

BAPTISM OF THE LORD**JANUARY 13, 2019**

*John said: One more powerful than I is coming;
he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.*

WELCOME TO THE PARISH UNIT OF:

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

MASS TIMES WEEK OF January 14 - 20 , 2019

St. Bernard's	Thursday @ 9:30 AM
St. Bernard's	Saturday @ 4:00 PM
St. Bernard's	Sunday @ 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
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS: JANUARY 14 - 18, 2019

Monday - Friday	9 AM - 12 Noon & 1 - 4 PM (Closed 12 Noon - 1 PM)
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MASS INTENTIONS JANUARY 14 - 20 , 2019

Thurs,	Jan. 17	9:30 AM	Anniv. late Donald Young	Francis and Debbie McCarron
Sat.	Jan. 19	4:00 PM	Anniv. late George Cormier	Cormier Family
Sun.	Jan. 20	11:00 AM	Anniv. late Ron Struble	Claire and Sherri and Family

OFFERINGS FROM JANUARY 5 - 6 , 2019

Loose	\$ 225.50	Capital Expenditure	\$707.00 (27)
Envelopes	\$ 3796.00 (151)	Capital Campaign	\$ 1550.00 (42)
Religious Education	\$100.00 (1)	New Years Day	\$ 985.00 (25)
Christmas Offerings	\$ 70.00 (2)	Syrian Relief	\$ 5.00 (1)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS AND CONTINUED SUPPORT

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

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

Carmelites	2 nd Saturday of the month - 10 AM to 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 each month	Stage Area
Circle of Friends	Thursdays after 9:30 AM Mass - Resumes Jan. 24	Church Hall
Next Baptism Prep.	Tuesdays - January 15 & 22 - 7-8:30 PM	Stage Area
Next Baptisms	Sunday - January 27	Church

CONFESSION

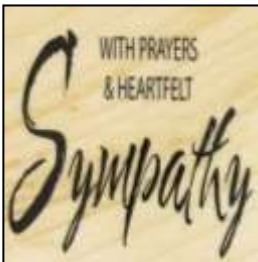
St. Bernard's - Thurs. - before 9:30 AM Mass (9:00-9:20 AM upon request/availability of the Priest)
Immaculate Heart of Mary Church - Saturday afternoons from 1-1:30 PM
St. Bernard's @ 1 st Saturday of month Mass (9:00-9:20 AM upon request/availability of the Priest)
Notre-Dame-de-Grace (854 Mountain 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	Joanne Carson	Joan Arsenault
Shawn Crossman	Harold O'Rielly	James Wilson
Marilyn MacLeod	Jim and Ruth Heath	Marjorie Moore
Gordie Gallie	Lois Gallie	



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

Ron Fitzgerald	
Jonathan Doucette	
Elsie Chamberlaine	Wife (late) Charles
Patrick Hughes	Father of Beverley Alcorn
Wallace Guitard	Brother in law of: Gordie & Lois, Brian & Helene, & Nancy Gallie

And to all those 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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Parish Catechetical Coordinators: 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.

Confirmation candidates: 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.



OBERAMMERGAU, GERMANY, POLAND & CZECH REPUBLIC

This pilgrimage is set for September 2020, but bookings for the world-famous passion play in Oberammergau, Germany are quickly being filled. Apart from the district of Bavaria, Germany, our trip takes us to Poland's two largest cities, Warsaw and Krakow. While in Poland we will also visit the monastery of St. Maximilian Kolbe, the priest who volunteered to die in place of a stranger in Auschwitz. We will be visiting the world's oldest operating salt mine in Wieliczka, Poland as well as many other historic sites. Our trip also takes us to three remarkable cities in the Czech Republic including its beautiful capital, Prague.

Plan to join travel consultant, Liliana Trail (386-8954) and Fr. Phil Mulligan (386-6737) at an **information session on Sunday, January 20th at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church at 2 p.m.** If you are already committed to going but missed the session, come anyway, and see some wonderful pictures. There will be no pressure to commit however; **there are only 2 seats left.**

ITEMS NEEDED

Double bed, towels and facecloths. If you are able to donate please contact Inez @ 389-3571.



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



St. Bernard's Faith Formation

Sundays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays
Years 1,2,3: 9:15 - 10:45 AM Years 4, 5, 6: 12:15 - 1:45 PM Year 7: 6 - 7:30 PM	Years 1,2,3: 6 - 7:30 PM	<u>Years 4, 5, 6:</u> 6 -7:30 PM
January 13	January 15	January 16
January 27	January 29	January 30
February 10	February 12	February 13
February 24	February 26	February 27
March 10	March 12	March 13
March 24	March 26	March 27
March 31	April 2	April 3
April 28	April 30	May 1
May 12	May 14	May 15

Volunteers are still needed:

Sunday catechist helpers needed for:

9:15-10:45 AM - levels 1/2/3 - every 2nd Sunday
12:15-1:45 PM - levels 4/5/6 - every 2nd Sunday

If being part of our ministry speaks to you, please contact Lorella @ lorella_st.bernards@hotmail.com or 857-0425...**Remember "God doesn't call the qualified, He qualifies the called..."**

Volunteers needed! The volunteer services department at the Dr. Georges-L.- Dumont University Hospital Centre is recruiting people who have a few hours a week to give towards a fulfilling experience in healthcare, helping to enhance the patient experience. To apply to become a volunteer please contact us at 862-4267, by e-mail: volunteers@vitalitenb.ca or by completing an application form on the Vitalité Health Network's web site: www.vitalitenb.ca.



**The Christmas Season will come to an end with the
Feast of the Baptism of our Lord Sunday,
January 13, 2018**

A word of appreciation and sincere thanks to all those who prepared the church, served in their various ministries throughout the season, and who have given so generously with their time, talent and treasure.

There is so much generosity here at St. Bernard's and each and every act will be blessed and rewarded by the Lord.

On a personal note, I wish to say thank you to all those who have remembered me personally, through the many cards, good wishes, prayers, treats, gifts and kindnesses galore.

I speak for the entire staff and acknowledge the many treats brought to the office.

Heartfelt thanks! God Bless.

Fr. Allison S. Carroll



**Many thanks from both
Father Broderick and Father Toner**

To all who thought of them with their kindness of cards, treats, and gifts during the Christmas Season.

Sincere thanks!!



he 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.**



Gluten intolerance has become more prevalent in recent years. Prompted by faithful Catholics wanting to receive Communion, we have ordered a supply of low gluten hosts (yields less than .01% gluten content per bread/wafer). We already have a few parishioners that have sourced their own supply & place them in their own personal pyx for consecration at mass. If you are diagnosed with gluten intolerance, you must purchase your personal pyx and low gluten hosts **are now available** at our Parish office during office hours.



IT'S OK TO SAY NO - SAY NO TO PANHANDLING

By supporting panhandling, you may be contributing to the problem, whatever it may be...Recent stats indicate more than 95% of people panhandle to feed their addictions. Be part of the solution by supporting the agencies that provide services to those in need, community contributions go a lot further towards employment, housing and social services that go directly towards supporting those in need.