

**St Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish Grouping**  
**Oct 20th, 2024 Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

<b>Holy Family Church</b>	<b>Holy Ghost Church</b>	<b>Immaculate Heart of Mary Church</b>	<b>St. Jude's Church</b>
			
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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 Friday 9-4:00pm**  
**To meet with Fr. Phil, please call the parish office.**

Priest Moderator	Fr Phil Mulligan	philstoryguy@hotmail.com	(506) 386-6178 ext 106
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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;**

Mark Lipton, Val Cormier, Harvey Maillet,  
Terry Young, Eric Tracy, Janet Gordon, Helen Skidmore and Glenda O'Hara;  
**for those who have died including Jim Power, Val Thibodeau, Lourdes McGrath and Sheila Cochrane;**  
**and for those who mourn the loss of a loved one.**



**Daily Readings Oct 21st –Oct 27th ,2024**

Monday	Ephesians 2.1-10		Luke 12.13-21
Tuesday	Ephesians 2.12-22		Luke 12.35-38
Wednesday	Ephesians 3.1-12		Luke 12.39-48
Thursday	Ephesians 3.13-21		Luke 12.49-53
Friday	Ephesians 4.1-6		Luke 12.54-59
Saturday	Ephesians 4.7-16		Luke 13.1-9
Sunday (30th Sunday in OT)	Jeremiah 31.7-9	Hebrews 5.1-6	Mark 10.46-52

## Upcoming Liturgies Oct 16th —27th

Wed Oct 16th	Gold Years	2:00pm	Souls in Purgatory—A Parishioner
Wed, Oct 23rd	Immaculate Heart	9:30 a.m.	Deceased members of Corbett & Kavanaugh Family- Gerry & Pat Corbett
Fri, Oct 25th	People's Park Tower	2:00 p.m.	Alice (Caroll) Palardy—Jessie, Kinney, and Geraldine Caroll
Sat, Oct 26th	Holy Ghost	4:00 p.m.	For The People
Sat, Oct 26th	Holy Family	7:00 p.m.	Bill Morano—Sheila Morano
Sun, Oct 27th	St. Jude	9:00 a.m.	Arthur Pickett (Anniv) - Helen Pickett
Sun, Oct 27th	Immaculate Heart	11:00 a.m.	Juan Rustia Turingan, Teresita Tuzon – Evelyn Turingan

### Upcoming Meetings and Events

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

DATE	LOCATION	
Mon, Oct 21st	Holy Family	<b>Prayer Group</b> – Meet at <b>7:00pm (park on the street!)</b>
Mon, Oct 21st	IHM	<b>Choir Practice</b> — <b>6:30</b> All welcome
Tues, Oct 22nd	IHM	<b>Catechism</b> — (Years 4,5,6) at 6:30pm
Tues, Oct 22nd	Holy Family	<b>Senior's Club</b> – Social 7-9 pm
Wed, Oct 23rd	IHM	<b>Catechism</b> — (Years 4,5,6) at 6:30pm
Wed Oct 23rd	IHM	<b>Rosary</b> —Wednesday after 9:30am Mass

## Saint Elizabeth of the Trinity



*Did You know ?* The test of a disciple is simple. Keep the commandments and love Jesus. Full stop. Our obedience to God's commandments is our response to the love God first gave us. ( p. 192, SB 2024)

### 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)

**If you can, please give non perishable items —Thank you!**



### For all Parishes



If you would like to take part in **AED Training**, we have a certified paramedic ready to offer this. It would be free of charge, so if you are interested, please call the office. 506-386-6178

## Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

**The Ladies Society will be hosting their Snowflake Bazaar!**

**Saturday, November 2nd from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.**

Donations can be dropped off at the Dan Bohan Centre on Friday, November 1st from 9 a.m. until 8 p.m. Please note that we can accept books, puzzles, baked goods and preserves, craft items, and items for the white elephant room **(no clothes or furniture, please).**

We would love to also have some Christmas items and new items for the Silent Auction! We will be serving soup, crackers and muffins with tea and coffee. Mark those calendars!



### ALL SOULS

**On Monday, November 4th at 7:00p.m. we will celebrate a Mass of Remembrance at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church** when, in a special way within our parish grouping, we will remember those we buried within the past year.

