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## **NEW Office Hours**

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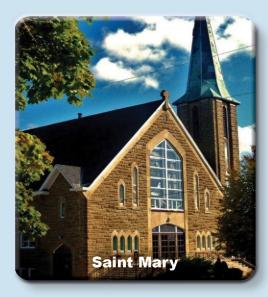
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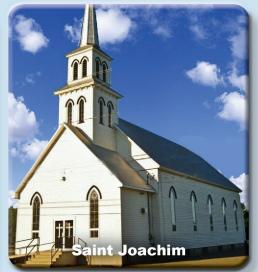
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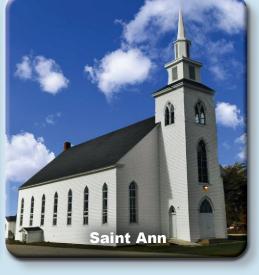
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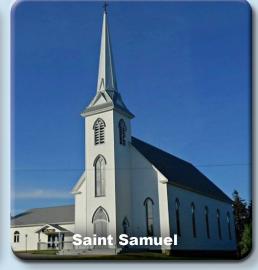
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# Prayer for Tolerance, Forgiveness and Reconciliation

O God, Creator and Father of all, with humility we your children acknowledge the relationship of all living things. For this we thank you, we praise you and we worship you. We call on you, Great Mystery, the word made Flesh – our teacher, prophet and brother - to open our hearts to all our brothers and sisters, and with them to grow in the wisdom, honesty, courage and respectfulness shown in the Sacred Teachings.

Give us the vision and honesty to recognize that we are all brothers and sisters of one human family, created and sustained by the One Creator. As we deal with many challenges, may we never give way to fear and anger, which can be the source of division and threat amongst peoples. We look to how God always gives to us, as a remedy for sins of prejudice and intolerance.

We see in God the creator of all things, One who always provides and is generous - even given the abuses we have heaped on one another and on the earth. We see in the Son, Jesus Christ - the innocent Victim who pours His life blood out from the Cross for all peoples. We see how the Holy Spirit is God's gift, alive in our world today - inspiring vision and hope that we can have the same mind and heart of God! May Your Spirit bless all souls who died at residential schools. May this same Spirit also bring blessing and healing to all families and communities affected in any way by the schools. O Creator, show us the way to healing, forgiveness and reconciliation and a renewed fellowship.

7 April, 2024

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## 2nd Sunday of Easter

Blessings and welcome to all who are with us today; our parishioners, visitors and faith seekers—you are always welcome at any and all of the five churches in our parish.

## **Parish Mass Times And Intentions**

St. Ann's, Burnt Church Mass-Sundays 12:00 pm

**St. Joachim's Church** Holy Rosary Sunday 11:30

Apr 7	Sunday	12:00 pm	† Elizabeth Adams
Apr 14	Sunday	12:00 pm	† Trish Simonson & DFM

St. Mary's Holy Hour: 1st Friday of Month 11:00am
Holy Rosary weekdays at 11:30 Angelus noon
Adoration: Wednesdays 11:30 am, First Saturday 9am
Devotion/Exposition: First Saturday 9:30am

Apr 6	Saturday	4:30pm	† Memorial Mass
Apr 7	Sunday	10:00am	† Lawrence Richard
Apr 8	Monday	12:05pm	† No Mass
Apr 9	Tuesday	12:05pm	† No Mass
Apr 10	Wednesday	12:05pm	† No Mass
Apr 11	Thursday	12:05pm	† No Mass
Apr 12	Friday	12:05pm	† No Mass
Apr 13	Saturday	4:30pm	† Memorial Mass
Apr 14	Sunday	10:00am	† For the People

## Sts. Peter & Paul Church Exposition Friday at 9 am

Apr 7	Sunday	10:00am	† For the People
Apr 9	Tuesday	9:00 am	† No Mass
Apr 10	Friday	9:30am	† No Mass
Apr 14	Sunday	10:00am	† Phyllis Norton

## St. Samuel's Church

Holy Rosary Wednesdays at 8:30 am

Divine Mercy, Rosary & Benediction— Last Sunday

The next Divine Mercy is 7 April, 2024 at 3:00pm

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Apr 6	Saturday	4:00 pm	† Amanda Howe
Apr 10	Wednesday	9:00 am	† No Mass
Apr 11	Thursday	9:00am	† No Mass
Apr 13	Saturday	4:00 pm	† Lionel Comeau

In the charity of your prayers, please remember all those who have died, especially

Jenna Handrahan, Clare McQuaid, Gerard Keenan, Mary Hawthorne, Lorenda Bertrand, Reginald Bowes, Bob Mason, Margaret Rose Breau, and Margie Underhill

## Memorial Mass

## Celebrated 6 April 2024 @ 4:30 pm:

Spec. Int (PM); Malcolm Addison & Mark;
Dec'd Mem of Gorman & Galley Families;
Dec'd Mem of Duguay & Manderson Families;
Dec'd Mem of Doran & Whalen Families;
Souls in Purgatory; Spec. Int(TG)(LW)(JG) &
Fam; Frank Larry & Fam; Frank Donaher;
Helena & William MCCombs; Walter Audet &
Shirley; James, Millie & Anne Underhill

St Samuel's Church – 31 March 2024			
Sts Peter & Paul Church – 31 March 2024			

#### Starting 1 April 2024, the office will be remote on Friday

9am-3pm. Emails will be answered, and the phone voicemail will be checked 2-3 times during the day.

