

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart, that we might know the hope to which we are called.

WELCOME TO THE PARISH UNIT OF:

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

| MASS TIMES WEEK OF OCTOBER 16 - 22, 2017 | | |
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| 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 OFFICE HOURS - WEEK OF OCTOBER 16-20, 2017 | |
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| Monday to Friday | 9 AM -12 Noon & 1 - 4 PM |

| MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF OCTOBER 16-22, 2017 | | | | |
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| Thurs. | Oct. 19 | 9:30 AM | Late Dr. John Dowd | St. Bernard's CWL |
| Sat. | Oct. 21 | 4:00 PM | Late Camille LeBlanc | Ron & Val |
| Sun. | Oct. 22 | 11:00 AM | Anniv. late Josephine Marini and Julia Marcantonio | Family |

| OFFERINGS FROM OCTOBER 7 & 8, 2017 | | | |
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| Envelopes | \$ 6,448.00 | Religious Education | \$ 10.00 |
| Loose | \$ 759.10 | Karing Kitchen | \$ 93.80 |
| Syrian Relief | \$ 245.00 | Capital Expenditure | \$ 435.00 |
| Needs of Cdn Church | \$ 40.00 | | |
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Thank you for your generous and continued support!

| MARK YOUR CALENDARS | | | |
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| Carmelites | Second Saturday of the month - 10 AM - 12 Noon Stage Area | | |
| Prayer Group | 7 PM - 2 nd Sat & last Sat. of each month (after the 25 th) | Church Hall | |
| RCIA | Wednesdays - 7 PM Stage Area | | |
| Circle of Friends | ircle of Friends After 9:30 AM Mass Church F | | |
| Marriage Prep | Thursdays Oct. 19, 26, Nov. 2, 9, & 16 | Church Hall | |
| Syrian family meet & greet | Sunday, October 22, 2017 after 11 AM Mass | Church Hall | |
| Sacrament of the Sick | Thursday, October 26 @ 9:30 AM | Church | |
| CWL Pornography Hurts Campaign - Saturday, October 28 & Sunday, October 29 | | | |
| Next Baptisms | Sunday, October 29, 2017 @ 2 PM | Church | |
| St. Bernard's Holly Tea Saturday, November 4, 2017, 2 - 4 PM | | | |
| Next Baptism Preparation Tuesdays - November 7 & 14 @ 7 PM Stag | | Stage Area | |
| Mass for Deceased Wednesday, November 8 @ 7 PM Church | | Church | |

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...

Willow Drover, Ron Briffett, Ralph O'Brien, Stella Gallant, Harold Woods, Gertie Watts, Katie Ermen and Carl Swift.



A time to mourn...

Our sincere sympathies to the family of:

Paul Ouellet, husband of Terry and son of Faye Poirier

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



Many people are sensitive to environmental allergies, and some people have severe reactions to things such as perfume and scented products. 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.

25th Ordination anniversary of Fr. Denis Belliveau: All are invited to come and offer their best wishes to Fr. Denis Belliveau, who celebrates this year his 25th ordination anniversary. Come and join us on Sunday, Nov. 12th at the Patrice LeBlanc Room at 91, Murphy St., Moncton (next to the Notre-Dame-de-la-Paix Church, Humphrey), between 2 and 4 PM. Please note that there will be a presentation around 3 pm. Best wishes only!

CWL Annual Memberships Dues - New Procedure



There is no longer an envelope provided for CWL annual dues in with the weekly Offertory Envelope package.

There will be however a table set up at the November monthly meeting to accept payment.

The Parish Office will no longer accept any monies for the dues.



CWL Pornography Hurts Campaign - Oct. 28 & 29, 2017

Each year at this time, parishioners have been asked to sign the white ribbon in support of actions to bring awareness to the dangers of pornography. To request ongoing legislation in the Criminal Code

of Canada to address issues of all forms of sexual exploitation. This year, at St. Bernard's we are invited to sign the purple cards at the entrances of the church. These cards also provide an area where individuals may include a short message to the government. All of the cards will be delivered to our Member of Parliament, Ginette Pettipas-Taylor with a letter of explanation and a request that she forward these to the Minister of Justice. Sexual exploitation destroys the human dignity of the body and spirit of victims of all ages. (Pornography Hurts Campaign began in the Hamilton Diocese in the 1990's- Catholic Women's League)

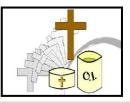


The annual St. Bernard's Catholic Women's League Holly Tea & Sale will be held on Sat., Nov. 4th, 2 - 4 PM in the church hall.

