

St. Dunstan's Roman Catholic Church

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FREDERICTON, NEW BRUNSWICK

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April 9th, 2017 – Palm Sunday

National Catholic Broadcasting Council 2017 Mission titled "Our Final Gift", Sister Sue Mosteller, CSJ and Fr. Ron Rolheiser, OMI. **Part 1: Our Final Gift** - Monday, April 10th 4pm, 7pm, 8pm. **Part 2: The Promise of Life Everlasting** – Tuesday, April 11th 4pm, 7pm, 8pm. On Vision TV (Channel 21).

Note from Fr. Bill: The Parish Annual General Meeting has changed from April 30th to Sunday, May 7th at 4:30 pm in order to encourage attendance at the Holocaust Memorial Observance on April 30th at 3 pm. (See notice for the AGM and Holocaust Memorial Observance inside the bulletin).

VISIONING for the FUTURE! Children/Youth Faith Formation programs at St. Dunstan's Parents and Guardians...Save the date: Sunday April 9, 2:00 pm - 3:30pm.
(This is an important meeting, looking forward to seeing you there!)

Watch and Pray. Immediately following the Holy Thursday 7pm Mass, until midnight, there will be an opportunity to spend time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. This will take place in the "garden" in Room 120 of the Monsignor Boyd Family Centre. In order to ensure that at least two people are present at all times, please sign the sheet on the table at the Regent St entrance of the church if you are able to commit to a half-hour, or longer, time slot.

Chrism Mass: Bishop Harris invites the faithful of the diocese to the Chrism Mass which is being held on Tuesday, April 11, at 6:30 pm at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception.
Reception to follow in the Cathedral Rectory.

Diocesan Revitalization and Realignment Consultations: It is critical for you, the laity of our diocese, to participate in the information sessions which are being offered to share with you what the realignment of our diocese might look like so that you can offer your invaluable feedback. Within your region there are several venues for the consultation. Please make sure to participate in the one closest to where you live or the one most convenient to you. ✠ Robert Harris, Bishop of Saint John

Monday, April 24th
St. Gertrude's Church
105 Union Street
Woodstock, NB
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Wednesday, April 26th
St. Dunstan's Church
120 Regent Street
Fredericton, NB
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Thursday, April 27th
St. Anthony's Church
603 Union Street
Fredericton, NB
12:30 pm – 2:00 pm

1st Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7

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Gospel: Matthew 26:14---27:66

2nd Reading: Philippians 2:6-11

† MASS INTENTIONS †

Mon	10th	12:05 pm	Funeral –Zelda Dionne
Wed	12 th	6:30 pm	Aline (Doiron) Brewer
Thur	13 th	7:00 pm	Mario Espejo
Fri	14 th	12:00 pm	Wayne Nolan
	14 th	3:00 pm	Perry Dobbelsteyn
Sat	15 th	8:00 pm	Easter Vigil
Sun	16 th	9:00 am	Lee, Eileen, Michael & Jimmy MacAfee
		11:30 am	Andy Burns
		7:00 pm	Joseph Bourque

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday's 4:00 – 4:30 pm

Legion of Mary – Tuesday mornings at 11:00 am

1st Friday Adoration following noon Mass until 2 pm

Natural Family Planning www.billings.life/en 450-9343

Lector & Eucharistic Minister Schedule
April 15th & 16th

Lectors **Eucharistic Ministers**

EASTER VIGIL 8:00 PM

1 st Reading Youth	Esther Archibald (H2)
3 rd Reading Evelyn Pollard	Chris McAloon
5 th Reading Carole Dilworth	John Harper
7 th Reading Bob Monterio	Marg Denning
Epistle Josie Mazzuca	John Denning

EASTER SUNDAY 9:00 AM

Cassidy Lafrance	Sonny Grasse (H2)
Bob Scott	Jayne Nicki
	Andrea McLaughlin
	Pauline Arnold
	Mary McMahan

EASTER SUNDAY 11:30 AM

Ella Allen	Anne Macies (H2)
Bev Woznow	Doreen Cormier
	Bob Monterio
	Jeannine Cochrane
	Chris McAloon

EASTER SUNDAY 7:00 PM

Sheila Girouard	Mary Holland (H2)
Carole Dilworth	Gracie Mersereau
	Tim Dilworth

April 1st & 2nd

Offertory (operating)	\$ 8,747.31
Budget	\$ 8,888.00
Variance	(\$ 140.69)
Other (Bldg Fund, Cemetery, Poor, etc)	\$ 505.00

TUESDAYS WITH TAIZÉ ~ You are cordially invited to join us at the STU Chapel (STU Campus, Holy Cross House, Main Floor) every Tuesday evening at 7pm during Lent. We will be coming together in the Chapel to "Watch and Pray".

