

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life.

WELCOME TO THE PARISH UNIT OF:

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

MASS TIMES WEEK OF MARCH 12-18, 2018	
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 MARCH 12 - 16, 2018	
Monday - Friday	9 AM -12 Noon & 1 - 4 PM (closed 12 noon to 1 PM)

MASS INTENTIONS MARCH 12 - 18, 2018				
Thurs.	Mar. 15	9:30 AM	Anniv. late Ada Payne	Lois & Gordon
Sat.	Mar. 17	11:00 AM	Late Valerie & Emmett Byron	Claudia & Art
Sat.	Mar. 17	4:00 PM	Late Gerald & Rose Keenan	Eddy & Sherry
Sun.	Mar. 18	11:00 AM	Anniv. late Susan Fortin	Family

OFFERINGS FROM MARCH 3 & 4, 2018			
Loose	\$ 520.15	Easter Flowers	\$ 535.00 (10)
Envelopes	\$ 6,710.25 (294)	Upkeep of Holy Land	\$ 25.00 (1)
Share Lent	\$ 90.00 (2)	Karing Kitchen	\$ 158.15
Good Friday	\$ 5.00 (1)	Reconnect	\$ 69.45
Capital Expenditure	\$ 1,852.00		
Thank you for your generous and continued support!			

	MARK YOUR CALENDARS	
Carmelites	2nd Saturday of the month - 10 AM - 12 Noon	Stage Area
Living Word Community	Wednesdays , 7 PM	St. Augustine's
Prayer Group		
Prayer Group	7 PM - March 24	Church Hall
RCIA	1 st & 3 rd Weds. of month - 7 PM	Stage Area
Circle of Friends	After 9:30 AM Mass (no gathering March 22 & 29)	Church Hall
Next Baptism Preparation	Tuesdays, April 3 & 10	Stage Area
Next Baptisms	Sunday, April 29, 2018 @ 2 PM	Church
Lent Penitential Service	Sunday, March 11 @ 2 PM	Church
St. Patrick's Day Mass	Saturday, March 17 @ 11 AM	Church
First Holy Communion	Sunday - April 29, 2018 @ 11 AM Mass	Church
Confirmation	Wednesday - May 2, 2018 @ 7 PM	Church
First Reconciliation	Wednesday, May 16, 2018 @ 5:45 PM	Church

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Ecclesiastes 3...

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

Willow Drover	Jean Trenholm	Eleanor Beck
Stella Gallant	Ben Evers	
Ann Vautour	Diane Maillard	

WITH PRAYERS & HEARTFELT	
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A time to mourn...Our sincere sympathies to the families of:

Bev Miller	Wife of (late Donald), mother of Kathy, Gordon and Donald	
Tim Sullivan	Husband of Joyce (Betty), father of Tom, Bridget, Becky and Terry	
Dean Comeau	Son of Ida	
Linda Logan	Wife of Eric, mother of Victoria and Elizabeth	
And to all who mourn the loss of a loved one		



Remember to set your clocks forward one hour.
(Before bed Saturday night, March 10/18)
Daylight savings begins Sunday, March 11/18 at 2 AM



Riverview Sugar Maple Pancake Breakfast, hosted by the Knights of Columbus at the Dan Bohan Centre, will take place on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>April 7th from 8-10:30 AM</u>. Pancakes, maple syrup, ham, sausage, scrambled eggs, toast and beans. Choice of juice, tea or coffee. Family (2 adults & children) \$21, adults \$7, Children 6-12 years old -\$3.50, children under 6-Free. For more information call 386-2870.

Development and Peace - Week 4 - March 11



A school of community leaders in Peru. For the fourth week of Lent, let's go to Peru and discover one of Development and Peace's partners, the Bartolomé de Las Casas Institute! It runs the Hugo Echegaray

leadership school, where students strengthen their capacity for dialogue, consensus, participation, and consultation in order to exercise ethical and responsible civic leadership in their communities.

The Solidarity Sunday collection will be celebrated in all Canadian parishes next week. We will appeal to your generosity in support of our sisters and brothers in the Global South who fight every day for peace, human dignity, and social justice.

A tour of Ireland – Sep. 17 to 29, 2018: Depart from & return to Moncton. Information Session at St. Bernard's Church Hall Sunday, March 18, at 6:30 PM. This tour is being arranged by Travel Consultant Liliana Trail (386-8954) with assistance from Fr. Charles Broderick (386-6852). Please call for more information.

Journey to the Holy Land - A pilgrimage to the Holy Land will take place Oct 15-24, 2018. An information session will be held at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Riverview on Sunday, March 18th at 2 PM. For more information, please call Travel Consultant, Liliana Trail (386-8954) or Fr. Phil Mulligan (386-6737).

Easter Flowers

If you would like to donate funds for Easter Flowers in memory of a loved one you may do so by completing the information below & placing it with your donation in a plain envelope. That envelope can be put into the collection basket at mass or dropped off at the office. Names will be in the Easter bulletin. Thank you to all those who donate to this yearly project.

In Memory of:	
Donated by:	
Address:	
Envelope #	
Amount \$	



St Patrick's Day Mass at St. Bernard's Church Saturday, March 17 @ 11 AM

St. Bernard's Choir will be singing Irish Music ½ hour before Mass



Moncton Right to Life Fundraiser Dinner Hosted by Knights of Columbus - Council 9270 Sunday April 8, 5:00 PM at Dan Bohan Centre, Riverview

\$ 20.00 per ticket - serving turkey with all the trimmings!
Tickets available at Immaculate Heart of Mary, St. Augustine's or
St. Bernard's parish offices or by calling Sister Cecile 857- 9414,
Lise 854 4209 or Connie 857 4035.

