TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

WELCOME TO THE PARISH UNIT OF:

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

MASS TIMES WEEK OF OCTOBER 14 - 20, 2019

St. Bernard's	Thursday @ 9:30 AM, Saturday @ 4 PM & Sunday @ 11 AM
St. Vincent's	Sunday @ 9AM
St. Clement's	Saturday @ 7PM (every 2nd week - 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: OCTOBER 14-18, 2019			
Monday- Office Closed In observance of Thanksgiving Day			
Tuesday - Friday 9:00 AM -12:00 noon & 1 - 4 PM (closed for lunch 12-1PM)			

MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF OCTOBER 14 - 20, 2019				
Thursday Oct. 17 9:30 AM Anniv. late Chris Keenan Jr. Family			Family	
Saturday	Oct .19	4:00 PM	M Anniv. late Emery Tim Cormier Arline Cormier and family	
Sunday Oct. 20 11:00 AM Late Eleanor Chamberlain Louise Ongo		Louise Ongo		

OFFERINGS FROM OCTOBER 5 - 6, 2019				
Loose	\$ 894.25	Building Fund	\$ 2,092.00 (71)	
Envelopes	\$ 7,500.00 (286)	Capital Campaign	\$ 1,660.00 (42)	
Religious Education	\$ 5.00 (1)	Evangelization of People	\$ 250.00 (1)	
Needs of the Can. Church	\$110.00 (8)	All Souls	\$ 55.00 (2)	
Needy Fund	\$ 40.00 (1)	Syrian Relief	\$1,245.00 (11)	
Karing Kitchen	\$ 180.20			
THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS AND CONTINUED SUPPORT				



St. Bernard's Church - open Monday to Fríday 11 AM - 1 PM (for personal time of quiet reflection/prayer)

St. Bernard's Holly Tea	Saturday, November 2, 2 - 4 PM	Hall
Sacrament of the Sick	Wednesday, October 30 @ 7 PM	Holy Family
Next Baptisms	Sunday, October 27 @ 2:00 PM	Church
Baptism Prep.	Tuesday, November 5 & 12 7:00 - 8:30 PM	Stage Area
Circle of Friends	Thursdays after 9:30 AM Mass	Church Hall
RCIA	1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month @ 7 PM	Stage Area
Prayer Group	7 PM, 2 nd Sat & last Sat. of each month (after the 25 th)	Church Hall
Living Word Community Prayer Group	Wednesdays @ 7 PM St. Augustine's	
Secular Carmelites	2 nd Saturday of the month - 9:30 AM - 12 noon Stage Area Contact Dorine @ 388-3699 for more information	

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 - 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)		

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Ecclesíastes 3... Under every season there is a time...A time to heal... We remember in our prayers those who are sick ...

Chris Fortin	Roger Berube	Pauline Dalton
Rob Robichaud	Bernie Cormier	
Ronald Briffet	Elaine Greene	
Pat McCarron	Ann Vautour	

Sympathy	A time to mourn our sincere sympathy to the families of:	
Robert Williams	Husband of (late) Mary, father of Angela, Mark (Donna), & Karen	
And to all those who mourn the loss of a loved one.		



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

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Deb	857-9531, ext 1262	liturgymoncton@gmail.com	

Two presentations regarding end of life:

Redefining Palliative Care for the 21st Century with Pamela Mansfield, MD, Palliative Care Division Head, Moncton Hospital, Horizon Health Network, & Asst. Professor, Dalhousie University takes place on Saturday, <u>Oct. 19th, 9:30 AM to noon at St. Bernard's Church Hall.</u> Dr. Mansfield will help us understand that Palliative Care is for anyone with a life limiting illness; explain what we can do to help someone with a life limiting illness; and discuss what leads to the request for medical assistance in dying.

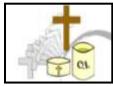
End of Life Issues & Estate Planning: Thinking Outside the Box with Eileen Dennis, B.A., LL.B. a lawyer specializing in family, property and estate law, takes place on <u>Thursday, October 24th from</u> 6:30-8:30 p.m., also at St. Bernard's Church Ha</u>ll. Ms. Dennis will help us to understand what Advance Care Planning is and the importance of it; speak about the need to have conversations with loved ones to ensure our end of life decisions are respected; and explain what should be in the will, and what should be clarified beforehand. Pre-registration for one or both sessions is necessary and may be done by contacting Ellen.

Baptism Preparation: The revised diocesan-wide Baptism Preparation for parents presenting their children for Baptism was implemented in the archdiocese in March 2015 and has now been used by our parishes for 4 years. With the hands-on experience of those who facilitate these sessions for the parents, it is time to gather and dialogue with one another about the rewards and challenges of being involved in this ministry; what's working and (maybe) what's not; ways we can we more effective. Therefore, as a member of your parish baptismal preparation team, you are asked <u>to join Archbishop</u> **Valéry Vienneau and Ellen on Saturday, October 26 from 9:30 – noon at St. Bernard's.** Archbishop Vienneau will also offer a session on the Holy Spirit. Please contact Ellen to confirm your attendance.

Transformed Through Eucharist: Please note the preliminary announcement of this session for parents of children preparing to receive First Eucharist next spring which will take place on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>Nov .14 at Holy Family Church Hall</u>. More details will follow in later bulletins.

Holy Family Church will be hosting a fundraiser Auction Evening on Friday, October 25th. Doors open at 5:30 PM & the auction starts at 6 PM. We have all sorts of wonderful items to auction (Silent & Live) & of course, an incredible baking table!

