

The seed is the word of God, Christ is the sower; all who come to him will live for ever.

WELCOME TO THE PARISH UNIT OF:

St. Bernard's (Moncton) Saint Vincent (Sackville), Saint Clement (Port Elgin) & Saint Bartholomew (Melrose)

MASS TIMES WEEK OF JULY 17-23, 2017		
St. Bernard's	Thursday @ 9:30 AM, Saturday @ 4 PM & Sunday @ 11AM	
St. Vincent's	Sunday @ 9AM	
St. Clement's & St. Bartholomew's	Saturday @ 7PM (alternating - call 538-2262 to confirm)	

PASTORAL MINISTRY TEAM		
Priest Moderator: Rev. Allison S. Carroll	Social Justice: Claudia McCloskey	
Assistant: (part-time) Rev. Charles Broderick	Catechetics: Lorella Dunnett	
Liturgy: Rick Shaw, Deb Gillespie	Adult Faith: Dr. Andrew Wilson	

STAFF		
Secretary: Darlene McGraw	Custodian: Michel Saulnier	
Catechetical Coordinator: Lorella Dunnett	Email: Lorella_st.bernards@hotmail.com	
Bookkeeper: Louise Tardif	Facilities Manager: Mike Murphy	

PARISH SUMMER OFFICE HOURS WEEK OF JULY 17 - 23, 2017		
Monday to Thursday	9 AM -12 Noon & 1 - 4 PM	
Friday	9 AM - 12 Noon	
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SUMMER HOURS FOR:
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Diocesan Centre: Hours until September 4 - Tuesdays & Thursdays: 9 AM - 1 PM

Diocesan website: www.diomoncton.ca

Vision Bookstore: Closed until September 4

MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF JULY 17 - 23, 2017				
Thurs.	Jul. 20	9:30 AM	Late Howard "Ticker" Shean	Joe & Corinne
Sat.	Jul. 22	4:00 PM	Anniv. late Mike McKenna	Charlotte, Kate & Pat
Sun.	Jul. 23	11:00 AM	Anniv. late Mary Gallie	Gordon & Lois

OFFERINGS FROM JULY 8 & 9, 2017			
Loose	\$ 528.80	Karing Kitchen	\$ 37.65
Envelopes (230)	\$ 5,401.25	Captial Expenditure	\$ 1,435.00
Syrian Relief (1)	\$ 20.00		
Thank you for your generous and continued support!			

MARK YOUR CALENDARS			
Carmelites	First Saturday of the month - 10 AM - 12 Noon Stage Area		
Circle of Friends	Resumes in the fall		
CWL	Resumes in the fall		
Prayer Group	7 PM - 2 nd Sat & last Sat. of each month (after the 25 th)	Church Hall	
Next Baptism Preparation	To be determined Stage Area		
RCIA	Resumes in the fall		
Next Baptisms	To be determined	Church	
Faith Formation Registration	ion Registration Sunday - September 10, 2017 - 9 AM to 2 PM Church Hal		

CONFESSION

St. Bernard's - Thursdays - before 9:30 AM Mass (9:00-9:20 AM upon request/availability of the Priest)
Immaculate Heart of Mary Church - Saturday afternoons from 1 - 1:30 PM
St. Bernard's @ 1st Saturday of the month Mass (9:00-9:20 AM upon request/availability of the Priest)
Notre-Dame-de-Grace (854 Mountain Rd.) - 3rd Saturday of the month 1-2 PM
St. Bernard's prior to 4 PM Mass (upon request/availability of the Priest)



Ecclesiastes 3...

Under every season there is a time... A time to heal... We remember in our prayers those who are sick...

Peggy Taylor, Patricia Allain, Emile Lagace,
Philip Barton and Willow Drover.



A time to mourn...

Our sincere sympathies to the family of:

Gilbert Babin, brother of Jeanne (Don) Wood

And to all who mourn the loss of a loved one...



Prayers for our Troops

We pray for all those who serve and for families separated from their loved ones in the military; and for the strength they need to face this time of isolation and uncertainty.

Application forms available at the entrance of the church for:

→ Application/Declaration-Low-income Seniors' Benefit 2017 (\$400 benefit-deadline: Dec. 31st)



Lions recycle for Sight - Changing Lives, One Pair at a Time:

Used eyeglasses are recycled, cleaned, sorted by prescription strength, then packaged and distributed to people in need in developing countries where they will have the greatest impact. A **Lions Recycle for Sight** box will be at the main entrance of the church for you to drop off unwanted eyeglasses.



We are happy to have you join us! Are you new to the parish or have you been part of our community for awhile but have just never registered? There are registration forms available at the entrances to the church, at your parish office, on our web site (www.stbernardschurch.ca) or just give us a call and we'll mail you one. Fill in the information, return the form to the office and you will be formally registered. This will help us to better serve your individual needs!



Many people are sensitive to environmental allergies, and some people have SEVERE REACTIONS to things such as perfume. It is for this reason that many public places have instituted "SCENT FREE" polices. Your cooperation is invited in not wearing scent products when you come to church. Thank you.



