St Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish Grouping June 30th , 2024 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Immaculate Heart **Holy Family Holy Ghost** St. Jude's Church Church of Mary Church Church 52 Falkland St 2 Church St 5 Fatima Dr 3062 Main St Riverside-Albert, NB E4H 3W8 Moncton, NB E1E 4S8 Riverview, NB E1B 2X8 Salisbury, NB E4J 2L5 Tel: 506- 854-6099 Tel: 506-882-1123 Tel: 506- 386-6178 Tel: 506- 386-6178 Saturdays at 7 p.m. Saturdays at 4 p.m. Sundays at 10:30 a.m. Sundays at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday at 9:30 a.m.

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 Wəlastəkwiyik (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 Wəlastəkwiyik title and established the rules for what was to be an ongoing relationship between nations.

Welcome to our parish grouping! If you are new to any of our churches, please reach out to the parish office to find out more about the life and work of our parishes!

Staff Directory The parish office is open Monday to Thurday 9-4:00pm and Friday from 9-12 noon To meet with Fr. Phil, please call the parish office.

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We pray for the sick, and those who are awaiting or recovering from surgery, those receiving treatment, and those needing strength including

Kevin Mahoney, Frank Quinn, Michael Edwards, Harry Farris, Albert Lutes, and Tammy Nichol for those who have died including, and for those who mourn the loss of a loved one.

Daily Readings July 1st -July 7th, 2024

Monday	Amos 2.6-10,13-16		Matthew 8.18-22
Tuesday	Amos 3.1;4.11-12		Matthew 18.23-27
Wednesday	Ephesians 2.19-22		John 20.24-29
Thursday	Amos 7.10-17		Matthew 9.1-8
Friday	Amos 8.4-6,9-12		Matthew 9.9-13
Saturday	Amos 9.11-15		Matthew 9.14-17
Sunday (14th Sunday in OT)	Ezekiel 2.3-5	2 Corinthians 12.7-10	Mark 6.1-6

Upcoming Liturgies July 3rd -July 7th, 2024

Wed, July 3rd	Immaculate Heart	9:30 a.m.	Dan Lunney—Knights of Columbus
Fri, July 5th	People's Part Tower	2:00 p.m.	Lida & Peter Boucher—Janet Gordon & Family
Sat, July 6th	Holy Ghost	4:00 p.m.	Cecil Beck—Teresa O'Hara
Sat, July 6th	Holy Family	7:00 p.m.	(Patrica) Pat Thomson—Mary Helena Delahunt
Sun, July 7th	St. Jude	8:30 a.m.	Troy Gauvin & Alex Sowik—Janet Gordon
Sun, July 7th	Immaculate Heart	10:30 a.m.	For the People

Upcoming Meetings and Events

Are you interested in joining a parish activity? Or seeking a faith formation time?

Mark your

Please see below for a list of upcoming meetings and events

calendars



DATE	LOCATION	
Mon, July 1st	Holy Family	Prayer Group— Meet at 7:00 p.m.
Mon, July 1st	SET	Parish office closed- Happy Canada Day!















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Peer Support Initiative

The Reconnect Churches group are exploring the expansion of "Peer Support" as a potential hopeful means to help in mitigation of the homeless-

ness crisis in Moncton area and throughout New Brunswick. Peer Support is when persons with similar life experiences and challenges "provide knowledge, experience, emotional, social or practical help to each other". We would welcome your support, thoughts and prayers for success in this endeavor. If you would like to learn more, or be part of this effort, please contact

Robert MacKay at 506- 961-7182 or email at RobertMacKayToronto@live.com.

Please support the Food Banks in our area

House of Nazareth (Holy Family)

Albert County Food Bank (Immaculate Heart of Mary)

Salisbury Helping Hands (St Jude's) Shepody Food Bank (Holy Ghost)





Did You Know? Pope Francis said, "Please, bothers and sisters, lets make an effort not to gossip. Gossiping is a worse plague than covid. The devil is the great gossip. He is always saying bad things about others because he is a liar who tries to split the Church.

