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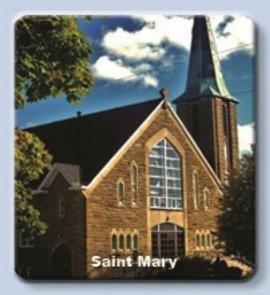
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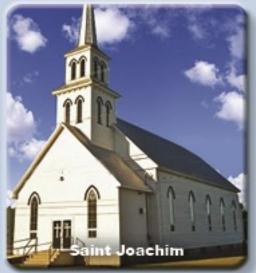
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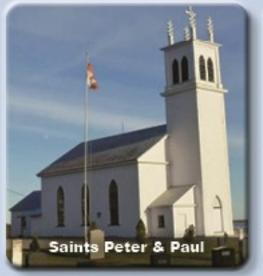
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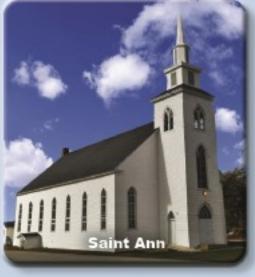
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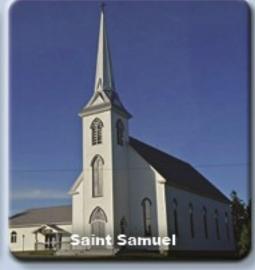
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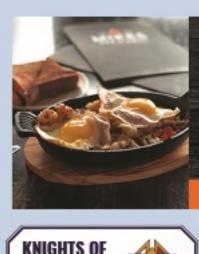














KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 4886

345 Campbell St., Miramichi, NB KNIGHTS BREAKFAST Second Sunday of every month BINGO Friday at 5:30 PM HALL RENTALS

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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.

October 22 (Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time) 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

St. Ann's, Burnt Church Mass - Sundays 12:00 pm							
St. Joachim's Church Holy Rosary Sun at 11:30 am							
Oct 22	Sunday	12:00 pm	† Jack Irving				
Oct 29	Sunday	12:00 pm	† Debbie Matchett				

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

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Oct 21	Saturday	4:30 pm	† Gerald MacDonald	
Oct 22	Sunday	10:00 am	† George & Amanda	
			Gordon	
Oct 24	Tuesday	12:05 pm	† Norman Bourque	
Oct 25	Wed.	12:05 pm	† Lawrence Richard (A)	
Oct 26	Thurs.	12.05 pm	† Warren & Edna Power (A) & Edward	
Oct 27	Friday	12:05 pm	† Peter Murphy	
Oct 28	Saturday	4:30 pm	† Carl Manderson	
Oct 29	Sunday	10:00 am	† Bill Dunn	

Sts. Peter & Paul Church

Exposition Friday at 9am

Oct 22	Sunday	10:00 am	† Mary Alma Harrigan
Oct 24	Tuesday	9:00 am	† Souls in Purgatory
Oct 27	Friday	9:30 am	† Gerry Morrison
Oct 22	Sunday	10:00 am	† For the People

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).



St. Samuel's: Holy Rosary Wed. at 8:30 am

Divine Mercy, Rosary and Benediction—last Sunday of each month. Exposition: Tuesdays 6:00 to 7:00 pm The next Divine Mercy, Sunday October 29 @ 4pm

Oct 21	Saturday	4:00 pm	† Walter & Rita Scott
Oct 25	Wednesday	9:00 am	† Lourdes Casey (A)
Oct 26	Thursday	9:00 am	† Mary Hogan (A)
Oct 28	Saturday`	4:00 pm	† Eddy Scott

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

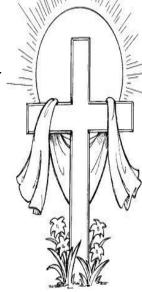
> Leon Bremner, Gerald Brideau & Shirley Ann McKinnon

MEMORIALS

Celebrated October 28st @ 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; Spec. Int (BM) (JS) & Families; Laurie & Marg Wrigley; Dec. Mem. of the Doran & Whalen Families; Dec. Mem. of the Duguay and Manderson Families; James, Millie & Anne Underhill: Frank Donaher: Dec. Mem. Of McNamara & Mitchell Family; Prayers of Thanks to God; St. Anthony; Steve McIntyre; Mahoney & Harris Family & dmf.





