

**ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH
&
H.O.P.E. Centre News
4347 Loch Lomond Road
Saint John, NB E2N 1C8**

**Rev. Ralph McRae, Moderator
Rev. Rodrigo Tabilona**

Our Vision Statement

A parish dedicated to the spiritual well-being of God's people through on-going family based religious education programs, a deepening of the sacramental life of the parish, and the continuing development of meaningful and life-giving liturgies. A parish that lives out this commitment through social service and ministry.

Office Hours Mon - Thurs 10 am to 2 pm Closed Friday

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November 11, 2018

Thirty- Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, November 10

4 pm Terry MacNeill

Sunday, November 11

10 am For All Veterans

John Miller & Jack Gallant

Philip McCaffery & Susan Crowell

Monday, November 12

OFFICE CLOSED

10:30 am Line Dancing

7 pm Quigley Share Group

Yoga

Tuesday, November 13

10 - 11:30 am Moms & Tots

10 am Seniors Exercises

1 pm Seniors Cards

Wednesday, November 14

12 noon Father Bill Elliott

7 pm Latin Line Dancing

Thursday, November 15

5:30 pm Doors open for Bingo

Friday, November 16

12 noon For The People

7 pm Line Dancing

8 pm "Party Line" Dance

Saturday, November 17

4 pm For Vocations

Sunday, November 18

10 am Harold Dort

George & Betty Douglas

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**Sunday, November 11at St. Rose of Lima
Church from 1 - 2 pm.**

Dance in support of H.O.P.E. Centre, "Party Line", 16 November. Doors open 8 pm music begins 9, tickets \$10.00 per person, can be picked up at the Parish Office or call 653-6856.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS will be celebrated on Friday, November 23rd, at 12:05 noon, in Stella Maris Church. Anyone suffering from emotional, physical, spiritual problems and feels they would like to experience the faith, courage and strength this Sacrament has to offer is more than welcome to participate. Fish and Corn Chowder will be served following the Mass in the Church Hall.

PARISH FINANCES

Last week's Offerings:

Offertory \$2186.

Pre-authorized Debit (weekly) \$205.

Those In Need \$728.

Just a remind that pre-authorized debit is available.
Please call the office for further information.

Offertory Envelopes are available at the front door of the church.

NOTE: Any contributions made by cheque **MUST** be made payable to St. Joseph's Church or The H.O.P.E. Centre depending on where you want the donation allocated.

ALSO...to assist those counting the weekly contributions, please put the amount of your donation on your Offertory Envelope.

For November 17 & 18

Lectors

4 pm Peter Chouinard & Andrea Arseneau

10 am Jim Lane & Krystal Lavigne

Eucharistic Ministers

**4 pm Linda Hackett, Vaunda Loughery,
Jonathan Cann**

**10 am George & Wanda Quigley,
Pauline Winters**

Ecclesiastes III....Under every season there is a time....a time to heal....we remember these people in need of our prayers:

Carol McNally, Bob Donovan, Kathleen Folkins, Fred Savoie, Kiley Clements, Muriel Richard, Walter Smith, Gladys McGrath, Ian Walker, Harvey Beck, Hilma Tracey, Gail Scott, Danny Murray, Sam Williams, Helen Savoie, Kathleen Gagnon & her family, Phyllis Titus, Gisele Kirkpatrick, Jean Morrison, John Richardson, Arthur Locke, Theresa Ryan, Ann Whelan, David Branscombe, Kathy Tufts, Marilyn Galbraith, Ann Quigg, Jackson Morton.

NO SCENTS IS GOOD SENSE

Be considerate of others. Recognize that some people have allergies or adverse reactions to fragrances. Please reduce or eliminate your use of scented products at Mass.

PASTORAL CARE

A committee provides Pastoral Care for the sick and elderly of the parish. Regular home visits will be made at a time of your convenience. Please call the church office or Pauline Hughes 696-7907 to arrange a visit.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK FOR November 18 ***Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time***

Reading 1 Daniel 12:1-3

Reading 11 Hebrews 10:11-14, 18

Gospel Mark 13:24-32

Key Passage: *Jesus said, "Beware, keep alert; for you do not know when the time will come."*
(Mark 13:33)

Adult: *What would you be doing differently in your life if you truly believed you would meet Christ soon?*

Child: *What would you do for others today if you thought you would not have another chance to do it?*

The 36th Annual Poinsettia Luncheon sponsored by the ladies of CWL will be held Saturday, November 24 from 12 noon - 2 pm in the Centre.

As usual, the menu will include turkey salad, potato salad, coleslaw, cucumber, tomato, watgate salad and roll. Assorted sweets, Tea/coffee.

Bake sale, Raffle Table, White Elephant Sale Table. Adults \$9, children under 12 years \$4.50.

Tickets available at the parish office.

The Christmas Craft Sale will be held Saturday, December 1 at 9 am. This year's sale will include the **Annual Cookie Sale**.

There will be a large of number of vendors selling various homemade items. No admission charge. Canteen will be open.

Del Worden's Christmas Concert

Monday, December 3 at 7 pm.

