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June 11th, 2017 – Trinity Sunday

We are looking for **new Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Greeters** at St Dunstan's. If you feel called to serve in any of these ministries, or would like more information, please contact the appropriate person. Training will be provided. For **Lectors** contact lcozzarini@hotmail.com.

For **Eucharistic ministers** contact John Denning at 470-5696.

For **Greeters** contact Edith Robichaud at 450-1793.

Camp Sheldrake Inc., Bartibog, (Miramichi), a residential summer camp for youth and teens, is now accepting registrations for upcoming summer programs. Complete schedule and registration information is available at www.campsheldrake.ca by email campshel@xplornet.ca Pamphlets also in the parish office. For inquiries for financial assistance please contact Fr. Bill at 444-6050.

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).

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED (16 yrs +): The 9th annual **Cultural Expressions Festival** welcomes you to join us for 2 exciting days of entertainment from around the world to celebrate Canadian Multiculturalism Day and Canada's 150th anniversary. This year's theme, **150 Years of Diversity** showcase over 80 dance and music performances, displays, food and family activities, coordinated by the Multicultural Association of Fredericton Inc, in partnership with Fredericton's 19 ethno-cultural and community groups. If you would like to be a volunteer for this event, go to volunteer, go to www.cefnb.ca, email cef@mcaf.nb.ca, Tweet us @CulturalExp, visit our facebook page CEF Facebook OR check us out on Youtube: CEF Youtube

Hi Parents and Kids... In response to a number of inquiries, this note is to inform you that there will **NOT** be a **"Kidz Catholic Camp"** held this summer. But don't lose hope...we are going to organize one for next year-2018. If you are interested in helping in the planning of a camp, just leave your name with Fr. Bill or leave a note with your contact information and addressed to "Carole" in the Church Office. Thank you to all who have helped in running the camps in the past years. Enjoy the summer months ahead and hope to see you next year.

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1st Reading: Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9

Gospel: John 3:16-18

2nd Reading: Corinthians 13:11-13

† MASS INTENTIONS †

NO WEEKDAY MASS next week.

Sat 17th 5:00 pm Nick Lannagan
 Sun 18th 9:00 am Carol Ann Ramsay
 11:30 am Walter Myshrall
 7:00 pm Carl Stafford

WEEKDAY MASS IN OTHER PARISH IN FREDERICTON

St. Anthony's - Wednesday, Thursday & Friday @ 10 am
Our Lady of Fatima - Wednesday, Thursday & Friday @ 11
St. Theresa's - Wednesday & Friday @ 12 noon

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 June 17th & 18th

<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>
5:00 Evelyn Pollard Verna Shaw	Bill Woods (H2) Joseph O'Donnell Frances Briand
9:00 Jayne Nicki Catherine Harrop	Heather Maillet (H2) Peter Maillet Brook McLaughlin Kate Black Pauline Arnold
11:30 John Brennan Marilyn Rowan	Doreen Cormier (H2) Carol Monterio Margaret Savidge Noreen Vaillancourt Maria Flores
7:00 Cecilia White Esther Archibald	Linda Roach (H2) Sheila Girouard Marie Costello

June 3rd & 4th

Offertory (operating)	\$ 8,853.63
Budget	\$ 8,888.00
Variance	(\$ 34.37)
Other (Bldg Fund, Cemetery, Poor, etc)	\$ 1,192.00

Knights of Columbus Breakfast: 170 Regent Street,
 on **Sunday, June 11th** from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Attention Jr. Altar Servers – there are certificates from the Knights of Columbus for your volunteering as Altar Servers available to be picked up in the Sacristy. Thank you for your devotion to this ministry with St. Dunstan's.

The new Lector and EM Schedules are available to pick up in the Parish office.

NECROLOGY

Jun 12	Sylvia Mason	1975
	Earl Joseph Grant	1987
	Patricia Anna Jardine	1992
	Mary Irene O'Brien	1997
	Nicole Poirier	2000
Jun 13	John Merlin Cogle	2005
	William Simcock Sr	1974
	Joseph Stanley Boudreau	1992
	Ida Vinci	1992
	Emery Godin	2000
	Arthur Vaughan Woods	2001
	William Bertram Tims	2005
	Saengwoo "Simeon" Lee	2010
	Emmett Joseph Burgess	2014
Jun 14	James Joseph Gaudet	1974
	Genevieve MacDonald	1990
	John Alexander Donovan	1991
	Elizabeth Davidson	1998
Jun 15	Helen Lee	1979
	Joseph Cecil Burns	1991
	Mary Fredericka Harris	2012
	Berta Fabro Persello	2012
Jun 16	Alderic Doiron	1974
Jun 17	Andrew Charles Gallant	1988
	James G Orr	1989
Jun 18	Ancel F Murphy	1978
	Michael A McDonald	1979
	Ethel Margaret Ahern	1988
	John Joseph Llabias	1990
	Adrian Edward Hale	1992

Faithful Departed

Cathy Mahoney

Ruth Grattan

David Hitchcock, husband of Carroll



Sanctuary Lamp

**In Loving Memory of
 Thomas Byron Ramsay**

Readings for June 18th

1st Reading Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14-16
 2nd Reading 1 Corinthians 10:16-17
 Gospel John 6:51-59

Pilgrimage to St. Joseph's Oratory in Montreal September 16th to 19th. Cost per person, includes travel, accommodations (Lord Berri), all entrance and tour fees, snacks/bottle water and BINGO on the bus! Single Room \$650/Double \$450/ Triple \$350/ Quad \$300. To register or for more info call Marlita 444-1643 or 450-2519 or email marlitachase@hotmail.com. Deposit of 50% upon registration. Limit 50 persons. (15 seats left).'

