



St. Mary Magdalene Parish

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New Office Hours: 9 am – 5 pm on Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays / 9 am – 9 pm on Tuesdays & Thursdays
2 pm – 6 pm on Saturdays / 8 am – 1 pm on Sundays

June 1st – June 7th, 2025 – Ascension of the Lord

1st Reading: Acts 1.1-11

Gospel: Luke 24.46-53

2nd Reading: Hebrews 9.24-28; 10.19-23

THE MONTH OF JUNE IS THE MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS, the source of Love, Mercy and Compassion for the world. And the Feast of the Sacred Heart is celebrated on June 27, which also concludes the end of the Church's Jubilee Year for the 350th anniversary of the apparitions of the Sacred Heart to St. Mary Margaret of Alacoque. Let us turn to the Heart of Jesus throughout June and pray for our families, communities, province, country and the world; let us consecrate our hearts to Him to become living tabernacles who spread His light and truth; and let us console and comfort His Sacred Heart in reparation for our unforgiveness, judgements of others, and all our sins and the sins of the world. Copies of prayers available from the basket on St Joseph's altar (front left of St Dunstan's Church) next week, till end of June.

FREDERICTON REGIONAL JUBILEE MISSION: on June 2-4, Bishop Riesbeck will preach a three-day Jubilee Mission on the theme, "Rejoice in Hope." Inspired by *Spes Non Confundit*, the Jubilee Bull of Indiction of Pope Francis, Bishop Riesbeck will speak on our need for hope in these times, the relevance of Jesus as the anchor of our hope, and the role of the Holy Spirit as the agent of hope empowering us to mission as apostles of mercy and hope. These missions **will take place at Saint Theresa's Church** (Our Lady of Peace Parish) beginning from 6:30 pm-8:30 pm, ending with a reception. Each session will begin with Mass followed by a teaching, with a healing rosary on Monday, Adoration and the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Tuesday and commissioning prayers on Wednesday. Come and be a seeker of hope! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=khOPij3hbUg>.



Congratulations to our parish youth who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation during the Regional Confirmation Mass at Holy Family Church, Sunday, June 1st at 3 pm

Joseph Braedley

Joanna Dinan

Rowan Collins

Gianna Dobbeltsteyn

Joshua Dobbeltsteyn

Kathryn Egers

Nora Foreman

Maximo Godin

Eric Guitard

Angela Isama

James MacLean

Miguel Serrano

Katherine Siefker

May the strength of the Lord guide you, today and for always.

Land Acknowledgement for St. Mary Magdalene Parish: This is to acknowledge that the land on which we gather to pray is the traditional territory of the Wolastoqiyik whose ancestors along with the Mi'kmaq and Passamaquoddy Tribes / Nations signed Peace and Friendship Treaties with the British Crown in the 1700s.

Readings for June 8th

1st Reading: Acts 2.1-11

Gospel: John 20.19-23

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 12.3b-7, 12-13

ST. DUNSTAN'S

Mass Intentions:

Sat, May 31 4:00 PM Garnet, Helen and Janice Moore
Sun, Jun 1 9:00 AM Joseph Doucet
11:30 AM Francis A. Levangie
Tue, Jun 3 6:30 PM Joan Daley
Wed, Jun 4 6:30 PM Thomas Regan
Thu, Jun 5 12:05 PM Daniel Nicholes
Fri, Jun 6 6:30 PM Paulette Duke
Sat, Jun 7 4:00 PM Keith Gorman
Sun, Jun 8 9:00 AM Special Intention (Fr. Peter's parents)
11:30 AM Kay Newell

****Masses for June 3 & 4 will be celebrated at St Theresa's Church (NOT in St Dunstan's) by Father Suresh. Mass intentions for these dates will be offered accordingly.****

Mass Times:

6:30 PM Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays
12:05 PM Thursdays
4:00 PM, Saturdays
9:00 AM, 11:30 AM, Sundays
9:00 AM, First Saturdays

Divine Mercy / Rosary: 2 PM, Tuesdays
9:30 AM, First Saturdays

Rosary to St. Joseph: 6 PM, Wednesdays

Adoration: 6 PM, Fridays
7 PM, 1st Fridays

Confessions: 2:30 PM-3:30 PM, Saturdays
May call the office for other times

Baptism: Call the office *one month before desired date*

Marriage: Call the office *6 months before desired date*

RCIA: Call the office any time

Catholic Women's League (CWL) – there will be a meeting on June 1st at 1pm, St Dunstan's. New members are welcome!

Parish potluck for Steubenville: The students are hosting a parish potluck to raise money for our trip to the



Steubenville youth conference in Halifax. While for many of us the conference fees are not an obstacle to attendance, this is not the case for all the youth in the parish. Some parents would love for their child to be able to attend, but the fees are a significant barrier. This fundraiser is for them, but it is also for us as a parish to celebrate our beautiful and diverse community. On **June 15th, after the 11:30 Mass**, everyone is invited to bring a dish to the gym, but you don't have to. If you bring a dish, you can eat for free. Or don't cook but bring your wallet. Lunch will be 20\$ per person, or 50\$ per family. And free for young kids, as well as for UNB, STU, NBCC or NBCCD students with their student card. No cash? No problem. E-transfers are fine. Please list all the ingredients and the origin of your dish, together with your name. We look forward to seeing you in the gym for lunch!

Filipino-Canadian Heritage Month: This June, Filipino-Canadians across the country will be celebrating **Filipino-Canadian Heritage Month**, a national observance declared by Parliament last October 2018. The theme for this year is: **"Preserving Legacies, Building Futures: Empowering Communities through Heritage."** As part of this month-long celebration, we warmly invite you to join us for a **Thanksgiving Mass at St. Dunstan's Church on Saturday, June 21st, 2025, at 4:00 p.m.** Following the Mass, we will gather for a potluck and fellowship at the **Monsignor Boyd Family Centre (MBFC)**. There will be fun activities for everyone to enjoy. We encourage everyone to bring some food to share, most especially our Filipino parishioners, to showcase some Filipino dishes. Thank you, and see you!

STS. JOHN & PAUL

Mass Intentions:

Sun, Jun 1 11:00 AM Brent Hawkes
Sun, Jun 8 11:00 AM Guillermo Mamac

Mass Time: 11:00 AM Sundays

Rosary / Divine Mercy: 10:10 AM Sundays

Adoration: 1 – 5 PM Thursdays

Evening Mass and Adoration at Sts. John and Paul

Church: Join Father Peter on the first Thursdays of each month for an evening mass starting this Thursday, June 5th at 6:00 pm. In addition to Silent Adoration being held on Thursday from 1:00 to 4:00, Silent Adoration will also be held following the evening mass until 8:00 pm.

ST. COLUMBA

Mass Intentions:

Sun, Jun 1 9:00 AM Pepi DiGiacinto
Sun, Jun 8 9:00 AM DFM of Dobbeltsteyn Family
Greg & Bev Shannon

Mass Time: 9:00 AM Sundays

Offertories Received – Week Ending May 18

	<u>St C</u>	<u>Sts J&P</u>	<u>St D</u>	<u>Total</u>
Regular				
offertories	\$507	\$1,691	\$6,548	\$8,746
Pope's Pastoral				
Works	\$102	\$212	\$1,051	\$1,365
Next Special Collection is June 8 for Building Fund				

**** If anyone is interested to join the Parish Finance Council, please let Father Suresh know. ****