NECROLOGY

Apr 6	Neil William Brewer Jr.	2013
	Faheme Khoury	2015
Apr 10	Helene Minna J E Anderson	1976
	Vernon Harold Graham	1995
	Irena Vasary	1995
	Joseph (Joey) Lyons	1996
	Ella Mae Hallett	2002
	Robert William Woolaver	2010
Apr 11	Norma Richardson	1986
	Frederick James Carten	1987
	Joseph Arthur Poirier	1989
	Annie Mary Desrosier	1990
	Elizabeth Mihaly	1991
	Rev Raymond Riley	1995
	Freda Mary Girouard	1997
	Elwood Burton Jones	1998
	Bernardus H. Scholten	2002
	Michael Austin Hughes	2007
Apr 12	James Timothy McInnis	1985
	Mary Regina (Jean) Jimmo	2000
	Carol Ann Ramey	2007
Apr 13	Janet Cecilia Dibb	1970
	Paul Joseph Landry	1974
	Scott Anthony Cyr	1980
	Dr. Raymond G. Goodine	2001
	Roger Boudreau	2002
	Richard Nicholas Wilson	2014
Apr 14	Dr Percy Thompson	1971
	Ernest Vincent St. Louis	1974
	Murray E Hanifan	1982
	Dr. Michael Jennings	1998
	Mary Elizabeth Francoeur	2002
	Mary Eileen (Scott) MacAfee	2005
Apr 15	Julia Helena Dunbar	1978
	Doris Noreen McGinnis	1987
	Anna Agnes Nowlan	1989
	Norman Vincent Gange	1995

Faithful Departed

Margie Currie, wife of Gerry
Zelda Dionne, mother of Mike



Sanctuary Lamp

In Loving Memory of

Helen & Robert Poore from daughter Linda

Your 2016 Donation Tax Receipts are available to pick up in the Parish office. Thank you for your generous and continued support of our parish.

Readings for April 16th

1st Reading	Acts 10:34a, 37-43
2nd Reading	Colossians 3:1-4
Gospel	John 20:1-18

The Annual Fredericton Holocaust Memorial Observance will take place on Sunday April 30, 2017 at 3:00 pm, at the Capital Community Church located at 71 Downing Street, Marysville. This year the service and reception will be co-sponsored by Sgoolai Israel Synagogue and the Capital Community Church. The keynote speaker is Gershon Willinger.

SUNDAY, MAY 7TH St. Dunstan's Annual General Meeting (AGM): All parishioners are invited to a Parish Meeting on **Sunday, May 7th @ 4:30 pm** in the Monsignor Boyd Family Center. At this meeting the Financial Report for 2016 and Budget for 2017 will be presented. This will be an opportunity to receive reports on the Pastoral life of the parish in 2016 and to celebrate all that God is doing among us.

DIVORCE CARE AT ST. DUNSTAN'S - Find Help, Discover Hope and experience Healing, Support Group. We will be offering a 13 week program Tuesday evenings started March 14th and will run to June 6th, 2017 from 6:30-8:30 in the Monsignor Boyd Family Center Room 123. To register please call Jeannette @ 458-9546.

The **9th annual Twitti Book Sale** is set for **Saturday, April 22nd** at **George Street Middle School** in the gymnasium, **8 am - 2 pm**. The funds raised will help purchase a Literacy Intervention program for Grades 1-3 at Twitti. We look forward to seeing you, and to sending you home with books, books, books! Only \$1 each! Your reading will help the Twitti children learn to read!

Volunteers needed: If you enjoy volunteering and you would like to bring Christ into the lives of those in need, you are invited to attend a meeting and information session on April 25 at 10 am at the department of ***Spiritual and Religious Care of the Dr. Everett Chalmers Regional Hospital*** with our new coordinator, Meghan Gulliver and Fr. Shawn Daley. Anyone who wishes to administer Holy Communion to the ill once per week or once per month is invited to attend. For more information, please contact Fr. Shawn at 440-6014.

