



*Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us;
make our hearts burn with love when you speak.*

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

MASS TIMES WEEK OF MAY 1 - 7, 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
Liturgy: Rick Shaw, Deb Gillespie	Adult Faith: Dr. Andrew Wilson

STAFF

Secretary: Darlene McGraw	Custodian: Michel Saulnier
Bookkeeper: Louise Tardif	Facilities Manager: Mike Murphy
Catechetical Coordinator: Lorella Dunnett	Email: Lorella_st.bernards@hotmail.com

PARISH OFFICE HOURS WEEK OF MAY 1 - 7, 2017

Monday to Friday	9AM -12 Noon & 1 - 4 PM
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MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF MAY 1 - 7, 2017

Thurs.	May 4	9:30 AM	Late Alban & Therese Chevarie	Family
Sat.	May 6	4:00 PM	Late George McCarthy & Donna MacQuarrie	Gert & Fran
Sun.	May 7	11:00 AM	Anniv. late Clifford Kennedy	Family

OFFERINGS FROM APRIL 22 & 23, 2017

Loose	\$ 775.25	Good Friday	\$ 145.00 (11)
Envelopes	\$ 5,734.00 (300)	Upkeep of Holy Land	\$ 10.00 (1)
Easter	\$ 795.00 (21)	Karing Kitchen	\$ 59.10
Share Lent	\$ 70.00 (5)	Capital Expenditure	\$ 310.00 (8)

Thank you for your generous and continued support!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS		
Carmelites	1 st Sat. of month	Church Hall
Circle of Friends	After 9:30 AM Mass	Church Hall
Prayer Group	7 PM - 2 nd Sat. & last Sat. (after the 25 th of each month)	Church Hall
Next Baptisms	Sunday, April 30 @ 2 PM	Church
Baptism Prep	Tuesdays, May 2 & 9	Stage Area
CWL Monthly Meeting	Monday, May 1 - see note in bulletin	Church Hall
RCIA	Wed., May 3 & 17 @ 7 PM	Stage Area
CWL of Canada - National Day of Prayer for Palliative Care (see note in bulletin)		Church/Hall
Syrian Relief Meeting	Wednesday, May 4 @ 7 PM	Stage Area
Sacrament celebrations at St. Bernard's:		
➤ Sacrament of First Communion: Sunday, April 30 @ 11 AM Mass		
➤ Sacrament of Confirmation: Wednesday, May 3 @ 7 PM		
➤ Sacrament of Reconciliation: Wednesday, May 17 @ 6 PM		
Pastoral Care Committee	Meeting - Thursday, May 4 @ 10 AM	

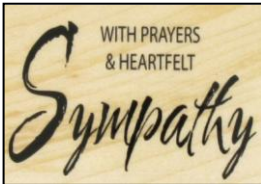
CONFESSION
St. Bernard's - Thursday mornings - before 9:30 AM Mass (upon request/availability of the Priest)
Immaculate Heart of Mary Church - Saturday afternoons from 1 - 1:30 PM
St. Bernard's prior to 9:30 AM Mass @ 1 st Saturday of the month Mass
Notre-Dame-de-Grace (854 Mountain Rd.) - 3 rd Saturday 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...

***Philip Barton, Diane Allain, Harold Woods, Peggy Taylor,
Gertrude McCarthy, Ken Loubert, Nancy Duguay,
Patricia Allain, and Erich Kopetzky.***



A TIME TO MOURN...

Our sincere sympathies to the family of...

***Sarah McDuff*, daughter of Jason & Christa, sister of Ian**

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



Syrian Refugee Response Committee

The Social Justice Committee now has access to a storage space for donated household items for the Syrian Family. **If you have items to donate, call the parish social justice line at 204-4882.** Leave a message with your phone number and someone from the committee will contact you. **Thank you to parishioners for donations of furniture & household items that have been picked up so far.**

Meeting: Thursday, May 4 @ 7 PM - Stage Area



Bursaries



Due to the generosity of a parishioner St. Bernard's Catholic Women's League is able to offer a \$1,000 Bursary to a student graduating from High School in June 2017 who is a parishioner & is pursuing post-secondary studies. Please submit a letter of application by May 30, 2017 including your future plans to: St. Bernard's Catholic Women's League Bursary Selection Committee, Parish Office, 43 Botsford St., Moncton, NB, E1C 4W9.

