



St. Mary Magdalene Parish

St. Columba †
Fredericton Junction

Sts. John & Paul †
New Maryland

St. Dunstan's †
Fredericton

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Diocesan Newsletter: <https://dioceseofsaintjohn.org/email-newsletter-sign-up>

Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:30am-5:30pm (Closed for lunch 12-1pm)

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

Address: 120 Regent Street, Fredericton NB E3B 4Y9

Faith Formation: Contact Patty Cameron 506-444-6018 or
email Faithformation@stmarymagdalene-parish.ca

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.

October 20th, 2024 – 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Isaiah 53.10-11

Gospel: Mark 10.35-45

2nd Reading: Hebrews 4.14-16

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

St. Columba Church

Sun, Oct 20 9:00 AM Beverly Shannon
Sun, Oct 27 9:00 AM Vincent McCann

Sts. John & Paul Church

Sun, Oct 20 11:00 AM Fr. Eli Beaubeau
Mon, Oct 21 9:00 AM David Parmegiani
Sun, Oct 27 11:00 AM Georgina Jones (Thanksgiving)

St. Dunstan's Church

Sat, Oct 19 4:00 PM Mary Kathleen O'Connor
Sun, Oct 20 9:00 AM LeRoy McGinn
11:30 AM George Saad
Charline LeBlanc Beaupré
Wed, Oct 23 6:30 PM No Mass
Thu, Oct 24 12:05PM No Mass
Fri, Oct 25 6:30 PM No Mass
Sat, Oct 26 4:00 PM Joesph Ing
Sun, Oct 27 9:00 AM Major Ernesto F. Pasadilla
11:30 AM Pepi DiGiacinto

No Mass October 23rd, 24th, and 25th due to vacation.

Readings for October 27th

1st R: Jeremiah 31.7-9 2nd R: Hebrews 5.1-6

Gospel: Mark 10.46-52

*Sanctuary Lamp – Week of October 20th
In Loving Memory
of Charline LeBlanc Beaupré*

The Church dedicates the month of October to Our Lady of the Rosary. JOIN US for a PARISH ROSARY for peace and intentions, at 6pm, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, at ST. DUNSTANS, before the 6:30 MASS.

St. Mary Magdalene CWL is offering a bursary in memory of Magdalene Morin in the amount of \$500. It will be awarded to a 2024 High School Graduate who is pursuing higher education. Applications can be picked up at the Church office and in the Church entryway. Please return your completed application by November 4, 2024, to the church Office in a sealed envelope.

CHRISTMAS EXCHANGE PROGRAM

St. Mary Magdalene Parish would like to support our parish family members who are in needs and would appreciate help for Christmas. If you are a registered family member and wish to have your name added to the list, please call the office at 444-6001.

Change of Dates for Little Rock Scripture Study First sessions for Little Rock Scripture Study, Women in the New Testament, will be Tuesday, November 5, and Thursday, November 7. The study will end on Tuesday, December 10, and Thursday, December 12. To obtain more information or to register, please contact Jayne Nicki at 506-453-9899 or jaynenck@gmail.com

Coffee Ministry - Join us for a cup of coffee and fellowship in the Mary Sullivan Room after 9am Mass this Sunday, October 20th. Come get to know your fellow parishioners better! Upcoming dates for Coffee Ministry are November 3 and December 1.

The CWL Meeting will be held October 20th, 12:30 – 3:00pm in the MBFC in Room 120.

Fr. John Jennings's Reflection - If you are looking for copies, they are located on the tables at the front and back entrances of the Churches.

Faith Formation Update - Family Faith Formation Sunday, October 27th ~ Join us for Family Faith Formation session “*Start with the Ending*” on Sunday, October 27th at 10:00 am in the gym at St. Dunstan’s Church. All families with children in Kindergarten to grade 7 are encouraged to attend. Please register in advance at <https://www.stmarymagdalene-parish.ca/faith-formation-1>



Mark your calendars! NET Team Retreat for Youth! ~ Experience a NET Retreat and engage your faith!

