

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

As part of the Archdiocese of Moncton, St. Elizabeth of the Trinity parish grouping acknowledges that we carry out our worship and ministry on the traditional *unceded* territory of the Mi'kmaq and Wəlastəkwiyyik (Maliseet) Peoples. This territory is covered by the "Treaties of Peace and Friendship" which these nations first signed with the British Crown in 1726. The treaties did not deal with surrender of lands and resources but, in fact, recognized Mi'kmaq and Wəlastəkwiyyik title and established the rules for what was to be an ongoing relationship between nations.



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 in need, including Buzz Betts, Bill Stafford (brother of Bernie Stafford), June Robichaud, Kevin McKinley (son of Lucy McKinley) and Janice Robichaud.

We also pray for all who have died, including Stephen Jeddore (dear brother of Pat Finnegan), Rita Manderson (beloved mother of Rod Manderson), Warren Whitehouse (dear husband of Pat Whitehouse), and Lorraine Reed (sweet sister of Helen Vaughan).

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Liturgies for June 19th to 27th, 2021

Holy Ghost Church

Saturday, June 19th 4:00 p.m. Andrew O'Hara - family
Saturday, June 26th 4:00 p.m. Gerald (Bud) Danahy - Jim and Audrey Campbell

Holy Family Church

Saturday, June 19th 7:00 p.m. Bill Morano - the Mannella, Morris and Cultrera families
Saturday, June 26th 7:00 p.m. Josie Dennis (Anniv) - Kathleen and Eileen Dennis

St. Jude's Church

Sunday, June 20th 8:30 a.m. Norman Babineau - Albert and Marita Jackson
Sunday, June 27th 8:30 a.m. Special Intention - Siene Bos

Immaculate Heart of Mary

Sunday, June 20th 10:30 a.m. Peggy Melanson (Anniv) - IHM Ladies Society
Sunday, June 27th 10:30 a.m. Marilyn Taylor - her U.S. Taylor family

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Exploring Our Faith

CHRIST ASLEEP WITHIN MY BOAT

A verse from a song that I learned in Religious Education many years ago has been echoing in my head ever since I read this week's scripture passages.

*I saw Christ in wind and thunder.
Joy is tried by storm.
Christ asleep within my boat,
whipped by wind yet still afloat.
Joy is tried by storm.*

Whether we are talking about the personal storms that I see each day in the hospital, the current global storms such as the pandemic and climate change, or the multi-generational storms of racism and cultural genocide, the storms of life seem to be unending. There are days when I say, "where is God?" or "How can God allow these things to happen?!" Yet even as I ask these questions (or on a particularly difficult day, even as I shout these questions into the solitude of my car on my drive home), I know that the answer to the first is: *God is with us*, right in the middle of the most difficult things. And the answer to the second is: *it's complicated*.

God is with us. I remember reading today's gospel story as a child and marveling at the foolishness of the disciples who were so upset about the storm when they could see that Jesus was right there. Of course, they weren't going to drown! If Jesus was in the boat with you, the storm was more like an amusement park ride

than a real storm. It would have been okay to be scared if they were kids, but adults should know better! As an adult, I have a lot more sympathy for the disciples and yet my child self was correct: if I know that Jesus is with me, what is there to worry about?



Each Sunday when we celebrate the Eucharist, we are proclaiming that Jesus is with us in the worst storms of our life. The Eucharist is the reminder that the paschal mystery is not simply an historical event that was completed nearly two thousand years ago. The suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus exist both within and

outside of time. Yes, they are part of our historical past; but they are also part of the eternal now. Whenever we are suffering, we are side by side with Jesus on the cross. The suffering is real, but we are not alone; and because we are not alone, suffering will never be the end of the story.

Of course, even if suffering is not the end of the story, I am still left with the question of why suffering is necessary. The answer to that question is found in God's words to Job: "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me if you have understanding. Who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb? - when I made the clouds its garment, and prescribed bounds for it ..." The universe - time and space - is incredibly complicated, and God keeps it all in balance. When I say, "how can God allow this?" I am presuming that I am capable of understanding how everything is held in balance; and I am presuming that God has forgotten! The problem is not with asking why God allows suffering - asking questions is part of growing in faith. The problem is in my unspoken assumption that I know a better way.

Today's readings are a reminder that faith means trusting God even when we do not understand.

Pam Driedger

Daily Readings (Week of June 21st – 27th, 2021)

Monday (St. Aloysius Gonzaga)	Genesis 12:1-9	Matthew 7:1-5
Tuesday	Genesis 13:2, 5-18	Matthew 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday	Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18	Matthew 7:15-20
Thursday (Nativity of St. John the Baptist)	Isaiah 49:1-6 Acts 13:22-26	Luke 1:57-66, 80
Friday	Genesis 17:1, 5, 9-10, 15-22	Matthew 8:1-4
Saturday	Genesis 18:1-15	Matthew 8:5-17
Sunday (13 th Sunday in Ord. Time)	Wisdom 1:13-15, 2:23-24 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15	Mark 5:21-43

Food Banks



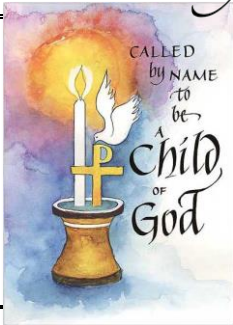
Holy Family Church - The need is always great for items such as toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, razors, toilet paper and deodorant. Also, rice, pasta, cereal and paper towels.

Holy Ghost and Immaculate Heart of Mary - We gladly accept whatever is offered but right now, there is a need for ladies' deodorant, cakes of soap, toothbrushes and shampoo.

Thank you



The Albert County Food Bank would like to thank the creative angel who has knit and sewn such beautiful items! God bless you and your donations. Thank you!