There will be a bake table, craft table, white elephant table & door prizes. Tickets \$10/adult & \$3.50 for children (under 12). Tickets are available at the door, the parish office, from Jessie Kinney at Circle of Friends, by calling Donna Shaw @ 382-0503 or Norma Gibson at 855-8236. Parishioners wishing to donate sweets for the tea or baked goods & crafts for the sale are welcome to do so. <u>Donations can be dropped off on Friday, Nov. 3rd from 9 AM to 4 PM and on Saturday morning before 10:30 AM</u>. All donations are gratefully appreciated by our Council. Our Holly Tea has been a long-standing tradition at St. Bernard's dating back to the early 1950's and we thank all parishioners for their continued support of all CWL activities and events.

World Mission Sunday - October 22, 2017

Pray and give generously World Mission Sunday At the initiative of Pope Pius XI in 1926, the 2nd last Sunday during October became known as World Mission Sunday. Catholics throughout the world are invited to pray for and give to the Missions. The collection this Sunday is organized by the Pontifical Missions Society. The funds collected assist some 1,250 mission dioceses under the responsibility of the Congregation for the Evangelization of Peoples. A portion of the Canadian contributions to this collection assists six mission dioceses in Northern Canada.



OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

It is important that those who are sick and those around them understand the significance of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick as a sacrament of healing. Who should celebrate this sacrament?

- →Those who are elderly and whose frailty is becoming more pronounced
- →Those adults and children who are suffering from a major illness. (Illness comes in many different forms physical, mental, psychological, emotional, spiritual)
- →Those who are facing or recovering from surgery or serious medical tests
- →Those suffering from a serious accident
- →Those who suffer from chronic illness such as arthritis or diabetes
- →Those who care for the sick, especially those who are closely bound in love to them.

The English churches of the Moncton Diocese work together to offer this communal celebration two or three times a year. Join us on Thursday, October 26 at 9:30 AM for mass and the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick to be held at St. Bernard's Church. All parishioners within the three English pastoral units are invited and encouraged to participate in this celebration.



Our Syrian family has arrived! We will have a parish meet and greet Sunday, Oct. 22, 2017 following the 11:00 AM Mass

Fundraising will continue. If you wish to contribute simply put your donation in a envelope marked "Syrian Relief", along with your name/address/envelope number. (if applicable). Any amounts donated will be included on your yearly tax receipt. Financial donations can go towards winter clothing, dentists, additional language training and job seeking

expenses as we go forward. More info. on fundraising and costs to support the family can be viewed on St. Bernard's website: www.stbernardschurch.ca, Ministries & Groups, scroll down to Social Justice, click "Syrian Relief Fundraising Campaign" link.

Please note: There is no further need for household items.

Thanks to all for you support!

Please continue to keep them in prayer.

Marriage Encounter

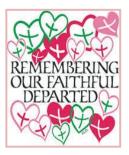


Marriage Encounter: Your marriage is as important today as it was on your wedding day, whether that special day was just a few years ago, or many years ago. Celebrate your love. Re-energize your relationship. Join us on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend November 3-5, 2017, in Amherst, NS. Space is limited, so contact us soon. renewmarriage@gmail.com or call 902-314-8541.



Knights of Columbus - Council 11985, 91 Murphy Ave, Moncton - Brunch Sunday, October 15 from 8 AM to 12 Noon. Adults \$8, children under 12 year \$ 2, and under 5 years - free. All are welcome.

Visit the Mosque: Open House - You are invited to visit the Moncton Mosque on Sunday, Oct 15, anytime between 1 to 4 PM. The mosque is located at 99 High St., Moncton. Refreshments will be served. Everyone welcome!



St. Bernard's Mass of the Deceased

All parishioners are invited and encouraged to attend the Mass of the Deceased on Wednesday, November 8th at 7 PM

It is an important time to come together as a Parish Community to remember & honor the memory of all those who have died in the past year. Also, to show our support to those who have lost a loved one.



