THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 5, 2017



You have one Father, your Father in heaven, you have one teacher, the Lord Jesus Christ.

WELCOME TO THE PARISH UNIT OF: St. Bernard's (Moncton) Saint Vincent (Sackville), Saint Clement (Port Elgin) & Saint Bartholomew (Melrose)

MASS TIMES WEEK OF NOVEMBER 6 - 12, 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	
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS - WEEK OF NOVEMBER 6 - 10, 2017

Monday to Friday

9 AM -12 Noon & 1 - 4 PM

MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF NOVEMBER 6 - 12, 2017				
Weds.	Nov. 8	7:00 PM	Mass of the Deceased	
Thurs.	Nov. 9	9:30 AM	Late Patricia Gould Allain	Marie Gauvin & family
Sat.	Nov. 11	4:00 PM	Anniv. late Mary McGowan	Family
Sun.	Nov. 12	11:00 AM	Anniv. late Shirley Doiron	Family

OFFERINGS FROM OCTOBER 28 & 29, 2017			
Loose	\$ 798.00	All Soul's Day	\$ 990.00 (52)
Envelopes	\$ 6,765.00 (295)	Karing Kitchen	\$ 54.05
Religious Education	\$ 25.00 (1)	Syrian Relief	\$ 20.00 (2)
Needs of Cdn Church\$ 110.00 (11)Capital Expenditure\$ 287 (19)			
Thank you for your generous and continued support!			

MARK YOUR CALENDARS			
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	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays of each month @ 7 PM	Stage Area	
Circle of Friends	After 9:30 AM Mass	Church Hall	
Marriage Prep	Thursdays Nov. 9, & 16	Church Hall	
Next Baptism Preparation	Tuesdays - November 7 & 21 @ 7 PM	Stage Area	
Next Baptisms	Sunday, November 26, 2017 @ 2 PM	Church	
Mass for Deceased	Wednesday, November 8 @ 7 PM	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, Carl Swift, Ann Vautour, Kim Courtney and John Crawford.



A time to mourn...Our sincere sympathies to the familes of:

Ruth Wilbur, mother in law of Maureen, grandmother of Kerri Ronald Bryant, father of Sean & Alyson Junior Murphy, good friend of Mike Kane Sheila Currie, wife of Geordie MacDonald, mother of David & Shawn and Dorothy Smith, wife of (late) Floyd And to all who mourn the loss of a loved one...



Please slow down when entering / exiting the park lot.

Most especially near the elevator entrance where parishioners are exiting. Due to mobility restrictions they may not be able to react as quickly as needed to avoid a car that is going too fast. **Thank you.**

Needed: A single bed and a chest of drawers - if able to donate call lnez @ 389-3571.



2017-2018 Sunday Missals

Available at the Parish Office beginning Tuesday, November 14/17

We will have a limited number of Sunday Missals at the cost of \$ 5 each. You may purchase a copy at the Parish office during regular office hours while they last.



CWL Monthly Meeting – Monday, November 6th, 2017

6:30 PM Rosary in Church Hall

7:00 PM Regular meeting with reports from all chairpersons

Please remember to wear your scarves. New members always welcome!



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 Nov. monthly meeting to accept payment. The Parish Office will no longer accept any monies for the dues.



Calling All Knitters: Yarn is available for knitters who wish to make hats, mittens, etc. for the Advent Mitten Tree. If you wish to do some knitting, you may pick up the yarn at the Parish Office. Thank you to all the dedicated past and present knitters!

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (5 Fatima Dr, Riverview) Luncheon and Card Party coming up on <u>Tuesday, Nov 7th at noon</u>! Come out and enjoy some great cards, shuffling in great friends and food! For more information, call Anne at 872-4906!

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Riverview will be having their Annual Dinner Theatre Church Fundraiser on Saturday, Nov 25th and a repeat performance on Sunday, Nov 26th – both starting at 6 PM. It's a roast beef dinner with all the trimmins', coffee, tea & dessert for \$25. Always funny, always delightful – although we here that this year, sometimes it's "Not As It Seems"! For tickets, call Helen at 386-2071.

Hospice Greater Moncton is looking for volunteers who would like to work with clients with a life-threatening illness and their families in their homes or at the hospital to offer support and relief in a trying time. We are offering a 9 module training for new volunteers starting on Nov. 15. Volunteering can be done in your community, Greater Moncton area or rural surrounding areas. Contact Debbie Landry-Jaillet, at 383-2404 or volunteer@hospicegm.ca to register or for more information."

Archbishop Vienneau will be the speaker at the Fall conference of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal to be held at St. Jude's Church in Salisbury Fri., Nov. 17, 7-9 PM & Sat., Nov. 18, 9 AM-9 PM. He will speak on the theme of our walk with Jesus: as our Lord & Savior; as our Good Shepherd; as the Way & the Truth; as the Resurrection & the Life; & as the Bread of Life. Everyone is invited to attend. Mass at 6:30 Sat. followed by healing prayer. Registration \$20. Bag lunch at noon. For more info. contact: .Mary 855-8330 or Roberta 386-5175.

Resurgo Lions Club Christmas Craft Sale: <u>Sat., Nov. 18, 8 AM - 3:00 PM at Riverview</u> <u>Lions Club, 701 Coverdale Rd., Riverview</u>. Also a Canteen & 50/50 draw. Register for tables \$ 20 per table or 2 for \$ 30. Contact Vaughan Brace @ 961-1943.



St. Bernard's Mass of the Deceased Wednesday, November 8th - 7 PM

All parishioners are invited and encouraged to attend.

