

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

The 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

9:00 a.m. at St. Jude's
11:00 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 for those who are sick, including Bill Stafford, Lorraine Bauckman, Kevin McKinley, Lloyd Desroches, Brian Hope, Brandy Maillet (wife of Brian Maillet), Ralph Furlong (brother of Jean Ryan), Phyllis Brideau (sister of Polly Forsey), Corinne Kavanaugh and Michaelleen Miller.

We also pray for those who have died, including David Ervin and Fr. Vincent Donovan (brother-in-law of Marie Donovan).



Liturgies for November 20th to 28th, 2021

Holy Ghost Church

Saturday, November 20th 4:00 p.m. Otto O'Hara - the family
Saturday, November 27th 4:00 p.m. For the People

Holy Family Church

Saturday, November 20th 7:00 p.m. Chinnamma Mathew - Jithin Mathew
Monday, November 22nd 9:00 a.m. Brian Arsenault - Missy, Susan and Mary Helena
Saturday, November 27th 7:00 p.m. Alphonsus Dennis (Anniv) - Kathleen and Eileen

St. Jude's Church

Sunday, November 21st 9:00 a.m. Jean Perry - granddaughter, Shani
Sunday, November 28th 9:00 a.m. Margaret Toner - Pauline Toner

Immaculate Heart of Mary

Sunday, November 21st 11:00 a.m. For the People
Wednesday, November 24th 9:00 a.m. Louis Léger (Anniv) - Marion Walsh
Sunday, November 28th 11:00 a.m. Elizabeth Stafford (Anniv) - Bernie Stafford



Exploring Our Faith

CHRIST THE KING....AND SO MUCH MORE

Several years ago, I was approached by a student from Crandall University and asked to do an interview about what it was like to be Roman Catholic. This young lady was doing a project for her Religious Studies class and wanted to see the similarities, and differences, between the Baptist tradition, in which she was raised, and Roman Catholicism. In her work for her project, she came to mass every Sunday for a month, interviewed myself and a couple of others, and spent a little time with some church documents found on the internet. I was the last person she interviewed for this project, and at the end of the interview she told me something that has stuck with me to this day. She said, *"In my religion, God is our Father, while in your religion, He seems to be your King"*.

For the next little while I spent some time thinking about this rather startling observation. Spending close to 30 years involved in the R.C.I.A. process and meeting many people who were coming to us from other faith traditions, I have learned that there are many ways our church is perceived from the outside looking in; and some not very flattering. I guess the same can be said the other way as well. But, for some reason, this was different. This wasn't the usual stuff about how we worship saints and statues, only pray to Mary, and think we can do anything we want, then go to confession, and all is good. This statement, by this young lady, went right to the core of how I lived out my relationship with God.

When I think of kings and queens, and royalty in general, I think of people of privilege who are detached from the lives their subjects lead and are unapproachable to the common person. This is not the God, or for that



matter, the Jesus, that I know. The Jesus that I know is as close to me as my next breath. He is concerned with every aspect of my life; the joys and the sorrows, the victories and the defeats. And, he is so approachable, that if I forget to reach out to him from time to time, then he reaches out to me. Then it dawned on me that my thoughts about kings and queens were somewhat narrow minded. A king can also be someone you would want to emulate.

Someone you would want to pattern yourself after. So, I went searching for what would be considered qualities of a good king. Here's what I found: *A good king is very clear, there is no question about their vision; a good king is decisive, courageous, passionate, and humble.* As I looked at these qualities and matched them up with Jesus of Nazareth that I have come to know and love, I came to the conclusion that King is indeed an appropriate title. And what's great about this situation is that it's like having your father as king. Always with your best interest at heart. Always there when you need him. Always welcoming you home, no matter where life's journeys have taken you.

I often wonder what kind of grade the young lady from Crandall received for her project. I would never say that her conclusions were incorrect, but maybe, incomplete. Yes, I will concede that God is our King. But that's only one side of who God is for us. God is the only king I have ever known who loved his people so much that he wanted to become **one** of them so he could lead them safely home. That **One** is who we celebrate today; Christ the King.