Sacrament of Baptism

Through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism, we welcome this precious child:

Isabel Maria Sarkis beloved daughter of Celso and Fabiana

May the grace and blessings received at Baptism guide you throughout your life and may this holy occasion bring your family great joy and wonderful memories.

God bless you Isabel – beautiful daughter of God!



Did You Know?

Although we hope to live with God forever, we can also experience his presence here on earth. When we see people helping one another or being joyful because of the goodness and beauty around them, we are experiencing a foretaste of God's kingdom which will be fully realized in heaven. "Thy Kingdom come on earth as it is in Heaven."
(Page 380, Sourcebook 2020)

St. Bernard's Parish invites applications / resumés for an office support person position.

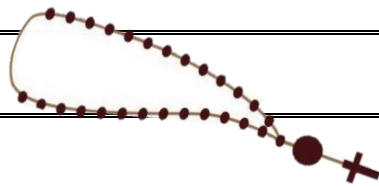


This job involves 30 hours per week from Monday - Friday. The role includes a variety of activities in the front office: as the initial contact with parishioners and the public through the phone, door and email; preparing the bulletin, and some bookkeeping work. The successful candidate will have respectful and professional communication skills, comfort / working knowledge of Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Outlook) and QuickBooks, and have a criminal record check.

Please call the parish office at 857-0425, or email sbhf@rogers.com to request the job description and submit an application for the position.

Deadline to apply: Friday, June 25th, 2021. Salary to be negotiated based on experience.

Knights of Columbus

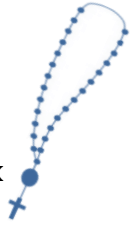


Rosary Request

Most people recognize a rosary when they see one, but many may not be aware of what a rosary really is for, and why it is important to Catholics! The word, *rosary*, comes from the Latin, *rosarium*, which means *crown of roses*. It is a bouquet that Catholics give to Mary as they participate in her life with a focus on her son, Jesus Christ. The Rosary is a prayer, more specifically, a meditation, where Catholics get to know the son by loving the mother. Sadly, some parishioners and also people visited in homes and those in prison, do not own a rosary.

Might you have an extra rosary or two at home?

If you do, would like it to find a new home so that it can encourage others in prayer? Parish Office is open Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. You can also place the rosary in the church mailbox and we'll pick it up or you can drop it in the collection basket wherever you to Mass! Thank you.



National Indigenous Peoples Day



June 21st, 2021

This year we will be celebrating the 25th anniversary of the heritage, diverse cultures and outstanding achievements of First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples!

June 21st was chosen because it is the summer solstice, the longest day of the year, and for generations, remains a day of significance for many Indigenous peoples.

Did you know that the month of June is National Indigenous History Month?

This year, it is dedicated to the missing children, the families left behind and to the survivors of residential schools.



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Al Kavanaugh would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the love and support shown for his participation in ALS Walk Strong 2021! In honour of his dear friend, Ken Lamey, Al had set a goal of \$6,456 for this year and an important goal it was because if Al could reach it, he would achieve an amazing overall total raised of \$200,000!



Well, Al wants to tell you all that he has good news and bad news.



The good news is that Al surpassed his goal and, thanks to all of you, he raised a whopping **\$15,146** this year!



The bad news is that if any of you thought that Al was 'done' ...well, he's not going anywhere! *His boots are made for walkin'* and Al plans to be back again next year, looking for your support as he continues to raise funds for ALS, all in the name of Ken Lamey!

Holy Family Church



We still have music, movies, books, and children's books, puzzles and toys all stored and sorted at Holy Family Church!

Go to www.setmoncton.com and click on the red 'Holy Family Fundraiser' button! Choose what you want (by category and number) and then email us at wilsondoug45@gmail.com.

Once we receive your email, someone from Holy Family will contact you to arrange a date and time to meet at the church for you to pick up your purchases. Thank you for your support!

Please remember that if you come to the church/parish office for any reason, you must wear a mask and sign in with your contact information. Doors are open!



To watch Sunday Mass on live-stream, at 10:30 a.m. Sunday morning, go to:

- our website at www.setmoncton.com and click on the picture there or
- go directly to our Facebook page (Saint Elizabeth of the Trinity parish)

Immediately after Mass, the video will be uploaded to YouTube. (SET Moncton)

Weekly Offerings for all Churches – June 12th/13th, 2021

Holy Family & Peoples Park Tower (incl PADs)

Church Support \$720.50 (24); Loose \$5.00

Maintenance Fund \$54.50 (3)

St. Jude's Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$409.00 (15); Loose \$25.00

Holy Ghost Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$195.00 (10); Loose \$3.00

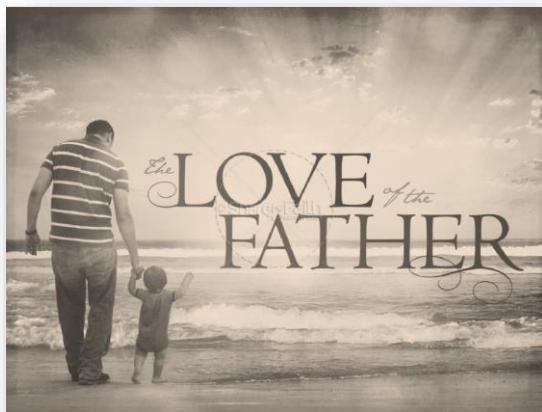
Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$3033.50 (85); Loose \$25.00

Property Upkeep \$387.50 (15)

Youth \$30.00 (5); Social Action \$100.00 (7)

Thank You



This Sunday, June 20th is a special day when we celebrate the unique role of fatherhood and take time to appreciate our individual fathers, grandfathers, and father figures.

Luke 15:20: "But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him."

Happy Father's Day!