(p. 217, SB 2024)

Grounded in God - a Mature Experience of Faith by Jim and Ann Cavera

(Biographies and Journals)



This is a journal of experience by a couple in their later stage of life, focussing on holy experience and their relationship with God. 1, too, am there. Perhaps you are too. A short, easy read. Colleen.



Memorial & Special Gifts are a special way to give to the life and works of the church.

These gifts can be made in memory of a loved one, or to honour a living person.

During the month of June 2024,

At Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, donations were made to the church in memory of

Sébastien Michaud By: Grandmother Jeannine Michaud

And in honour of,

Sister Maureen & Brother -in-law Delio 's 50th Wedding Anniversary

By: Anne Marie Wilson & Family



Danielle Gillis 25th Anniversary By: Rory, Maria, Trent, Cara, & Cynthia Gillis At St. Jude's Church, donations were made to the church in memory of



Stacy Fagan By: Terry & Susan McMackin

Bob Lamb By: Mary Anne & Gary Griffin



Thank you for making our church your 'charity of choice', whether you are making a memorial donation, or wish to recognize a special birthday or anniversary, or simply to honor a friend with special recognition – a donation to your church is a thoughtful gesture for all occasions. Special donations and memorials

(if you wish) are noted in the bulletin on the last Sunday of the month. Ask at the parish office for more information.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



We Are Looking for Help

As you are aware, we have new screens being installed in our worship space soon and we will be able to put the words to our hymns on the screens as opposed to having songbooks in the pews. Having said that, we are looking to establish a team of volunteers who can help us create the library of songs that will be downloaded onto the laptop. If this is something you feel you can help with, please call the church office and give us your name.

Training will be provided.



Do you have a battery wall clock that you are no longer using? Anne needs a clock for her wall. If you have one to pass along, please let Anne at the parish office know.



We are looking for volunteers to make and serve coffee on Sundays after mass, If this is something you or your family can do we would be grateful for your help. Please send an email to Debbie at the parish office and she will put you on the schedule. Currently we are looking to fill spots for Aug 4th and Sept 22nd. Thanks!

Holy Family Church



SAVE THE DATES

The parish council is looking to host a couple of community building events in the next few months. We are looking to have a parish picnic on Saturday, August 10th and also a parish pot-luck supper *Church* on Saturday, September 21st. More details to follow.



Something to Pray About

Holy Family Parish Council is in need of two new members when we come back together in the Fall. If you feel you would like to serve in this ministry or if there is someone you would like to nominate, please reach out to Mark at the parish office before the end of August. If we have more than two names come forward, we will hold an election in September. Thank you for giving this your prayerful consideration.

Holy Ghost



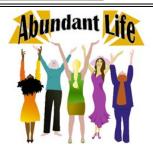
Roof Fundraiser:

1st prize: Medes Spa value \$253.00;

2nd prize: Scentsy gift package (warmer Amazing Grace) and

3rd prize : A wax package value \$60.00

Tickets will be \$2.00 each 3/\$5.00 Draw Date: August 31st



"COME SO THAT YOU MAY HAVE LIFE" JOHN 10:10

Atlantic Charismatic Renewal Summer Conference

July 26th - 28th, 2024

Guest Speaker: Father Carlos Jacinto

(Newly ordinated Moncton Archdiocese)

Father Carlos will offer reflections on how to enjoy the abundant life that Christ offers us. This is an opportunity for us to receive the transformative power of God's love seeking to deepen our faith and live more fully in His grace. This is a time of spiritual renewal, meaningful fellowship, and renewed commitment to our journey with Christ.

LOCATION: Between the Hearts Renewal Center 21328 Hwy 2, Fort Lawrence NS (Amherst)

REGISTRATION: \$90 Saturday Lunch provided.

ON SITE ACCOMMODATIONS: 2 nights per person \$100 Inc 2 continental breakfasts

WHEN: Friday evening. Check in 4pm. Starts 7pm. Concludes Sunday noon.

