



*We observed his star at its rising,  
and have come to pay homage to the Lord.*

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

### MASS TIMES WEEK OF JANUARY 8 - 14, 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

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| <b>Priest Moderator:</b> Rev. Allison S. Carroll     | <b>Social Justice:</b> Claudia McCloskey |
| <b>Assistant:</b> (part-time) Rev. Charles Broderick | <b>Catechetics:</b> Lorella Dunnett      |
| <b>Liturgy:</b> Rick Shaw, Deb Gillespie             | <b>Adult Faith:</b> Dr. Andrew Wilson    |

### STAFF

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Secretary:</b> Darlene McGraw  | <b>Custodian:</b> Michel Saulnier             |
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### PARISH OFFICE HOURS JANUARY 8 - 12, 2018

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| Monday - Friday | 9 AM -12 Noon & 1 - 4 PM (closed 12 noon to 1 PM) |
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### MASS INTENTIONS JANUARY 8 - 14, 2018

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|--------|---------|----------|------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Thurs. | Jan. 11 | 9:30 AM  | Anniv. late Howard Shean           | Irene           |
| Sat.   | Jan. 13 | 4:00 PM  | Anniv. late Andrew Devine          | Patricia Devine |
| Sun.   | Jan. 14 | 11:00 AM | Anniv. late Mary & Whitney McCully | Family          |

### OFFERINGS FROM DECEMBER 30 (4 PM) & 31 (11 AM) - 2017

|                |             |                     |           |
|----------------|-------------|---------------------|-----------|
| Envelopes      | \$ 5,307.00 | New Year's          | \$ 300.00 |
| Loose          | \$ 588.60   | Initial offering    | \$ 250.00 |
| People in Need | \$ 500.00   | Karing Kitchen      | \$ 90.15  |
| All Souls      | \$ 5.00     | Capital Expenditure | \$ 570.00 |
| Reconnect      | \$ 25.00    |                     |           |
| Christmas      | \$ 525.00   |                     |           |

**OFFERINGS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2017 (5 PM) & JANUARY 1, 2018 (11 AM)  
WILL BE NOTED IN JANUARY 14, 2018 BULLETIN**

**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 <sup>nd</sup> Sat & last Sat. of each month (after the 25 <sup>th</sup> ) | Church Hall |
| RCIA                     | 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Weds. of month - 7 PM                            | Stage Area  |
| Circle of Friends        | After 9:30 AM Mass - <b>Resumes January 18</b>                                     | Church Hall |
| Next Baptism Preparation | Tuesdays, February 6 & 13  | Stage Area  |
| Next Baptisms            | January 28, 2018   | Church      |
| CWL Executive Meeting    | Monday January 15 - 7:00-8:30 PM   | Church Hall |
| CWL Monthly Meeting      | Sunday, January 28 - 1:30 to 3 PM  | Church Hall |

| CONFESSION  |
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| 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 @ 1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month Mass (9:00-9:20 AM upon request/availability of the Priest) |
| Notre-Dame-de-Grace (854 Mountain Rd.) - 3 <sup>rd</sup> 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, Stella Gallant, Ann Vautour, John Crawford,  
Charles Burns, Joan Arsenault and Harold Woods.***



### A time to mourn...Our sincere sympathies to the families of:

***Albert Evers***, brother of Nick (Corry) Evers  
***Pauletta Theriault***, wife of (late) Norman  
***Ulysse Theriault***, brother of Sara (Ed) Michalik  
***Aubrey Bates***, husband of Audrey  
***Bob Cameron***, husband of Joanne  
***Murielle Coholan***, wife of Patrick, mother of Steffanie & Alexandre  
***Bud Gerth and Gary Carter***

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



### In the event of a storm or inclement weather cancellations will be noted on:

St. Bernard's Website: [www.stbernardschurch.ca](http://www.stbernardschurch.ca)  
Or by calling our phone line at: **857-0425.**



## PRAYER

### Prayers for our Troops

We pray for all those who serve and for families separated from their loved ones in the military; and for the strength they need to face this time of isolation and uncertainty.



**St. Bernard's Faith Formation**

| Sundays  | Tuesdays                           | Wednesdays                          |
|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <u>Years 1,2,3:</u> 9:15 - 10:45 AM<br><u>Years 4, 5, 6:</u> 12:15 - 1:45 PM<br><u>Year 7:</u> 12:15-1:45 PM | <u>Years 1,2,3:</u><br>6 - 7:30 PM | <u>Years 4, 5, 6:</u><br>6 -7:30 PM |
| January 7  | January 9                          | January 10                          |
| January 21   | January 23                         | January 24                          |
| February 4   | February 6                         | February 7                          |
| February 18  | February 20                        | February 21                         |
| March 11   | March 13                           | March 14                            |
| March 18   | March 20                           | March 21                            |
| April 8  | April 10                           | April 11                            |
| April 22   | April 24                           | April 25                            |
| May 6  | May 8                              | May 9                               |

**CWL Executive Meeting**

**Monday January 15th from 7:00-8:30 P.M.** in the church hall. Please have a copy of your Annual Report at this meeting. These reports will be copied to give to our members on January 28th.



