



THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

MAY 13, 2018

*Go make disciples of all nations.
I am with you always, to the end of the age.*

**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 14 - 20, 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

STAFF

Secretary: Darlene McGraw	Custodian: Michel Saulnier
Catechetical Coordinator: Lorella Dunnett	Email: Lorella_st.bernards@hotmail.com
Bookkeeper: Louise Tardif	Facilities Manager: Mike Murphy
Office: 43 Botsford St., Moncton, NB E1C 4W9 Phone: 857-0425 Fax: 857-9565 Email address: sbhf@rogers.com Website: www.stbernardschurch.ca	

PARISH OFFICE HOURS MAY 14 - 18, 2018

Monday to Friday	9 AM -12 Noon & 1 - 4 PM (closed 12 noon to 1 PM)
------------------	---

MASS INTENTIONS MAY 14 - 20, 2018

Thurs.	May 17	9:30 AM	Late Doug Whiting	Mary Kelly
Sat.	May 19	4:00 PM	Anniv. late Michael Woods	Evelyn Woods
Sun.	May 20	11:00 AM	Late Shelley Gillis	Mom & family

OFFERINGS FROM MAY 5 & 6, 2018

Loose	\$ 799.45	Share Lent	\$ 10.00 (1)
Envelopes	\$ 7,697.00 (334)	Pope's Works	\$ 60.00 (2)
Easter	\$60.00 (2)	Syrian Relief	\$ 70.00 (3)
Karing Kitchen	\$ 114.15	Capital Expenditure	\$ 1,825.00 (69)

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 Prayer Group	Wednesdays @ 7 PM	St. 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 month - 7 PM	Stage Area
Circle of Friends	After 9:30 AM Mass (June 14 last before summer)	Church Hall
Next Baptisms	Sunday, May 27, 2018 @ 2 PM	Church
CWL Meeting	Monthly meeting May 7 (see note in bulletin)	Church Hall
Next Baptism Prep.	Tuesdays - June 5 & 12	Stage Area
First Reconciliation	Wednesday, May 16, 2018 @ 5:45 PM	Church

CONFESSION

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 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...**

<i>Willow Drover</i>	<i>Joan Arsenault</i>	<i>Blanche Gallant</i>
<i>Ann Vautour</i>	<i>Emile Lagace</i>	<i>Louis Malenfant</i>
<i>Royal Hannah Brown</i>	<i>Byron Vickers</i>	<i>Tom Clark</i>



A time to mourn...

Our sincere sympathies to all who mourn the loss of a loved one...



World Communications Day - May 13, 2018:

Today Catholics are invited to reflect upon the media of social communication (films, radio, television, newspapers, audiovisuals) and how these influence our lives. The media can promote values that lead to a more fully human society. The Church's ministry is twofold. The media can be used to help promote the Gospel. At

the same time, as receivers of the materials presented by the media, the faithful have a duty to support and promote worthwhile presentations on media and reject those which promote values contrary to spiritual growth.



A heartfelt thank you to St. Bernard's catechism coaches, assistants and parents in our children's faith formation program. The key to our success rests in people like you! Thanks for all your hard work and dedication in making our catechism sessions so great. God bless.

Lorella Dunnett - St. Bernard's Catechetical Coordinator



Sacrament of First Reconciliation

Wednesday, May 16 @ 5:45 - Reception to follow

Father Carroll encourages all parishioners to come together as a community by attending and supporting our youth at these special celebrations.

Please continue to pray for these youth as they prepare for this sacrament.



Canada Health Day - May 12, is celebrated in health care facilities and community services across the country. This day reminds us that health and healing are essential aspects of our baptismal vocation. **We are called to take responsibility for our personal health: to prevent illness and to seek a healthy lifestyle.**

Good health concerns the physical, emotional, social & spiritual health of our communities, respect for God's creatures & the nurturing of the whole earth.



A Great Mother's Day gift: The MetroTones Pop Chorus will host an evening of The Best of MetroTones' music at their 18th annual charity concert on Sat., June 16, at 7:30 PM. At the Wesleyan Celebration Centre

in support of Open Sky Co-operative, a local agency assisting adults with mental health challenges. Tickets (\$10. plus non-perishable food items) available at Jean Coutu Pharmacies; Read's Newsstands (Mt. Road & Riverview); People's Park Tower Variety; Sobeys (Vaughan Harvey Blvd); chorus members. For more information: 384-0225 or visit metrotones.org.



