

St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish Grouping
June 9th, 2024, Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Summer Mass Schedule changes

8:30 a.m. at St Jude's and 10:30 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary



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.

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 Friday from 9-4 pm.

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To meet with Fr. Phil, please call the parish office.



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

Megan Kelly, Morgan LaPlante, Kevin Mahoney, Frank Quinn, Michael Edwards and Harry Farris.

For those who have died.

and for those who mourn the loss of a loved one.

DID YOU KNOW? While both the celebration and adoration of the Eucharist may take place on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi), the emphasis must be on the Celebration rather than on the adoration of the Eucharist. We are invited to share in the Transfiguration of ourselves and the world through the Body and Blood of Christ.



"What good is it if bread and wine are changed but we are not?" (Godfrey Dickmann, OSB)

The goal of Eucharist is to form a holy people.

(p. 226, SB 2024)

Daily Readings June 10th -June 16th 2024

Monday	1 Kings 17.1-6		Matthew 5.1-12
Tuesday	Acts 11.21b-26;13.1-3		Matthew 10.7-13
Wednesday	1 Kings 18.20-39		Matthew 5.17-19
Thursday	1 Kings 18.41-46		Matthew 5.20-26
Friday	1 Kings 19.9a, 11-16		Matthew 5.27-32
Saturday	1 Kings 19.16b,19-21		Matthew 5.33-37
Sunday (11 th Sunday in OT)	Ezekiel 17.22-24	2 Corinthians 5.6-10	Mark 4.26-34

Upcoming Liturgies –June 12th – June 16th 2024

Wed, June 12 th	Immaculate Heart	9:30 a.m.	Lowell Brine- Lorraine Despres
Fri, June 14 th	People’s Park Tower	2:00 p.m.	Imelda Luciani – Clair Chisholm & Family
Sat, June 15 th	Holy Ghost	4:00 p.m.	Ernie Peters – IHM Ladies Society
Sat, June 15 th	Holy Family	7:00 p.m.	Mary Anne Mea – Holy Family Choir
Sun, June 16 th	St. Jude	8:30 a.m.	For the People
Sun, June 16 th	Immaculate Heart	10:30 a.m.	Joe Chisholm – Clair & Family

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Upcoming Meetings and Events

Are you interested in joining a parish activity? Or seeking a faith formation time?
Please see below for a list of upcoming meetings and events

DATE	LOCATION	
Mon June 10 th	Holy Family	Prayer Group – Meet at 7:00pm
Tues June 11 th	Dan Bohan	IHM Ladies Society -Pot luck starts at 6:00 (eat at 6:30)bring your spouse. Reg meeting to follow.
Tues June 11 th	Holy Family	Senior’s Club – Guest speaker at 10:00am (City by law officer)
Wed June 12 th	Dan Bohan	Knights of Columbus – Meeting at 6:00pm
Mon June 17 th	Holy Family	Senior’s Club – Meet 7:00pm- 9:00 pm
Mon June 17 th	Holy Family	Prayer Group - Meet at 7:00pm
Wed June 26 th	IHM	Mass Cancelled - VBS

St. Elizabeth of the Trinity

ATTENTION ALL: Vacation Bible School **“SCUBA, DIVING INTO FRIENDSHIP WITH GOD”** is fast approaching!

We wondered if you could look around and see if you have any items listed below that you would like to be rid of to aid in the transformation of the church into an underwater oasis.

Floral mesh, flat-sheet Styrofoam, Spray insulation (comes in cans)

Pool noodles, Plastic tablecloths any colors, Spray paint you no longer need (bright colors). Ribbon-various lengths and widths, fake greenery (not Christmas garland), old sponges,

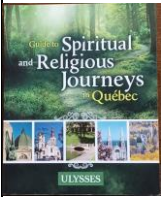
Also, **we are looking for a small Dory to borrow** for the week **(please call first to be sure it will suit the purpose)**. If anyone is interested in helping with the décor, please let us know. There are things that can be done in the comfort of your home. If you can help in anyway, please email the catechism office at

catechism.set@gmail.com or call 506-387-4198.



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)



Guide to Spiritual and Religious Journeys in Quebec (Biographies and Journals)

Now this looks like a fun travel guide. So many beautiful sites, so close to home, summer just beginning.

Colleen.

Cathy Kennedy Lending Library

"Love the Lord your God with all your mind."



Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

Grocery Gift Cards are a great way to budget your grocery bill!



Available at the parish office, they are a great way to keep you 'on track'! AND your parish earns 5% on the value of every card sold. Purchase with cash or cheque
(made out to Immaculate Heart of Mary). Thank you !



Holy Family Church



The Holy Family Seniors Club is meeting on **Tuesday, June 11 at 10 a.m.** (note the change in meeting time) The guest speaker will be a by-law officer from the City of Moncton who will explain the new parking meters and how to use them. All welcome to attend!