Parish News & Events





The week of October 22, 2023, , St. Mary's Holy Eucharist is dedicated in loving memory of Warren, Edna & Edward Power. Placed with love by Anne & Family



- The parish office will be closed next week, October 24-26, 2023; this is due to office administration conference.
- Congratulations to the young adults of Saint Marguerite Bourgeoys Parish who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday, October 15th. Please keep Alexander Kenneth Doucette, Miranda Catherine Doucette, and Gracie Mae Yvonne Connell of Saints' Peter and Paul worship site in your prayers. Thank you to their families, clergy, catechists, and all who are involved in the faith formation of these wonderful young people. Many thanks to Bishop Riesbeck, Father Peter, and Father Creamer for the lovely Mass. Thank you to all who helped make the occasion joyful and holy! Come Holy Spirit, may God's grace continue to surround and protect us, Amen.
- Socktober will be from October 1st to 31st. Collection Boxes @ St. Mary's & St. Samuel's. Donate a pair of new socks and warm the soles of those in need!
- Cemeteries—Please inspect your family's headstones' do they require maintenance (ie. leveling)? Contact your monument company or other contractor for assistance as repairs or maintenance of monuments is not part of perpetual care which covers maintenance of cemetery grounds.
- St. Samuel's Men's Group- 1049 draw was won by Ron Innes and Ivan Breau, winning \$290. Next one will start right away so call Gervase Duffy for tickets at 506-778-8187. Card party held on Sunday's at 1pm at St. Samuel's Parish Hall.
- St. Samuel's October tickets are now on sale. St. Mary's 50/50— October tickets are now on sale.
- On behalf of St. Mary's Church we would like to sincerely thank all who volunteered to assist us in hosting our church supper. Many people donated money, purchased tickets and prepared the meal. We also had parishioners from other churches and denominations who helped as well. A special thank you goes out to St. Samuel's parishioners, who help us every year; together we are strong!
- Mark your calendars! NET Team Retreat for Youth! ~ Experience a NET Retreat and engage your faith! A team of vibrant young missionaries will be visiting the Miramichi Region to provide youth in grades 6 to 12 an opportunity to hear the message of God's love and a chance to experience the Gospel personally. We promise it will be a day of faith, fun and friendship! Sunday, November 19th from 1pm-5pm at St. Mary's Church parish centre in Newcastle. Lunch and snacks will be provided. To help with planning, please notify your parish religious education coordinator. See you on the 19th.
- Approximately 12 years ago, a Prayer Shawl Ministry was formed at St. Mary's Church. Several women from St. Mary's, together with some home knitters, have been making prayer shawls, which are given to individuals who are ill, going through a difficult period in their lives, or who have lost a loved one. Baptismal shawls are also made and presented to each child when he/she is baptised. Over the years, approximately 2,800 shawls have been gifted, in addition to about 300 baptismal shawls. The cost of the yarn for each shawl, together with the gift bag, tissue paper and gift/prayer cards given with each shawl, has risen to approximately \$20. While we have been able to maintain this Ministry with donations and a couple of 50/50 draws, it is now at a point where funds are no longer available. If this Ministry is to continue, it will be necessary to raise funds; consequently, we will be selling 50/50 tickets, with the draw to be made in early December. We are hopeful that parishioners will support this Ministry by purchasing tickets, which are available from any member of the Prayer Shawl Ministry
- Canadian Women In War is the theme of this year's REMEMBRANCE DINNER THEATRE & SONG at the Kin Centre on Sunday, Nov. 5, 2023 at 5pm, sponsored by the 67th Miramichi Folk Song Festival. A delicious dinner will be followed by theatre & song performed by The Villagers, MVHS Drama, King St. Elem. School Choir, Kate & Melissa Barry, Elizabeth Shatford & Susan Butler. Tickets are \$40 each by reservation only and catering to all diets. Contact Susan Butler <susanbutler@xplornet.com> or by phone at 506-622-1780.
- Youth Choir Practice Announcement—The Youth Choir is gearing up for the joyous season of Advent and Christmas and invites all young members of our church community to join us for practice sessions. Practice Schedule is every Saturday after the 4:30pm Mass at St. Mary's church from 5:20pm to 6:00pm, starting October 14th. Please use the left-side entrance by the Vestry. As we prepare for Advent and Christmas Masses, we welcome all youth who have a passion for singing and a desire to share their voices. This is a wonderful opportunity to actively participate in the spirit of the season by using your talents to uplift and lead our congregation. If you have any questions or need further information, please feel free to reach out to Jackie at 506-626-0822 or via email at jac.al@hotmail.com
- Sts. Peter & Paul fall supper... Mark your calendar on Sunday, November 5th. More information to follow.