Moncton Right to Life is organizing a yard sale: Saturday May 12, 8 AM - 1 PM, 74 Poirier Dr., Moncton. To donate items, please call Sister Cecile at 857 9414 or Lise 854 4209.



Immaculate Heart of Mary, Riverview, Annual Fundraising Garage Sale! Saturday, May 26, 8 AM- 1 PM at the Dan Bohan Centre, 5 Fatima Dr, Riverview. Baked goods & tables filled with gently-used and reusable items – all at amazing prices! Contact is Laura at 854-1899! Hope to see you there!



St. Vincent de Paul Society Spring Fund Raiser: Saturday, June 2, 8 AM - 1 PM at 113 Norwood Ave. Your support will help us to help the needy of our community. There is something for everyone: a large selection of Flea Market Items as well as Good Quality Used Clothing.



Bursaries



Due to the generosity of a parishioner St. Bernard's Catholic Women's League is offering a \$1,000 Bursary to a student graduating from High School in June 2018 who is a parishioner & is pursuing post-secondary studies. Please submit a letter of application by May 30, 2018 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 30, 2018.** 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 2018 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, 2018 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 bursaries valued at \$ 500 available to students entering, or attending, university in 2018. Applications are available at irishroom@rogers.com or at the St. Bernard's parish office. Deadline for applications is June 1, 2018.



Thank you to the CWL ladies who recently prepared lunch for the English Diocesan Pastoral Council here at St. Bernard's. Much appreciated - Fr. Allison



*To all mothers...
May your days be filled with
love, peace, joy & laughter.
Happy Mother's Day!*



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

Ellen	857-9952	ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com
Trevor	857-4879	trevord.diocese@gmail.com
Deb		liturgymoncton@gmail.com

Please note: English offices for the Archdiocese of Moncton will be relocating to 45 York St. as of Monday, May 14. Contact information will remain the same.

The Office of Faith Development will close May 25 and reopen on August 27



Parish catechetical coordinators meeting: Monday, May 14th at 45 York St. Please use the entrance on Dominion St.



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 1 at 7 PM**, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Riverview ([5 Fatima Dr., Riverview](#)). Admission: \$20 (cash only). Doors open at 6:30 PM. CDs, music and books by David will be available for purchase before and after the concert. A collection will be taken up for Music ministry Alive (MMA) Scholarship Fund for youth and adult music ministry formation.



Saturday, June 2, 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 May 25). Lunch will be provided. Visit www.diomoncton.ca for registration and other information.

Music Directors: David will meet with Directors of Music Ministry on Friday afternoon, June 1, 1 – 3 PM at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Riverview. Visit www.diomoncton.ca to register for this.



Vacation Bible School 2018: Mark your calendars - this year's VBS will be held June 25-29 at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish. Our VBS is open to children from any parish having finished kindergarten up to sixth grade as of June 2018. Registration will open in the next couple of weeks. The theme of this year's VBS is Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus. For more information contact Karen at 387-4198 or Trevor at 857-4879.



Saint Bernard's

Strong roots, new growth ...

Campaign 2018

Our Vision: As a **vibrant faith community**, we will continue to create an **environment** that promotes a **sense of belonging** for **all generations** while reinforcing Saint Bernard's **history** and **architectural presence**

Background: Our original campaign launched in May, 2009, focused on the enhancement of the physical structure of St. Bernard's including the installation of an elevator and major renovations to the downstairs to allow for the continued growth of the parish community through accessibility and functional space for classes, workshops, social events and a welcoming physical environment.

The launch of the 2018 campaign is aimed at preserving the iconic presence of St. Bernard's architectural structure and beauty in downtown Moncton, funding extensive repairs to our roof and to the inside of the Church, and most importantly securing additional parking for the many Parishioners attending weekend Masses and participating in Church activities throughout the week.

The Proposal: For some time, the Building Committee and the Pastoral Ministry Team had been exploring options on the future status of the vacant Rectory.

With the onset of new building developments close to our downtown location, we were also looking at opportunities to maintain our existing parking arrangements for Masses and other Church functions.

We had several discussions with a developer regarding the Rectory. This developer also was the Owner of the adjacent property that is used by Parishioners for weekend Masses.

As discussions progressed, we came to a mutual agreement to sell the Rectory to him for future development purposes, while at the same time purchasing his property adjacent to the Church to secure parking for our Parishioners.

Next.....The Financial Details

St. Bernard's Rectory →



← Parking Lot

Building our future