Due to the generosity of a parishioner St. Bernard's Parish is also offering a \$1,000 Bursary to a graduate who is pursuing or enrolled in post-secondary studies. Send or deliver your application to: St. Bernard's Parish Bursary, Parish Office, 43 Botsford St., Moncton, NB E1C 4W9. Deadline for applications: May 30th, 2017. Please include a personal letter detailing your involvement at school, in the parish and in the community, as well as your future plans.

The Knights of Columbus, Council 1310 is offering a \$ 500 Bursary to a student graduating from High School in June 2017 who is a parishioner & is pursuing post-secondary studies. The individual must be a first time applicant - bursary is not renewable. Please submit a letter of application by May 30, 2017 including your future plans to: St. Bernard's Parish Office, Re: KOC-Council 1310 Bursary, 43 Botsford St., Moncton, NB, E1C 4W9.

The WAK (Moncton) Chapter of the Irish Cdn. Cultural Assoc. has 3 scholarships valued at \$ 500 available to students entering, or attending, university in 2017. Applications are available at irishroom@rogers.com or at the St. Bernard's parish office. Deadline for applications is June 1, 2017.



NB Right to Life's annual March will be on Tuesday, May 2nd in Fredericton. To reserve a seat on the bus, please call: Sister Cecile Francois LeBlanc @ 857 9414 or email cecilevie@hotmail.com – \$ 20 each / families \$ 20 as well.



Sponsored by Moncton Right to Life - Saturday May 6th, 8 AM - 12 noon at 74 Poirier Dr., Moncton. Donations greatly appreciated. For more info. call: Lise/David @ 854-4209 or Sr. Cecile @ 857-9414. Proceeds to NBRL Building Fund.



**Meeting at St. Bernard's - Thursday - May 4, 2017
After 9:30 AM Mass**

St. Bernard's Faith Formation

Sacrament Celebrations:

- **First Communion - Sunday, April 30 @ 11 AM Mass**
- **Sacrament of Confirmation - Wednesday, May 3 @ 7 PM**
(Confirmation practice Tuesday, May 2 @ 6:30 PM meet in the hall)
- **Sacrament of Reconciliation, Wednesday, May 17 @ 6 PM**
(Rehearsal for Reconciliation - Tuesday, May 16 @ 6:30PM)



Last class gatherings for Catechism

Sunday - May 7	9:15 AM-10:45 AM	Years 1-2-3
Sunday - May 7	12:15 PM-1:45 PM	Years 4-5-6
Tuesday - May 9	6:00 PM-7:30 PM	Years 1-2-3
Wednesday May 10	6:00 PM- 7:30 PM	Years 4-5-6



Please continue to pray for St. Bernard's youth as they prepare for the gifts of these sacraments.



From the Offices of Faith Development,
Liturgy and Youth Faith Development

To contact us:

Ellen - 857- 9952 or ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com;

Trevor - 857-4879 or trevord.diocese@gmail.com and

Deb at liturgymoncton@gmail.com

Books for Breakfast (Young Adults 19-39): The next Books For Breakfast discussion, Saturday, May 27, 10 AM at Codiac Cafe (666 St. George Blvd). Our selection will be the Pulitzer Prize-winning novel **All The Light You Cannot See, by Anthony Doerr**. For more information, contact Trevor.



Vacation Bible School 2017! This summer's Vacation Bible School theme will be **Maker Fun Factory: Created by God, Built for a Purpose**, and will take place mornings of June 26 -30. It will be held at Immaculate Heart of Mary church in Riverview, and children from all parishes in the Archdiocese are encouraged to join us. Registration is free but should be done early because we are able to accommodate only 50 children. Registration may be done online by going to www.diomoncton.ca and following the link for Maker Fun Factory. Contact Karen at 387-4198 for more information.



CWL Monthly Meeting - Monday, May 1st, 2017

Birthing Baby Shower - Please Bring a Gift or Monetary Donation

6:30 PM - Rosary in Church Hall

7:00 PM - Regular Meeting with Reports

New Members Welcomed

**The Catholic Women's League of Canada
calls all people of faith to join nationwide in prayer for palliative care on
Thursday, May 4th.**

You are invited to join St. Bernard's CWL from 9 AM to 2 PM at St. Bernard's Church to pray for palliative care by journeying with them on the "Way of the Cross." Scripture readings, interpretations and reflections will focus on palliative care and will give us a better understanding of how we care for the dying, and the importance of faith and hope in this process. Bring bag lunch. Thank you in advance.

