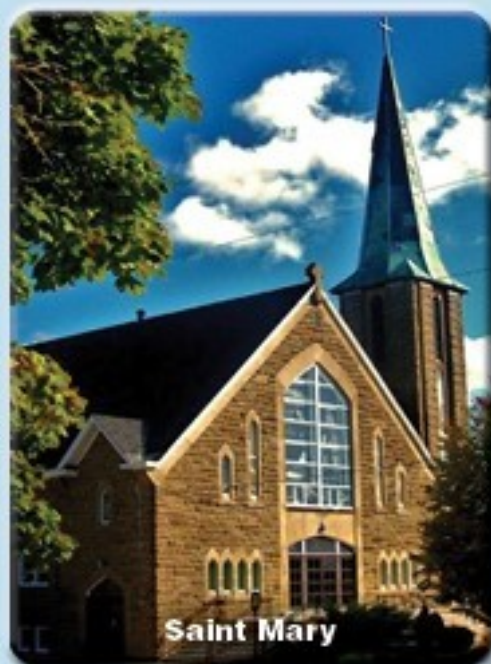




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## Prayer for Tolerance, Forgiveness and Reconciliation

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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**May 14th (Sixth Sunday of Easter) 2023**

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 worship sites in our parish.

**Parish Mass Times And Intentions**

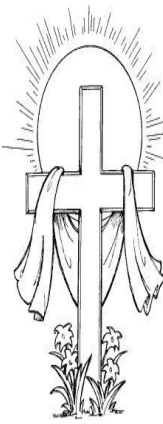
<b>St. Ann's, Burnt Church</b> Mass - Sundays 12:00 noon			
<b>St. Joachim's Church</b> Holy Rosary Sun at 11:30 am			
May 14	Sunday	12:00 pm	† Lourdes Gallivan & Marie Donovan
May 21	Sunday	12:00 pm	† Andrew Ward
<b>St. Mary's Holy Hour:</b> 1st Friday of Month 11:00 am <b>Holy Rosary</b> Tuesdays & Thursday at 11:30; <b>Angelus</b> at noon <b>Exposition</b> Mon-Fri from 11:30am to 1:30pm in the Chapel <b>Wednesdays Adoration @ 11:30am</b> <b>First Saturday</b> 9:00 am Devotion/Exposition; 9:30 am Mass			
May 13	Saturday	4:30 pm	† Helena & William (A) McCombs
May 14	Sunday	10:00 am	† Junior & Barbara Underhill
May 16	Tuesday	12:05 pm	† NO MASS
May 17	Wed	12:05 pm	† NO MASS
May 18	Thurs.	12:05 pm	† NO MASS
May 19	Friday	12:05 pm	† NO MASS
May 20	Saturday	4:30 pm	† Pauline Gauvin
May 21	Sunday	10:00 am	† Lawrence Richard
<b>Sts. Peter &amp; Paul Church</b>			
<b>Exposition Fri at 9:00 am</b>			
May 14	Sunday	10:00 am	† Ned Bowie (A) † Daniel & Eileen Lyons
May 16	Tuesday	9:00 am	† NO MASS
May 19	Friday	9:30 am	† NO MASS
May 21	Sunday	10:00 am	† For the People

<b>St. Samuel's: Holy Rosary Wed. at 8:30 am</b> <b>Divine Mercy, Rosary and Benediction</b> —last Sunday of each month. <b>Exposition: Tuesdays 6:00 to 7:00 pm</b> The next Divine Mercy, <b>Sunday May 28 @ 4pm</b>			
May 13	Saturday	4:00 pm	† Greta Innis † Kristopher Driscoll (A)
May 17	Wednesday	9:00 am	† NO MASS
May 18	Thursday	9:00 am	† NO MASS
May 20	Saturday	4:00 pm	† Paul Innis

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

*Mary Julia Preston, Robert Grosvenor, Gerald Wade & Shirley Burns*

**MEMORIALS Celebrated May 20th @ 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. Frank Donaher, James, Millie & Anne Underhill.



**Please contact the parish office** to schedule baptisms and weddings (Baptisms will be the 2nd weekend of each month) - (6 months notice required for weddings please).



**CONFESSION TIMES**

St. Mary's—1st Friday of the month @ 11:00 a.m. and 1st Saturday of the month @ 9:00 a.m.  
**You may also call for an appointment.**

*Our priests will be away on Annual Retreat from Monday May 15th to Friday, May 19th. Let us pray for them as they take some time for themselves to reconnect and recharge their spiritual batteries.*

**Parish News & Events**

*This week, May 14th, 2023, St. Mary's Sanctuary Lamp is dedicated in loving memory of Bill & Agnes Morrison  
Placed with love by Ann & Family*



- Cemeteries** Please inspect your family's headstones' - do they require maintenance (ie. leveling)? Contact your monument company or other contractor for assistance as maintenance of monuments is not part of perpetual care which covers maintenance of cemetery grounds. If you have inquiries, please call the office to schedule an appointment to discuss.
- St. Samuel's CARD PARTIES**, hosted by the Men's Group, will be every **Sunday afternoons at 1pm. Please note the new time.**
- St. Mary's 50/50**—Tickets for May are now on sale.
- St. Samuel's 50/50**— Get your May tickets, now on sale.
- EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY – ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT** – Our Lady of Lourdes Parish–Miramichi is looking for an individual who is interested in working as an Administrative Assistant for our parish. We are seeking an individual who has both clerical and interpersonal skills which will help facilitate the needs of our parish's weekly and monthly administrative duties. The role of the Administrative Assistant is a part-time position (16–18 hours per week) and salary will be based on qualifications. Interested applicants are asked to please submit a résumé to the Parish Office (12 St. Patrick's Drive, Miramichi, NB) or by email ([st.patrickschurch@nb.aibn.com](mailto:st.patrickschurch@nb.aibn.com)) no later than **Wednesday, May 31st, 2023**. We thank everyone who does apply in advance, however only those selected for further consideration will be contacted for an interview. Please note: the successful applicant will also have an opportunity to be formally trained in their responsibilities upon hiring. Thank you!! & PLEASE SHARE!!!
- St. Michael's CWL Council would like to **thank all the parishioners from the Miramichi Region** for attending and participating in the Mass dedicated to our intentions to St. Monica on May 4th. Your special written petitions will be taken this month to Medjugorje in Bosnia-Herzegovina and will be presented to Our Lady. *Continue to take your candle to light the world!*
- St. Samuel's Men's Group Bursary**—applications for the bursary are at the back of St. Samuel's church. Deadline is May 20th. Please put applications back on table or return to Gervase Duffy.
- Knights of Columbus council 8381**—We are gathering on Monday May 15th at 7pm in St. Patrick's Church to say the rosary for Brother Knight Brian O'Hearn and his family. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend. Thank you and we hope to see you then!



*"Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments. Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Set their souls on fire with love for your people." P*

