

**St. Joseph's Church
&
H.O.P.E. Centre News
4347 Loch Lomond Road
Saint John, NB E2N 1C8**

Rev. Ralph McRae, Pastor

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.

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October 29, 2017

Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

**Saturday, October 28
4 pm Valerie Curwin**

**Sunday, October 29
10 am Roy Carr
Jo-Ann Langlais**

**Monday, October 30
7 pm Quigley Share Group in the Centre**

**Tuesday, October 31
10 - 11 am Senior's Exercises
10 am Moms & Tots
1 pm Senior's Cards
7 pm Lavigne Share Group**

**Wednesday, November 1
12 noon For The People
7 pm McGrath Share Group
Donovan/Dyker Share Group**

**Thursday, November 2
10 - 11:15 am Moms & Tots
7 pm Mass of Memories**

**Friday, November 3
12 noon Father Bill Elliott**

**Saturday, November 4
3:30 pm The Rosary will be prayed
4 pm Terry MacNeil
Shaun Ryan Wisted**

**Sunday, November 5
9 am Breakfast in H.O.P.E. Centre
10 am Lorraine McNulty
11 am Breakfast continues
1-2 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

**Non-perishable food items will be collected for
Lakewood Headstart Inc.**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
October 29, at St. François de Sales from 1:30 -
2:30 pm with Benediction and Confession.

MASS OF MEMORIES

Thursday, November 2

It has been a tradition at our Church to celebrate with those who have lost loved ones during the year. This year this celebration of memories will be held Thursday, November 2 at 7 pm.

A Memory Book will be placed in the church for those who would like to write the name of their loved one on the open page. You may light a candle in memory of your loved one and these candles will be provided.

After the celebration, we will all go to the H.O.P.E. Centre for refreshments and some comforting conversation. Please join us.

PARISH FINANCES

Last Week's Offerings

Offertory \$1794

Pre-authorized Debit (weekly) \$165

World Missions \$283

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

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.

For November 4 & 5

Lectors

4 pm George & Wanda Quigley

10 am Peter Chouinard & Andrea Arseneau

Eucharistic Ministers

4 pm Ann Wisted, Anne Furlotte, Patti McGrath

**10 am Carol Hussey, Joe Butler,
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, Mary Naves, Kiley Clements, Muriel Richard, Walter Smith, Brian Naves, Joe Duplisea, Gladys McGrath, Ian Walker, Harvey Beck, Hilma Tracey, Doug McFarlane, Mary Bishop, Gail Scott, Percy Leslie, Will James, Kathy Hackett, Danny Murray, Jocelyn Corscadden, Michael LeCroix, Kyla, Sam Williams, Marlene Savoie, Karen Adams, Helen Savoie, Kathleen Gagnon and her family, Debbie Nolan, Gisele Kirkpatrick, Jean Morrison, John Richardson, Arthur Locke, Eileen Shaw, Alberta McDow, Theresa Ryan, a Special Intention, Buddy Perry, David Branscombe, Marilyn Galbraith,

Question of the week for November 5 Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 1 Malachi 1:14-2:2, 8-10

Reading 11 1 Thessalonians 2:7-9, 13

Gospel Matthew 23:1-12

Key Passage: Jesus said, "Therefore, do whatever they teach you and follow it; but do not do as they do, for they do not practice what they teach." (Matthew 23:3)

Adult: Is there an area of your life in which you sometimes feel like a hypocrite?

Child: Would you be willing to do a good work if no one would ever know or praise you for it? Why or why not?

NEW FAITH SHARING GROUP

This is an invitation for anyone to join a group of people sharing life and faith, valuing one another, connecting with the Church's story, and reaching out in service.

Our fast paced lives leave us little time to reflect on the meaning of life. Faith groups give you a chance to slow down, recall the day or week in quiet time and listen to yourself and others. In this group we will focus some on outreach. Our concern, care and love of others is a measure of our love for God. Through outreach that we share in the mission of Jesus.

WHEN: WEDNESDAY EVENING

WHERE: H.O.P.E. CENTRE

TIME: 7 to 8:30 pm

**Group Guides: Bob Donovan 643-1880 &
Tracie Dyker 609-5867**

"NO SCENTS IS GOOD SENSE"

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

HOPE CENTRE NEWS

SENIORS EXERCISE PROGRAM

Each Tuesday from 10 - 11 am. Come for a fun morning of light & gentle exercise.

SENIORS CARDS

Each Tuesday at 1 pm. Come and socialize and play 45's....enjoy the day!!

Foot Care Clinics

Last Wednesdays of each month 9 am - 12 noon
Cost \$40 - *Provided by nurses trained in Advance & Diabetic foot care *Receipts provided for income tax purposes *Most Health Insurance plans cover foot care services *Registered providers for Medavie Blue Cross & Veterans
To book an appointment call 847-0254

YOGA

Mondays from 7 - 8 pm \$40.00 FOR 6 WEEKS
REGISTER AT 653-6875 OR 609-5867 (TRACIE)
BEGINNERS ARE MOST WELCOME! COME AND TRY IT!

