



# St. Mary Magdalene Parish

St. Columba † Fredericton Junction      Sts. John & Paul † New Maryland      St. Dunstan's Fredericton

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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9 am – 4 pm (Closed for lunch 12 – 1 pm)

Weekends: Saturday 2 pm – 6 pm / Sunday 8 am – 1 pm

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[Faithformation@stmarymagdaleneparish.ca](mailto:Faithformation@stmarymagdaleneparish.ca)

**February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024 – 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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*Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday's 3-3:30 pm at St. Dunstan's. Before and after weekday Mass, and any other time by appointment, please call the office.*

*St. Dunstan's - Tuesday Rosary and Divine Mercy @ 2 pm (Contact Mary McMahon 457-0093)*

*Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Thursday's 1-5 pm at Sts. John and Paul*

*Wednesday's at 6 pm (before Mass) at St. Dunstan's*

*FIRST Friday at 7 pm at St. Dunstan's*

*Rosary before Mass Sunday 10:20 at Sts. John and Paul*

**Livestream link for Mass: <https://www.stmarymagdaleneparish.ca>**

*RCIA – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday at 6 pm at St. Dunstan's in the Monsignor Boyd Family Centre*

Prayers for Peace in the World - The first Monday of each Month at 7 pm – 7:45 pm in St. Dunstan's.

Everyone is welcome, enter Church on King Street side by Tim Hortons.

*Sacramental Preparation: Preparation time for the Sacrament of Marriage is 6 months prior to the marriage date. Preparation time for the Sacrament of Baptism is one month prior to the Baptism date.*

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## 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.

❖ Masses on Feb 14 Ash Wednesday:

- St. Columba at noon.
- St. John and Paul at 7pm
- St. Dunstan's at noon and 7pm

**Employment Opportunity:** St. Mary Magdalene Parish has an immediate opening for a Secretary-Bookkeeper. The position is full-time, Monday-Friday, 35 hours per week. Duties include reception, communication (i.e. social media, website management, bulletins), and general office responsibilities. Skills required include interpersonal communication, advanced computer proficiency, intimate knowledge of MS Office products, and working with database software. Must be able to work independently in an environment subject to frequent interruptions. Salary will be commensurate with the position. Please submit resume by February 14 to [office@stmarymagdaleneparish.ca](mailto:office@stmarymagdaleneparish.ca).

**MASS INTENTIONS & TIMES**

**St. Columba Church**

Sunday, Feb 11<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am Vincent McCann  
 Wednesday, Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 12:00 pm Greg Shannon  
 Sunday, Feb 18<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am In Memory of the  
 Simpson Family

**Sts. John & Paul Church**

Sunday, Feb 11<sup>th</sup> 11:00 am Lillian Beaver  
 Monday, Feb 12<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am Margery Rattray  
 Wednesday, Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 7 pm Stan Wadden  
 Sunday, Feb 18<sup>th</sup> 11:00 am Bette Miles

**St. Dunstan's Church**

Sat. Feb 10<sup>th</sup> 4:00 pm Paul LePage  
 Sun. Feb 11<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am Donald Armstrong  
 11:30 am Margaret Forestell  
 Hannah Theresa Salem  
 Wed. Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 12:00 pm Special Intention  
 7:00 pm Arthur O'Connor  
 Thur. Feb 15<sup>th</sup> 12:05 pm Mary Brennan  
 Sat. Feb 17<sup>th</sup> 4:00 pm Penelope Marshall  
 Sun. Feb 18<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am Evelyn Fitzpatrick  
 11:30 am Jacques Ajaltouny

