

ST. MARY MAGDALENE PARISH

St. Columba † *Sts. John & Paul* † *St. Dunstan's*
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Parish Office Hours:
Mondays | Wednesdays | Fridays
 9 am - 5 pm
Tuesdays | Thursdays
 9 am - 9 pm
Saturdays – 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm
Sundays – 8:00 am – 1:00 pm

Co. Pastor: Fr. Peter Osborne
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November 1st and November 2nd, 2025 – ALL SOULS' DAY- 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
1st Reading: *Wisdom 3.1-9* **Gospel:** *Luke 7.11-17* **2nd Reading:** *Revelation 21.1-5a, 6b-7*

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

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 Passamaquoddy and Mi'kmaq Tribes/Nations, signed Peace and Friendship Treaties with the British Crown in the 1700's

Mass Times – Weekdays at St. Dunstan's	Tuesdays and Thursdays at 12:05 PM • Wednesdays and Fridays at 6:30 PM
Mass Times – Weekends at St. Dunstan's	Saturdays at 4:00 PM • Sundays 9:00 AM & 11:30 AM
Mass Times – St. Columba	Sundays at 9:00 AM
Mass Times – Sts. John and Paul	Sundays at 11:00 AM
Confession at St. Dunstan's Church:	Saturdays 2:30 PM – 3:30 PM • <i>First Fridays</i> - from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM. For any other time, please call or email the office.
Adoration at St. Dunstan's	Tuesdays at 11:00 AM followed by Mass at 12:05 PM FIRST FRIDAYS – after 6:30 PM Mass until 8:00 PM
Adoration at Sts. John & Paul	Thursdays 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM
Benediction at St. Dunstan's	Wednesdays at 6:00 PM at St Dunstan followed by Mass at 6:30 PM
Rosary to Our Lady: St. Dunstan's St. Columba Sts. John & Paul	Tuesdays at 2:00 PM • First Saturdays at St. Dunstan, after 9:00 AM Mass. Mondays at 7:00 PM Sundays at 10:20 AM
Rosary to St. Joseph at St. Dunstan's	Fridays at 6:00 PM except on FIRST FRIDAYS
Divine Mercy Chaplet – St. Dunstan's	Wednesdays at 6:00 PM
Baptisms:	First Sunday and Third Sunday at 1:00 PM. Please call the office ONE MONTH before desired date
Marriages:	Please call the office SIX (6) MONTHS before desired date
RCIA:	Sessions commenced October 25 th , 2025 at 11:00 AM at Monsignor Boyd Centre – then 2 nd and 4 th Saturday of the Month
Faith Formation	Every Sunday from 10:10 AM to 11:10 AM at Monsignor Boyd Family Centre

THE DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN SUBMISSION IS WEDNESDAY BY 12:00 PM.
LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL BE PLACED IN THE BULLETIN FOR THE FOLLOWING WEEK.

VIGIL CANDLES ARE AVAILABLE AT THE OFFICE FOR \$5

PLEASE ~ PUT YOUR CELL PHONES ON SILENT BEFORE MASS BEGINS

MASS INTENTIONS: NOVEMBER 1ST TO NOVEMBER 9TH, 2025

ST. DUNSTAN'S

Mass Schedules	Mass Intentions	Sponsored By	Priest
Sat. November 1 st 4:00pm	Frankie Findlay † Real (Ray) Gauvin – for Eternal Repose of the Soul	Sandy DiGiacinto Veronica Saliendra	Fr. Suresh Savariraj, HGN
Sun. November 2 nd 9:00 am	Ho Woon Wah DFM McSheffrey † Real (Ray) Gauvin – for Eternal Repose of the Soul	Thomas & Betty Lo Mary Holland Veronica Saliendra	Fr. Suresh Savariraj, HGN
Sun. November 2 nd 11:30 am	Edward Ackerson † Myrna Esejo † Real (Ray) Gauvin – for Eternal Repose of the Soul	Mary Ann Ackerson Ann Espino Veronica Saliendra	Fr. Suresh Savariraj, HGN
Tues. November 4 th 12:05 pm	Maria Ojeigu Oweibo	Adjoa Sonia Siggine	Fr. Suresh Savariraj, HGN
Wed. November 5 th 6:30 pm	† Greta Grondin	CWL	Fr. Suresh Savariraj, HGN
Thurs. November 6 th 12:05 pm	Walter McHugh	Verna Shaw	Fr. Peter Osborne
Fri. November 7 th 6:30 pm	David Hitchcock	The Hitchcock Family	Fr. Peter Osborne
Sat. November 8 th 4:00 pm	Marilyn Rowen	Diane Kent Gillis	Fr. Peter Osborne
Sun. November 9 th 9:00 am	Ellen O'Conner	CWL	Fr. Peter Osborne
Sun. November 9 th 11:30 am	† John McCrowe	Anna Burne	Fr. Peter Osborne