REGISTRATION OPENS JUNE 17TH, 2024

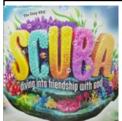
Call Roberta Brine for registration and for more information. 506 386 5175

PAYMENT: at the door: credit, debit, or cash



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

Karen LeBlanc – 387-4198 or karen.diocese@gmail.com



SCUBA: Diving into Friendship with God! Karen and Trevor would like to thank all our

collaborators who helped make our 2024 Vacation Bible School a successful event. A large group of dedicated volunteers and staff worked diligently for several weeks preparing for this popular event. In addition, the financial donations we received from local groups and organizations helped in a very significant way to ensure a quality program to help strengthen children in their faith.

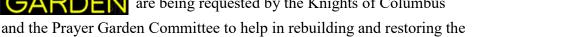
Thank you also to Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish which generously provided space and resources, allowing us to take over the church and parish hall for a week. Finally, we are grateful for the children who joined us and their families for taking advantage of this opportunity. We had a full house! We are already looking ahead to next year! *Karen and Trevor*



MONDAY @ THE MOVIES Our next Monday @ The Movies will actually take place on **Thursday July 25th at 2:00 PM** when we will discuss faith themes in the 1986 coming of age film, *Stand by Me*. Monday @ The Movies is a film discussion group which meets regularly on Zoom to discuss faith themes in popular films. Over the summer, please contact Trevor Droesbeck



"Pray the Rosary by Building it!" - Any or all parishioners are being requested by the Knights of Columbus





Time & Place: every Monday evening from 6:00 to 8:00 pm, at the Magnetic Hill Prayer Garden -

Info:506-871-3912



Will you be away over the summer months?

Would you like to ensure your offering gets to your parish even if you cannot?

While we all like to take a break in the summer, the bills keep on coming!

Here are some options for you:

- Drop your offering envelope off to the parish office during the week (summer office hours: M-Th 9-4, Fri 9-12)
- Drop off your offering envelopes at the parish office with postdated cheques or put them in the offering plate (to be held at the office)
- Set up online donating for the summer months through the **DONATE** button on our website using your credit card
- Set up a temporary PAD for the summer months automatic withdrawals are set for the 1st and/or 15th of the month (you choose!)

We are the church together!

Sharing God's Gift's

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish:

Loose Collection \$307.

Church Support \$1,881. (77)

Property Upkeep \$149. (8)

Youth Support \$6. (2)

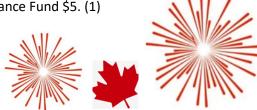
Social Action \$118. (9)

Peoples Park Tower Chapel:

Loose collection \$31.

Church Support \$125. (7)

Maintenance Fund \$5. (1)



Holy Family Parish:

Loose collection \$134

Church Support \$460 (26)

Maintenance Fund \$50 (1)

Holy Ghost Church:

Loose \$60.

Env \$243.

Cemetery Donation in Memory of Cecil Beck \$45.

Roof Donations \$1300.

St Jude's Parish:

Loose collection \$27.50

Church Support \$1,833. (26)







Go East, or go West you will find Canada is the best!

Happy Canada Day to all!





(June 21, 2024)

Ecclesiastical appointment for the Diocese of Moncton.

As of August 1, 2024, the following appointments will be effective for the following priests.

