

**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.**

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**Pastoral Council Chairperson George Quigley Phone 696-4996 email quigleydesign@rogers.com**

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**H.O.P.E. Wellness Centre Mon. Tues. Wed. 8 am to 3 pm Phone 632-5695**

**September 23, 2018**

**Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, September 22  
4 pm Harold Quinlan**

**Sunday, September 23  
10 am Doug McFarlane**

**Monday, September 24  
Election Day -  
Yoga returns next week**

**Tuesday, September 25  
9:30 - 11:30 am Moms & Tots  
10 am Seniors Exercises  
1 pm Seniors Cards**

**Wednesday, September 26  
12 noon Father Bill Elliott  
7 pm Latin Line Dancing**

**Thursday, September 27  
12 noon For The People  
5:30 pm Doors open for Bingo**

**Friday, September 28  
12 noon Curtis Andrew Amirault**

**Saturday, September 29  
4 pm Ned Landry**

**Sunday, September 30  
10 am Lauza Glaspy  
5:45 pm Turkey Supper**

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
Sunday, September 23 at Villa Madonna  
Retreat House from 2 - 4 pm.**

**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.

**Due to circumstances beyond our control,  
demolition of the rectory has been delayed.**

**A collection will be taken next weekend for  
"Needs of the Church in Canada"**

## **PARISH FINANCES**

**Last week's Offerings:**

**Offertory \$1733.**

**Pre-authorized Debit (weekly) \$205.**

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 September 29 & 30**

### **Lectors**

**4 pm Paula Harper & Esther McQuade**

**10 am Jim Lane & Patty Davis**

### **Eucharistic Ministers**

**4 pm Linda Hackett, Patti McGrath,  
Ann Foster**

**10 am Patty Davis, Bob Donovan,  
Dorie McDermott**

***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.

## **QUESTION OF THE WEEK FOR September 30** **Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Reading 1** Numbers 11:25-29

**Reading 11** James 5:1-6

**Gospel** Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

**Key Passage:** *Listen! The wages of the labourers who mowed your fields, which you kept back by fraud, cry out, and the cries of the harvesters have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. (James 5:4)*

**Adult:** *What are the three most important values motivating your daily decisions?*

**Child:** *Could a poor person who is wise be richer in a way than a foolish person who has many things? Why?*

**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.

A "New to you" Sale will be held in October. Anyone having donations of new and used items - purses, scarves, jewellery, coats - please drop them off at the Church Office or Bingo or Senior's Exercises or Mass Times. Sponsored by CWL

## **H.O.P.E. CENTRE NEWS**

Any questions call 653-6875

If you have books you would finished reading, please drop them off to the Centre for the Book Sale which will be held in late October this year

### ***Monday***

Monday Morning Adult Line Dancing (Country, Oldies, Latin, Pop, Seasonal, etc.) - Something for Everyone - Monday Mornings, 10:30 until Noon - 10:30 to 11:30 Beginner, 11:30 to 12:00 Improver - The next 5 week session begins on **Monday, October 15th** - Registration for the session - \$35.00. Drop-in rate - \$9.00 - Bring comfortable shoes (no street shoes) and No Scents please. Come join in on the fun.

7 - 8 pm Yoga with Manon is cancelled this week because of Election Day . The cost is \$40 per person. Spread the word, tell your friends and neighbours. Come out and enjoy the stretch and relaxation. Please share this post because we all want this activity to be a success.

### ***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

### ***Thursdays***

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

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

### ***Fridays***

Friday Night Adult Line Dancing (Country, Oldies, Latin, Pop, Seasonal, etc.) - Something for Everyone - session begins on **Friday, October 19th** - Registration for the session - \$35.00, Drop-in rate - \$9.00 - Bring comfortable shoes (no street shoes) and No Scents please. Come join in on the fun. Friday Evenings, 7 until 8:30 - 7:00 to 8:00 Beginner, 8:00 to 8:30 Improver -

### ***FOOT CARE CLINIC***

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

Adult Dance featuring **Party Line** is returning to H.O.P.E. Centre on Friday, September 28th. Tickets are available at the St. Joseph's Parish Office. Please call 653-6856. Get your tickets now! Only \$10.00. Doors open at 8 pm, band plays from 9 pm to 12 midnight. Cash bar.

### **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. One evening of award-winning music for the entire family. **Advance tickets on sale now \$50 + svc fees at Harbour Station Box Office 800.267.2800 or [www.harbourstation.ca](http://www.harbourstation.ca) Tickets at the door \$60 + HST. All proceeds benefit the Cathedral Restoration Project.**

### **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 will be October 5.

Canadian Mental Health Association of New Brunswick, Saint John office, is pleased to announce our Education Programs for 2018/2019. Beginning October 2<sup>nd</sup> **Understanding Anxiety and Panic Disorder**, an 8-week education program for individuals diagnosed with anxiety and / or panic disorder. Registration is now open. Free to attend. Pre-registration is required and commitment to attend all sessions of a program is crucial to fully benefit from all information provided. For further information or to register, please call 633-1705.

A turkey supper will be held at St. Mark's Catholic Church, 171 Pettingill Road, on Sunday, September 30, 3:30 pm – 6:30 pm Cost: Adult \$12 Child (under 12) \$5, family rate \$30 (2 adults & children). Take-out will be available. Please use the back entrance, wheelchair accessible and no tickets required. Call 849-5111 for more information.