**NECROLOGY**

Feb 12	Clement McGinn	1983
	Edna Mary Richard	1987
	Patrick Austin Hughes	2002
	Annamanickam Amaladoss	2005
	Robert Edward Schaaf	2005
	Vernon Francis Oliver	2016
Feb 13	Achille G Valentino	1983
	Mary Clarice Dunlap	1988
	Monica Sweeney	2009
	Simone Gallien	2022
Feb 14	Douglas Earl (Chip) Parent	1998
	Antoinette (Nancy) Gallant	2015
Feb 15	Raymond James McLean	1989
	Cora Ann Taylor	2014
Feb 16	Theresa J Guidry	1989
	Huguette Pierrette McCann	1993
	Stanley Graeme Ubsdell	2001
	Gerald Vincent Moran	2003
	Michael Meade	2022
Feb 17	Rene Marcelet	1996
	David George Lyons	2019
	Fred Herkert	2020
	Louie George	2022
Feb 18	Lorne Winfield Rathburn	1998
	Ronald James Weaver	1999
	Mariano Julio Piquer	2013
	Frank Dunn	2020

*Sanctuary Lamp week of February 11<sup>th</sup>  
 In Memory of Judy Chase-Woodcock*

**Readings for February 18<sup>th</sup>**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading Genesis 9:8-15  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading 1 Peter 3:18-22  
 Gospel Mark 1:12-15

**St. Mary Magdalene Parish SHROVE  
 TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER** Tuesday,  
 February 13<sup>th</sup> from 4–6:30 pm. \$10 Adults /  
 \$5 Children. Sausages, Beans, Pancakes,  
 Syrup, Coffee/Tea/Juice/Desserts. Looking for  
 volunteers from all 3 churches for the kitchen,  
 working the floor, food prep and clean up as  
 well as donations of Pancake mix, butter, apple  
 juice, as well as monetary donations. Take out  
 also available. **VOLUNTEER AND  
 DONATION SIGN-UP SHEETS** are at the  
 Regent Street entrance of the church. Thank  
 you for your support.

**Employment Opportunity at St. Dunstan's:  
 Now Hiring** - Building Attendant for St. Dunstan's  
 Church and the Monsignor Boyd Family Centre. This  
 is a Casual position, starting immediately. Please  
 contact Mike at the Parish Office for a copy of the job  
 description and more details. Work hours subject to  
 change.

**Coffee Hour Ministry:** Join us for Coffee  
 Hour today, Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, from 10-11, in  
 the gym, for a time of fellowship with your fellow  
 parishioners. If you would like to sign up to  
 volunteer for the Coffee Hour, please  
 email [vivien.zelazny@gmail.com](mailto:vivien.zelazny@gmail.com).

***Knights of Columbus Community Breakfast*** Sunday,  
 February 11<sup>th</sup> at 10 am to 1 pm at the Knicol Hall.  
 Adults \$10, Children \$5., Families \$30. Please notice  
 the price increase due to the cost of groceries.  
 Everyone is welcome!

**St. Anthony's monthly "Touched by Cancer" Mass  
 for those whose lives have been affected in any way  
 by cancer will take place Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup> at  
 7:00 pm. All are welcome!**

## STS. JOHN & PAUL:

- **Stations of the Cross** - Georgina Jones will be leading the Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent starting on the 16th of February at 7 PM.
- **Liturgy Workshop** for Sts. John and Paul Church for all folks who are part of or are considering joining part of ministries as Lectors, Communion Ministers, Greeters and Offertory Families at Sts. John & Paul. Feb 24th 10:00am to 12:00pm. See you there.
- **Renewal Charismatic Prayer Time.** During the Lent period we are going to start an hour for Renewal Charismatic prayer time on Wednesday from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm at the Saint John and Paul basement (family area). For questions and to confirm attendance, please send information to Neyda Long at [long@stu.ca](mailto:long@stu.ca)

## ST. COLUMBA:

- St. Columba will be doing the Stations of the Cross during Lent on Monday night's at 7pm beginning February 19th.
- During Lent Mass will celebrated every Tuesday @ 7:00 pm beginning February 20<sup>th</sup>.

## ST. DUNSTANS:

- During Lent there will be Mass every Friday @ 6:30 pm. Following Mass join us for TAIZE. Beginning February 16th, all are welcome for prayers and music.