- 1- Father Louis-Joseph Boudreau will take a well-deserved retirement from parish ministry after many years of service in the Diocese of Moncton. Father Jackson Fabius is appointed priest moderator for the Unité pastorale Saint-Esprit, comprising the parishes of Saint-Henri (Barachois); Sacré-Coeur (Haute Aboujagane); Sainte-Thérèse d'Avila (Cap-Pelé/ Shemogue). Father Savio Mazerolle will continue as assistant priest with Father Jackson Fabius.
- 2- Father Aduel Joachin is assigned as dominical vicar for the John Paul II Pastoral Unit, which includes the following parishes: Notre-Dame-de-l 'Assomption (Cathedral); Notre-Dame-de-Grâce, Notre-Dame-de-la-Paix, and Christ-Roi. In addition, he will serve the priests of the diocese as a substitute from time to time. He will collaborate with Father Wislais Simervil, moderator.
- 3- Father Jean Bernard Mallais is named chaplain of the two Moncton hospitals, from Wednesday to Sunday.
- 4- Father Damien Nwachukwu is appointed administrator of the parishes of St-Bernard (Moncton); St-Vincent (Sackvillle); St-Clement (Port Elgin). He will be assisted by Father Juan, Carlos Jacinto. Father Charles Broderick will be taking a well-deserved retirement from parish ministry in these parishes, where he has been assistant and administrator over the years.
- 5- Father Mikély Jn SIMON, CSC, is appointed assistant priest in the parishes of Saint-Jean-Baptiste (Bouctouche), Sainte-Anne de Kent, Sainte-Marie and Saint Paul, beginning at mid-August with Father Jean-Guy Dallaire as moderator.

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Most Rev. Guy Desrochers, C.Ss.R.

Archbishop of Moncton

Exploring our Faith

Perseverance

The readings this Sunday have a focus on death. The first reading from the *Book of Wisdom* says that God neither makes nor delights in death. Mark's Gospel talks about the impending and eventual death of Jarius' daughter. Don't tell Wayne, but I too have spent much time over the past year thinking about death. On March 20, 2023, I was diagnosed with a meningioma tumor; on May 6 of this year, I was diagnosed with breast cancer; on June 19th I was told the breast cancer tumor was aggressive; and on June 26th I began chemotherapy. Death has been much on my mind.

However, it is not the death, and eventual resurrection of Jarius' daughter that drew my attention in this Gospel reading. It is the story told in the few verses in the middle of that story – a story you would not even hear if the shorter version of the Gospel were proclaimed. It is the story of the hemorrhaging woman. If you happened to catch the episode where this is covered in the television series on the life of Jesus called *The Chosen*, it was depicted exceptionally well.



During the time of Jesus, and for centuries before that, in the Hebrew (and maybe even other) cultures, someone who was bleeding was considered ritually unclean. In fact, during their menstrual cycle, women were separated from their husbands, and spent time in a separate tent. While Anita Diamant's book *The Red Tent* speaks about women gathering in a tent during this time of the month, usually women spent the time alone and isolated. In *The Chosen* we see the hemorrhaging woman going to great pains to hide her condition. She has been excluded from the community. She is alone and unsupported. And she has been suffering thus for 12 years. Twelve years!

Can you imagine at a time when you most need the love and support of your family, your friends, your community that you are unable to receive it? It is

inconceivable to me. In these ten short verses we hear this woman's story. After spending all that she had seeking a cure — a cure that will allow her to return to her community once again - she is no better but worse. And so, in faith ... or is it desperation? What has she got to lose? ... she works hard, within the crowds that press around him, to simply touch the cloak of Jesus, in the hopes that she will be healed.

Why does she not approach Jesus directly, as did so many others, to ask for this cure? By this time in his ministry, his reputation as a healer had grown. Many have come to him; many have been healed. He turns no one away. The hemorrhaging woman approaches indirectly because she knows that someone in her condition – someone ritually unclean – would make anyone she touched unclean also. Maybe she feels it is not worth the risk of rejection. Yet when confronted by Jesus, she owns up to what she has done, indicating courage, as well as faith.

Amid all I am living now, I hear that woman's story in a new way. How impossibly difficult it must have been for her to suffer as she did - alone, isolated, shunned. My heart breaks for her. Here sit I, 2000+ years later – with the best advances of medicine, an educated and compassionate medical team working on my behalf, surrounded by the loving support of family and friends, comforted, and encouraged by their words and their actions.

Our stories, they are very different. Still, here we are -two women of faith, who must trust. And hope. And have courage.

Ellen