A team of vibrant young missionaries will be visiting our area to provide youth in grades 8 to 12 the opportunity to hear the message of God’s love and a chance to experience the Gospel personally. We promise it will be a day of faith, fun and friendship! Sunday, November 17th from 1:00 to 5:00 pm at the Msgr. Boyd Family Center (St. Dunstan’s). Please let us know if you will be joining us by contacting Patty Cameron at faithformation@stmarymagdalene-parish.ca or (506) 444-6018.

Host Families Needed: The parish is hosting 10 young NET Canada missionaries from Sunday evening, November 17th to Wednesday morning November 20th. We are looking for families to welcome 2 or more missionaries into their homes. For more information on how become a host family please contact Patty Cameron at faithformation@stmarymagdalene-parish.ca or call (506) 444-6018.

Fraud and Scams Presentation ~ Join us Thursday, October 24th at 10am in St. Theresa’s Church Hall for a presentation offered by the Fredericton Police Force. This presentation discusses common frauds and scams that are circulating in Fredericton and to educate on general red flag to watch out for. *This event is open to everyone in our community. Please share this with anyone you feel could benefit from the presentation.*

Welcome! You are most warmly invited to attend our D & P Diocesan Fall Workshop: "REAPING OUR RIGHTS", either in-person at Holy Family Church; or, by joining on-line with ZOOM.. if joining on-line, please register first with the link below. You will then receive a confirmation email about joining the meeting on-line. DATE/TIME: Saturday, Oct. 19, 2024, beginning at 10am - 2pm, Holy Family Church basement. Refreshments/Lunch provided. <https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUvdeCpZovHdRenhvq1Mo08kjUkTEzcdKh>

Turkey Supper (hosted by St Columba Church)
Sunday, October 27 4:00 to 6:00pm
Gladstone Curling Club, Fredericton Junction
Cost: \$20, children under 12 \$10, children under 6 are free.

Televised Mass - For more than 20 years St. Dunstan's Parish has sponsored the Daily TV Mass from Loretto Abby in Toronto. Joan Daley and Margaret Gorman, deceased members of the Parish, were responsible for this initiative and were able to sponsor many Masses with the support of the Parish. The Mass is televised on Vision TV each day at 9am and 1pm, The Mass provides spiritual comfort to thousands across Canada and throughout the world. I shall continue to be responsible for the collection of contributions. If you wish to contribute to this valuable ministry, please leave your donation at the Church office or place it in the collection in a separate envelope, marked Televised Mass. Include your full name and address as income tax receipts will be issued. Checks should be made payable to National Catholic Broadcasting Council. Thank You to Fr. Suresh and Fr. Osborne for their support and thank you to all who have supported the TV Mass in the past. If you wish to mail your donation directly, the address is National Catholic Broadcasting Council, 200-5762 Hwy.7, Markham, Ontario, L3P 1A8. Please indicate that it is from St. Mary Magdalene Parish, Fredericton so it will go to our Mass. If you have any questions, call 506-454-3454. I am pleased to do this in memory of my mother and her dear friend, Joan. Diane Flynn

Striving for Holiness - A Young Adult Retreat: Join with Catholic young adults (ages 19-35) of the Diocese of St. John for a weekend retreat at the Villa Madonna Retreat House! Please prayerfully consider joining us or support us by remembering the Catholic young adults of our diocese in your prayers. For more information or to arrange transportation, please contact Sarah Grace at mcdonaldsarahgrace@gmail.com. Registration closes November 1st.

Next Special Collection is Oct 20 for: Evangelization of Nations

Call the Parish Office at 444-6001 if you have any questions.

Week Ending Oct 13	St C	Sts J&P	St D	Total
Regular offertories	\$530	\$1,286	\$7,380	\$9,196

Ball Hockey Shoot Out Contest!

The Knights of Columbus Council is sponsoring a Hockey Challenge Competition!

St Anthony’s Church 603 Union St, Fredericton
Date: October 19th Time: 10 am until Noon

All boys and girls ages 10 to 17 are eligible to participate who will compete in their respective age divisions. There is no entry fee and participants are required to have written parental consent. Contestants can bring their own hockey sticks, but some will be available on site as well. Entry forms available at the back of each church or at the Parish Office. For additional information contact kofc8654@gmail.com or Knights of Columbus Council 8654 Facebook page.