Great Christmas music - lots of fun, dancing
Admission \$10

Congratulations to Francis Lamont the winner of the monthly, Men's Club Lottery, for the month of October. There are numbers available, see Rusty Kirkpatrick or Fred McGrath to get a number. There are 200 numbers available. The cost is \$10.00 a month, we ask that you commit for the year if you can. If that isn't possible they can be purchased monthly. It makes it so much easier for everyone if you pay for a few months at a time. Most pay two payment of \$60.00, Sept and March. This draw is in support of H.O.P.E. Centre.

H.O.P.E. CENTRE NEWS

Any questions call 653-6875

Monday

10:30 am Adult Line Dancing

Drop-in rate - \$9.00 - Bring comfortable shoes (no street shoes) and No Scents please.

7 - 8 pm Yoga with Manon.

The cost is \$40 per person. Spread the word, tell your friends and neighbours. Come out and enjoy the stretch and relaxation.

Tuesdays

9:30 am Moms & Tots

10 am Seniors Exercises

1 pm Seniors Cards - all are welcome

Wednesdays

Latin Line Dancing

Beginners 6:30 -7pm, 5\$ drop in ,Regulars 7-8:30 pm paid or 10\$ drop in - See you there

FOOT CARE CLINIC

Last Wednesday of each month Cost \$40 - provided by nurses trained in Advance & Diabetic Care. Call 847-0254

Thursdays

Bingo....Doors open at 5:30 pm

Games begin at 6:50 pm. Come out for a night of fun and relaxation....

Fridays

Line Dancing session begins 7 pm

Moms & Tots Program Tuesdays at 9:30 am.

This structured play time is held in the Church Basement (enter by the front door of the Centre and go down in the elevator). The cost is \$2 per family.

Community News

David Myles headlines the Concert for the Cathedral Friday, November 16 6:30-11 pm at Kings Church in Quispamsis with performances by renowned Irish duo Evans & Doherty and Mary Beth Marks. Three great performers. Advance tickets on sale now \$50 + svc fees at Harbour Station Box Office 800.267.2800 or www.harbourstation.ca Tickets at the door \$60 + HST. All proceeds benefit the Cathedral Restoration Project.

St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary Meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 13, at 1:30 in Room 11 second floor of St. Joseph's Hospital.

AITKEN'S PEWTER COMMEMORATIVE

ORNAMENT of St. John the Baptist Parish is available for a cost of \$20 at the Stella Maris and St. John the Baptist Parish Office, 201 Bayside Drive or at The Catholic Bookstore.

Knights of Columbus Council 11201 every other Friday night in Bradley Lake Community Centre. Doors open at 6 pm - Early Bird Games at 6:45. The next game night is November 16.

The Annual Rocmaura Auxiliary Bazaar will be taking place on Saturday, November 17, from 1 – 3 pm at the Rocmaura Nursing Home. Come and enjoy a day, finding treasures at the New To You, treats at the Bake Table or playing Bingo or Tombola, plus more. Donations for the Bake Table, Crafts, New-To-You (no clothing) will be welcomed. All donations must be CLEAN, usable items, in good condition. Items may be dropped off at Rocmaura to the Recreation Dept. Items for the Bake Table may be dropped off the morning of the Bazaar to the Club Room.

Divine Mercy Catholic School's annual **Spiritus Award Dinner & Auction** will be held on Thursday, November 22, at the Delta Hotel. This delightful evening will feature a silent and live auction, a performance by the Nationally recognized, award winning, heart melting DMCS Choir, cocktails and dinner and presentation of the Spiritus Award. This year, we will be posthumously honouring Ms. Gertrude Mooney. Gertrude was a dear friend and supporter of DMCS and we are proud to be presenting the Spiritus Award to her family in her honour! All proceeds from the Spiritus Dinner directly support Divine Mercy Catholic School. For tickets or information on sponsorship, please call (506) 214-5556 or email info@dmcssj.com. Tickets: \$80 (\$33 tax receipt).

Empowering Artisans Around the World!

Ten Thousand Villages is coming to St. Mark's United Church! Friends of Ten Thousand Villages-Saint John is hosting a sale of beautiful, fairly-traded gifts benefiting artisans from more than 30 Developing countries. Ten Thousand Villages is a project of Mennonite Central Committee, the outreach arm of the Mennonite and Brethren in Christ churches in North America. **The Festival Sale will be held Friday, November 16th, from 9 am to 8 pm and Saturday, November 17, from 9 am to 4 pm at St. Mark's United Church, 50 Dexter Dr., (off Manawagonish Rd., West Saint John), Saint John. Admission is free.** The gifts you buy at the Ten Thousand Villages Sales will give the blessings of steady work, fair wages, and a better life for struggling families around the world. For more information, call Michelle Ruigrok at 672-0468. **Your purchase makes a difference!**

Giving blood is one of the most direct ways you can help someone. Your donation can help treat cancer patients, bring a car crash victim through surgery, and even help a transplant patient's new heart beat for the first time. Please make an appointment to attend the blood donor clinic at: 405 University Ave, Saint John, NB. Make your appointment Online at www.blood.ca or by calling 1 888 2 DONATE (1 888 236-6283). New Donors are always welcome! If you knew someone who needed blood, would you help? Your one donation can help save or enhance the lives of up to three people. Please ask your family and friends to join you in helping those who rely on blood and blood products. A little of your time could give someone else a lifetime.



REMEMBRANCE DAY
Lest We Forget