*Holy Family Senior's Club is going on a bus tour
to Beautiful Prince Edward Island*

Aug 3rd, 2024

*Music by Mary Smith and the Country Gents topped off
with a delicious meal at New Glasgow Lobster Suppers-
other options available.*



*Price per person \$169.00 for more details or to book your ticket call -Linda
Burgess 506-386-3180 or email linda@burgessstours4u.ca ASAP.*

Attention High School Graduates

If you are a parishioner at Holy Family, are graduating this year and are planning to pursue post-secondary education, Holy Family is offering **(two \$475 bursaries)**. If you are interested, please send a letter to the Parish Council with your name, contact information (email, mailing address) which high school you attend, your post-secondary plans and what church means to you. Applications must be submitted **by end of day Friday, June 14th**.



Sharing God's Gifts

*thank you
thank you*

*Weekly offerings for weekend of
June 8th and 9th will be posted on weekend of June
15th and 16th. Thank you for giving so generously!*

Parish General Meeting – Saint Jude’s



Save the date! The recent pastoral letter from the Archbishop and members of the diocesan finance committee has prompted several questions. It has also forced us to examine our path forward as a faith community. With this in mind, we will be having a Parish General Meeting on **Thursday, June 13th at 6:30 p.m.** in the main church at Saint Jude’s. Staff members along with Fr. Phil will be there along with what we hope will be a good turnout from our community. If you are reading this and know of anyone who is connected to Saint Jude’s

but has not been there recently, please reach out and invite them to attend. As we prepare to come together, we do so, knowing that the Spirit will guide us in our actions.



The Westmorland-Albert-Kent Chapter of the Irish Canadian Cultural Association of N.B.

We are pleased to offer the **\$500 Dan & Marie McGee Medical Science Bursary** to a student entering, or attending, a post-secondary study in the medical field. **Deadline for application is June 28th, 2024.**

We are pleased to offer **5 bursaries, valued at \$200.00 each**, to a student entering or attending post-secondary studies. **Deadline for application is June 28th, 2024.**

Please include a personal letter detailing your future plans and send via mail to The Irish Association, P.O. Box 26022, Moncton, N.B. E1E 4H9 or by email to watchdog@nb.sympatico.ca

Many of us have experienced, or we know someone who has experienced, difficulty breathing, nausea or headaches from things like cigarette smoke and strong cleaning supplies. And it is important for us all to realize that it can be the very same thing for many when it comes to perfumes and some personal care products. Even though these types of smells can be beautiful, they do make some of our parishioners feel quite sick.



Knowing this, we respectfully ask that all parishioners refrain from wearing perfumes and scented products when coming to Mass.



Fundraiser for Charity!!

Father’s Day (June 16th) Car Show and Shine

If you are looking for something fun to do on Father’s Day, please take a stroll over to Caseley Park in Riverview (just up behind the Dan Bohan Centre)!

Hosted by the Ford Country Club, this show is open from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and will feature all makes of Antique, Classic and Custom Vehicles. Riverview Lions Club will operate the canteen and there will also be an auction plus 50/50 draws!

Entry fee is by donation and all proceeds go to local charities.



Looking to get rid of your used eyeglasses? Bring them in and we will bring them to the Riverview Lions Club, as part of their ‘Recycle for Sight’ Program. We just wait until the bin fills up and then someone from the office drops them outside the Lions Club door. Thank you to all who participate in this wonderful cause.



Reduce, Reuse, Recycle – The following items can be dropped off at your church for recycling/repurposing: eye glasses, stamps, milk bags, pop can tabs, and returnable containers (such as pop bottles). Call the parish office for more information! Thank you for finding new purpose for your trash!

Following Our Faith

How Do We View Dying

***“Even though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day.
(2 Corinthians 4: 16)***

I feel very confident in saying that almost everyone who reads this has journeyed with someone, or has known someone, who has had or has a debilitating disease that just eats away at them until they are a shell of who they used to be physically. When journeying with someone who is going through this, or even just visiting with them, it can be hard to know what to say or what to do. There are no words that are going to make them better, but I do believe our mere presence is enough to bring some comfort. When leaving after a visit with them we usually assure them that we are praying for them and not to give up hope. Then when we do indeed pray for them and their condition only seems to worsen, we wonder if we are doing any good at all. This is when we need to remember the words of Saint Paul in our second reading today as quoted above. God may be bringing healing that is more needed than the physical. Perhaps this journey through illness will lead to much needed reconciliation with a loved one and the mending of long fractured relationships that were broken for reasons no one seems to remember.

Several years ago, my wife’s aunt, whom she was very fond of, had fallen ill and it was terminal. My wife went to visit her in the hospital on a Tuesday evening and when she returned, she was very distraught. She told me her aunt, who was a loving, generous person, was so afraid. It broke her heart that she was so scared. That night, we did not pray for her aunt’s physical healing, but we did pray for her peace. Thursday evening, when Kim went back to visit her, it looked like that prayer had been answered and her aunt seemed to be filled with a peace and a calm that was not there before.