STS. JOHN & PAUL

Mass Schedules	Mass Intentions	Sponsored By	Priest
Sun. November 2 nd 11:00 am	Marion Ault Haccart	Norm & Cathy Seguin	Fr. Peter Osborne
Sunday November 9 th 11:00 am	† Georgina Jones	Theresa Sleep	Fr. Suresh Savariraj, HGN

ST. COLOMBA

Mass Schedules	Mass Intentions	Sponsored By	Priest
Sun. November 2 nd 9:00 am	Grant Crilley	Carol Knorr	Fr. Peter Osborne
Sun. November 9 th 9:00 am	Jim	Jesse Buckingham	Fr. Suresh Savariraj, HGN

To our Parishioners: We are looking for the names and contact information for the following offertory envelopes in order to update our records. Will the following people who are assigned these numbers, please contact the office?

Envelope #132, Envelope #181, Envelope # 388, Envelope #384 and Envelope #52.

Please call the office at 506-444-6001 and speak to Debbie, or leave a message, detailing your name, envelope number, phone number, email address and mailing address. You can also email those details to office: **office@stmarymagdaleneparish.ca**. Thank you for your time and cooperation!

Memorial Mass



• **St. Dunstan's:**
Wednesday Nov. 12th at 6:30pm

• **St Columba:**
Sunday Nov. 16th at 9:00 AM

• **Sts. John and Paul:**
Sunday Nov. 16th at 11:00 AM

Masses will be held at each church in memory of those who have died within the last 12 months - (Nov. 2024-Nov. 2025). This includes those who have had funerals at St Mary Magdalene parish, and also parishioner's loved ones who have had funerals elsewhere.

If your loved one died elsewhere and you would like to have them added to the list of names to be read, please call the office with his or her name, and also state which church you would like the name to be read in. Names should be submitted by **Sunday November 9th, 2025**

Anniversary Mass



Masses to celebrate wedding anniversaries of couples with an anniversary ending in 5 or 0 this year will be held at the following times:

- **St Columba: Sunday Nov. 23rd 9:00 am Mass**
- **Sts. John & Paul: Sunday Nov. 23rd 11:00 am Mass**
- **St Dunstan: Sunday Nov. 23rd, 11:30 am Mass**

If you would like to be included, please submit your names to the office by **Wednesday November 19th, 2025**. Please indicate which church you will be attending. For more information, contact Margaret Savidge.



November 2 is All Souls Day, dedicated by the Church to all the departed souls in purgatory - while saved, they must yet be purified in purgatory before entering heaven. **The church dedicates the entire month of November to the Souls in Purgatory**, and we are tasked with praying for them because they can no longer pray for

themselves. The time given to attain merit for ourselves, through our prayers, is while we are living. In purgatory, the soul is in a state of justice for its offences committed while on earth, and must be completely purified before entering heaven. The teaching of the church is clear: *Souls in Purgatory cannot pray for themselves to help them reach heaven, but they can, and do, pray for us, both while they are in purgatory and, later, in gratitude to us, once they enter heaven.* They are part of the universal church and we are urged to pray for them to lessen their time of purification.

St. Gertrude the Great, a Benedictine nun and mystic, received a vision from Jesus in which He gave her a prayer to recite for the Holy Souls and told her that each time she recited it, 1000 souls would be released from purgatory, and that the suffering of the **HOLY SOULS** would be greatly reduced. The Church tells us not to focus on numbers but on fervently saying the prayer, letting God take care of the details. It has been prayed for 800 years.