CWL MEETING DATE CHANGED to April 18th
Held in the MBFC Room 120 at 6:30 pm. Discussion will include upcoming events such as the Feast Day of Our Lady of Good Counsel - April 26th; March for Life-May 2nd; 12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care -May 4th; 45's Card Party -May 11th and the Focus on Life Dinner -June 5th. Nominations will be open until May 12th for the **Maple Leaf Pin and the Certificate of Merit, forms in the parish office or at the meeting.** CWL Dues of \$20.00 are now being collected and can be paid at the CWL meeting, in the parish office, or placed in the collection marked CWL Dues with your name.

Holy Week and Easter

Holy Thursday, April 13th - Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:00pm

(followed by Adoration until Midnight in the Mary Sullivan Rm 120-MBFC)

Good Friday, April 14th - Celebration of the Lord's Passion Services at 12 noon and 3:00 pm

Holy Saturday, April 15th - Blessing of the Easter Food at 1:00pm.

Solemn Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 15th at 8:00pm
*(There is **NO** 5:00 pm Mass-Don't forget your Bells for ringing at the Vigil)*

Easter Sunday, April 16th - Resurrection of the Lord
Mass 9:00 am, 11:30 am & 7:00 pm

***Easter Flowers ~ LAST WEEK** - Parishioners are invited to make a donation for flowers for the church Altar for Easter in memory of loved ones. Please write "flowers" on the front of your regular envelope and write the name(s) of your loved one(s) on the back ... or place a special envelope in the offering, or stop into the parish office.*

Steubenville Atlantic Youth Conference: Steubenville Youth Conferences, a series of North American conferences, brings 50,000 teens and their leaders closer to Christ every summer. Steubenville Atlantic 2017, in Halifax, is presented in partnership with the Archdiocese of Halifax-Yarmouth and the Franciscan University of Steubenville. Conference dates are July 7-9, 2017. All aged 14-18 are welcome. Cost: \$325 (transportation included). If you are interested in attending Steubenville Atlantic, please contact Margot McAloon-Parker 444-6025, fredreled@dioceseofsaintjohn.org. For further information, please check out: www.halifaxyarmouth.org/archdiocesan-offices/pastoral-life-new-evangelization/steubenville-atlantic. There will be financial assistance for St. Dunstan's Youth, please call the parish office (Fr. Bill at 444-6001).

Development and Peace (D & P) – Caritas Canada 50 years of Share Lent! Thank you for our support of the 2017 Share Lent Campaign! Development and Peace – Caritas Canada thanks everyone who donated to Share Lent. Thanks to your generosity, \$ 5,092.70 was collected in our parish. This sum will go towards meeting the needs of our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East. If you have not had a chance to make a donation, there is still time to place your Share Lent envelope in the offertory or to make a donation directly to devp.org/give. Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.



Diocesan Revitalization & Realignment Just a Minute – What is a disciple?

Did You Know... Our revitalization & realignment process was launched with a survey called the *Disciple Maker Index Survey* in January 2016. Why does the survey have that name? Because we're disciples. A **disciple** is someone who is learning from another, like an apprentice. The master or teacher teaches by word and example. The **disciple** follows the master, hears what he says and sees what he does. Then the **disciple** tries to become like the master. Our revitalization & realignment project is aimed at strengthening our parishes as communities of **disciples of Jesus**, ready to learn how to be like Jesus in our world.

How can our parishes help us to be like Jesus in our world?

Diocesan Revitalization & Realignment Just a Minute – What is Evangelization?

Did You Know... We are called to share the Gospel, the Good News. This is what Jesus did in word and action. It was his mission and we share it. The Greek word for "good news" or "good tidings" is *evangelion*. This is the root of our word "evangelize". It means to share the "good news" or "good tidings". **Evangelization** is sharing the Gospel, like Jesus did and in the Spirit of Jesus.

How can our parishes help us be disciples who evangelize?

<http://www.sttheresaparish.ca/diocesan-revitalization> (this link is also on St. Dunstan's website) www.stdunstansparish.ca



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