



TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 29, 2021

*The Father gave us birth by the word of truth,
that we would become first fruits of his creation.*

WELCOME TO THE PARISH UNIT OF:

St. Bernard's, 43 Botsford St., Moncton NB E1C 4W9 (506) 857-0425

St. Vincent's, 63 Charlotte St, Sackville, NB E4L 2Y5 (506) 536-1460

St. Clement's, 14 Church St, Port Elgin, NB E4M 2C9 (506) 538-2262

MASS TIMES – WEEK OF AUGUST 30-SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

St. Bernard's	Friday @ 9:30 AM
	Saturday @ 4:00 PM
	Sunday @ 11 AM
St. Vincent	Sunday @ 9 AM
St. Clement's	Every 2nd Saturday – call 538-2262 to confirm

PASTORAL MINISTRY TEAM

Priest Moderator:	Fr. Allison S. Carroll	Social Justice:	Claudia McCloskey
Assistant: (part-time)	Fr. Charles Broderick	Catechetics:	Lorella Dunnett
Liturgy	Darlene McGraw	Adult Faith:	Dr. Andrew Wilson

STAFF

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Parish phone: 506-857-0425 Email: sbhf@rogers.com		

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF WEEK OF AUGUST 30-SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

Friday	Sep. 3	9:30 AM	Late Edward & Helene Saulnier	Lorraine, Bob & family
Saturday	Sep. 4	4:00 PM	Anniv. Late Andrew Perry	Perry family
Sunday	Sep. 5	11:00 AM	Anniv. Late Ruth Foran	Lorraine Montford

OFFERINGS

AUGUST 21 & 22, 2021 OFFERINGS RECEIVED BY MAIL & ONLINE

Envelopes	\$ 5,463.00	Reconnect	\$ 35.00
Loose	\$ 90.00	Syrian Relief	\$ 195.00
Needs of Can. Church	\$ 5.00	Karing Kitchen	\$ 51.00
Papal Charities	\$ 20.00	Building Fund	\$ 10.00
Religious education	\$ 15.00	Capital Campaign	\$ 990.00



for your generous and continued support!!!



A time to mourn.....

Sincere sympathies to the family of:



Gerry Richard

Brother of Annette Tweedie

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



Ecclesiastes 3...

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

Boyd Clory

Bev LeBlanc

And for all who care for them.



39th Acadieville parish picnic, Saturday September 4th from 1 pm to 5 pm and from 8:00 pm to 10 pm, mass at 7 pm and Sunday September 5th 2021 from 1 pm to 10 pm. Various games, canteen and local musical talents on location. Bingo Saturday and Sunday from 1 pm. Supper (beef and turkey, etc) at the Community Centre, Sunday September 5th from 3 pm to 6 pm. Adults 18\$ and children 8\$. Come share our fun. Welcome to one and all.

During the summer months church contributions normally decrease while parishioners

From the Office of Catechetics

Dear families, children, and friends,

I am excited to start another catechetical year, with many familiar faces and some new ones.

As we navigate our new normal, gatherings may now be held without restriction as to number and social distance, although we feel it remains important to keep everyone's health and safety in mind.

Our sessions will be in-person and we will meet in the church hall. It is our belief that families will have the richest catechetical experience through gathering in person as we have done in the past. However, several families indicated that for a variety of valid reasons including concerns over COVID-19 and the scheduling conflicts, they would prefer an online format, which we will be offering as well.

Sanitizer bottles will be maintained at various locations at the entrances, allowing people to sanitize their hands if they wish.

Masks are no longer required, but respect and acceptance must be shown to those who choose to wear them for health or safety reasons.

In-person sessions will start the week of **Sunday September 19th, 2021**. Registration for catechism will be on **Saturday, September 11th from 12 noon-1:30 PM, in the main hall.**

Returning families, please keep an eye on your Inbox as I will be sending out registration forms via email.

The Registration Fee is \$30.00 for one child family and \$50.00 for families with more than one child. These fees are set by the Diocese to help offset the cost of the program and can be paid at the office or at our in-person registration. Unfortunately, we are not set up for e-transfers at this time.

Please note: all families planning to register with St. Bernard's catechism program must be registered as a family with St. Bernard's Church. Please complete the form if:

- You and your family are new to our parish.
- If your family information has changed.
- If you are unsure if your family is registered, then please complete a form.