Canadian Saints Pilgrimage: I am looking into the possibility of a five (5) day pilgrimage to visit the resting sites of our six saints. They are:

In Quebec City: St. Marie de l'Incarnation (1599-1672), founder of the Urselines Sisters in Québec, and St. François de Laval (1623-1708), first Bishop of Québec.

In Montreal area: St. Marguerite Bourgeoys (1620–1700), founded the Congregation of Notre Dame, St. Marguerite d'Youville (1701–1771), founded the Grey Nuns (originally called The Sisters of Charity of the Hôpital Général of Montreal), St. André Bessette, C.S.C. (1845-1937) was a Holy Cross Brother, and St. Kateri Tekakwitha (1656-1680) was a layperson and a significant aboriginal figure.

I anticipate a stop in St. Anne de Beaupre as well.

Dates: Oct. 30 - Nov. 3, 2017. Estimated Cost: preliminary indications are approximately \$650 to \$750 for cost of transportation and hotels. Meals extra. Final cost will depend on numbers. If there is sufficient interest, I will continue to investigate this.

If you are interested, please advise by email to charliebroderick@rogers.com within the next two weeks. No commitment at this time, just looking for level of interest. In Christ, Fr. C. Broderick.

Vision Bookstore: Monthly sales: Come visit us at 45 York St., Moncton (Diocesan Centre) on Friday, May 5, 8 AM - Noon and from 1 PM - 4 PM and take advantage of a special monthly sale where most books (in stock) will be reduced by 10%. Information: www.visionbookstore.ca * Please visit our "**Facebook Page**" regularly and discover our new arrivals every week!



For fifty days, the people of God reflect on the meaning of Jesus' resurrection and of their sharing in it through baptism: dying to sin and living for God. For seven weeks we celebrate the presence of Jesus among us. We celebrate his ascension, and pray to him, seated in glory with the Father. As we prepare for Pentecost, we ask him to fill us with the grace and power of his Spirit.



MarchethonWalkathon: Organized by Mother Teresa Conference Saint Vincent de Paul Society - May 14 @ 2 PM.

Departure: House of Nazareth, 14 Clark St., Moncton. A 2.9 km

Walkathon fund-raising activity to help people living in a situation of poverty. Marchers will stop at 10 locations to hear spokespersons describe how their organizations work with people in need. To register for the walkathon: Call 853-9191 & leave a message asking for the registration form. Get sponsored by someone—receipts for income tax purposes will be issued for donations of \$20 or more.



Camp Sheldrake: Located in Bartibog, NB, (20 minutes outside Miramichi) on 150 acres overlooking the beautiful Miramichi River, Camp Sheldrake boasts two waterfronts, and several kilometers of woodland trails. We are a residential outdoor adventure summer

camp for youth and teens. As a Catholic-based camp, affiliated with the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saint John, our program bases itself in Christian values and often focuses on the theme of Social Justice. Our days & meals begin with prayer and we end our days around a group campfire based on Spiritual and Social Justice themes. For more information: brochures are available at the entrances of the church, you may go to www.campsheldrake.ca, call 506-622-8907



A Great Mother's Day Gift - The MetroTones Pop Chorus will host an evening of Memories, Salutes, and Tributes to our veterans. In proximately to D-Day, they are honoring our Veterans at their 16th annual charity concert on Saturday, June 3, 7:30 PM at the Wesleyan Celebration Centre in support of The Royal Canadian Legion Branch 06 and a High School Graduate Music Scholarship.

They will be including Vera Lynn war songs. Admission is \$10. plus non-perishable food items. Tickets available at: all five Jean Coutu's; Read's Newsstands (Mountain Rd. & Riverview); People's Park Tower; Sobeys (Vaughan Harvey Blvd.) or a chorus member. For info. Call 384-0225 or visit metrotones.org.



Oh the Talent!! Some wonderful items have already starting coming in from the artists/artisans in our parish, as well as new/unused items you might find useful. **Join us at the Dan Bohan Centre (Immaculate Heart of Mary Hall) Sunday, April 30th. Doors open at 6:45; live auction and local talent begins at 7 PM. Silent auction throughout the evening.** Proceeds will go towards the parking lot repair.



St. Vincent de Paul Society's Indoor Yard Sale: will be held at 113 Norwood Ave. on Saturday, May 6th, 8 AM - 1 PM. Flea Market Items as well new and good quality used clothing, with all proceeds going to help the needy of our community.



Knights of Columbus - Council 1310, 84 Broadway St., Moncton Breakfast Sunday, May 7- 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Adults- \$8, Children \$3, and 5 years and under free. Everyone Welcome