Kavanaugh for tickets – 389-3913 Proceeds go to the St. Bernard's Syrian Refugee Family Sponsorship



St. Paul's United Church (404 Cleveland Avenue, Riverview) will be hosting a Bridge Luncheon on Thursday, March 19th at 12:00 p.m. Price is \$12 per person. We still have some room, so if you have a table of four and are interested, please contact Cheryl Grant at 386-3105.

#### NB Right to Life (Moncton Chapter) **Turkey Dinner Fundraiser!**

Sunday, March 29th at 5:00 p.m. Dan Bohan Centre

Hosted by the Knights of Columbus, Council 9270 Guest Speaker will be Peter Ryan, President of LifeCanada Tickets are \$20 and are available at the parish office.



**10 Thousand Villages** Fair Trade "Close-Out" Sale

St. Paul's United Church - 386-3335 (404 Cleveland Ave. Riverview)

Up to 25% off everything (excluding food) Friday, March 27th from 4 p.m. – 9 p.m. Saturday, March 28th from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Admission is free!



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

Ellen - 857- 9952 or ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com Trevor - 857-4879 or trevord.diocese@gmail.com

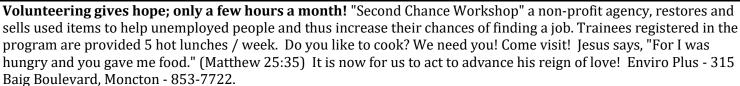


**Upcoming Meetings:** 

**Adult Faith Commission:** Wednesday, March 18th at 7:00 p.m. **Youth Faith Commission:** Thursday, March 19th at 6:30 p.m.

**Sacrament Preparation Committee:** Monday, March 23rd at 2:00 p.m. **Medical Assistance in Dying Committee**: Tuesday, March 24th at 1:00 p.m.

All meetings take place at the Diocesan Offices on York Street. Please use the Dominion Street entrance.



#### **Weekly Collection for all Churches**

**Donation (Number of donors)** 

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

Church Support \$300.00 (21); Loose \$99.00 Maintenance Fund \$25.00 (4)

#### **Holy Family (incl PADs)**

St. Jude's Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$1882.80 (57); Loose \$140.00 Maintenance Fund \$96.50 (11)

Church Support \$615.00 (22); Loose \$26.00 €

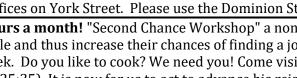
#### Holy Ghost Church (incl PADs and mail received)

Church Support \$352.00 (13); Loose \$7.00 Cemetery \$386.00 (2); Lenten Offering \$10.00 (1) Fuel \$25.00 (2); 50/50 \$60.00

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

Church Support \$5677.50 (179); Loose \$203.00 Property Upkeep \$327.50 (23); Youth \$61.50 (10)

Social Action \$220.50 (25)



Enjoy a full day of presentations on the Past, Present & Future of the Petitcodiac River!

Indigenous History of the Petitcodiac River & its Tributaries

Gilbert Sewell

The Start of it All - The Bend Peering into the Fog

James Upham

The Origin of the Petitcodiac River

Jerry Gogan

Something is Going Wrong

Gary Griffin

River Restoration Campaign

Daniel LeBlanc

The Petitcodiac River's Significance to the Fundy Biosphere Reserve

Paul Gaudet

Strategic Bridge Engineering Planning to let the river run Free

Mike Pauley

A Clean River

Kevin Rice

Fort Folly Habitat Recovery

Tim Robinson & Edmund Redfield

Trails, Trails, Trails

Marc Leger

Keeping it Healthy

-Taking the pulse of the Petitcodiac River

Dr. Alyre Chiasson

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**Appreciation Day** 



**APRIL 4, 2020** 

9:00AM - 4:30PM

MONCTON PRESS CLUB

160 Assomption Blvd., Moncton NB

\$10

Bring Your Own Lunch Complimentary Coffee, Tea, Tap Water

Please Arrive Early!

Tickets available at:

www.EventBrite.ca \$15 at the door

Moncton Press Club 2-9PM Mon-Sat

St. Pauls United Church Office

404 Cleveland Ave. Riverview, NB 9AM-4PM M-F

'NO BEVERAGES ALLOWED INTO VENUE'

All Day!