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 support and care to all of those who have lost a loved one.



Book of the Faithful Departed

Traditionally, during the month of November, we remember and pray for, in a special way, all our deceased loved ones.

The Church encourages you to continue this tradition by entering the names of those dear to you in the Book Of The Faithful Departed.

If your loved ones' names were already entered in the book in previous years, they are still in the book and will be prayed for during our liturgies.

This book will be placed at the back of the church for the whole month of November. We invite you, if you wish, to enter the names of those members of your family or friends who you would like to be remembered and prayed for by our church.

St. Bernard's Faith Formation			
S.N. RNC	Sundays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays
oh, how	<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> <u>6 - 7:30 PM</u>	<u>Years 4, 5, 6:</u> <u>6 -7:30 PM</u>
He He	November 12	November 14	November 15
loves US!	November 26	November 28	November 29
us!	December 10	December 12	December 13



The following children were welcomed into St. Bernard's Parish community through the Sacrament of Baptism on Sunday, October 29, 2017

Brooklyn Rose Nowlan, child of Brittany Jessulat-Roussie Caleb Murray Ouellette, child of Byran & Michelle

> May Jesus bless your precious little one with His love and grace.

Socíal Justice Corner



Socks for ReConnect: Nothing feels like clean socks, with no holes. **Decent socks are a luxury to the homeless** and as we head into cold and wet weather, create a risk to health. <u>During the month of Nov., St. Bernard's will have a 'sock drive'</u>. A container will be placed at each church entrance for donations of socks for adults. All received will be passed on to ReConnect for the homeless & at risk individuals.



Christmas Boxes: The planning committee have already had a meeting to coordinate activities for the Christmas Boxes this year. Once again, we will be partnering with the food bank to ensure there is no duplication of names and that the food provided is the same as the boxes made up by the food

bank. We will be doing 50 boxes again this year. <u>The phone number for our social</u> <u>justice line to order a box is 204-4882</u>. The knitters have not stopped all year and we are receiving nice warm items to include in the boxes. The Advent Mitten Tree will be put up the first Sunday of Advent. As in the past, those wishing to contribute to the Christmas Boxes may do so by placing your donation in a plain envelope marked for the Christmas Boxes and indicate your name and envelope number to have your donation included in your income tax receipt. We have records of St. Bernard's participation in this Christmas initiative back to the 1950's and likely earlier. Thank you for your ongoing support of this meaningful ministry to serve those in need. While the need is present throughout the year, it seems that often this gesture during a season when many feel lonely and forgotten, is so important.

Helping those in **People in Need Envelope:** As we head into the colder months we are reminded of how difficult life is for those who are hungry, homeless and need have housing issues. The People in Need envelope, with your envelopes for November, enables us to participate in outreach support in collaboration with community agencies. Some of the ways your donations have helped is through our ongoing help to the YMCA Re-Connect program (the funds have helped with food, prescriptions, winter clothing/boots for adults and children, obtaining birth certificates, local bus tickets to name a few). We have supported The Moncton Community Chaplaincy which offers programs and support to ex-offenders so that they can turn their life to a positive direction as contributing members of society. We joined other downtown parishes in making a donation to the Karing Kitchen when their freezer broke and this could have impacted their provision of daily meals to those in need. Contributions through this envelope also help with the costs of the Christmas Boxes we prepare. The help we provide makes a big difference to the guality of life for many. Thank you for continuing this act of caring.

Knights of Columbus - Council 1310, Sunday Breakfast: Nov 5th, 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM, 84 Broadway St. Adults- \$ 8, Children - \$ 3 & 5 yrs & under are free.



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 - Sunday, Nov. 12 at the Patrice LeBlanc Room, 91 Murphy St., Moncton (next to the Notre-Dame-de-la-Paix church, Humphrey), 2 to 4 PM. There will be a presentation around 3 PM. Best wishes only!



Friday, Dec. 15, 2017 @ 7:30 PM @ the Wesleyan Celebration Ctr., St. George Blvd., In support of the Food Depot Alimentaire, the Karing Kitchen, and the Ray of Hope Soup Kitchen. Admission is \$ 10.00 plus non-perishable food item(s). <u>Tickets available at</u>: Jean Coutu Pharmacies, Read's Newstands, Sobeys, Vaughan Harvey Blvd., The Hospice Shoppe, People's Park Tower Variety, & from any chorus member.



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Theology on Tap: Our next Theology on Tap for young adults 19-39, <u>Sunday, Nov. 5 at</u> 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 <u>Sat., Nov. 25, 10 AM</u>, location TBA.

Parish Catechetical Coordinators: Meet Monday, Nov. 6 @ 6 PM at the Diocesan Offices on 45 York St.

Adult Faith Commission: Meet Wednesday, Nov. 8 @ 6:30 PM at the Diocesan Offices on 45 York St..

Gospel of Mark: the Puzzling Story of Jesus: On Dec. 3 we begin a new liturgical year in the Church and for the following 12 months will hear the Good News of Jesus Christ told primarily through the eyes of the writer of Mark's Gospel. Join Dr. Andrew Wilson on <u>Sat., Nov. 25th at Holy Family Church Hall, 9 AM - 3:30 PM</u> as he delves into such questions as: Who is Mark's Jesus? As the earliest Gospel, does Mark get us closest to the Jesus of history? Cost of the session is \$12. Dr. Wilson is a frequent and popular presenter for the Office of Faith Development. He is associate professor of Religious Studies at Mount Allison University. Pre-registration is necessary by November 22, and may be done by contacting Ellen. Lunch will be provided.