You can also call the remote office at 506-622-7747.

#### **Parish News and Events**

St Mary's Church is pleased to host Vienna- based pianist and former Miramichier, John Dupuis in concert at St. Mary's church, Wednesday, April 10th, 7pm. Advance tickets are \$30.00 adults, door \$35.00, students \$20.00, at door \$25.00. Tickets on sale at Brookdale Flower Shop, on line a eventbrite.ca or Susan at 506-622-1780. Reception to follow.

<u>Annual Tartan Day Dinner/Concert</u>, Sunday, April 14th, Kin Centre. Tickets are \$40.00 each, by reservation only, call Susan 506-622-1780. Menu caters to special diets. Featuring music by Villagers, Audrey Mclaughlin, Dawn MacDonald Patterson, Norman Young & Friends, Melanie Ross Breen, Susan Butler, David Bunnell, Claire Murphy and Margaret & Ian Craig. Sponsored by the 67<sup>th</sup> Miramichi Folksong Festival and Highland Society of NB at Miramichi.



The Marian Devotional Movement is asking us to "Fill Mary's Ark" with your prayer intentions. Mary will bring your prayers to Jesus at the National Eucharistic Congress to be held in July in the USA. The Marian Devotional Movement (Our Lady of the Cape) is participating in this wonderful event and is the care-taker of the beautiful Mary's Ark and will be bringing it to the Congress with all your prayers. The information is provided in the display at the back of the Church, you can fill out a Prayer sheet at St Mary's, St Samuel's or St Joachim's (also St Michael's soon) and have your prayer added to the ark. For more information go to www.ROSARYBRIDGE.com, or call Sandra at 506-622-4973. Deadline for prayers is 17 May.

<u>The Friends of Beaubears Island</u> will present their Speaker Series during the month of April at the Nelson School Library at 7pm on Monday and Thursday evenings, starting Thursday, April 4th. We hope you'll join us. **April 8th** – Tim Humes "Walk a Mile in My Wet Shoes" **April 11th** – Charlotte Loggie & Barbara MacIntosh "William Murray: Master Builder of Miramichi"

<u>50/50 Winners!</u> Congratulations to Ann Doran with green ticket 7981282 who won the St Mary's Draw for march of \$215.00 Congratulations to Betty Ann Bransfield who won \$525.00 from the St Samuel's draw!! Thank you to everyone who plays and supports us!! April tickets on sale now.

The Knights of Columbus Father Egan Council (#8381), will be having a Memorial Mass for deceased members, in recognition of the Council's 40th Anniversary, at St. Patrick's Church on April 9, at 7pm. Our Council Chaplain, Fr. Anthony will be officiating. Family and friends of our deceased brother knights are encouraged to attend, and all parishioners, and guests, are welcome to join us in this memorial.

Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord - Bishop Riesbeck will be presiding the 12:10 Mass at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Saint John on Monday, April 8th to celebrate the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord. In response to Pope Francis' invitation to all Catholics, we will renew the act of consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary at the end of Mass. For parishes outside of Saint John who will have Mass that day, the Act of Consecration can be found at the following link: https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/prayers/documents/20220325-atto-consacrazione-cuoredimaria.html. Additional resources are available from the Archdiocese of Toronto at https://www.archtoronto.org/contentassets/415f85fc71064cf7a3810483bccb187d/consecration-resources-for-annunciation-2024.pdf. Let us pray especially for peace and an end to the wars in Ukraine, the Holy Land, and other parts of the world.

<u>Seeking a full-time Parish Secretary for Saint Michael the Archangel Parish</u> - Our parish secretary will be the first point of contact, in Christian Charity and hospitality, for those seeking parish assistance. See our website posting for details: bit.ly/SMA-Secretary. Also, a Part Time Bookkeeper, to ensure efficient and transparent accounting for the parish. For details see: bit.ly/SMA-Bookkeeper.

<u>Saturday, April 6, 7:00pm a merchandise bingo</u> CWL. Saturday, April 27, 7:00pm merchandise bingo with proceeds to Camp Sheldrake. Both of these events will be held at Our Lady of The Annunciation in Doaktown.

\*Collection totals will be updated next week, Melissa didn't have enough time this week to post everything. Thank you for understanding\*\*