

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

MASS TIMES WEEK OF DECEMBER 24-30, 2018		
St. Bernard's	Monday, Dec. 24 Christmas Eve @ 5 PM, 8 PM & 10 PM	
St. Vincent's	Monday , Dec. 24 Christmas Eve @ 5:30 PM	
St. Bernard's	Tuesday, Dec. 25 @ 11:00 AM	
St. Clements	Tuesday, Dec. 25 @ 11:00 AM	
St. Bernard's	Thursday, Dec. 27 @ 9:30 AM	
St. Bernard's	Saturday, Dec. 29 @ 4:00 PM	
St. Bernard's	Sunday , Dec. 30 @ 11:00 AM	

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		
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS: DECEMBER 24-30, 2018		
Monday, December 24	9 AM - 12 Noon	
Tuesday & Wednesday, December 25 & 26	Closed	
Thursday and Friday, December 27 & 28	9 AM - 12 Noon & 1 - 4 PM	

MASS INTENTIONS DECEMBER 24-30, 2018				
Mon.	Dec .24	5: 00 PM	Late Ann Marie Gallagher	Sam and Donna Ermen
Mon.	Dec. 24	8:00 PM	Anniv. late John Fortin	Family
Mon.	Dec. 24	10:00 PM	Anniv. late Ruth Poirier	Family
Tue.	Dec. 25	11:00 AM	Late Marty Graham	Shirley and Family
Thurs,	Dec. 27	9:30 AM	Late Michael Felix	Mike and Rosemarie
Sat.	Dec. 29	4:00 PM	Anniv. late Albert Evers	Family
Sun.	Dec 30	11:00 PM	Late Justine Bourgeois	Family

OFFERINGS FROM DECEMBER 15-16, 2018			
Loose	\$ 865.85	Capital Expenditure	\$ 395.00 (13)
Envelopes	\$ 9,322.00 (305)	Capital Campaign	\$ 4,623.33 (31)
Karing Kitchen	\$ 339.40	Christmas Boxes	\$ 620.00 (5)
Needy Fund	\$ 650.00 (5)	Christmas Offerings	\$ 1,725.00 (8)
Christmas Flowers	\$ 545.00 (18)	Donation	\$ 2,000.00 (1)
Syrian Fund \$ 25.00 (2)			
Thank you for your generous and continued support!			

	MARK YOUR CALENDARS		
St. Bernard's Church - open Monday to Fríday 11 AM - 1 PM (for personal time of quiet reflection/prayer)			
Please note - V	Please note - Will not be open December 24, 25, 26, 31 and January 1 & 2		
Carmelites	2 nd Saturday of the month - 10 AM to 12 noon	Stage Area	
Living Word Community	Wednesdays @ 7 PM	St.	
Prayer Group		Augustine's	
Prayer Group	7 PM - 2 nd Sat & last Sat. of each month (after the 25 th)	Church Hall	
RCIA	1 st & 3 rd Weds. of each month	Stage Area	
Circle of Friends	Thursdays after 9:30 AM Mass - Resumes Jan. 24	Church Hall	
Next Baptism Prep.	Tuesdays - January 8 & 15	Stage Area	
Next Baptisms	Sunday - January 27	Church	

CONFESSION
St. Bernard's - Thurs 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 st Saturday of month Mass (9:00-9:20 AM upon request/availability of the Priest)
Notre-Dame-de-Grace (854 Mountain Rd.) - 3 rd 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...

Ann Vautour	Gordon Gallie	Robert Cormier	Yolanda Tristan
Shawn Crossman	Joanne Carson	Harold O'Reilly	Judy Chiasson
Marilyn MacLeod	James Wilson	Glen McCluskey	Stella Gauvin

Sympathy	A time to mournOur sincere sympathies to the families of:	
George Riley	Father of Cathy Jensen (Chris)	
Vera Duffey	Mother of Marion Avery (Norman)	
Austin Malone	Husband of Eileen	
And to all who mourn the loss of a loved one		



From the Offices of Faith Development, Liturgy & Youth Faith Development To contact us:

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Advent God Sightings: Be mindful of the Advent themes of Peace, Joy, Hope, and Love by sharing your Advent God Sightings on Instagram! How do you participate? Follow @YouthFaithMoncton on Instagram. Take a photo (as many as you want) that represent to you the Advent themes I just mentioned, and post them. Be sure to tag #youthfaithmoncton as well as #adventgodsightings so we can see them. Think creatively outside the box, something that speaks to you as we journey together through Advent towards Christmas.

