

### I wait for the Lord; I hope in his word.

### **WELCOME TO THE PARISH UNIT OF:**

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

MASS TIMES WEEK OF AUGUST 14 - 20, 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	

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PARISH SUMMER OFFICE HOURS	S WEEK OF AUGUST 14 - 18, 2017
Monday to Thursday	9 AM -12 Noon & 1 - 4 PM
Friday	9 AM - 12 Noon

SUMMER HOURS FOR:		
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 AUGUST 14 - 20, 2017				
Thurs.	Aug. 17	9:30 AM	Late Irene Kirby	Norma & Tony Zuorro
Sat.	Aug. 19	4:00 PM	Anniv. late Marie Defina	Mom & Dad
Sun.	Aug. 21	11:00 AM	Late Alphee Arsenault	Lionel & Dorice Leger

OFFERINGS FROM AUGUST 5 & 6, 2017			
Loose	\$ 547.40	Reconnect	\$ 60.00 (2)
Envelopes	\$ 5,504.00 (257)	Syrian Relief	\$ 20.00 (1)
Karing Kitchen	\$ \$ 137.80	Capital Expenditure	\$ 1,227.00 (49)
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 <sup>nd</sup> Sat & last Sat. of each month (after the 25 <sup>th</sup> ) Church Hal		
Next Baptism Preparation	Tuesdays - September 5 & 12 @ 7 PM Stage Area		
RCIA Resumes in the fall			
Next Baptisms	September 24, 2017 @ 2 PM	Church	
Faith Formation Registration	Sunday - September 10, 2017 - 9 AM to 2 PM	Church Hall	

#### 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 @ 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month Mass (9:00-9:20 AM upon request/availability of the Priest)

Notre-Dame-de-Grace (854 Mountain Rd.) - 3<sup>rd</sup> 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...

Emile Lagace, Willow Drover, Ron Briffett, Noelle Lanneau, Amara Noonan, Ralph O'Brien, Stella Gallant and Harold Woods.



#### A time to mourn...

Our sincere sympathies to the families of:

**Stephanie Carroll,** daughter of Ted & Joanne, mother to Rebecca **Richard Melanson,** husband of Anne, father of Kyle & Ian **Raymond Murphy**, husband of Claire

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



# 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!



## Faith Formation Registration

### 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 most helpful if you would print & complete the necessary forms for registration prior to the actual registration date. This will help speed up the registration process for all involved. 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 month	9:15 -10:45 AM	September 2017 to May 2018	

Helpers...helpers and more helpers...always welcome!!

All training & all materials will be provided.... spiritual satisfaction guaranteed!!!

Let's chat and make this year a success together!

Lorella Dunnett, St. Bernard's Catechetical Coordinator

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

## Syrian Family Arrival

We received notification that our family will be arriving August 22 after almost twenty four hours of air travel.

We will be making final arrangements for them to move into their apartment. The parish will have an opportunity to meet them at a meet and greet in the church hall early this fall.

Please continue to keep them in your prayers.

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.



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.

### Application forms available at the entrance of the church for:

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



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.



Heartfelt prayers & congratulations to:

Donald and Fernande Grant

on the occasion of their

60th Diamond Wedding Anniversary

next Thursday, August 17th, 2017



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.

Did you know the Diocese of Antigonish is hosting the Atlantic Catechetical Association (ACA) conference in October, 2017?



The Atlantic Catechetical Association (ACA) conference provides opportunity to collaborate with other catechetical leaders in the region through focus sessions which target specific themes that are relevant as we catechize in 2017.



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

#### To contact us:

Ellen - 857- 9952 or ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com; Trevor - 857-4879 or trevord.diocese@gmail.com Deb at liturgymoncton@gmail.com (The Office of Faith Development will re-open August 28)



### **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, Sep. 22, 6:30 - 9 PM and Saturday, Sep. 23, 9:30 AM - 4 PM at Holy Family Church Hall. 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.



Tending the Soil, Tending the Sower 2017, a day of formation for all catechists, takes place on Saturday, Sep. 9<sup>th</sup>, 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 and preparation. Details concerning registration and sessions offered will appear in your bulletins in late August, or found on-line may be at http://www.diomoncton.ca/en/.