

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: 386-6178

Mass Times



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

To meet with Fr. Phil, Fr. Charlie or for Confession, call to make an appointment - 386-6178



We pray to bring strength to those who are going through treatment, awaiting surgery or just in need of prayers right now, including Parker Corno (grandson of Lucy McKinley), Kerri-Anne Rioux, Gerald Melanson and his family, June Robichaud and Basil Thibodeau.

We also pray for all who grieve and today we hold love in our hearts for the family of Marjorie Branch (sister of Kathy Stote), all who mourn the loss of Bill McGrath (father of Susan McGrath-Terry and brother of Paul McGrath) and all who grieve the loss of Harolyn Rioux.



Liturgies for October 10th to 18th, 2020

Holy Ghost Church

Saturday, October 10th 4:00 p.m. Clara Keirstead - Paul and Pauline McKinley
Saturday, October 17th 4:00 p.m. Marie McQuade - Beulah Morrissey

Holy Family Church

Saturday, October 10th 7:00 p.m. Roger and the late, Yvonne Daigle (50th Anniv) - Evangeline
Saturday, October 17th 7:00 p.m. Robert and Stewart Dennis (Anniv) - Kathleen and Eileen

St. Jude's Church

Sunday, October 11th 8:30 a.m. Sunday Celebration of the Word
Sunday, October 18th 8:30 a.m. For the People

Immaculate Heart of Mary

Sunday, October 11th 10:30 a.m. Sunday Celebration of the Word
Sunday, October 18th 10:30 a.m. Pat Ogden (Anniv) - Lowell and Roberta Brine



Daily Readings (Week of October 12th - 18th, 2020)

Monday	Galatians 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1	Luke 11:29-32
Tuesday	Galatians 5:1-6	Luke 11:37-41
Wednesday	Galatians 5:18-25	Luke 11:42-46
Thursday (St. Theresa of Ávila)	Ephesians 1:1-10	Luke 11:47-54
Friday (St. Marguerite d'Youville)	Ephesians 1:11-14	Luke 12:1-7
Saturday (St. Ignatius of Antioch)	Ephesians 1:15-23	Luke 12:8-12
Sunday (29 th Sunday in OT)	Isaiah 45:1, 4-6 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5	Matthew 22:15-21

Exploring Our Faith

DRESSING FOR OTHERS

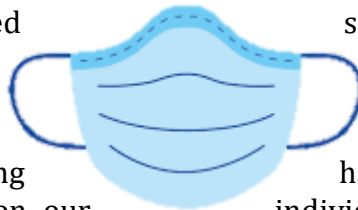
Today's gospel passage is one that used to really bother me. The king sees a wedding guest who is not wearing the proper clothing and has him bound hand and foot and thrown into the outer darkness. I understood that the wedding garments had been provided for the guests and failure to wear the wedding garment was a sign of disrespect, but I was still uncomfortable with what I thought was an emphasis on wearing the "right" clothes. Today, I am reading the story in a whole new light.

In biblical times, wedding garments were not provided for all the guests to appease the aesthetic sensibilities of the bride and groom. These simple robes were provided for all of the guests so that everyone could mingle freely, as equals. The wedding garments covered any distinctions of rank or wealth. They provided a form of protection to those of lower rank, allowing them to participate fully, in a way that might not be possible if those of higher social standing could tell at a glance that they were "less important."

The gospel story does not tell us why this particular guest chose not to wear the offered wedding garment, but I found myself wondering if his reason was that he was a person of significance and he wanted to distinguish himself from the "riff raff" who had been invited in. I could imagine him thinking that he did not need a wedding garment because everyone else would be happy to interact with him. I imagine someone who did not want to hide his own finery under a simple wedding robe.

But when the king enters the room, he is not impressed by this man who stands out because of his dress. The king only sees a man who is more concerned for his own comfort than he is for the comfort of anyone else in the room.