MOMS & TOTS

Tuesday & Thursday mornings from 10 to 11:15
Come and have some adult time while you're enjoying watching your children play. Snacks provided for the little ones and of course coffee is on for YOU!
(come in the main doors of the H.O.P.E. Centre, take the elevator down to the basement or the stairs to the left)

BREAKFAST

November 5, 9 to 11am,
Adults \$8.00, Children \$5.00 and Family of four \$23.00.

BINGO

The all new H.O.P.E. Centre Bingo returns Thursday, November 9. Doors open at 5:30 pm, Games begin at 6:50 pm.
Please come out for a great night of fun.....looking forward to seeing everyone. *The Bingo Team*

PASTORAL CARE

A committee has been formed to provide 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.

CWL NEWS

The regular monthly meeting of CWL will be held Monday, November 6 at 7 pm in the upstairs Boardroom of the H.O.P.E. Centre. All are welcome!!

It is that time of year to collect our annual dues of \$20. Being a member of The Catholic Women's League of Canada adds your voice to some 80,000 women in Canada, strong in their faith, have their voice heard in government, and share the love of their community.

Knights of Columbus Council #11201 Bingo

Bradley Lake Community Centre, 248 Bradley Lake Road every other Friday night - next Bingo is November 3.

Doors open at 6 pm; Early Bird Games at 6:45 pm
\$500 Pot of Gold/Jackpot Games/Cookie Jar & Specials

The 4th Annual Cathedral Art Show & Sale will continue on Sunday, October 29, 11 am – 3 pm at the Bishop's Residence. Proceeds from this year's sale will be directed to assist the ministry of St. Vincent de Paul Society in their 100th year of community outreach and Christmas Hampers. Raffle tickets are now on sale at the Cathedral Parish office, the Catholic Bookstore and will also be sold at the event. Should you wish to preview artwork currently registered, please visit: <https://katiequinnsteeves.wixsite.com/mysite-cathedral>

Annual Fall Roast Beef Supper at St. Francis Xavier Church, Sussex on Sunday, October 29th, from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. Take Out also available from the lower hall from 3:30 to 6 p.m. Cost: Adults – \$13; 6 to 12 years of age – \$6; Preschoolers Free. Craft and Preserve Table, Raffle Draw and 50/50. Plus entertainment in the Church with Al Smith before and after your meal.

HARVEST DINNER Our Lady of Perpetual help Parish Annual Roast Beef Dinner on Sunday, October 29, 3:30 – 6:00 p.m. Sirloin tip roast with mashed potatoes, squash, carrots and peas; tea, coffee, homemade pie. Tickets at the door are: Adults \$15, Children 6-12 \$7, Children 5 and under FREE. Take outs available. All proceeds go to the church Mortgage Fund.

Mass for Life: Wed., Nov. 1, 7 pm, Divine Mercy Catholic School, Saint John. Praying for respect for all human life. Everyone welcome.

Rocmaura Nursing Home

Our **Annual Rocmaura Bazaar** will take place November 4th from 1:00 – 3:00 pm at 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. 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.

Cathedral CWL Harvest Tea

Saturday, November 4th, from 12 to 3:00 pm, at the Bishop's Residence, 91 Waterloo St. use side entrance. Bake table, jewelry table and purse table. Ham & Salad plate with dessert, tea or coffee \$10.00.

St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary Fall Fashion Show (clothes by Jo's Boutique) will be held Tuesday, November 7, at St. Ann's Church, Glen Falls. Doors open at 6:15 pm. Dessert, tea & coffee; silent auction and raffle. Tickets are \$15 and are available at Jo's Boutique, by calling Esther McQuade 696-1313 or from any member of St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary. Come and bring a friend!

Tickets are on sale now for **Measha Brueggergosman's** only concert within our diocese this season! The *Home for the Holidays* concert at Saint John High School, is Friday December 15 at 7:30 PM. Tickets \$30 plus HST at Harbour Station Box Office or www.harbourstation.ca. Proceeds benefit Cathedral Restoration Project.

COOKIE DOUGH CAMPAIGN

This is the time of year where we have our annual Preschool and Afterschool Program Fundraiser. We chose to do the cookie dough fundraiser again this year as it has been a huge success in the past! The fundraiser has started and will end on November 10. Cookie Dough takes about 8 to 10 business days to come in.

****No late orders will be accepted!****

We would like to thank you all for supporting your community preschool/afterschool program in this way.

If you have questions, please call Tracie 6095867 or any of the teachers listed below.

All cookie dough pails are \$12 each.

Cheques are to be written out to H.O.P.E. Centre.

Thank you.

Terri Sullivan, Shauna Ryan, Sue Deasington,
Tasha Vautour, Julie Garnett