**Family members please come by 6:30p.m.**

Throughout the month of November, a table will be set up in each Church to display the pictures of our dearly departed and candles will be lit for all at each Mass in November.



### Looking for Help !

You may not know, but every Sunday we have folks who visit each Grass Home here in Riverview to pray with the Roman Catholic residents and bring them communion. Recently, some of our team members have had to step back. If you think you can help, please prayerfully consider if this ministry is for you. You can go to the home and still be back to Immaculate Heart in plenty of time for mass. Also, training will be provided. If this interests you, or you would like more information, please call Mark at the **OFFICE**.



### GOOD NEWS concerning our Audio-Visual project.

The monkeys are approaching the bananas at the \$55,000 level. So far we have raised **\$44,000 (Whoooo hoooo!)**. While we have had a few glitches along the way, we are well on our way. It is a learning curve for all of us. I thank you for your contributions thus far and encourage you to continue to back this worthwhile project. I see many uses for the screens both within and beyond liturgy. If you haven't yet contributed to "Mulligan's monkeys" you can do so by cheque payable to Immaculate Heart of Mary, P.A.D., e-transfer [ihmc.set@gmail.com](mailto:ihmc.set@gmail.com), or hit the **DONATE button** at [setmoncton.com](http://setmoncton.com).

Thank you for your generosity.

*Fr. Phil*

## Holy Ghost



Thank you to all of you who participated in our **Online Auction for Holy Ghost!** We will have a total \$ for you in the next bulletin—watch for our next Online Auction in February for 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 !



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

Right now, thanks to parishioners across our parish grouping and to their friends, family  
 and neighbours, (schools, entire apartment buildings, cottage buddies, good Samaritans,  
 and more save their tabs to support this great cause.

**Riverview Boys and Girls Club Breakfast Program give  
 Thanks to you all for your continued support !**



Looking for a volunteer or a family to volunteer for making and serving coffee and lemonade after  
 mass on Sundays. Please send Debbie an email at [debbiebrideau.set@gmail.com](mailto:debbiebrideau.set@gmail.com) or call the office  
 at 506-386-6178 Much appreciated !



Many of us have experienced, or we know someone who has experienced, diffi-  
 culty 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.**

Do you recognize this envelope that included a  
 donation to the screen project?

Anne is looking for the name of the donor.

If that's **YOU** – please call Anne

at the parish office 😊

*Immaculate Heart of Mary  
 (Fund for Upgrading Media)  
 Screen Project*

## *Following our Faith*

### **Weakness and Grace**

My mother had a multitude of pithy sayings, some her own phrases, some borrowed from others. One such saying was, "Misery loves company." I thought of that when I read today's second reading. "We do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are," Paul writes to the Hebrews. Someone who can sympathize with us; someone who understands our sufferings; someone who shares in our misery. The question that begs for me is, does that make it easier to bear? According to my mother it ought to. According to Paul it makes Jesus easier to approach and it makes it easier for us to receive mercy and find grace.

It has often been said, frequently by those in the Church, that it is usually in our suffering we feel closest to God. Folks who are dealing with debilitating illness, devastating loss, challenging issues are meant to find comfort in their faith. In my own journey I have been told that the Gospel stories should become more real for me through this experience. That is certainly the case – I hear and see things differently. I have a deeper appreciation for the many kindnesses which are extended to me. I am more grateful than usual for those who surround me with love and support, especially Wayne. However, I cannot say that I feel closer to God, although I work hard to see God in the ordinary. And I am not sure I am always able to find the grace to respond positively to my situation. Because for me, grace means you accept and do not complain. Me ... I am fairly good about the complaining.

In a theoretical sense I accept that Jesus is completely human and completely divine. And yet while I accept that teaching and understanding of the Church, I frequently feel myself wondering ... completely human? yeah maybe. But he is also God. Which equates for me with, so not *really* as weak as we are; not *really* suffering as we do. Nonetheless, last Sunday in his homily, Bishop Vienneau said something which resonated, something which I think taps into the entire issue for me. It is about control. To fully embrace God, to fully embrace God's Son, we need to relinquish control. That is challenging for the type A personality I am, one who must control the narrative, one who has made plans for her entire life, many of which do not work out the way I had planned or hoped for, by the way. If I could tell you how often some form of 'but you have no control over that, so you need to let it go' has been said to me. Nevertheless, I persist. You have heard the saying "We plan; God laughs."