This parable seems particularly relevant in today's world, when all of us are being asked to put on a simple garment that will enable the more vulnerable among us to interact more freely. It would be more comfortable for many of us to make decisions about where we will go, who we will interact with and when we will or will not wear a mask, based solely upon our own level of risk and perhaps the level of risk of those closest to us. Like the wedding guest that I have imagined, we could tell ourselves that the standards in place don't really apply to us. Perhaps masks don't fit with our wardrobe preferences and we are at a low level of risk for any lasting harm even if we go about bare faced. But before we make a decision based on our individual rights and freedoms, this parable calls us to think again about the fact that all of us are guests in God's world, and as guests we are called to place ourselves on an equal footing with all of the other guests, including those whose needs are much greater than our own.



An excerpt from a prayer posted by the Ursuline Sisters of Chatham:

A Prayer as I put on my mask.....

Creator, as I prepare to go into the world, help me to see the sacrament in the wearing of this cloth. Let it be "an outward sign of an inward grace" – a tangible and visible way of living love for my neighbors, as I love myself. Christ, since my lips will be covered, uncover my heart, that people would see my smile in the crinkles around my eyes. Since my voice may be muffled, help me to speak clearly, not only with my words but with my actions. May this simple piece of cloth be shield and banner, and each breath that it holds be filled with your love.

Pam Driedger



Did you know?

God is not petty. God does not hold on to our sins to punish us. Like in the story of the prodigal son, God waits with open arms to embrace his beloved children and rejoices in their return.

(The Source, Pg 124)

Reserve Your Spot

Please remember that you must call the parish office at 386-6178 each week to reserve the next available spot for Mass.

Thank you!



All Souls Day

All Souls' Day – November 2nd at 7:00 p.m.

Each November, our grouping celebrates All Souls' Day, when we remember and honour our loved ones who passed away during the previous year. After much discussion, and to ensure the safety of all families, the decision has been made that we will not physically come together this year. Each family though, will soon receive a letter, followed by a phone call with more details, to explain how this year, the All Souls celebration will be live-streamed and the video uploaded to YouTube immediately following the memorial. Although the church will have no parishioners physically present, the live-stream will allow all family members to share in this special evening, regardless of distance or 'bubbles' or boundaries. Uploading to YouTube will allow the celebration to be watched at any time in the future. All can be included, regardless of location and schedules.



Parishes have the custom of giving a place of honour to a book in which loved ones write the names of their beloved dead. **The Book of the Names of the Dead** would usually be displayed in each of our churches throughout the month of November but this year, we must do things differently. We are going to create an online page for our website, where we will enter all names so that everyone can remember and pray for those lost. More details to come!



You may have already received a phone call, or you will get one shortly from Universal Portrait Studios looking to set up an appointment for your church directory photo. Please be open to participating in this and be assured that all precautions are being taken for your safety. **They will be booking for appointments for the following remaining weeks:**

October 13th - 17th and October 20th - 24th.

If you have already had your photo taken, you will not be receiving a call.

Wedding Anniversary Celebration!



Remember, on Friday, October 16th at 6:30 p.m. we will have a Mass for all those who are celebrating a significant wedding anniversary (i.e. 1st, 5th, 10th, 15th, etc...). **Please call and register** for this Mass and we will be happy to welcome you on the 16th. There may even be some special treats for folks. 😊



Vision Bookstore Closing Sale

Vision Bookstore is closing its store this Fall. Come visit us and benefit from 40 to 85% on most of the books, CD's and DVD's on stock. We are open on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Due to the coronavirus, you are invited to reach us for an appointment at 857-9531, ext. 1238. We are located at Place de la Cathédrale, 224, St-George St.



Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



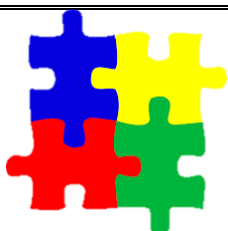
COATS FOR KIDS CAMPAIGN

This past week we received \$485 in donations from across the parish grouping!