I think when we are dealing with these terminal illnesses, we are quick to lose sight of the fact that we all have a shelf life. Yet, there never seems to be a good time to die. A friend told me recently that she was not afraid to die, but she didn’t want to die right now. I think that is a close cousin of the saying, *“everybody wants to go to heaven, but nobody wants to die.”*



Going back to what to say or do when accompanying someone with a terminal illness, I think we could do well to invite them to read today’s second reading. For me, there is great hope in this scripture passage, especially when Saint Paul writes, ***“for this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure.”*** This is God’s promise to us. This is the reason we can have great hope in the middle of our sadness.

Centuries ago, when record keeping was not as precise as it is today, people did not gather to celebrate someone’s birthday. Often the birth date was a guess, at best. What they did do, was gather on the one-year anniversary of someone’s death to celebrate the day they were born into the kingdom. Right now, in my life, I have a brother who is diagnosed with terminal cancer, and a daughter-in-law who is going to give birth any day. The question for me is, do I have the faith to celebrate both births?

Mark Mahoney
Pastoral Associate



**Will you be away over the summer months?
Would you like to ensure your offering
gets to your parish even if you cannot?**

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!)

While we all like to take a break in the summer, the bills keep on coming!
Thank you for helping us keep up the necessary operating income
over the summer months!



"40th Anniversary of Saint Pope John Paul II visit to Great Moncton area:

The Magnetic Hill Prayer Garden, in conjunction with the Knights of Columbus are asking for much needed volunteers to help at the Prayer Garden each Monday evening between the hours of 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm in order to prepare this beautiful site for the 40th anniversary Mass to be held in September 2024. Please bring your own tools for gardening. We are working on making the waterfall functioning; making the garden beds; grooming the mound perennial flowers; planting the annual flowers; restoring the Prayer Garden Rosary beads and so forth. May we please ask for your participation and support? Inquire at (506) 871-3912. We would be most grateful!!"



THEOLOGY ON TAP Our next Theology on Tap event will take place on Tuesday, June 11th at 6:30 PM at Mai Asian Restaurant (1909 Mountain Road). Our guest speaker will be Fr. Phil Mulligan who will give a presentation entitled *In the Beginning... There was Grace*. Please register with Karen at 387-4198 or karen.diocese@gmail.com. To register online visit www.diocesemoncton.ca Pastoral Offices → Adult Faith → Formation Opportunities and then click on the Theology on Tap poster.

SCUBA: Diving into Friendship with God! This year's VBS (for ages 3 up to the end of sixth grade) is scheduled to take place June 24th, 25th, 26th, and 27th from 8:30 am – 12:00 pm. Please note we have extended our program by one day since the final day of classes has been changed to June 21st. Our VBS will take place at Immaculate Heart of Mary church in Riverview and spaces are filling up fast so please register early. A \$20 refundable deposit will be required. Contact Karen at 387-4198 or karen.diocese@gmail.com to register or online at www.diocesemoncton.ca → Pastoral Offices → Youth Faith Development → Vacation Bible School.



MONDAY @ THE MOVIES Our next Monday @ The Movies will be on June 17th at 2:00 PM when we will discuss the 1994 Australian film Muriel's Wedding. Monday @ The Movies is a film discussion group which meets monthly on Zoom to discuss faith themes in popular films. Contact Karen LeBlanc at 387-4198 or email karen.diocese@gmail.com

Thanksgiving Mass-100th Anniversary

The year 2024 marks the 100th anniversary of the founding of the congrégation des Religieuses de Notre-Dame-du-Sacre- Coeur. To mark this anniversary, the sisters invite you to a thanksgiving mass to be celebrated by Mgr Valéry Vienneau (in the absence of Mgr Desrochers), on Sunday June 23rd at 3p.m. at the Moncton Cathedral. All are welcome! For those who wish, it will be possible to meet the sisters on site after mass.

A Commemorative Service for patients deceased at the Stella-Maris-de-Kent Hospital during 2023 will be held on Sunday, June 9 at 3 p.m. at the Sainte-Anne Church (7611 Route 134, Sainte-Anne-de-Kent). Family and friends are welcome. To remember the deceased is to pray for them and with them, to hope and believe that they have entered the life of God.

Deceased Priests :

Fr. Laurence Quinn-Morris, born in 1951, has died on Monday June 3 in England. He was associated with Queen of All Saints Pastoral Unit from 2012 to 2019.

P. Normand Drisdelle, born May 3, 1940, in Haute-Aboujagane, passed away Tuesday June 4, 2024, at the Georges-Dumont Hospital. He was ordained priest June 12, 1965, in Haute-Aboujagane by Bishop Norbert Robichaud. He retired from his ministerial activities in 2014.

The funeral celebration for P. Normand Drisdelle will be at the Haute-Aboujagane Church on Monday June 10 at 10:30.