Mark Mahoney

Daily Readings (Week of November 22nd – 28th, 2021)

Monday (St. Cecilia)	Daniel 1:1-6, 8-20	Luke 21:1-4
Tuesday	Daniel 2:3, 9-10, 27, 31-45	Luke 21:5-11
Wednesday (St. Andrew Dung-Lac)	Daniel 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28	Luke 21:12-19
Thursday	Daniel 6:11-28	Luke 21:20-28
Friday	Daniel 7:1-14	Luke 21:29-33
Saturday	Daniel 7:15-27	Luke 21:34-36
Sunday (First Sunday of Advent)	Jeremiah 33:14-16	1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2 Luke 21:25-28, 34-36



<p>Food Banks</p>	<p>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.</p>
	<p>Holy Ghost and Immaculate Heart of Mary - We gladly accept whatever is offered but items required at this time include toothpaste, juice drinking boxes, apple juice, kraft dinner and baby formula.</p>
	<p>St. Jude's - Thank you so much for whatever you can give to the Salisbury Helping Hands Food Bank and right now we could certainly use vegetable soup, cream of chicken soup, green beans, creamed corn, sugar, flour, pancake mix and jam. We would appreciate some ladies' deodorant, as well. Thank you all!</p>

Let Us Love One Another
A Three-Part Journey of Reconciliation

The third liturgy in our three evenings of prayer and discernment around the Residential School situation will take place

Wednesday evening, November 24th at 7 o'clock
at Holy Family Church in Moncton.

Each evening stands on its own, and you do not have to have been at the first two liturgies to come to the third. We are looking to come together as community and come to God to find a path forward.

All are welcome!

Did You Know?

Being Christian and loving God will not prevent sadness, harm or heartache from affecting each of our lives. In the midst of hardship though, God's love for each of us is consistent and faithful. Also, as Christians, we reach out to others who are suffering, just as our Lord did. We are called to be God's hands and feet in the world and are to receive the poor and suffering, as we would receive Jesus himself.

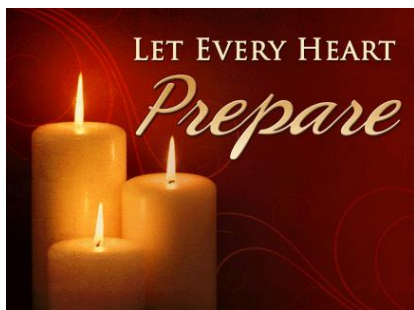
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During the month of November, a *Book of the Names of the Dead* is placed out at each of our churches for all parishioners to write in the names of deceased family and friends, who will be prayed for at each Mass during the month.



We are accepting donations in memory of deceased family and friends for **Christmas season environment** in each of our churches! A list will be printed in the bulletin of those being remembered. The easiest way for you to do this is to call the Parish Office (386-6178) and then put your donation in a clearly marked envelope and drop it into the collection basket if you're at Mass, or bring it or mail it in to the office, or use one of the online payment options. Call the office if you have any questions.

Thank you!



Advent Reconciliation - Once again this year, due to COVID-19, our Advent Reconciliation will be done a little bit differently.

Reconciliation Preparation Service on Thursday, December 9th at 6:30 p.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church.

This will **not** be sacramental, but rather a preparation for individual confession. You can call the church and book an appointment for individual confession for Friday, December 10th from 9:00 a.m. until Noon, or for Saturday, December 11th from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. This liturgy will be live-streamed on Facebook, so if you cannot be here in person, you

will be able to participate online. If you are watching from another parish unit, you can call your own parish office to schedule a time for individual confession.

Remember, if you plan to attend in person, you must call the office (386-6178) to register.

Christmas and New Year's Mass Schedule

Family/Seniors' Mass – December 23rd

6:00 p.m. – Immaculate Heart of Mary

Christmas Eve - Friday, December 24th

4:00 p.m. – Immaculate Heart of Mary

Time TBD – St. Jude's

Time TBD – Holy Family

8:00 p.m. – Immaculate Heart of Mary

Christmas Day - Saturday, December 25th

10:00 a.m. – Holy Ghost

New Year's Eve - Friday, December 31st

4:00 p.m. - Holy Ghost

New Year's Day - Saturday, January 1st, 2022

11:00 a.m. - Immaculate Heart of Mary



Reservations are required for all Masses.

Call 386-6178

(emails will not be read until the end of the day)

Holy Ghost	Please contact Teresa directly	
St. Jude's	Monday, December 13 th	Starting at 9:00 a.m.
Immaculate Heart of Mary	Tuesday, December 14 th	Starting at 9:00 a.m.
Holy Family	Wednesday, December 15 th	Starting at 9:00 a.m.

