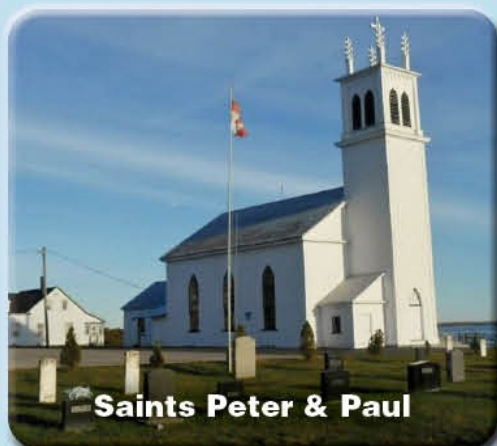
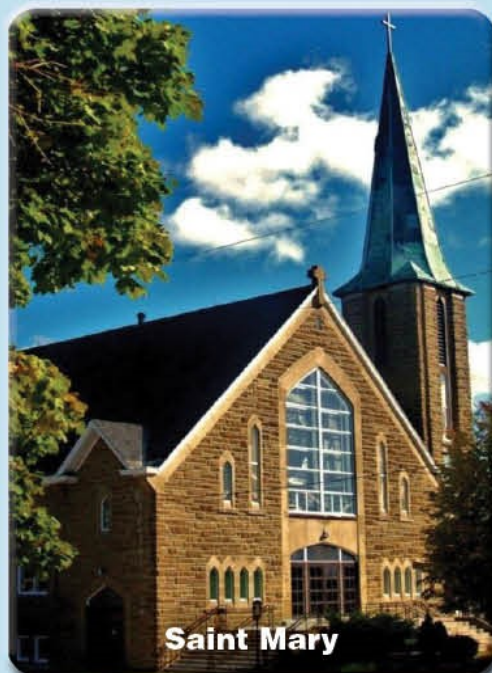




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Prayer for Tolerance, Forgiveness and Reconciliation

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.



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December 25th (The Nativity of the Lord—Christmas) 2022 & January 1st (Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God, the Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord) 2023

Parish Mass Times And Intentions

St. Ann's, Burnt Church Mass - Sundays 12:00 pm Dec. 24th @ 8pm, Dec. 25th @ 12 noon & Jan. 1st @ 12 noon			
St. Joachim's Church Holy Rosary Sun at 11:30 am			
Dec 24	Saturday	6:00 pm	† Mary Haddad, Gloria Simon, Richard Martin, Karen Martinez & Joseph Ward, Matthew Matchett, Serenity Simon Ward, Richard Martin & Gloria Simon
Dec 25	Sunday	12:00 pm	† Mary Haddad, Norman Denny, Joan Ward, Joseph Ward, Karen Martinez, George W., Mildred Ginnish & Family, Mary Agnes Simonson & Family, Theresa Ward,
Jan. 1	Sunday	12:00 pm	For the People
St. Mary's Holy Hour: 1st Friday of Month 11:00 am Holy Rosary weekdays at 11:30; Angelus at noon Exposition Mon-Fri from 11:30am to 1:30pm in the Chapel Wednesdays Adoration @ 11:30am First Saturday 9:00 am Devotion/Exposition; 9:30 am Mass			
Dec 24	Saturday	4:00 pm	† Michael Wayne, Melvin Wayne, Lawrence Richard, Frank Donaher, Albert Allain, Lourdes Casey, Donald O'Neill, June Bowes & Greg Watling, , Donald & Rhonda Coughlan, Marie McLean
Dec 24	Saturday	8:00 pm	† Robert Newman, George Fawlkner, Leonard Hallihan, Ronnie Hallihan, Garth Savoy, John Kerr, Albert Allain, Penny Creamer & Marie Donovan
Dec 25		10:00 am	† Dawn Marie Gordon, Frank Breau, Brian Kenealy, Michael Leggatt, Rose Marie Burns, Josephine Daley, Gene Kelly, June Bowes, Donald O'Neill, Lourdes Casey, Michael Wayne, Melvin Wayne, Clive Graham, Murdock King, Richard Charest, & Marie Donovan, & Frank Donaher
Dec 31	Saturday	4:30 pm	† Marie Foley, Robert Newman, Frank Donaher, Willie Bjurstrom, Vaughn McAllister, Joshua Robichaud, Melvin Wayne, Michael Wayne, & Janice Foran Desrosiers,