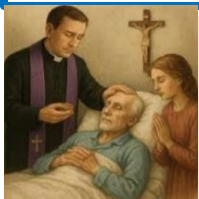
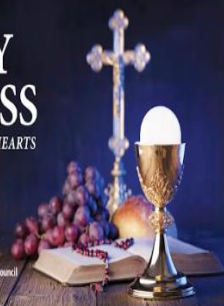
On November 1st, St Dunstan's will be offering this prayer on the table across from St Joseph's altar (left front of the Church). Say this short prayer all through the year but especially throughout November, or say it each day for 9 days as a novena, or add it after each decade of the rosary. The mass is the strongest prayer there is, so also say masses for the Holy Souls, whether requested through the office to be said by a priest, or simply by dedicating the masses you attend for the Holy Souls.



Diane Flynn will be collecting for the **Televised Mass** sponsored by our Parish. Please leave your contribution in the Collection Box in a separate envelope clearly marked: **Televised Mass** or leave it in the office and it will be collected there. Cheques are made payable to "National Catholic Broadcasting Council". For those who wish to send contributions through the mail, the mailing address is: **National Catholic Broadcasting Council**, 200-5762 Hwy 7, Markham, Ontario L3P 1A8. If mailing, indicate that it is for the St. Mary Magdalene Parish Sponsored Mass. **Thank you ~**

**DAILY
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WARMING FAITHFUL HEARTS

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If your friends or family members are being admitted to the hospital and they would like to receive a sacrament, please contact **the D.E.C. Hospital at 506-452-5408** and ask to schedule a visit from the **"On Call Priest"**. There are 8 priests from the Fredericton Region who are on a rotating schedule to give the **Sacrament of Anointing**.



You are Invited. St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish is extending an open invitation to a special Rosary event on **Thursday, November 20th** at **10:30am** at **Holy Family Church** **1500 Hanwell Road.**

This gathering is a dedicated opportunity to come together in prayer and reflection, focusing on **Development Peace Fall Campaign 'Turn Debt into Hope'** and **World Day of the Poor.**

In this Jubilee Year, Pope Francis called us to be Pilgrims of Hope. Let us take time together in prayer on November 20th to help restore hope for people in the Global South living with the burden of insurmountable and unjust debt and struggling for basic survival. "For those members of our human family, this is not a matter of payment or non-payment, but a question of *life*."

—Bishop Wm. McGrattan, President of the CCCB.

Please join us on **November 20th** for this special Rosary. We look forward to seeing you!



SHARE the WARMTH

WINTER OUTERWEAR COLLECTION

Throughout the months of

October and November,

STS. JOHN & PAUL CHURCH will be collecting

WARM WINTER OUTERWEAR



for people of all ages!

Donations will go to the

SALVATION ARMY COAT CAMPAIGN

For more information, contact Lisa Ley

ALL SOULS DAY COMMEMORATION SERVICE

On Sunday, November 2nd Bishop Riesbeck will preside at an All Souls Commemoration Service at Saint Joseph's Cemetery, 327 Westmorland Rd in Saint John, at 3:00 p.m. All are welcome!



Community Kitchen

Volunteer Appreciation Dinner

Monsignor Boyd Family Centre Gym

Sunday, December 7th

After the 11:30 Mass



Knights of Columbus

Community Breakfast

Sun. Nov. 9th from 10AM to 1PM

Nicol Hall, 170 Regent Street.

Adults \$ 10.00 • Children \$ 5.00 • Families \$ 30.00

Proceeds going to

Our Lady of Grace Catholic School.

Everyone welcome.



Christmas Bazaar

St. Francis of Assisi

2130 Route 102, Lincoln

Saturday November 15th

9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Local Crafts •

Baked Goods • Café

and More!

Offertories Received Week Ending October 26th, 2025

Please call the Parish Office at 444-6001 if you have any questions

	<u>St C</u>	<u>Sts J&P</u>	<u>St D</u>	<u>Total</u>
Regular offertories	\$721	\$1478	\$7234	\$9432

Next Special Collection is November 2nd – Cemetery Fund