Technology is great when it works! If you have been trying to reach the English diocesan offices via phone you may have noticed that we have not been getting back to you! That is because we have had some phone issues, with a new system which was put in place a couple of weeks back. All seems to be in working order now, but if we haven't returned your call, it's because we didn't get your message, so please call again. Also, please note that the contact information for Ellen, Trevor and Deb now includes a new phone number as well as the original ones, so if you do encounter difficulties in trying to reach us, please try the 857-9531 number and use the extension noted to contact the individual you need.

<u>Sacrament Preparation Resource Committee</u>: is scheduled to meet on Wednesday, January 9th at 2:00 p.m. at the Diocesan Offices on York Street. Please use the Dominion Street entrance.

Transformed Through Eucharist: What happens during the Eucharist? How important is Eucharist to you? Why are you preparing your child to make their First Communion? If you are parents of children who are preparing to receive Communion for the first time from any parish in the English sector, we ask that you attend this session on Thursday, January 10th from 6:30-8:00/8:30 pm at Holy Family Church Hall, Falkland Street, Moncton. We will offer an overview of the Liturgy of the Eucharist, and talk about how, through the Eucharist, the bread and wine and the assembly are transformed again into the Body of Christ. Please contact Ellen or your parish catechetical coordinator to register. And also please note that this session is open to any who are interested in attending.

<u>Parish Catechetical Coordinators</u>: are scheduled to meet on Monday, January 14, 2019 at 6:00 at the Diocesan Offices on York Street. Please use the Dominion Street entrance.

Adult Faith Commission: next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, January 15, 2019 at 6:30 at the Diocesan Offices on York Street. Please use the Dominion Street entrance.

<u>Confirmation candidates:</u> from various parishes of the English Deanery will meet with Archbishop Valéry Vienneau and the other young people who are preparing for Confirmation at Our Lady of the Assumption Cathedral on **Sunday, January 20th, 2019.** Candidates need to arrive between 1:30 p.m. and 1:45 p.m. for registration. The afternoon will conclude approximately 4:30 p.m.



IN THE EVENT OF A STORM OR INCLEMENT WEATHER CANCELLATIONS WILL BE NOTED ON:

ST. BERNARD'S WEBSITE: www.stbernardschurch.ca OR BY CALLING OUR PHONE LINE @ 857-0425.



Remembering our Deceased Family & Friends with Christmas Flowers



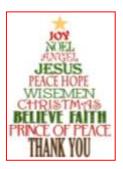
Once again this year, you are invited to make monetary donations for our Christmas floral arrangements in memory of deceased loved ones. All monies contributed will be used to purchase flowers that will decorate our church throughout the Christmas season. If you would like to donate funds for **Christmas 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 Christmas bulletin. **Thank you to all those who donate to this yearly project.**

In Memory of:	
Donated by:	
Address:	
\$ Amount	
Envelope # (if applicable)	



DONATIONS TO THE PARISH - YEAR END

<u>All</u> donations must be received <u>prior to December 31st</u> if they are to be included in the 2018 tax year.



May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as your trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit Romans 15:13

Merry Christmas & a Blessed New Year to all! Father Allison & Father Charlie



Mass Schedules Christmas & New Year's

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Christmas Eve - December 24		
St. Bernard's	5:00 PM (family Mass), 8:00 PM & 10:00 PM	
St. Augustine's	4:00 PM & 9:00 PM	
Immaculate Heart of Mary	4:00 PM & 8:30 PM	
St. Jude's	6:30 PM	
St. Lawrence O'Toole	7:00 PM	
Holy Family	7:00 PM	
Our Lady of Mercy	7:00 PM	
Christmas Day- December 25		
St. Bernard's	11:00 AM	
St. Augustine's	11:00 AM	
Holy Ghost	10:00 AM	
New Year's Eve - December 31, 2018		
St. Bernard's	5:00 PM	
St. Augustine's	4:00 PM	
Holy Ghost	4:00 PM	
Our Lady of Mercy	4:00 PM	
New Year's Day-January 1, 2019		
St. Bernard's	11:00 AM	
St. Augustine's	11:00 AM	
Immaculate Heart	11:00 AM	
St. Lawrence O'Toole	9:00 AM	



Christmas

The Christmas season celebrates the birth of the Lord Jesus and the ways he manifested the presence of God among us. For the Church, only the Easter celebration of the Lord's death and rising is more important than the Christmas season. (See GNLY, no. 32.)