"Answering the Call of October 17 to end poverty:
A path toward peaceful and inclusive societies"

This year marks the 25th anniversary of October 17 as the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty. The theme for this

year's commemoration reminds us of the importance of the values of dignity, solidarity and voice underscored in the Call to Action to fight to end poverty everywhere.



Turkey Supper - Sunday Oct. 29, 4-6 PM at the Saint-Louis-de-Gonzague church hall in Richibucto. Cost: Adults \$12 and children 12 and under \$6. Take out service available. Welcome to all!



St. Vincent de Paul Society fall fundraiser, Saturday, Oct. 28, 8 AM to 1PM, 113 Norwood Ave. Your support will help us to help the needy of our community. There is something for everyone: a large selection of flea market items as well as good quality used clothing.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Snowflake Bazaar, sponsored by the Ladies Society of Immaculate Heart, Riverview will be held Saturday, Nov. 4th, 10 AM to 1 PM in the Dan Bohan Family Centre on Fatima Dr., Riverview. Great variety of crafts, books, baked goods, jams, jellies, etc, a white elephant table and a Silent Auction. For a small fee you may enjoy a Lunch of Coffee/Tea & Muffin or Soup & Crackers. Get an early start on your Christmas Baking and/or Gifts!!!!!!

Longing For Peace - Calming the storm of Anxiety, Trauma, and Fear. Conference (sponsored by New Hope Ministries) at Whitepine Church, 153 Canusa Dr., Riverview, Oct. 21, 8:30 - 4. \$ 30 at the door or \$ 25 if pre-registered. To register: contact Nancy mmanderson@hotmail.com or joyconference@gmail.com or send your registration to 34 Goldsboro Ave., Riverview, NB E1B 4K4. Speakers: Jill Quiring - Finding Peace in Anxiety, Rev. Douglas Painter - Finding Peace in Trauma and Fear, Eleanor Kreplin - Practice Tools for Managing Anxiety Rev. Painter suffered from PTSD so his talk would be especially important for those who are affected by this. Registration is free for Pastors and their spouses.



Did you know... in 2013, The Voice for Justice Campaign re-iterates the call for an ombudsman to monitor Canada's overseas mining activities.



St. Bernard's Faith Formation

If you have not registered, please do so by contacting Lorella Dunnett at the parish office @ 857-0425, or by email at:

Lorella st.bernards@hotmail.com

Registration forms are available on St. Bernard's website: www.stbernards.ca

Please see below for class level times as dates.

| 8 | Sundays | Tuesdays | Wednesdays |
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| SION | <u>Years 1,2,3</u> : 9:15 - 10:45 AM <u>Years 4, 5, 6</u> : 12:15 - 1:45 PM <u>Year 7</u> : 12:15-1:45 PM | <u>Years 1,2,3</u> : 6 - 7:30 PM | <u>Years 4, 5, 6</u> : 6 -7:30 PM |
| 3 | October 15 | October 17 | October 18 |
| 4 | October 29 | October 30 (Monday) | November 1 |
| 5 | November 12 | November 14 | November 15 |
| 6 | November 26 | November 28 | November 29 |
| 7 | December 10 | December 12 | December 13 |



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The Spirituality of the Catechists: Growing in Faith: Final chance to register for the 2017 Atlantic Catechetical Association Conference taking place from October 20-22, 2017 at the Membertou Trade and Convention Centre in Sydney, NS with keynote speaker Sr. Janet Schaeffler, OP. For more details or to register go to http://www.diomoncton.ca/en/formation-opportunities.

Theology on Tap: Our next Theology on Tap for young adults 19-39, Sunday, Nov. 5 at 3:30 PM, expected finish time 7 PM. Facilitated by Karen LeBlanc & Claudette Derdaele from Immaculate Heart of Mary parish, and is entitled "And God Saw That It Was Good". We will meet in the parking lot of Immaculate Heart of Mary in Riverview and then proceed to the Mill Creek area for the session. Participants are asked to bring with them their own mug, and to dress for the weather (will need durable footwear such as boots). For information, contact Trevor at the youth office at 857-4879.

Books for Breakfast: Our B4B selection for young adults 19-39 will be Little Bee, by Chris Cleave. It is a dual narrative about a Nigerian asylum-seeker and a British magazine editor. The novel examines the treatment of refugees by the asylum system, as well as issues of British colonialism, globalization, political violence and personal accountability. We will meet Sat., Nov. 25, 10 AM, location TBA.