Snowflake Bazaar – Immaculate Heart of Mary Church – Saturday, Nov. 2nd: (sponsored by Ladies Society) 10 AM-1PM in the Dan Bohan Ctr. There will be a variety of crafts, books, baked goods, jams & jellies, white elephant table and a Silent Auction! As usual, we will be offering a lunch of coffee/tea & muffin or soup & crackers for a very small fee.



COMMUNAL CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT 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?

- \rightarrow Those who are elderly and whose frailty is becoming more pronounced
- \rightarrow Those adults and children who are suffering from a major illness.

(Illness comes in many different forms - physical, mental, psychological, emotional, spiritual)

- \rightarrow Those who are facing or recovering from surgery or serious medical tests
- \rightarrow Those suffering from a serious accident
- \rightarrow Those who suffer from chronic illness such as arthritis or diabetes

 \rightarrow 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. Please join us at Holy Family Church, 52 Faulkland St., Moncton, Wednesday, October 30 at 7 PM for Mass and the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. All parishioners within the three English pastoral units are invited and encouraged to participate in this celebration.



Please - No Scent Policy

Out of respect for those with sensitivities, please avoid wearing scented products in the Church, Parish Office & the Church Hall. Thank you.

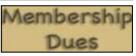
St. Vincent de Paul Society, Fall Fundraiser - Saturday Oct. 26, 8 AM - 1 PM at 113 Norwood Ave. There is something for everyone - a large selection of flea Market items as well as good quality used clothing. Your support will help the needy of our community!



Thanksgiving Day - Monday, October 14

It is fitting for God's people to offer public thanks for all the gifts we have received. The bountiful produce of the earth is a visible sign of the many blessings God wants to shower on us through Christ (see Eph 1.3-10). Our God also wants us to share the goods of the earth with all people.





2020 CWL Dues Collection Dues are now payable and due by December 31st.

Dues can be paid at the November or December meeting. For members who do not attend meetings, dues can also be paid at Circle of Friends or by giving dues to another member to deliver on your behalf.

Members are asked to please refrain from submitting dues though the parish office & using the collection baskets at weekend masses for due submissions.

Children's Faith Formation Dates - 2019

Jesus Loves Mel			
	Sunday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Session	Years 1-2-3@ 9:15 AM - 10:45 AM Years 4-5-6 @ 12:15 PM - 1:45 PM Years 7 @ 6 - 7:30 PM	Years 1-2-3 6:00 - 7:30 PM	Years 4-5-6 6:00 - 7:30 PM
4	Oct. 27	Oct. 29	Oct. 30
5	Nov . 3	Nov. 5	Nov. 6
6	Nov . 24	Nov. 26	Nov. 27
7	Dec. 8	Dec. 10	Dec. 11



St. Bernard's Catholic Women's League Holly Tea & Sale Saturday, November 2nd, 2 - 4 PM St. Bernard's Church hall, 43 Botsford St.



There will be a bake table, craft table, white elephant table & door prizes.

Tickets \$15/adult & \$5.00/children, under 12, & will be available at the door & parish office or 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 may do so. Drop off times: Friday, Nov 1st, 9 AM - 4 PM and Saturday morning before 10:30 AM. 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 20, 2019

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.



Best wishes and congratulation to: Irene MacInnis on the occasion of her 92nd Birthday - October 13th, 2019



Monday, October 14 Thanksgiving Day - office closed





Social Justice Corner Your Social Justice and Community Life Committee

Our vision....

to help restore dignity of life for the poor and marginalized people.

Our mission

to respond to the needs of the poor, lonely, downtrodden, misunderstood and vulnerable in our Parish Community.

Our values

The following values guide our attitudes and actions:

<u>Charity / Direct Service</u>: We recognize that charity is extremely important because it meets the immediate needs of those who without help could go hungry, go homeless, be left alone and forgotten. In charity we give people fish and bread to eat.

<u>Empowerment</u>: We are committed to providing our services and expertise to help people help themselves. In actions helping to restore a person's sense of dignity, we help people learn to fish and bake bread.

<u>Advocacy</u>: We will seek out and respond to the underlying causes of why people are poor, suffering homeless, sick or alienated . We will endeavor to change the social structures that cause that suffering.

<u>Education</u>: We will create an awareness on issues that simply gives information on a social justice concern.

FURNITURE DRIVE

Syrian Refugee Family Furniture Drive:

Your committee wants to thank you for your financial support in bringing our 2nd young family to Canada. We have already received some additional support from parishioners with the donation of furniture items. We are seeking "gently" used items in good condition. Items such as bed frames, dressers, tables, chairs would be greatly appreciated. If you feel you could help, please call St. Bernard's Social Justice phone line - 204-4882 and leave a message. Your call will be returned.



Syrian Refugee Family Fundraiser:

The Syrian Relief Committee at St. Bernard's are selling tickets on a lovely gift basket to raise funds for the family we are sponsoring. Tickets: \$2.00 each or 3 for \$ 5.00. Your support will very helpful as we work to bring our new family to Canada. Tickets may be purchased at Parish Office - Monday to Friday- 9 AM - 4 PM (closed 12 - 1)



A special thank you to the Knights of Columbus Council 1310 for their generous contribution of \$1000.00 for our Syrian Refugee Family initiative.

Together we are making a difference!... Saint Bernard's ... Strong roots, New growth