



St. Mary Magdalene Parish

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

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October 2nd, – 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

National Catholic Health Care Week - From October 2 to 8, 2022 we mark National Catholic Health Care Week across Canada, recognizing the important work of Catholic health care organizations in our province and across Canada. We pray for health care teams who have given much over the past years and continue to walk with all those who are ill, deeply troubled, weary and struggling. Holding all those who are hurting in our hearts, we ask God to bless the work of Catholic health care and we offer our prayers, support, and encouragement for the people of our Catholic health organizations who serve with compassion and courage. You are encouraged to mark National Catholic Health Care Week with daily reflections and prayers. Please visit the Catholic Health Alliance of Canada website at www.chac.ca.

Note from Fr. Suresh,

With Covid still looming around us, if you or any family members are not feeling well, have a headache or cold and flu symptoms, please do not attend Mass or come to the churches or family centre. Also, with some of the regular meetings/gatherings starting back up, we Request That Masks Be Worn in Meeting Rooms. Avoiding being around those with cold and flu is the best way to avoiding getting sick. Stay Healthy!

Little Rock Scripture Study at St. Dunstan's:

Registration for the fall session of Little Rock has ended because all books have now been spoken for. We expect to offer a new session early in 2023. For more information, please contact Jayne Nicki at 453-9899 or jaynenck@gmail.com.

The Pastoral Visitation ministry at St. Dunstan's site is resuming soon. Ministers will again offer visitation and share communion with parishioners who are physically unable to attend Mass. Conscious that Covid remains, precautions will be taken. If you, a friend, or a family member would like to stay connected to their church community in this way, please contact Ella Allen at 451-3475 or email eallen@stu.ca

Prayer for Parish Visioning Process

“Loving God, thank you for using our gifts for your purposes in our parish community. As we collaborate with you in this project give each of us open-mindedness, patience, strength, wisdom, a discerning spirit, lightness of spirit, and prayerfulness. Help us to live our experience with joy and gratitude and a confidence that you will surprise us with new directions we might take in living this with you as our guide and companion. Amen

MASS INTENTIONS

St. Columba Church

Sunday, Oct 2nd 9:00 am Mary Stella McGowan
 Sunday, Oct 9th 9:00 am Greg Shannon

Sts. John & Paul Church

Sunday, Oct 2nd 11:00 am Peter Chiounard
 Monday, Oct 3rd 9:00 am Jeanne Brennan
 Sunday, Oct 9th 11:00 am Stan Wadden

St. Dunstan's Church

Sat. Oct 1st 5:00 pm James Burns
 Sun. Oct 2nd 9:00 am DFM Landry and Godin
 11:30 am Cyril, Theresa, Ken
 and Jim Tobin
 Wed. Oct 5th 6:30 pm Gary Stewart
 Thur. Oct 6th 12:05 pm Special Intention
 Sat. Oct 8th 5:00 pm Louise Mason
 Sun. Oct 9th 9:00 am Deacon Ken Parker
 11:30 am Mass of Thanksgiving

Mass Intentions: Contact Marlita Chase (Parish Office 444-6001 or email office@stmarymagdaleneparish.ca Indicate at which Church Site you want the Mass said. Please note reserved Mass dates must be received at least 2 weeks prior and availability is pending on verification with the parish

NECROLOGY

Oct 3	Rev John Reginald Sullivan	1983
	James Hugh Greene	1996
Oct 4	Francis Claire Wedge	1992
	Yolanda Domenica Valentino	2001
	Anna Agatha Warner	2005
	Jacqueline Patricia Breau	2010
Oct 5	Andre Pierre Houle	1994
	Mary Josephine Allen	2008
	Robert McIntyre-Kelly	2015
Oct 6	Alice Clara McGinn	1987
	Lila Mary Libbey	2000
Oct 7	Mary Jane Carlin	1959
	Leo Francis McNulty	2002
	Grace Anne Hoyt	2004
	Mary Theresa Ryan	2006
Oct 8	Melvin Ernest Charles Taylor	1994
	Ethel S Kileel	1995
	Angela McPherson	1999
	Diane Mary Bucci	2003
	Dr. Maria Arcelus	2019
Oct 9	Mark Steven Boldon	2015