The campaign is due to end on October 31st, so please remember that these little kids need our help, and you can help by:

- Placing your donation in the collection basket in an envelope marked 'COATS'. To make sure you get your income tax receipt, be sure to include your name and/or envelope number.
- Dropping by the parish office with your donation. Remember to ring the doorbell! 😊
- If you have used coats to donate, they may be dropped at the Church any morning during the week. If you need to have them picked up, please contact Ray March (866-4195) and thank you!



AND at the Dan Bohan Centre on Saturday, October 17th

As part of our "COATS FOR KIDS" fundraiser, the Knights will be holding a **Puzzle Sale** from 9 - 11 a.m.

If you have any puzzles sitting around in sheds, closets or garages and would like to help a worthy cause, please call Ray March at 866-4195 or email march.ray@gmail.com.

Deadline for donating puzzles is Wednesday, October 15th! Thank you!

AND while you're at the Dan Bohan Centre stocking up on puzzles.....

That same morning, as a fundraiser for Albert County Christmas Aid, the Knights will be hosting a **"Take-out Only" Comfort Food Sale!**

All Covid protocols will be followed. As well, delivery service will be available to parishioners who cannot get out. Anyone **needing** delivery is asked to advise the Parish Office before Friday, October 16th or call Ray March at 866-4195 early on Saturday Morning.

Comfort Food Sale - October 17th from 9 - 11 a.m.

Assorted Homemade Soups	BBQ Style Baked Beans	Corn Chowder
Chili	All containers \$5.00	Spaghetti Sauce



Special Olympics Fundraiser!



Saturday, November 14th the Knights will have a Take-Out Turkey Dinner at the Dan Bohan Centre, with pickup from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Be sure to place your order for turkey and dressing, mashed potatoes and gravy, peas, carrots, roll and butter! Price will be \$15 and we can take advance orders only. Mark this on your calendar and to order email march.ray@gmail.com or call 506-866-4195.



Community



Made possible by a partnership between the United Way of Southeastern NB, Horizon Health and Rural Rides, meals are available for seniors in the Petitcodiac, Salisbury, Elgin and surrounding areas who need it, at no cost. These meals are prepared in a commercial kitchen at a local café and are frozen in individual portions that can be reheated. They are meant for seniors who may not be able to cook for themselves or who may not have someone who lives close enough to help with food. Delivery happens on a weekly basis (Tuesdays) and recipients can receive up to 14 meals per week.

To apply for yourself or on behalf of someone else, please fill out this form: <https://forms.gle/TvMS67MhGUaxaWx78>

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

To contact us: Ellen - 857- 9952 or ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com;

Trevor - 857-4879 or trevord.diocese@gmail.com

FAITH EXPERIMENTS

EXPRESS

for Grades 1-6

FAITH EXPRESSED THROUGH
SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS

ON ZOOM WITH KAREN & TREVOR

Monday, November 9 @ 6:30 PM

Monday, November 23 @ 6:30 PM

Monday, December 14 @ 6:30 PM

CONTACT KAREN TO REGISTER:

387-4198 OR IHMCCATECHISM@ROGERS.COM

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Archidiocèse de
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Weekly Collection for all Churches

Holy Family & Peoples Park Tower

(incl PADs)

Church Support \$2353.00 (57); Loose \$15.00

Maintenance Fund \$217.00 (13)

St. Jude's Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$835.00 (45); Loose \$9.00

Holy Ghost Church (incl PADs)

Church Support 397.00 (13); Loose \$20.00

Booklets \$2.50

Immaculate Heart of Mary (incl PADs)

Church Support \$6610.50 (134); Loose \$32.00

Building Fund \$412.50 (19)

Social Action \$129.00 (11); Youth \$65.00 (6)



The Parish Office is open

Monday to Friday mornings from 9:00 a.m. to Noon.

(Remember to call during that time to book your spot for Mass! 😊)

Grateful
to
God