St. Mary's Church Continued

Jan 1	Sunday	10:00 am	For the People
Jan 3	Tuesday	12:05 pm	Steve McIntyre (A)
Jan 4	Wed	12:05 pm	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Jan 5	Thursday	12:05 pm	Pauline Mullin
Jan 6	Friday	12:05 pm	Sr. Réjeanne Bourque
Jan 7	Saturday	9:30 am	Baby Villanera
Jan 7	Saturday	4:30pm	Walter Audet
St. Samuel's: Holy Rosary Wed. at 8:30 am Divine Mercy, Rosary and Benediction —last Sunday of each month. The next Divine Mercy, Sunday January 29 @ 4pm			
Dec 24	Saturday	4:00 pm	† Bruce Scott, Peter Gillis, Vince Driscoll, Mary Susan Tracy, Darrell Gallant, Grady Hambrook & Floyd Hallihan; Lois Gallie, Lois Mary Brull, Shirley Tucker, Bodgie Jardine, Paul Innis, Walter Audet & Darrell Gallant
Dec. 25	Sunday	10:00 am	† Peter Gillis, Bruce Scott, Simon Glynn (A), Grady Hambrook, Harriet Anderson, Special Intentions, Margaret Donahue, Robert Donahue, Frank Donaher, Vince Driscoll,
Dec 31	Saturday	4:00 pm	† Marilyn Elliot, Matthew Matchett, Bruce Scott, Peter Gillis, Gordon Lynch, wife & Family, Clayton Doyle
Jan 1	Sunday	10:00 am	† Kevin Driscoll
Sts. Peter & Paul Church Exposition Fri at 9:00 am			
Dec. 24	Saturday	6:00 pm	† Dec'd Mem. Of the Lyons & Harrigan Family; Special Intentions, Lourdes Casey, Dec'd Family Members
Dec 25	Sunday	10:00 am	† Donald McCoombs, Darrell Gallant, Marie McLean, Bruce Scott, Special Intentions, Gloria Simon, Patrick Evans.
Jan 1	Sunday	10:00 an	For the People
Jan 3	Tues	9:00 am	† George Innis (A)
Jan 6	Friday	9:30 am	† Special Intentions

This week, December 25th, St. Mary's Holy Eucharist is dedicated in loving memory of Raymond & Barbara Morrison placed by Anne, Shirley & Peter.

This week, December 25th, St. Mary's Sanctuary Lamp is dedicated in loving memory of Cecil & Doris Bowes placed by Bruce, Carla & Family.



Parish News & Events

"The true joy of Christmas is the love of Christ, shared with family and friends. May you find His peace, love and joy in the coming New Year."

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

David Doyle, Clayton Doyle, Olive Mary Fletcher & Brian Kenealy



MEMORIALS Celebrated December 31 & January 7 @ 4:30 pm:

Souls in Purgatory; Spec. Int. (PM); Dec. Mem. of the Gorman and Galley Families; Malcolm Addison & Mark; Spec. Int. (TG)(LW) (JG) & Families; Frank Larry & dmf; Laurie & Marg Wrigley; Dec. Mem. Of the Doran & Whalen Families. Dec. Mem. of the Duguay and Manderson Families; Vince & Selma Mitchell. Charles Walsh; Wilfred & Edna Robichaud & dmf. Marie & Ned McLean, Frank Donaher, Barry, Maloney & Casey Families & dmf; Arlene Donaher, Gerald Chamberlin, June Bowes, B.G, M.S. & Family, R.G., T. G. & Family, M.G., M.G. & Family, V.L., Y.L. & Family; Jack & Mary Irving, & dmf., James, Millie & Anne Underhill; Helena & William McCombs.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

There will be no week day masses from December 27 to December 30, 2022.

The Parish office will be closed from December 24th, 2022 to January 3, 2023..

Merry Christmas, Happy New Year and many blessings to you and yours from all of us at St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Parish!

I KNOW MY SHEEP

Diocesan Census December 10, 2022—January 15, 2023

Who: All Catholics in the Diocese of Saint John

When: Weekend Masses beginning the Third Sunday of Advent through to January 15, 2023

Where: All parishes of the dioceses and online at www.dioceseofsaintjohn.org

Why: To prepare for a feasibility study in early 2023 that will test a potential diocesan-wide campaign and to help parishes better communicate with their parishioners.

Census cards are available in the pews at church. Please complete your form and place in the offertory basket, drop it off at the parish office or mail it in.