More 'thank yous' for the mittens...A recent conversation with a teacher provided interesting revelations on both sides. As mittens were delivered to one of the local schools after Christmas, the teacher said to the St. Bernard's ladies, 'so that is where the mittens came from!' During the winter months, the mittens from the 'mitten box' are well used. One of the activities that occurs to promote fresh air and exercise, is to go skating at one of the neighborhood rinks. Skates have been donated for those needing them, but on the many cold days this winter, having access to the hats, scarves and mittens that made their way to the school, from the abundance donated at the church in December, meant that the children stayed warm and dry. Thank you again for your generosity.

St. Bernard's Faith Formation					
Session	Sundays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays		
	<u>Years 1,2,3</u> : 9:15 - 10:45 AM	Years 1,2,3:	Years 4, 5, 6:		
	<u>Years 4, 5, 6</u> : 12:15 - 1:45 PM Year 7: 12:15-1:45 PM	6 - 7:30 PM	6 -7:30 PM		
12	March 11	March 13	March 14		
13	March 18	March 20	March 21		
14	April 8	April 10	April 11		
15	April 22	April 24	April 25		
16	May 6	May 8	May 9		



First Communion Preparation Sessions (Parent & child)

→ Thursdays, 6:00 - 7:30 PM	March 22, 2018
→At St. Bernard's Church Hall	April 12, 2018



Year 7 - Confirmation Group - Confirmation Retreat

- March 18, at St. Bernard's 2:30 5:30
- For Sponsors and candidates (in lieu of regular gathering at 12:15)



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Lenten Instagram Challenge 2018: Join the Office of Youth Faith Development on Instagram as we journey through Lent with Lenten Photo Challenge 2018. Check us out **Youth Faith Moncton** on Instagram for further information, or contact Trevor at the Office of Youth Faith Development.

Parish Catechetical Coordinators: meet Thursday, March 15th at 6:00 PM at Holy Family Parish Hall.

Not Getting an Answer, But We'd Be More Informed About the Question: A new take on the traditional book study: As a way of giving you something to reflect on during Lent, you are invited to read Sr. Nuala Kenny's book: Rediscovering the Art of Dying: How Jesus' Experience and Our Stories Reveal a New Vision of Compassionate Care. Then join us for two Saturday mornings during the Easter season (April 14th and 21st) for a discussion about the book facilitated by retired nurses, Claudia McCloskey and Maurise Leveque. This is the first in our series of initiatives to have a conversation around the complex issue of medically assisted suicide. Copies of Sr. Nuala's book are available at the Vision Book Store at Place de la Cathédral, 224 St. George St., Moncton (the basement of the Cathedral – side entrance off the parking lot) for \$17.

With Gratitude & Thanksgiving: Time with David Haas: The Archdiocese of Moncton is pleased to host David Haas, well known composer of contemporary liturgical music (including: You are Mine, Blest Are They, and We Have Been Told), in concert on Friday, June 1st, 7 PM, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Riverview. Admission: \$20 (cash only). Doors open at 6:30 PM. Please note: a collection will be taken up for Music ministry Alive (MMA) Scholarship Fund for youth and adult music ministry formation. On Saturday, June 2nd, 9 AM – 2 PM, David will facilitate a workshop and retreat for Music Ministers. This day is offered free of charge to music ministers within our diocese. Advance registration only (Deadline is May 25th). Lunch will be provided. Visit www.diomoncton.ca for registration and other information. CDs, music and books by David will be available for purchase before and after the concert, and on Saturday as well.

Knights of Columbus - Council 11985, 91 Murphy Ave., will host a Sunday brunch, March 18, 8 AM - 12 Noon. Adults \$ 8, children under 12 years - s \$ 2. and under 5 years -free.



St. Bernard's Eucharistic Ministers Workshop		
When	Tuesday, March 13 th @ 7:00 PM	
Where	St. Bernard's Church	
Who	All existing Eucharistic Ministers & new ministers	
Content	New hand out material & active participation	
Facilitated by Rick Shaw		
St. Bernard's Liturgy Coordinator		



The Way of the Cross 2018

We (everyone who wishes to participate) will pray the Way of the Cross during the holy season of Lent on <u>Friday evenings at 7 PM</u>. To make this prayer available to as many as possible, we will celebrate it in different churches according to the following schedule:

March 16	Saint Augustine's
March 23	St. Bernard's
March 30	St. Bernard's



LENTEN PENITENTIAL SERVICES				
St. Bernard's	Sunday, March 11	2:00 PM		
Immaculate Heart	Wednesday, March 21	6:30 PM		
St. Augustine's	Wednesday, March 21	7:00 PM		



EVENING PRAYER

Christians are called in baptism to be people of prayer, to pray always, praising God and pleading for the world. Our priest-moderator, Fr. Carroll, encourages us at the beginning of Lent to be more cognizant of prayer during the Lenten season. Why not try gathering with the faith community for Evening Prayer? It only takes up a half hour of your time. We follow the format for Evening Prayer that is offered in our Catholic Book of Worship.

All parishioners of our parish unit are invited and encouraged to gather for Evening Prayer Thursday evenings at 7 PM, March 15, & 22.