

St. Dunstan's Roman Catholic Church

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REV. BILL BRENNAN, PASTOR

REV. MR. KENNETH PARKER, DEACON

May 27th, 2018 – Trinity Sunday

Note from Fr. Bill: As we begin to merge our parishes of St. Columba, Sts. John and Paul and St Dunstan's, we have been asked as part of our first steps in moving forward to gather each month for prayer and socializing. Our first gathering will be hosted by St. Columba Mission in Fredericton Junction. ***We are all invited to gather for the Rosary in St. Columba Church at 6:30 pm on Sunday, May 27th followed by a reception with refreshments and conversation in the parish hall.*** ((Directions: Go up Regent St., past the mall, continue through New Maryland, at fork in road by Sts. John and Paul Parish, stay left. Continue on main road until you come to Fredericton Junction. The Wilsey is left just before fire station and the Church is on the right. 118 Wilsey Road. (About 30-35 minute drive).

Thursday, May 31st @ 7 pm – ECMA Winner Becka deHaan in concert at St. Dunstan's.

Becka deHaan has been on the Fredericton music scene since 2008. She holds a certificate of Grade 10 Piano from the Royal Conservatory of Music and a Bachelor of Arts degree in theology and English from Canadian Mennonite University. Career highlights include being the opening act for the East to West music festival in Shediac in 2014 and serving for four consecutive years as music leader at the New Brunswick Christian Ashram from 2014 to 2017, and she is currently music director at the Lincoln Baptist Church. She has released two full-length albums, and a third is on the horizon.

Building Stories of Resilience: Working Together to Better Respond to Violence Against Women with Disabilities. FREE Public Event, May 29th, @ 6 pm WU Centre at UNB. Register at <https://form.jotform.com/81075696379268> or call Rina Arseneault (458-7137) for more information on this event.

Effective Friday, June 1, 2018, the Catholic Bookstore in Saint John will be closed on Fridays during the months of June, July and August. Our new summer hours will be Tuesday to Thursday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm. Thank you.

Please note that we are now using 'low gluten' hosts which are 20 parts to 1,000,000 or .002 % gluten. For those who cannot tolerate even this small percentage, we will now have the precious blood available in a cup that no other communicants receive from. Just ask the minister of communion for either the low gluten consecrated host or the cup and they will offer it to you.

For your reflection....

"One can only imagine how greatly the political and religious culture wars of our era could be eased by this simple courtesy of the Law of Three:

- (1) the enemy is never the problem but the opportunity;
- (2) the problem will never be solved through eliminating or silencing the opposition but only through creating a new field of possibility large enough to hold the tension of the opposites and launch them in a new direction. Imagine what a different world it would be if these two simple precepts were internalized and enacted."

https://www.goodreads.com/author/show/80887.Cynthia_Bourgeault Cynthia Bourgeault
<https://www.goodreads.com/work/quotes/21887299>

The Holy Trinity and the Law of Three: Discovering the Radical Truth at the Heart of Christianity

† MASS INTENTIONS †

Wed 30 th	6:30 pm	Eden Dever
Thur 31 st	12:05 pm	Marion Matchett
Sat 2 nd	5:00 pm	Paul Scherer
Sun 3 rd	9:00 am	Johnny Thompson
	11:30 am	Danny Poirier

1st Friday Adoration 1:00 – 2:00 pm.

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

Legion of Mary – Tuesday mornings at 11:00 am
Natural Family Planning www.billings.life/en 450-9343

Lector & Eucharistic Minister Schedule
June 2nd & 3rd

Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
5:00 Tina Christie	Felipe Serrano (H2)
Lilia Cozzarini	Marie Costello
	Linda Roach
9:00 Bob Scott	Hughena Macneil (H2)
Patricia Kelly	David Macneil
	Sonny Grasse
	Peter Maillet
	Heather Maillet
11:30 Robert Michaud	Carole Dilworth (H2)
Sue Kettela	Carol Monterio
	John Brennan
	Jeannine Cochrane
	Margaret Savidge

For the weekend of May 19th & 20th

Offertory (operating)