Thomas & Elizabeth Clements	Doug & Noreen Martin
Leslie, Dorothy, JJ Duplacey	Jeanne & Paul
Harold Battis	Doreen Battis
Hooper & MacInnis Families	Irene and family
Deceased members of O'Brien & Scott families	JoAnne & Michael
My late husband Ross Espiritu, baby daughters Rosalie Fatima & Judy Rose	Lydia R. Espiritu
Norma Power, Joseph & Teresa Power	Gerry Power
Joseph O'Connor & Tom & Edna Bryant	Parents of Neil & Carol Ann Bryant
Dr. George Boyd	Dr. Bill & Carol Taylor
Howard "Ticker" Shean	Irene Shean
Mabel & Bobby Girouard	Chuck & Jessie Kinney
James, Rose & Michael Carroll	Chuck & Jessie Kinney
Liam Colosimo & Emery LeBlanc	Denise LeBlanc
James Melanson	Irma Melanson
Theresa Margaret Riordan	Ted Riordan
Mary Gertrude Riordan & Madeline Commins	Ted Riordan



Peter Thoms	Sandy & Mary Forgeron
Emery "Tim" Cormier	From wife Arline
John Hay	Emily & Brenda
John Gibson	Norma Gibson
Harmon, Gladys, Sarah Fogarty	Bernice & Bill Fogarty
Frank, Rose & Jeanette Arsenault	Bernice & Bill Fogarty
Harry & Greta Fahey	James, Gary & Sharon Fahey
John & Ann Boom	Betty & Casey Evers
Laura & Arthur Eveleigh	Mary & Nelson Green Jr.
Mary & Nelson Green Sr.	Mary & Nelson Green Jr.
Elizabeth MacGowan	Mary & Nelson Green Jr.
Maureen Coyle	Madge Lund & family
Chris Harper	Gerry Harper
Francis Perry	The Davis', Anglie, Greg, Sean & Sarah
Frank Vrensen	Ria Vrensen
McShane & Cohoon families	Greg & Mary Cohoon



John Joseph (J.J.) Murphy	Lorraine, John, Michaela, Adam & Noah
Jim Beek	Marie
Joy (Bell) Brown	Debbie Sebastien - sister
Sid Wright	Imelda Wright
Ray MacKinnon	Valerie MacKinnon
Evelyn Stevens	Laurie & Frances Cormier
John & Susan Fortin	The family
René Lajoie	Mary Lou & Raymond
Deceased parents:	Bernard & Chantal Cormier
Gerard & Geraldine, and René & Georgina	
Roy Hopper	Family
Anthony Francis Maillard, Linda Ann Arsenault	Family
Deceased of Léger, Maillard & Arsenault families	Family
Marie G. Demers (Murray)	Lou Demers
Leona Demers (Veaugeois)	Lou Demers
Lisa (daughter) & Madisson (granddaughter)	Mom & Dad (John & Gerry Stockman)



Alice & Arthur Roach	Fred & Brenda Fitzsimmons
Manuel de Matos	The Currier Family
Anne Cummings	Family
David Murphy	Family
Krista (VanBuskirk) Porter	Mom, Dad, & Todd & family
Lea Landry	Family
Eleanor Beck	The family
James & Ethel Cavanaugh	The family
Alcide Joseph Gautreau Jr.	Mom, Dad & family



Wishing you a beautiful Christmas, That is filled with many good things And all the sweet peace and joy That knowing Jesus brings







Ronald Snyder	Stella Snyder
Jude P. & Mary Bourgeois, Paul Bourgeois	Jude & Janet
Philip Bourgeois & Susan Morgan	Jude & Janet
Perley & Lilia Bannister	Shirley MacMillan
Donation	Yvonne Williams
Jackie Melanson & Mike Gould	Linda & Don
Jack & Barb Gould	Linda & Don
Charles & Vera O'Connor	Linda & Don
Thomas & Jean Kane	Mike & Rosemary Kane
Ann Marie Walbourne	Mike & Rosemary Kane
Earl & Isobel Noel	Mike & Rosemary Kane
Deceased members of Cassidy & Richard families	Diane & Paul Cassidy
Edward & Viola Parks	Jim & Gayle Gallant
Bill, Thelma, & Paul McCourt	Bernie McCourt
Andrew & David Devine	Patricia Devine & family
Ben & Olézine Arsenault	Louis & Florence McKinley
Frank Vrensen	Ria Vrensen
Jean Hooper, Bradley Allan Foreman	Allan & Joanne Foreman
George O'Dell	Zella O'Dell