Faithful Departed

Ron Moore, husband of Therese
Joe Murray, husband of the late Yvonne
 (Funeral Mass Monday, Oct 3rd @ 11 am at
 St. Dunstan's Church)

Readings for October 9th

1st Reading 2 Kings 5:14-17
 2nd Reading 2 Timothy 2:8-13
 Gospel Luke 17:11-19

**Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 4:00 – 4:30 pm
 at St. Dunstan's Church**

**Thursday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at
 Sts. John and Paul on Thursday's from 1 pm – 5 pm.**

Directives for attending Mass: In keeping with the directives from the Province and Bishop Riesbeck masking is no longer mandatory at mass. However, to help everyone from varying ages and health concerns we will continue to recommend the wearing of masks at masses and other celebrations. Thank you for your continued cooperation and participation with these safety measures and providing this kind of welcoming community. We are seeing a rise in numbers of those attending Masses and will continue to live stream the 9 am Mass on Sunday at St. Dunstan's Church Site as well.

Our Sacred Stories by Fr. John Jennings for this week, 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time available at the church entrances and on the diocesan website www.dioceseofsaintjohn.org

Sanctuary Lamp October 2nd

***In Loving Memory of
 Arnold Holland***

You can **Live Stream Mass** through our Website on Sunday at 9 am. It will also be uploaded to the Homepage so you can view it at another time. Go to <https://www.stmarymagdaleneparish.ca> and click livestream.

Knights of Columbus Monthly Community Breakfast, Sunday, October 9th from 10:00AM to 1:00PM, 170 Regent Street. Breakfast is sausage, scrambled eggs, beans, French toast, pancakes, hash browns, juice, coffee and tea. Adults: \$ 8.00, Children \$ 5.00, Family \$ 25.00. Eat in or take out. Everyone welcome!

LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

Sts. John and Paul – LECTORS

Oct 2nd Albert & Margaret Murray
Oct 9th Judy Ingram

Sts. John and Paul – EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Oct 2nd Albertine Allport
Oct 9th Norm Seguin

St. Columba – LECTORS

Oct 2nd Francine Jones-Harnish
Oct 9th TBA

St. Dunstan's – LECTORS

Saturday, 5 pm

Oct 1st Jayne Nicki / Lilia Cozzarini
Oct 9th Veronica Sallindra / Lilia Cozzarini

Sunday, 9 am

Oct 2nd Kathy Dotillos / Esther Archibald
Oct 9th Thelma Innes / Bob Scott

Sunday, 11:30 am

Oct 2nd Jennifer Flynn / John Brennan
Oct 9th Chris McAloon / Ella Allen

St. Dunstan's – EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday, 5 pm

Oct 1st Patrick Tang / Verna Shaw
Oct 8th Linda Roach / Felipe Serrano

Sunday, 9 am

Oct 2nd Marg Denning / Jeannine Cochrane
Oct 9th Pauline Arnold / Richard Brennan

Sunday, 11:30 am

Oct 2nd Doreen Cormier / Robert Michaud
Oct 9th Edward Garcia / Doreen Cormier

St. Dunstan's - The Schedules for Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters and Sacristans are available to pickup at the parish office. If you are not available on a scheduled date, it is up to you to find a replacement. There is a directory attached to the schedules.

Confirmation Preparation ~ Youth in grade 8 are invited to join Confirmation Preparation. Sessions will begin in October. To register please visit <https://www.stmarymagdalene-parish.ca/faith-formation-1>. If you have any questions about St. Mary Magdalene Parish Faith Formation programs or would like to help, please contact Patty Cameron at 444-6018 or faithformation@stmarymagdeleparish.ca.