**CWL Monthly Meeting - Sunday, January 28, 2018 - 1:30 to 3:00 PM**

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| 1:30 PM  | Rosary in Church Hall |
| Followed by a short general meeting                            |                       |
| Annual Reports will be presented following our general meeting |                       |
| <b>New Members Always Welcome !</b>                            |                       |



**Knights of Columbus - Council 1310, 84 Broadway St., Moncton,** will host a **Sunday breakfast, January 7, 2018, from 8 AM to 12:30 PM.** Adults \$8, children \$3, free 5 yrs and under. Everyone Welcome!



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

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**Mark Your Calendars:** For Dr. Fiona Black's session on the Mystics taking place on Saturday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> at St. Bernard's Church Hall. Watch future bulletins for further details.

**Adult Faith Commission:** Meet Tuesday, January 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM at the Diocesan Offices on 45 York St.

**Parish Catechetical Coordinators:** Meet Wednesday, January 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM at the Diocesan Offices on 45 York St.

**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 25<sup>th</sup> 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.

**Diocesan Center at 45 York St. and the Vision Bookstore.** The offices and the Vision Bookstore will be **closed from December 26, 2017 to January 12, 2018** inclusively for the usual holidays, to prepare our departure from 45 York St. and for the installation in our new offices at the Place de la Cathédrale (on the ground floor of the Assumption Cathedral). Our new offices will open on Monday, January 15, 2018. All telephone numbers and email addresses will remain the same. We apologize for any inconveniences this may cause and we will be happy to welcome you in our new offices.

**WE SHARE THE AIR**

AVOID USING SCENTED PRODUCTS

**No Scent Policy**

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



**The Volunteer Centre's Respite Care Services for Children with Special Needs program offers local families hours of relief care and an opportunity for their child to make new friends.**

We need caring people to help support these families a few hours each month. We are presently looking for volunteers in the following areas: Dieppe, Moncton, Riverview, Hillsborough, Dorchester, Shediac and Kent County. For more information please contact: Edie Savoie Shituku, Director of Respite Care Services, Volunteer Centre of Southeastern NB Inc. 22 Church Street, Suite T290, Moncton, NB, E1E 0P7 (506)869-6774 email: [respite@nb.aibn.com](mailto:respite@nb.aibn.com)



**The Reconnect Street Intervention Program provides short and long term assistance through outreach to youth and adults who are homeless or at risk of being homeless, in an effort to increase their knowledge about available resources.**

The Reconnect Program comes under the umbrella of the YMCA, but is supported through many community partners, including the church communities. Monthly meetings take place between the Reconnect team and local churches to see what needs the team have responded to in the previous month, statistics about numbers served, and type of help requested. The team is very aware of accessible resources in the community to assist clients in times of emergency with a hope to move on with a more sustainable life for the future. Like the soup kitchens, the tragedy is that those needing this service have increased over the years.

**Since Reconnect began, St. Bernard's has been a supporter in a variety of ways.**

Reconnect keeps a small supply of food/personal items for those on the street. As you can imagine their shelves always needs replenishing. **There is an ongoing need for: non-perishable food items, grocery bags (to carry grocery items), and hygiene items. Can also use books/magazines for clients use. Donations may be dropped off at the office and from there they will be forwarded to Reconnect.**



**Hospice Greater Moncton is a registered charity established in 2004 seeking to: promote awareness about life-limiting illnesses and end-of-life issues, provide support services to those with a life-limiting illnesses, provide grief and bereavement support services and to raise financial support to establish a residential hospice in Moncton, New Brunswick. Our services are free and confidential. They are available to those living in Greater Moncton, the Tantramar region, & outlying rural areas.**

Their programs are available to anyone facing end of life issues. This can be you, a family member, or a friend. You can be referred by a health professional, or self- refer for your own care or that of a loved one. Hospice Moncton is proud to work in conjunction with the New Brunswick Hospice Palliative Care Association, the Extra-Mural program and family physicians.

**→Community Palliative Care:** Hospice palliative care focuses on the dignity and comfort of the dying person rather than on the aspect of incurable disease. Volunteer visitors can significantly improve the quality of life for individuals. They pass screening and confidentiality requirements and receive detailed training to national standards of care. They are supportive, open and non-judgmental listeners. Our coordinator will visit and match you with a volunteer with shared interests. The volunteer will visit in your home, and provide social, emotional and practical support, such as: provide companionship, offer a compassionate listening ear, and share in meaningful activities. During weekly visits, this support may include drives to appointments or for an outing, reading, baking favorite foods, listening, talking, playing cards, music, and quiet support as death nears.

**→Caregiver Care:** The Hospice volunteer plays a vital role in providing care to patients in their own homes when their caregivers require time away from home to attend to personal matters.

**→Bereavement Care:** Our Coping with Grief groups provide a safe, supportive and healing environment for adults living with grief to explore their feelings of loss. Facilitated by a compassionate leader in a small group setting, you can speak or just listen. This free program may help you make sense of the feelings and changes you are experiencing following the death of a loved one. Discussion topics may include: Sharing of grief loss with pictures and stories, discussion on grief and the journey it takes us on, & what are our loved ones thoughts and wishes for us?

**→Grief and spirituality:** The grief group helps you through the heavy process of grieving with people who get it.

**→Become A Volunteer:** Volunteer at Hospice Greater Moncton and become one of the caring volunteers who are truly making a difference! It's fun, interesting and you get to work with some of the nicest people! You will go home each day knowing you have made a difference in someone's quality of life.

**For information on any of the above:**

**We are located at 164 Collishaw Street, Moncton, NB E1C 9R3.**

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