Parish registration forms are available at the parish office, during our registration dates, or online at <http://www.stbernardschurch.ca> There is no cost to register your family with our parish.

Looking forward to seeing all of you this fall,

Blessings Always, Lorella



Tending the Soil, Tending the Sower, 2021

This year's catechists formation will take place on September 18th at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Riverview beginning at 8:30 a.m. and finishing by 2:00 pm. This year's presenters will be Trevor Droesbeck (*Faithful Voices: Conversations with Canadian Young People*), Claudette Derdaele (*Listening, Attending, Preparing, and Hearing*), and Margot McAloon-Parker from the Diocese of Saint John (*Accompanying Families: Wisdom from the New Directory for Catechesis*). While of particular interest to catechists working with children, the day is open to all those who work in the ministry of catechesis, i.e. marriage preparation, RCIA, baptismal preparation. Pre-registration is necessary and may be done through the diocesan website: www.diomoncton.ca → Pastoral Offices → Children's Catechesis → Formation Opportunities. You may also contact Ellen at 857-9951 / ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com or Trevor at 857-4879 / trevord.diocese@gmail.com for more information. Registration deadline is September 15th. **Participation in this day of formation is critical for all those who will be catechist coaches or helpers with children's catechesis.**

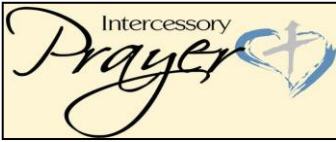


The Catholic Health Association of New Brunswick is offering two (2) Scholarships in the amount of \$1,000.00 each, they will be awarded to one (1) student studying in a French educational institution and one (1) student studying in an English educational institution. Students must be entering their second year of studies or later, in a post-secondary program in the field of health care. Information and application forms are available online at www.chanb.com. Applications must be postmarked by September 30th, 2021. For further

information please email catholichealth@chpchi.com.

We Have a New Name!

Effective September 1, the former Offices of Faith Development and Youth Faith Development will be referred to as the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis. This change better reflects the movement of the universal church toward acknowledging that catechesis *and* evangelization go hand in hand as we accompany adults, youth, and children on their journeys of faith. It will also put us in sync with the National Office for Evangelization and Catechesis at the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. What will not change, however, is the work which Trevor and Ellen do – Trevor will continue to support youth ministry and Ellen will continue to support children and adult catechesis for the English sector of the archdiocese.



Prayer of the Faithful

For our Church, called to exercise Christ's mission of compassion and healing; for our Pope, priests, deacons and religious to aid in bringing spiritual healing to our Church and our world.

We pray.

For the pursuit of peace and justice throughout the world, for our country, its leaders and for healing and reconciliation for the indigenous peoples of this land.

We pray.

For the safety of the people and Christians of Afghanistan, and for all experiencing natural disasters in Haiti and throughout the world.

We pray.

For the poor and those who are called to be just and caring stewards, and for those who feed the hungry.

We pray.

For hope, courage, and resilience for all who will be leaving home for college, university or new work opportunities and those who are facing transition and new beginnings in the weeks ahead.

We pray.

For the spiritual and physical well being of all parishioners and for those who have died.

We pray:



Lions recycle for Sight - Changing Lives, One Pair at a Time:

Used eyeglasses are recycled, cleaned, sorted by prescription strength, then packaged and distributed to people in need in developing countries where they will have the greatest impact. A Lions Recycle for Sight box will be at the main entrance of the church for you to drop off unwanted eyeglasses. Thank you.

Weekday Masses:

Immaculate Heart of Mary will resume celebrating mass on Wednesday mornings at 9 AM beginning September 8.

Holy Family will resume celebrating mass on Monday mornings at 9 AM beginning September 20.



World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation

In 2015, Pope Francis declared September 1 as the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation. Coinciding with the celebration instituted by the Orthodox Church, it is also a day of ecumenical prayer and unity. The faithful should be encouraged to take practical initiatives to combat earth's environmental crisis.

Guide at: <https://seasonofcreation.org/celebration-guide/>



*Parish Office closed
Monday, September 6, 2021
In observance of Labour Day.
Have a blessed and happy
Long weekend!*

Labour Day Weekend

Labour Day Weekend marks the end of the summer vacation period and the resumption of the activities in home, parish and school. Parishes could take this as an opportunity to encourage active and renewed participation in the community.