## **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2024 Friday, March 1<sup>st</sup> Ecumenical Worship Service**

**2 pm at St. Theresa's Church, William Street  
7 pm at Brunswick Street Baptist Church**  
**Theme: "I Beg You Bear With One Another in Love" Ephesians 4:103. Service written by the World Day of Prayer Committee of Palestine, prepared and adapted for use in Canada by the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada.**

This Lent, let's work toward Reaping our Rights



This year, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada's Create Hope: Reaping our Rights campaign calls you to stand with small-scale farmers and peasant communities who feed the world while caring for the Earth. Do this by:

1. Donating online at [devp.org/give](http://devp.org/give) or during the Solidarity Sunday collection on March 17, the fifth Sunday of Lent. Your generosity helps support over 73 projects in 36 countries around the world!

2. Learning more by reading the Mini-magazine and other resources available at [devp.org/lent/resources](http://devp.org/lent/resources).

3. Meeting our solidarity visitors and participating in the campaign launch webinar on February 17 at 1:30 p.m. ET.

For more information, contact Lynn Justason of the local Development and Peace — Caritas Canada at 506-478-2760.

**St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish** is offering an opportunity to enter into **Lenten reflection by support of the Truth and Reconciliation 94 Calls to Action**. "Recognizing that all Canadians, as treaty peoples, share responsibility in establishing and maintaining respectful relationships", we will offer a learning and listening opportunity. There will be two evenings during Lent to watch a documentary, engage in discussion and learn about and experience Indigenous Spiritual Ceremony.

**Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup> @ 7 pm and Holy Family Church** with the documentary, 'Telling Our Story'.

**Wednesday, February 28<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm a@ Holy Family Church** with the documentary, 'My Name is Wolastoq'.



**Old Salty's Fish & Chips  
1850 Lincoln Road  
Fredericton**

**(506) 454-7272.**

**Summary of Offertories Received for day-to-day Operations**  
Please call the Parish Office at 444-6001 if you have any questions

	<u>Total</u>	<u>St C</u>	<u>Sts J&amp;P</u>	<u>St D</u>
<b>Year to Date Dec 31/2023:</b>				
Offertories received	\$533,587	\$27,215	\$94,635	\$411,737
Operating expenses	\$700,151	\$79,963	\$136,289	\$483,899
Operating Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$166,564)	(\$52,748)	(\$41,654)	(\$72,162)
<b>Week ending Feb 04:</b>				
Offertories received	\$10,868	\$468	\$1,458	\$8,942
Oper. expenses (Estimated)	\$10,320	\$542	\$1,803	\$7,975
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$548	(\$74)	(\$345)	\$967
Vigil candles	\$99			

*Notice to Lectors and Communion Ministers: The listing of Lectors and Communion Ministers will no longer be posted in the weekly bulletin. Schedules will be posted in the Sacristy and on each church bulletin board. You will also continue to receive your schedule from the coordinator. Please make a note of when you are scheduled to serve.*

**Keep Christ in Christmas Drawing Contest 2023 Winners (Bishop Dollard Council 1942, Knights of Columbus):**

**Group 1 (Age 5 to 7)**

**1st Place: Krystal Joel, Our Lady of Grace Catholic School**

**2nd Place: Ethan McCallum, St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish**

**3rd Place: Emmett McCallum, St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish**

**Group 2 (Age 8 to 10)**

**1st Place: Harper McCarron, St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish**

**2nd Place: Clara Steinhoff, Our Lady of Grace Catholic School**

**3rd Place: Aidric Bell, St. Mary Magdalene Parish**

**Group 3 (Age 11 to 14)**

**1st Place: Gianna Dobbelsteyn, Our Lady of Grace Catholic School**

**2nd Place: Edith Bell, St. Mary Magdalene Parish**

**3rd Place: Ebuka Ezeokafor, St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish**

**YOUR 2023 DONATION TAX RECEIPTS ARE AVAILABLE TO PICK UP AT THE PARISH OFFICE. IF YOU WISH TO HAVE YOUR RECEIPT MAILED, PLEASE CALL AND LET THE PARISH OFFICE KNOW. PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF ANY CHANGE OF ADDRESS. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH!**