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**REV. MR. KENNETH PARKER, DEACON**

## April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2017 – Easter Sunday



***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 24<sup>th</sup>**  
St. Gertrude's Church  
105 Union Street  
Woodstock, NB  
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

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

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

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

**NO Religious Education classes this Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup>  
HAPPY EASTER!**

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**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Acts 10:34a, 37-43

**Gospel:** John 20:1-18

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8

## † MASS INTENTIONS †

Wed	19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>NO MASS</b>
Thur	20 <sup>th</sup>	12:05 pm Ronald Hetherington
Fri	21 <sup>st</sup>	12:05 pm Lorna Daigle and DFM
<b>Sat</b>	<b>22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>2:00 pm Memorial Mass-Georges Whalen</b>
Sat	22 <sup>nd</sup>	5:00 pm Lindsey Diane Thompson
Sun	23 <sup>rd</sup>	9:00 am Leo & Susan Losier
		11:30 am Eileen Ryan
		7:00 pm Frances Traer

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

**Saturday's 4:00 – 4:30 pm**

**Legion of Mary** – Tuesday mornings at 11:00 am

**1<sup>st</sup> Friday Adoration** following noon Mass until 2 pm

**Natural Family Planning** [www.billings.life/en](http://www.billings.life/en) 450-9343

## **Lector & Eucharistic Minister Schedule**

**April 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>**

<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>
5:00 Tina Christie	Felipe Serrano (H2)
Lilia Cozzarini	Joseph O'Donnell
	Penny Hutley-Dobson
9:00 Jessica Gillis	Bob Scott (H2)
Patricia Kelly	John Denning
	David Macneil
	Hughena Macneil
	Carole Dilworth
11:30 Chris McAloon	Noreen Vaillancourt (H2)
Thelma Innes	Carol Monterio
	Natali Caswell
	Maria Flores
	John Brennan
7:00 Jennifer Flynn	Esther Archibald (H2)
Phyllis Daigle	Linda Roach
	Sheila Girouard

## April 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>

Offertory (operating)	\$ 8,960.71
Budget	\$ 8,888.00
Variance	\$ 72.71
Other (Bldg Fund, Cemetery, Poor, etc)	\$ 1,380.00

**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 23<sup>rd</sup>

1st Reading	Acts 2:42-47
2nd Reading	1 Peter 1:3-9
Gospel	John 20:19-31

**The Little White Book - Six-Minute reflections on the Resurrection narrative of Mark \$1.00 in the parish office.**

## NECROLOGY

Apr 16	Yvonne Kearney	2013
Apr 17	Maureen Smyth	1968
	Carl James DiGiacinto	1970
	Ernest W Thompson	1971
	Gerald Joseph Hardy	1977
	Michael Joseph Caden	1978
	Dianne Marie Vienneau	2011
	Wayne Patrick Nolan	2014
	Patricia Noella McGillan	2016
Apr 18	Margaret Elizabeth Greene	1992
	Leonard Kent	1994
	George Grant Watt	2010
Apr 19	Elliott Doucette	1991
	Stanley William McLaughlin	1999
	Carmel Hobin	2000
	Doris McKay	2007
	Dr. Hugh Miller MacSween	2015
Apr 20	Thomas S Madden	1971
	Jon Alexander Fallon	2012
	M Eileen Ryan	2015
Apr 21	James Joseph Furlong	2015
Apr 22	Suzanne Losier	2009
	George Lewis Dineen	1981
	Robert Eugene McGinn	1986
	Frances Ethel Toner	1994
	William Esau Canam	1999
	Helen Grace Cockburn	2001
Apr 23	Dax Gould	1971
	Gertrude Cain	1978
	Roland J McLenahan	1984
	Eileen Bridget Hayes	2008

## Faithful Departed

**Mrs. Jeanne Brennan**, mother of Fr. Bill

**Margaret Fage**, mother of James



## Sanctuary Lamp

*In Loving Memory of  
Andy Burns (1967-1993)*

**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 7<sup>TH</sup> St. Dunstan's Annual General Meeting (AGM):** All parishioners are invited to a Parish Meeting on **Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup> @ 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 14<sup>th</sup> and will run to June 6<sup>th</sup>, 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 22<sup>nd</sup>** 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.

**Wilmot United Church** invites you to shop at their **Rummage Sale on Friday, April 21st from 3 - 6 p.m. and Saturday, April 22nd from 9 a.m. - noon**. Spring and summer clothing, toys, books, linens, home decor and more will be available! Proceeds from the event will support some of Wilmot's outreach projects: Fredericton Community Kitchen, Transition House Fredericton and the UNB Campus Ministry.

**St. Anthony's monthly "Touched by Cancer" Mass** for those whose lives have been affected in any way by cancer will take place Friday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at 7 pm.

*Thank you! I wish to express my heartfelt thanks for your kindness, love and prayers after the passing of my daughter Eveline Stevens on March 29<sup>th</sup>. I feel very blessed by many of my church family with visits, prayers, and cards.* **Cecile Boudreau**

**Sts. John and Paul CWL will be holding their annual Spring Tea and Dessert Luncheon** on Saturday, April 22 at 12:00 noon at Sts. John and Paul Church (Family Centre), 727 New Maryland Highway. Tickets are \$10.00 per person, and can be reserved by calling Helen at 474-1040.

## *Thank you St. Dunstan's from Greener Village Community*

St Dunstan's accelerated its ongoing support to Greener Village Food Bank during the Lenten Season through your very generous food donations. This support was received with deep appreciation and gratitude by staff, volunteers and most importantly the clients. The following quotes were selected from many on the Food Bank bulletin board client input section, What the Food Bank Means to Me.

- "The food bank means not to be hungry everyday. The staff are friendly and kind. Life is a struggle and without the food bank life would be harder. Thank you for helping our community."
- "The food bank means to me to have help/food at my most absolute worse time of need. It means something/someone is here for me and my family."
- "The food bank means everything to me. To do your best is not always enough. Thank you."

**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 26<sup>th</sup>; March for Life-May 2<sup>nd</sup>; 12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care -May 4<sup>th</sup>; 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.

On Saturday **April 22nd a Memorial Mass** will be celebrated in St. Dunstan's Parish at 2:00 pm for the life of **Georges Whalen**. The family invites everyone to a short reception following the Mass in the Monsignor Boyd Family Centre.

**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](http://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).



## 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](http://www.stdunstansparish.ca)



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## Breast Cancer Survivors

### Fredericton

meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of  
each month at the  
Monsignor Boyd Family  
Centre @ 7 pm  
Room 122. For more  
info contact – Eleanor  
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8418. (A member of the  
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NBBCN).

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