Envelope	\$ 4,707
Pre-Authorized Debit (PAD)	\$ 1,425
Loose	\$ 1,024
Total	\$ 7,156
Budget	\$ 8,888
Variance	(\$ 1,732)
Other (Bldg Fund, Cemetery, Poor, etc.)	\$ 514
Kitchen Reno Donations to date	\$ 28,472

Your 2017 Donation Receipts are available to pick up in the parish office. Please advise the office of any changes to your address or phone number. Remember Pre-Authorized Debit as a way to make your donations. Forms are available at church entrances. Thank you for your continued support of the parish.

For new parishioners requesting a box of offertory envelopes, they will be left on the table at the Regent Street entrance of the church with your name on it. Welcome to St. Dunstan's.

NECROLOGY

May 28	Doris Hetty Friolet	1976
May 29	Marie Pistilli Sangermano	1972
	Rev Richard J Coughlan	1991
	Marian Emily Burns	1993
	Loretta Margaret Smith	1993
	Rev Donald Warner	1995
	Margaret Jean Ferguson	2004
	Albert Leon Harrison	2010
May 30	Imelda Marie Tims	2005
	Valeria Vanicek	2006
May 31	Paul Joseph Saad	1972
	Salim Thomas Khoury	1974
	J Edward Carten	1989
	Dorothy Mary Breneol	2010
	Fred Knappe	2011
June 1	Gertrude Eileen Folger	1976
	Dante Parmigiani	1986
	John Edward Warner	1996
	Pauline Irene Landry-Rivard	2000
	Mary Pauline Brown	2014
June 2	Henry Cecil Doyle	2001
	John Thompson	2013
June 3	Grace Eveline Rowan	1972
	John Michael Goodine	1976
	Pauline Hattie Goodine	1985
	Marie Eva LeGacey	2004
	Gerald (Jay) Allen	2010
	David Michael Hitchcock	2017



Readings for June 3rd

1st Reading	Exodus 24:3-8
2nd Reading	Hebrews 9:11-15
Gospel	Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

Our Lady of Grace School's annual delicious Lasagna Supper takes place June 3rd at Sts. John and Paul Church in New Maryland from 4:30-6:00 pm. There is also Caesar salad, garlic bread and home-made desserts. Adults \$ 12 and children \$ 6. There is also a silent auction. Don't miss it!!

St. Ann's Parish Spring Rummage Sale on Saturday June 2nd from 8am-12noon St. Ann's Parish is having a spring rummage sale. Lots of wonderful items! (716 Church Street Kingsclear).

NOTE FROM FR. BILL:

Recently the Bishop announced the Parish Changes for the Diocese and had his 'Pastoral letter for Revitalizing the Diocese of Saint John for Discipleship and Evangelization' read at each Mass throughout the Diocese. Copies of the pastoral letter are at the entrances of the church.

The following change is happening for St. Dunstan's:

Frederickton South, New Maryland and Frederickton Junction (2 Priests).

The parishes of St. Dunstan's (Frederickton) and Sts. John and Paul (New Maryland) will be merged into one new parish effective September 1st, 2018. St. Dunstan's Church and Sts. John and Paul Church will serve as worship sites. St. Columba's Church (Frederickton Junction) will be a mission church of this parish.

The following is our diocesan 'Vision for a Revitalized Church'

Vision of a Revitalized Church Living out our Baptismal Call:

- An evangelizing community that gives Jesus Christ to the world.
- Full churches for Sunday Mass
- Intergenerational community of children, teens, young adults, middle-age, seniors.
- The Centre of the community life service those on the margin and most in need.
- A community of growing disciples who share their faith, support one another, and lead other to Jesus Christ.

We are asked to pray with this vision using the following format:

A suggested Way to Pray and attend to our 'Vision of a Revitalized Church'

Personal Prayer:

-Take five minutes to settle and be conscious of you and God in the presence of one another.

-Read the entire 'Vision' reflectively and sit with it for a minute or two.

-Sit reflectively with one statement and notice your thoughts, memories and ideas.