Thank you for putting *People and the Planet First*



A major focus of Development and Peace — Caritas Canada's ***People and Planet First*** campaign is advocating for a law that compels Canadian companies to respect the human and environmental rights of local populations in their overseas operations. This fall, acting in solidarity with their brothers and sisters in the Global South, thousands of Canadians signed a petition asking the government to enact such a law.

On behalf of all those who struggle to preserve their land, lives, livelihoods and lifestyles, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada thanks you for your commitment and mobilization. Together, we act in solidarity with the protectors of the Earth.

Together, we have the power to change lives. To continue supporting the petition and to keep up the campaign momentum, visit <https://devp.org/en>

This weekend, parishioners will be encouraged to sign the paper version of the petition.

Copies of the petition from churches in our diocese will be delivered to Members of Parliament to urge them to ask Parliament for a due diligence bill to compel Canadian companies to respect human rights and the environment in their overseas operations.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



For the month of November, Immaculate Heart of Mary Church has committed to raising awareness (and other things) for the **Pregnancy & Wellness Centre of Moncton!**

Each week throughout November, we will put information about this wonderful organization in the bulletin! And below, we have identified things that they **really, really need** for those who come to the centre.

They offer over 70 educational classes, covering topics which include:

The Three Trimesters, Labour & Delivery, Breastfeeding, Baby's Development, Pediatric Emergencies & Illnesses, Caring for Yourself After Childbirth, Newborn Care, Happiest Baby On the Block, Tantrums, Car Seat Safety, Milestones, Shaken Baby Syndrome, Introduction to Solid Foods, Stop Smoking, Understanding Your Baby's Cry and more!

Right now, the Centre is in dire need of baby supplies, namely:

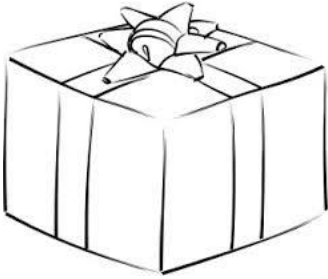
- Diapers (newborn and on up)
- Pull-ups of any size
- Baby formula (specifically, Parent's Choice powdered)

There will be specially marked envelopes for the Pregnancy and Wellness Centre and if you can help with any amount, that would be wonderful!



Money raised to date - \$530.00, you awesome people you!

Albert County Christmas Aid



White Gift Sunday will be on November 28th, and this year, some of the things being requested are knitted items (hats, mitts, etc.), toys for any aged child, and gift cards (Sobeys, Walmart, toy stores, etc.).

Please deliver all items UNWRAPPED to your church and we will arrange to get them to Moncton Headstart.

Thank you everyone for helping make Toyland a special place for all families.

Phone lines for Albert County Christmas Aid are open now and until Friday, December 3rd.



Please call 386-1771 to register your family.
Call Monday to Friday
between the hours of 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.



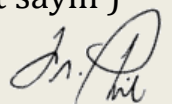
Have Medicare numbers for all those in the family registering available when you call.
For those wishing to visit Headstart Toyland, an appointment will be assigned to you.
Only one family per address can be registered. You can not register for another family.

Definitely appreciated!



I would like to thank everyone for making my birthday special once again...you know...the e-mails, the cards, the gifts, the Spiderman cake, the list goes on.

It was all so appreciated. (37 days until Christmas...just sayin')



Tabz for Kids – a *fantabulous* way to support the Boys' and Girls' Club Breakfast Program!



Right now, thanks to all of you, **3,606,459** is the grand total of tabs collected to date!

Now that's just a crazy number and it means that you've helped to add (drum roll, please) over half a million tabs (yes, that's right!) in 2021!

An additional \$212.00 has been raised for the Boys and Girls Club Breakfast Program.

Thank you goes out to parishioners across our parish grouping for **pulling together** to make this such a successful fundraiser!!

COME JOIN US!!!!



ADVENT WREATH MAKING

When: Sunday November 28th

When: 12:10 p.m. (after Mass)

Where: The Dan Bohan Centre

The cost is \$5.00 per wreath

IT'S A GREAT FAMILY ACTIVITY!

Because of Covid 19, you must register with
Karen at 387-4198 or email her at catechism.set@gmail.com

You will be required to wear a mask and show proof of double
vaccination (for anyone over the age of 12), to participate.