Syrian Refugee Response Committee

Our Syrian family will soon be here and we have a place for them to live. We will be doing an inventory of items in our storage unit and put a list of needed items in an upcoming bulletin.

Anyone with household items to donate can continue to call the Social Justice phone line at the church 204-4882. Also anyone who is willing to volunteer to help set up the apartment when the time comes, or volunteer to assist with drives to appointments can leave a message on that phone line as well.



The Volunteer Centre's Respite Care Services for Children with Special Needs program offers local families hours of relief care and an opportunity for their child to make new friends. We need caring people to help support these families a few hours each month. We are presently looking for volunteers in

the following areas: Dieppe, Moncton, Riverview, Hillsborough, Dorchester, Shediac and Kent County. For more information please contact: Edie Savoie Shituku, Director of Respite Care Services, Volunteer Centre of Southeastern NB Inc. 22 Church Street, Suite T290, Moncton, NB, E1E 0P7 (506)869-6774 email: respite@nb.aibn.com



Sunday, September 10, 2017 9 AM TO 2 PM

Registration forms are available online at: www.stbernardschurch.ca

→Click on: Ministries and Groups

→Click on: Faith Formation

→Click on: Children's catechism

It would be helpful if the forms were printed and completed prior to the actual registration date. Bring the completed forms on the day of registration. This should speed up the process for all. Thank you!



Catechism 2017-2018

Calling all potential coaches!!! We are in need of coaches for St. Bernard's 2017-2018 catechetical year

If you can commit, we have a need for :				
Two, Tuesday evening sessions a month	6:-7:30 PM	September 2017 to May 2018		
One Sunday morning session a 9:15 -10:45 AM month		September 2017 to May 2018		
Helpershelpers and more helpersalways welcome!!				
All training & all materials will be provided spiritual satisfaction guaranteed!!!				
Let's chat and make this year a success together!				

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Lorella Dunnett, St. Bernard's Catechetical Coordinator

Contact info: 857-9565 or by email @ lorella st.bernards@hotmail.com



From the Offices of Faith Development, Liturgy & Youth Faith Development

The Office of Faith Development is closed. Will re-open August 28. Please contact Trevor Droesbeck with any questions.

To contact us:

Ellen - 857- 9952 or ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com; Trevor - 857-4879 or trevord.diocese@gmail.com Deb at liturgymoncton@gmail.com

Books for Breakfast – The next selection for our Young Adults book club will be *The Year of Living Biblically*, by A.J. Jacobs. Date and time TBA. Check the Office of Youth Faith Development's Facebook page for more information.



Formation for Baptism Preparation Teams: new members of baptism preparation teams who work with parents seeking baptism for their children are obliged to participate in formation to prepare them for this work. This formation will be offered on Friday, September 22, 6:30 - 9 PM and Saturday, September 23, 9:30 AM - 4 PM at Holy

<u>Family Church Hall</u>. If you have newly joined the baptism preparation team in your parish, or this is something that interests you, *note these dates and watch your bulletin in early September for additional information.*



Save the date: Tending the Soil, Tending the Sower 2017, a day of formation for all catechists, takes place on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>September 9th</u>, 9 AM - 4:30 PM at St. Bernard's Church Hall.

This day will be of special interest to all catechists in the diocese,

especially those involved in coaching parents, RCIA, baptismal preparation, marriage preparation. Details concerning registration and sessions offered will appear in your bulletins in late August, or may be found on-line at http://www.diomoncton.ca/en/.



Over the summer months church contributions normally decrease while parishioners are travelling and vacationing. However, the expenses to run our church remain constant and increase as necessary

maintenance/repairs are completed. Please give consideration to "making up" your missed contributions when you return. Thank you for your continued generosity!!! God Bless!



IT'S OK TO SAY NO - SAY NO TO PANHANDLING

By supporting panhandling, you may be contributing to the problem, whatever it may be...Recent stats indicate more than 95% of people panhandle to feed their addictions. Be part of the solution by supporting the agencies that provide services to those in need, community contributions go a lot further towards employment, housing and social services that go directly towards supporting those in need.

Karing Kitchen

The Karing Kitchen offers basic, nutritional meals to all who come, five days a week, 52 weeks a year. They depend on private donations of both cash and foodstuffs to keep their doors open. They would like to thank you for your generous support in the past. Without your help there can be no Karing Kitchen. They welcome your support. Donations may be made to St. Bernard's and they will be forwarded to the Karing Kitchen.



Low Gluten Hosts

Gluten intolerance has become more prevalent in recent years. Prompted by faithful Catholics wanting to receive Communion, we have ordered a supply of low gluten hosts (yields less than .01% gluten content per bread/wafer). We already have a few parishioners that

have sourced their own supply & place them in their own personal pyx for consecration at mass. If you are diagnosed with gluten intolerance, you must purchase your personal pyx and low gluten hosts **are available** at our Parish office during office hours.