Note from Fr. Bill

Fr. Henri Nouwen, (1932 – 1996) was a Dutch Catholic priest, professor, writer and theologian. His interests were rooted primarily in psychology, pastoral ministry, spirituality, social justice and community. Over the course of his life, Nouwen was heavily influenced by the work of Anton Boisen, Thomas Merton, Rembrandt, Vincent van Gogh and Jean Vanier. His writings reflect a deep relationship with the Holy Trinity in the lived experiences of our lives. These are a few quotes to give you a taste of his wisdom:

"The real enemies of our life are the 'oughts' and the 'ifs.' They pull us backward into the unalterable past and forward into the unpredictable future. But real life takes place in the here and now."

"Discipline means to prevent everything in your life from being filled up. Discipline means that somewhere you're not occupied, and certainly not preoccupied. In the spiritual life, discipline means to create that space in which something can happen that you hadn't planned or counted on."

"God is a God of the present. God is always in the moment, be that moment hard or easy, joyful and painful."

"Peacemaking is a full-time vocation that includes each member of God's people."

"Perhaps nothing helps us make the movement from our little selves to a larger world than remembering God in gratitude. Such a perspective puts God in view in all of life, not just in the moments we set aside for worship or spiritual disciplines. Not just in the moments when life seems easy."

"Joy does not simply happen to us. We have to choose joy and keep choosing it every day."

Revitalization of our Diocese ~ On behalf of the Diocese of Saint John and the Catholic Leadership Institute, Fr. John Jennings has written a series of articles about the Disciple Maker Index Survey results and the process of revitalization in our Diocese. Articles and information about the revitalization process have appeared in the New Freeman and posted on a website that can be accessed through a link on the Diocesan website. A Facebook page entitled 'Revitalizing our Diocese' is also available for people to access information.

St. Anthony's monthly "Touched by Cancer" Mass for those whose lives have been affected in any way by cancer will take place Friday, June 16th at 7:00 pm. All are welcome.

NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT: You are invited to pray the Novena to the Holy Spirit to ask the Holy Spirit to inspire and guide the process to Revitalize and Realign our diocese for Evangelization and Discipleship. United in prayer, we ask the Holy Spirit to bless us as we participate in the process. As follows

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And You shall renew the face of the earth. O, God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolations, through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

O Holy Spirit, Divine Consoler!

I adore you as my True God.

I bless You by uniting myself to the praises You receive from the angels and saints.

I offer You my whole heart,

and I render You heartfelt thanks

for all the benefits You have bestowed

and do unceasingly bestow upon the world.

You are the author of all supernatural gifts

and who did enrich with immense favours the soul of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God,

I beseech you to visit me by Your grace and Your love,

and grant me the favour I so earnestly seek in this novena that You inspire, guide and bless the Plan to Revitalize and Realign the Diocese of Saint John for Discipleship and Evangelization; that you bless us and bless our bishop.

WEB RESOURCES FOR PRAYER AND FAITH DEVELOPMENT

The following websites are excellent resources for your daily prayer and on-going faith development:

Sacred Space is the work of the Irish Province of the Jesuits:
www.sacredspace.ie

Creighton University in Omaha, Nebraska offers a site with reflections on the daily readings for Mass and a 'Weekly Guide For Daily Prayer':

www.creighton.edu/collaborativeminsitry/daily/html

Upcoming Retreats at Villa Madonna

Visit <http://villamadonna.ca/events> for more info.

June 17-18, G.L.A.M.E. (Grief, Loss, Anxiety, Mindfulness Exercise) 24-Hour Retreat for those needing support with loss and grief. Facilitated by Rick Benson, Spiritual Care Practitioner and Grief Recovery Specialist.

June 19 – 25, Six Day Guided Retreat – Women at the Well – Quenching Our Thirst at the Well of Blessing. Facilitated by Fr. Philip Chircop.

The Legion of Mary invites everyone to join them in **Praying the Rosary on the 13th of June at 10 am** in honor of the request of Our Lady of Fatima that we do so for peace in the world.

“Over the years, I have come to realize that the greatest trap in our life is not success, popularity, or power, but self-rejection. Success, popularity, and power can indeed present a great temptation, but their seductive quality often comes from the way they are part of the much larger temptation to self-rejection. When we have come to believe in the voices that call us worthless and unlovable, then success, popularity, and power are easily perceived as attractive solutions. The real trap, however, is self-rejection. As soon as someone accuses me or criticizes me, as soon as I am rejected, left alone, or abandoned, I find myself thinking, "Well, that proves once again that I am a nobody." ... [My dark side says,] I am no good... I deserve to be pushed aside, forgotten, rejected, and abandoned. Self-rejection is the greatest enemy of the spiritual life because it contradicts the sacred voice that calls us the "Beloved." Being the Beloved constitutes the core truth of our existence.” **Henri J.M. Nouwen**

"Dear God,
I am so afraid to open my clenched fists!
Who will I be when I have nothing left to hold on to?
Who will I be when I stand before you with empty hands?
Please help me to gradually open my hands and to discover that I am not what I own, but what you want to give me."
J.M. Nouwen, The Only Necessary Thing: Living a Prayerful Life



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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.

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