The Office of Evangelization and Catechesis

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

Upcoming Meetings

Youth Faith Commission: Tuesday, December 7th at 12:00 pm via Zoom.



Transformed Through Eucharist

*What happens during the Eucharist? How important is Eucharist to you?
Why are you preparing your child to make their First Communion?*

Given our current reality, it has been decided that this session will now only be offered virtually, taking place via Zoom on Thursday, November 25th beginning at 6:30 p.m.



While the session is open to anyone interested in exploring more about the sacrament of Eucharist, parents of children preparing to receive First Eucharist in the spring of 2022 at any parish within the English sector, are asked to participate in this session, which will deepen your understanding of what the Church believes and teaches about the sacrament of Eucharist. Facilitators Karen LeBlanc and Ellen Bennett will offer an overview of the Liturgy of the Eucharist, and talk about how, through the Eucharist, the bread and wine *and* the assembly are transformed again into the Body of Christ. Registration will need to be done by contacting Ellen or your parish catechetical coordinator (Karen) so that the Zoom link can be sent to you.

Archidiocèse de MONCTON Archdiocese

MONDAYS @ THE MOVIES ADVENT EDITION

St. Elizabeth Trinity

Miracle on 34th Street
November 29, 10:30 AM

The Nativity Story
December 13, 10:30 AM

Participants will have viewed the film prior to the discussion on Zoom.

Contact: Karen @ 387-4198 or catechism.set@gmail.com
Contact: Trevor @ 857-4879 or trevord.diocese@gmail.com

Mondays @ The Movies

Connecting faith to popular films, will meet again on November 29th at 10:30 a.m. via Zoom when we will be discussing the 1947 version of *Miracle on 34th Street*.

All participants will have watched the film prior to the session, register with Trevor or Karen at catechism.set@gmail.com or 387-4198.

Register online by going to www.dionmoncton.ca → Pastoral Offices → Youth Faith Development and click on the poster for Mondays @ The Movies.

Faith Experiments Express

Learn about faith and scripture using science experiments (for grades 1-6).

We will be holding another Faith Experiments Express (via Zoom) on Monday, November 29th at 6:00 p.m.

Register with Trevor or with Karen at 387-4198 or catechism.set@gmail.com.

Register online by going to www.dionmoncton.ca → Pastoral Offices → Youth Faith Development and click on the poster for Faith Experiments Express.



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.

Masks are mandatory.

6-ft social distancing is mandatory.

Thank you everyone for your cooperation!

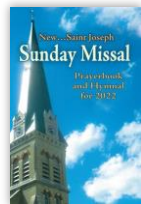


The **BEAUTIFUL ANGELS** are all sold and **\$2,590** was raised for Crossroads for Women and Harvest House!

Our parish grouping wishes to thank Josie for her exquisitely crafted angels and her husband Mo, for delivering them all to the church.

As Fr. Phil said in his homily a few weeks ago,
“When we’re gone, let our legacy be soup for school children, coats for kids, and crafty angels that helped Harvest House and Crossroads for Women.”

Holy Ghost Church



St. Joseph Missals for 2022 have arrived! They are \$5.00 each for a personal copy, but please, if you cannot afford this, do not hesitate to take one. With Covid this year, so many are home and not able to attend Mass, and this is another way of following our journey with Christ.



Gift to Parish - Beulah Morrissey had gifted our parish with photo albums full of pictures and events; the history of our parish! What a wonderful treasure to have! The albums will be placed at the church, so if you wish to look at them, please feel free. Should you have pictures or information on the parish or cemeteries that we could add, we will gladly include them. Nice to look back on the memories.

Thank you Beulah!

Weekly Offerings for all Churches – November 13th/14th, 2021

Holy Family & Peoples Park Tower (incl PADs)

Church Support \$657.50 (23); Loose \$12.00
Maintenance Fund \$52.50 (2)
Heating of the Church \$290.00

St. Jude’s Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$574.00 (15); Loose \$20.00
Heating of the Church \$75.00

Holy Ghost Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$210.00
Cemetery \$35.00; Missals \$45.00

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (incl PADs)

Church Support \$2349.50 (73); Loose \$20.00
Property Upkeep \$362.50 (10)
Youth \$20.00 (3); Social Action \$95.00 (6)
Heating of the Church \$430.00

thank you ❤️