Still, naming our reality and accepting what is, might help us to better cope with it. It might help us to survive it in whatever way we are meant to survive it. When we pray the Lord's Prayer for instance, we pray "give us THIS day our daily bread" – simply what we need for this day, not for tomorrow, next month, 10 years from now. We pray "THY will be done" – not yours, not mine, and yet somehow, we hope that the two converge. To pray that and really mean it, means relinquishing control. Maybe, I have been thinking, we are truly only able to do that when we hit rock bottom.

Many years ago, our youngest child Jordan had encountered challenges while living on his own in northern Alberta. We wanted him to come home. Yet he insisted on staying there and working through those challenges. He told us it is only when you can only count on yourself that you finally begin to do so. While this young man would never have articulated or even equated that with counting on 'the high priest,' that is exactly what he did, because as Christians we know we never do anything 'on our own.'

*By Ellen Bennett*

# Sharing God's Gifts

## *Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish:*

Loose \$460  
Church Support \$1,621 (62)  
Property Upkeep \$101 (9)  
Youth Support \$16 (3)  
Social Action \$111  
Coats for Kids: \$200  
Screens to date: \$44,343

## *Peoples Park Tower*

*There was no Mass on Oct 11*

## *Holy Family Parish:*

Loose \$184  
Church Support \$400 (20)  
Maintenance Fund \$80 (4)  
Nazareth House \$5

## *Holy Ghost Parish:*

Loose \$40.  
Reg Env \$303.  
Cemetery \$40.

## *St. Jude's Parish:*

Loose \$125  
Church Support \$435 (15)  
Memorials \$135  
Salisbury Helping Hands Food Bank \$40

Thank  
you 



**Are you a 'generous' giver?** We are all called to share God's gifts, with each other, with those in need, with family and friends, with strangers.... We may never know the extent of blessings that result from our gesture, but we can be sure that all our gifts are from God and are returned to God through our generosity. Give and share your good fortune, in God's name. Please give generously to Church Support. We thank you for all the gifts that you share with our church – and by doing so you help to share the Good News! **Offering Envelopes** are available at any time during the year. Please call the office to request a box.



**May 16– 26, 2025: Pilgrimage to Medjugorje where Our Lady has been appearing daily for 43 years.** Cost of \$3770 includes all airport taxes, security, fuel surcharges, airfare from the Moncton/Halifax, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast & dinner and experienced local guide. (Optional single room supplement, \$250/p.) **INFO:**

Hector Caissie at [hectorcaissie@gmail.com](mailto:hectorcaissie@gmail.com) or 506-857-2295.



**THEOLOGY ON TAP** will resume on Monday, October 28<sup>th</sup>, Mai Asian Restaurant @ 6:30 pm. Our first guest speaker will be Dr. Andrew Wilson who will give a presentation entitled *Hallowe'en Sucks: Jesus and the Vampire*. Register with Karen at 387-4198 or [youth@diocesemoncton.ca](mailto:youth@diocesemoncton.ca) or online at [www.diocesemoncton.ca](http://www.diocesemoncton.ca) → Pastoral Offices → Adult Faith → Formation Opportunities.

**FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE:** We encourage you to contribute generously to the **special collection on November 2 and 3**, in support of the Archbishop of Moncton's pastoral mission. Please note that 10% of the amount collected will be used for local parish needs. Make your donation by cash or **by cheque made out to your parish** using the special envelopes provided or make note on a generic envelope. This donation is receiptable. We ask you to make your donation during the weekend mass celebrations on **November 2 and 3**, or to your parish office. Thank you for your solidarity.

## EVOLVING FAITH IN AN EVOLVING UNIVERSE

Join us at **Holy Family Church Hall** for this 3-part series, each evening starting at **6:30 p.m.**

**October 29<sup>th</sup>**

Telling the Story of the Universe as our sacred Story.

“Let there be Light” continues.....

**November 5<sup>th</sup>**

The history and evolution of the Church as told through the teachings of Ilia Delio, Franciscan sister.

