



St. Mary Magdalene Parish

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

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January 28th, 2024 – 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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 – 2nd & 4th Thursday at 5 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.

Dear Parishioners,

On 26th July 2022, Holy Father Pope Francis at Lac Ste Anne, addressed the gathering with the invitation to reflect on our role in bringing healing with the following questions. Thinking of their history and pain that they endured, what do I do for indigenous people? Do I merely listen with curiosity, horrified by what happened in the past, or do I do something concrete for them? Do I pray, meet, read, support them, and let myself be touched by their stories? In response to this call as a parish, Truth and Reconciliation Committee comes up with plans. Thereby, Parishioners are encouraged to read the following Land Acknowledgement before any meetings, workshops, any kinds of faith formation activities and before the Liturgy.

“St. Mary Magdalene Parish acknowledges that the land on which we gather 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 1700's”

THIS WEEKEND – January 27 & 28 a special collection will be taken for the Indigenous Solidarity Fund. See letter from Bishop Riesbeck. Envelopes at the church entrances for your donation.

MASS INTENTIONS & TIMES

St. Columba Church

Sunday, Jan 28th 9:00 am Special Intention
 Sunday, Feb 4th 9:00 am Donald Harnish

Sts. John & Paul Church

Sunday, Jan 28th 11:00 am Christopher O’Kane
 Monday, Jan 29th 9:00 am Maurice Grondin
 Sunday, Feb 4th 11:00 am Austin Donald Graves

St. Dunstan’s Church

Sat. Jan 27th 4:00 pm Camille Theriault
 Sun. Jan 28th 9:00 am Louie LeClerc
 11:30 am Pepi DiGiacinto
 Wed. Jan 31st 6:30 pm Noel Murphy
 Thur. Feb 1st 12:05 pm Rev. James Martin Hayes
 Sat. Feb 3rd 4:00 pm Norman and Veronica
 Campbell
 Sun. Feb 4th 9:00 am Becky Beckiebazzno
 11:30 am Special Intention

*Sanctuary Lamp week of January 28th
 In Memory of Sandra Cox McMahon*

Readings for February 4th

1st Reading Job 7:1-4, 6-7
 2nd Reading 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23
 Gospel Mark 1:29-39

2024 Offertory Envelopes are now available to pick up at the church entrances. Your box number may have changed. If there is not a box with your name on it, take a new box and be sure to **WRITE YOUR NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE** on the envelope as you offer them. Please check which parish you are attending on the front of your envelope. There are packets of ‘Special Collection’ envelopes for parishioners who are on PAD (Pre Authorized Debit). **DO NOT USE ENVELOPES FROM PREVIOUS YEARS AS YOU MAY NOT BE CREDITED FOR THE DONATION. ALWAYS WRITE YOUR NAME ON YOUR ENVELOPE.**

Sts. John & Paul: Georgina Jones will be leading the Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent starting on the 16th of February at 7 PM

NECROLOGY

Jan 29	Brianne Heather Roberts	1987
	Msgr Hugh Cletus Elhatton	1990
	Joseph Glorice Gallant	2011
	Georges Whalen	2017
	Therese Doiron	2022
Jan 30	Mary Irene Dineen	1985
	Madelon Helen Moran	1990
	Sybilla Mary Mabie	1994
	Josephine Halahan	2003
	Henri Archille Darrell Boulet	2005
	Patrick James Burns	2005
	Helen Marie Ryan	2005
	Thomas Joseph Lavoie	2014
	Donald Harnish	2023
Jan 31	Sarah Slade Maloney	1981
	Joseph Alcide Frennette	1990
	Cavaliere Gaetano DiGiacinto	1995
	Magdalena Lenarczyk	2002
	May (Kileel) Oley	2021
	Gary Stewart	2022
Feb 1	George Leo Gallant	1988
	Gilberte O’Neill	1997
	Catherine Irene Foster	1999
	Murdock Walter Burns	2008
	Salem Masry	2020
Feb 2	Dr Hugh Alfred Warner	1991
	Custodio Braganza	1992
	Tanya Victoria Mary Barrett	1994
	Joseph Coleman Campbell	1994
	Attila George Janoky	1999
	Theresa Elizabeth Cusack	2002
	Michael Fitzgerald	2008
	Regina Burns	2012
	Kimberly Anne Mahar	2022
Feb 3	Edward James Malone	1983
	Madeline Marie DeMerchant	2001
	Margaret Patricia Grant	2003
	June Parmigiani	2003
	Margaret Kathleen Feeney	2004
	Grace Catherine Dineen	2008
	Margaret Ann Keenan	2018
	Joseph Francis Chessie	2020
	John Joseph Pader	2021
	Mary Audrey Solomon	2022
	Mary Jane Bourque	2022
Feb 4	Estella Martinson	1992
	Alfred J Feeney	1997
	Mary Ethel Gallagher	1998
	Mary Leona Keenan	1999
	Paul Myoung Shik Shin	2001
	Mildred Anne Allard	2019

Faithful Departed

Mabel Doak, mother of Nedra (Mike) Dionne

LECTORS AND COMMUNION MINISTERS

Sts. John and Paul – LECTORS (Sunday 11:00 am)

Jan 28th Bob Mullaly / Lynda MacNeil
Feb 4th Margaret Murray / Neyda Long

Sts. John and Paul – COMMUNION MINISTERS

Jan 28th Margaret Murray
Feb 4th Gerald Mercer

St. Columba – LECTORS (Sunday 9:00 am)