"Faith Formation Update

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1st Eucharist Preparation Family Meeting There will be a short meeting for families with children (grade 2 and up) registered at St. Dunstan's Church preparing for 1st Eucharist this year on Sunday, September 25th immediately following Family Faith Formation. The preparation process will be explained and families will receive program resources at the meeting.

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Family Faith Formation Starts Sunday, September 25th! ~ For families with children in kindergarten to grade 7. Monthly Family Faith Formation sessions will be offered at St. Dunstan's (10:00 am), Sts. John & Paul (10:00 am) and St. Columba Churches (10:00 am). Families with children entering grade 2 in the fall will receive Sacrament Preparation for 1st Eucharist throughout the year.

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Congratulations

*We welcome **Mallaidh Rose, Padriag John and Maebh Marion Scully**, children of John and Claudine Scully to our Catholic Faith. Being baptized on October 2nd by Fr. Peter Osborne at St. Dunstan's.*

*Congratulations to **Matthieu Goguen and Analyn Roxan** who will celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage on October 1st. May God Bless and keep you both as you begin your life together.*

*Congratulations to **Adam Kileel and Julia MacLean** who will celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage on October 7th. May God Bless and keep you both as you begin your life together.*

25-Sep	Total	St C	Sts J&P	St D
Weekly, at Mass	\$6,169	\$255	\$582	\$5,332
Weekly, average PAD	\$3,681	\$50	\$951	\$2,680
YTD Offertories (Actual)	\$501,744	\$166,342	\$67,184	\$268,218
YTD Offertories (Budget)	\$420,381			
YTD Surplus/(Deficit)	\$81,363			
Poor & Needy	\$197	\$0	\$0	\$197
Building fund	\$60	\$40	\$0	\$20
Needs of Cdn Church	\$982	\$227	\$75	\$680
Faith Formation	\$535	\$0	\$0	\$535
Other	\$10	\$0	\$10	\$0
# PAD users	134	1	31	102
# Envelopes used	169	31	20	118
# Envelopes issued	727	71	66	590

Options for your offertory.

- Pre-Authorized Debit (PAD) you can make your donations through a debit at your bank on a weekly, semi-monthly or monthly basis. There is a PAD form you can receive by contacting the office. You would have to fill out and return to the office along with a copy of a voided cheque. Form available at <https://stdun7.wixsite.com/stdunstansparish>
- Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) You can e-transfer your offertory at any time with this option, if you do online banking. Email office@stmarymagdaleneparish.ca

New Parish Website: Our new website at <https://www.stmarymagdaleneparish.ca> is up and running.

The stdunstansparish.ca website and the stsjohnandpaul.ca website will no longer be updated and will be shut down. For those on Pre-Authorized Debit or who send E-transfers, please change your banking to the new email address. For those who live stream Mass from our parish website, go into the new website at the above address and click the 'Link to Live Streaming'.

Synthesis of Synod Diocese of Saint John: The following links will show you the Reports from the Synod. Atlantic Region report here

(https://www.halifaxyarmouth.org/images/websections/pastoralplan/synod2022_reports/2022-07-11_Atlantic_Regional_Synod_Report.pdf) and the National Report here

(https://www.halifaxyarmouth.org/images/websections/pastoralplan/synod2022_reports/Canadian_National_Synthesis_Synodality_2022.pdf) Copies are also available at the entrances of the church.

In Memory of Fr. Monte Peters: Join us on Sunday, October 16th for an afternoon of Country Music at the Heritage Center in Marysville from 1:30 – 4:30 pm, admission \$7.00 at the door. Proceeds from this event will go to the Youth Group at Holy Family Church, Hanwell in Memory of Fr. Monte. Hope to see you there!

Prayer for Healing and Reconciliation

O God, pour out your healing love on all who suffered in Canada's Residential Schools; on bodies, minds and spirits wounded through abuse; on hearts, wounded through separation; and on families wounded through trauma and anguish that still torment over the course of generations. Make us stewards – of one another's dignity, of one another's safety, of one another's lands, of one another's right to a cultural identity: as unique peoples, as gifts to the human family; and as your beloved children.