**November 12<sup>th</sup>** Continuing with Ilia, as she leads us through our evolving faith in our ever-evolving universe.

*In this time of continuing crises, we deeply need a transforming vision that opens the future to new hope!*



Job Posting: Janitorial Technician

Location: Archdiocese of Moncton

Contract Type: Flexible hours negotiable

The Archdiocese of Moncton is seeking a Janitorial Technician to:

- Ensure the upkeep and maintenance of the premises
- Manage customer requests and provide quality service.
- Carry out minor repairs and report problems requiring specialized intervention.

Previous experience in a similar position is desirable. We offer a competitive salary package. If you are interested, please contact Ronald Drisdelle at 506-857-9531 ext. 1234 or by e-mail: [econome@diocesemoncton.ca](mailto:econome@diocesemoncton.ca)



Trevor Droesbeck - 506 857-4879 or [adultfaith@diocesemoncton.ca](mailto:adultfaith@diocesemoncton.ca)

Karen LeBlanc – 506 387-4198 or [Youth@diocesemoncton.ca](mailto:Youth@diocesemoncton.ca)

***Please note changes to the email addresses for Trevor & Karen***



**MONDAY @ THE MOVIES** – Our next film discussion will take place on October 21<sup>st</sup> @ 2:00 pm via Zoom when we will talk about faith themes from the 1992 film **Sister Act**. Monday @ The Movies is film discussion series where we discuss faith themes found in popular films. Please register with Karen at [youth@diocesemoncton.ca](mailto:youth@diocesemoncton.ca) or 506-387-4198.



**A GREAT SYMPHONY OF PRAYER** - On behalf of the *Ad hoc* Committee for the Preparation for the Jubilee 2025, I am pleased to announce a two-part webinar series titled, “A Great Symphony of Prayer” which will enable the faithful one meaningful way to participate in the Year of Prayer which was announced by Pope Francis on 21 January 2024. The Jubilee Office in Rome has prepared a series of booklets on prayer, the themes of which will be taken up during the webinar series. For each official language, there will be one four-part webinar series in the spring and one more four-part webinar series in the fall. Dr. Josephine Lombardi (St. Augustine's Seminary) will present eight English-language webinars on prayer:

**Thursday, October 24 (2:00 – 3:30 pm AST): Lectio Divina/The Storm at Sea**



### **NB Right to Life Moncton Chapter Fundraising Dinner**

at the Dan Bohan Centre, Riverview on Sunday November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:00 p.m.

Guest Speaker is Msgr Guy Desrochers.

Tickets are 30\$ and are available at the Parish offices of St. Bernard’s, St. Augustine’s and Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Info.: Lise 506-854-4209 or Karl 506-229-0740

#### **UPCOMING MEETING:**

**October 21<sup>st</sup>** @ 2:00pm– Mondays @ The Movies – IHM

**October 22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>** – Atlantic Catechetical Association AGM – Halifax

**October 23<sup>rd</sup>** – Atlantic Association of Catholic Youth Ministers AGM - Halifax



Welcome to **SENIORS CONNECT!** Our next gathering will take place **Thursday November 7<sup>th</sup>**, 10:30 am at Holy Family Church. The theme of the gathering will be “Happy Feet,” where we will learn how to care of our feet as we age. Questions? Contact Karen LeBlanc at 387-4198 or email [youth@diocesemoncton.ca](mailto:youth@diocesemoncton.ca).

**Urgent appeal for support in Lebanon—Joint call for help and prayers** Montreal, 15 October —With the support of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB), Aid to the Church in Need Canada (ACN), Catholic Near East Welfare



Association (CNEWA) Canada, and Development and Peace — Caritas Canada (DPCC) are launching an appeal for prayers and generosity to support the most urgent needs of people in Lebanon, following the bombardments in the country that have already claimed hundreds of innocent lives. “With the conflict between Hezbollah and Israel now having spread into Lebanon, causing further death, destruction and displacement, let us, the Catholic faithful in

Canada, renew our prayers for peace in the Middle East, as urged by Pope Francis, and do whatever we can to help the people who are affected by this recent escalation in violence,” says the Most Rev. William T. McGrattan, Bishop of Calgary and President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB). We need your help. Every contribution makes a difference.



*Never give up, because great things take time!*