Jan 28th Shelley Knorr
Feb 4th Francine Jones-Hanish

St. Dunstan's – LECTORS

Saturday 4:00 pm

Jan 27th Verna Shaw / Cecilia White
Sacristan – Linda Roach
Feb 3rd Veronica Saliendra / Paul Taguba
Sacristan – Bonnie Boudreau

Sunday 9:00 am

Jan 28th Bemí Oneyor / Gerard & Genelle Oneyor
Sacristan – Gus Mazzuca
Feb 4th Esther Archibald / John Denning
Sacristan – George MacMullin

Sunday 11:30 am

Jan 28th Chris McAloon / Robert Michaud
Sacristan – Ned Carroll
Feb 4th Carole Dilworth / Jennifer Flynn
Sacristan – Ned Carroll

St. Dunstan's – COMMUNION MINISTERS

Saturday 4:00 pm

Jan 27th Chris Jose/Michael McKeage/Linda Roach
Feb 3rd Linda Giudice/Chris Jose/Patrick Tang

Sunday 9:00 am

Jan 28th Esther Archibald/Katie Crawford/Jeanne
Cochrane
Feb 4th Marg Denning/Jeanne Cochrane/Anne Doyle

Sunday 11:30 am

Jan 28th Doreen Cormier/Rose-Anne DiGiacinto/Claire Leach
Feb 4th John Brennan/Claire Leach/Michael McKeage



Old Salty's Fish & Chips

1850 Lincoln Rd,
Fredericton NB
(506) 454-7272.

St. Dunstan's Church SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER

Tuesday, February 13th from 4 – 6 pm. \$10 Adults / \$5 Children. Sausages, Baked Beans, Pancakes, Syrup, Coffee/Tea/Juice/Desserts. We are looking for volunteers for the kitchen, working the floor, food prep and clean up as well as donations of Pancake mix, butter, apple juice, syrup regular and sugar free. VOLUNTEER AND DONATION SIGN-UP SHEETS are at the Regent Street entrance of the church. Thank you for your support.

Legion Of Mary Recruiting: Original members of the St. Dunstan's Legion of Mary group will answer questions of interested persons and to guide a working group to reconvene Our Lady of the Most Holy Eucharist Praesidium Saturday January 27th from 3 – 3:45 pm in the Monsignor Boyd Family Center Room 124.

New Coffee Hour Ministry! The next Coffee Hour will be Sunday, February 11, from 10-11, and will take place in the gym. If you would like to sign up to volunteer for Coffee Hour, please email vivien.zelazny@gmail.com.

Diocese of Saint John Development and Peace (D & P) - Share Lent Workshop - Sat., Feb. 3, 2024, at Holy Family Church, Hanwell Rd from 10 am - 2 pm, lunch/refreshments provided. Theme: **Create Hope--Reaping Our Rights.** Presented by **Adah Ogbe**, Maritime Animator for D & P. All members/non-members are welcome. Please join us! You make a difference! Virtual attendance is available via Zoom. You can **register to attend** with the link below. https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEucuGhqjgvH9LsLJkZ_muZeeC7PR1HWEB3

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&P</u>	<u>St D</u>
Year to Date Dec 31/2023:				
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)
Week ending Jan 21:				
Offertories received	\$9,204	\$802	\$1,242	\$7,160
Oper. expenses (Estimated)	\$10,320	\$542	\$1,803	\$7,975
Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$1,116)	\$260	(\$561)	(\$815)
Vigil candles	\$101			

Little Rock Scripture Study ~ Instead of the usual Bible- based program, Pope Francis' 2015 encyclical on the environment, *Laudato Si'*, will be the subject for a six-week study beginning February 6 and 8 and ending March 12 and 14. Books will be distributed prior to the first meeting. For more information, contact Jayne Nicki, 453-9899 or email jaynenck@gmail.com.

The BLANKET EXERCISE

Saturday, January 27th in the Monsignor Boyd Family Center (Gym). Doors open at 12:30pm . Start time 1:00pm. Be prepared to take your shoes off for the Blanket Exercise. For further information and to register please contact Katie Crawford, Blanket Exercise Facilitator @ 506- 442-2426. You may also register by calling the Parish office @ 444-6001.

The KAIROS Blanket Exercise is an interactive learning experience that tells the 500-year story that is rarely taught of the relationship between Indigenous peoples and European newcomers. KAIROS, is a national ecumenical social justice organization in which a number of churches and organizations are committee partners. Participants take on the roles of Indigenous peoples in Canada. Standing on blankets that represent the land, they walk through pre-contact, treaty-making, colonization and resistance. Facilitators, representing a narrator and the European colonizers, direct participants who are drawn into the experience by reading scrolls and carrying cards which ultimately determine their outcomes. By engaging on emotional and intellectual levels, the Blanket Exercise educates and deepens understanding about how yesterday's history connects with today's movement to secure respect for and recognition of Indigenous peoples' sovereignty and treaty rights.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper - Nashwaaksis United Church 46 Main St. Tuesday, February 13th 4-6 pm. Pancakes, sausage, baked beans, brown bread, cake, tea and coffee. Price \$10. For more information, please contact the church office at 506-458-9452.

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER at St. Theresa's Church (1 William St.) Tuesday, February 13th at 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM. Sausages & Ham, Bake Beans, Pancakes, Syrup, Coffee/Tea/Beverage & Dessert. Sponsored by **Knights of Columbus Council 8654**.

ALL CHURCHES STRICTLY SCENT FREE. Please refrain from wearing scented products to Mass as some people are very sensitive.