-Sit reflectively with the same statement and notice what is happening in your 'heart' / your 'affect'.

-Take a minute to write down what happened.

(Do this for five consecutive days so you can pray with each statement of the Vision. Pray with a different statement each day).

(Do this prayer periodically).

Evangelization, Evangelizing, Evangelists Responding to our Baptismal Call (Fr. John Jennings)

On the Feast of the Ascension (and Mother's Day), I had the honour and privilege to baptize Jackson. This was truly something to celebrate. Jackson became a new member of the community of Christians. In doing so he became a disciple of Jesus and was given a call – he became an *evangelist*.

An *evangelist*? This is not a term we Catholics use very often. Sometimes, in fact, we seem uncomfortable applying the term to ourselves. Yet it is a term that we hear used throughout the New Testament and it very aptly describes who we become when we are baptised. An evangelist is someone who shares the good news, the Gospel. That is the call given to Jackson, and to each and every one of us when we were baptised.

Our diocese of Saint John has entered into a project to realign in order to revitalize our communities. This is not simply merging and changing our diocesan structure of parishes. It is not simply a response to financial or even population challenges. Its ultimate aim and purpose is to bring new life to our parish communities, to revitalize.

The vision that directs the realignment of our diocesan parish communities is an expression of our baptismal call. The vision asserts who we are to become:

- “A community of growing disciples who share their faith, support one another, and lead other to Jesus Christ.”
- “An evangelizing community that gives Jesus Christ to the world.”

This is our call, given us at our baptism. In describing Jesus' return to the Father in the Ascension, the Gospel of Mark has Jesus say to his disciples: “Go into all the world and proclaim the good news to the whole of creation.” (Mark 16:15) Proclaiming the good news in word and in action is what we do as disciples who are *evangelizers or evangelists*.

*The catechism calls the Eucharist the Source and Summit of our Faith. All are invited to spend time with Jesus in the Eucharist. **Friday, June 1, 7:30 PM, in the STU Chapel. There will be praise and worship music, time for reflection, and priests available for Confessions. Don't miss out on this powerful evening!"***

VILLA MADONNA RETREAT HOUSE
(506) 849-5125 or email: villamadonna@nb.aibn.com

5 DAY DIRECTED RETREAT (AASEA) at the Villa Madonna – June 11–15. A directed retreat is a time spent in silence with an opportunity to see a spiritual director once a day with daily Eucharist. Applications available at www.aaseasaintjohn.ca/directed-retreats please forward to AASEA Retreats, c/o Bob McDermott, 43 Studio Road, Saint John, NB E2N 1R8. For further information contact Bob McDermott at 696-4772 or by email mcdermot@nbnet.nb.ca

Steubenville Atlantic Youth Conference a series of North American conferences, brings 50,000 teens and their leaders closer to Christ every summer. Steubenville Atlantic 2018, in Halifax, is presented in partnership with the Archdiocese of Halifax-Yarmouth and the Franciscan University of Steubenville. Conference dates are July 6-8, 2018. All aged 14-18 are welcome. Cost: \$325 (transportation included) **26 early bird registration seats left** at \$300 before April 30th. If you are interested in attending Steubenville Atlantic, contact Margot McAloon Parker at 444-6025.

Camp Sheldrake Inc., Bartibog (Miramichi) is now accepting registrations for upcoming summer programs for children and teens. For complete information on how to register visit our website www.campsheldrake.ca
Contact office at 506-622-8907 campshel@xplornet.ca



DIVORCE CARE AT ST. DUNSTAN'S - Find Help, Discover Hope and experience Healing, Support Group. We will be offering a 13-week program on Tuesday evenings from 6:30-8:30 in the MBFC Room 123. Call Jeanette @ 458-9546.

18th Focus on Life Benefit Dinner, Monday, June 4th at 6 pm. Fredericton Inn. \$75/adult \$520/Table of 8 (a portion of the tickets is tax-receiptable), \$35/student. To purchase a ticket call Rebecca or Nancy at 459-8990. Guest Speaker: Stephanie Gray

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