

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019

*This Sunday's Readings:*

*Isaiah 50.4-7: "I did not hide my face from insult and spitting. I know that I shall not be put to shame."*

*Psalm 22.7-8: "My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?"*

*Philippians 2.6-11: "Jesus humbled himself. Therefore God highly exalted him."*

*Luke 23.1-49: "The passion of our Lord Jesus Christ."*

Winona will be available Monday-Friday from 10a.m.-2 p.m. at 357-2593 or [svdp@rogers.com](mailto:svdp@rogers.com)

Tammy will be available Monday-Friday evenings at 444-6005 or [stfranassisi@nb.aibn.com](mailto:stfranassisi@nb.aibn.com).

St. Vincent de Paul Hall rentals please contact Bob Christenson at 357-5719.

(People are encouraged to book Masses for their Special Intentions and in Memory of their deceased through the secretaries at the office of St. Vincent de Paul or St. Francis of Assisi, depending on which church the Mass is to be held.)

**Mass Intentions**

St. Francis of Assisi	Sat. April 13	7:00 p.m.	†	Rose Hohmann-Ted Hohmann
St. Francis of Assisi	Wed. April 17	9:00 a.m.		MASS
St. Francis of Assisi	Sat. April 20	8:00 p.m.		EASTER VIGIL MASS

St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. April 14	10:00 a.m.	†	Alexander Buchanan
St. Vincent de Paul	Tues. April 16	9:00 am.	†	Arthur McCaffrey
St. Vincent de Paul	Thurs. April 18	7:00 p.m.		HOLY THURSDAY MASS
St. Vincent de Paul	Fri. April 19	3:00 p.m.		GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. April 21	10:00 a.m.		EASTER SUNDAY MASS

St. Bridget's	Sun. April 14	12:00 p.m.		MASS
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STATION OF THE CROSS-Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. at St. Vincent de Paul  
at 10:00 a.m. at St. Francis of Assisi

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Anyone currently using the Automatic Withdrawal for your offertory contributions. We are changing banks and you will need to sign a new PAD agreement and provide a new void cheque. I have left a copy of the PAD forms with your name on it on the table in the entry. If you have any question, please contact Tammy at the St. Francis of Assisi office week nights after 5 p.m. Thank you!

Devotion to the Blessed Sacrament will be held on Wednesdays from 8 a.m.-9 a.m. at St. Francis of Assisi.

The second Saturday of the month there will be a Toonie Collection for Fall Supper turkeys at St. Francis of Assisi.

April 7<sup>th</sup> Offertory

(THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED CONTRIBUTIONS)

St. Francis of Assisi

St. Vincent de Paul and St. Bridget's



Regular	\$621.00
Loose	\$65.00
Development and Peace	\$30.00
Direct Deposit	<u>\$915.00</u>
Total	\$1601.00

Regular	\$1795.00
Loose	\$240.70
Building Fund	\$677.50
Hall Rental (Feb & March)	\$800.00
Development & Peace	\$460.00
Easter Flowers (Memorial Don.)	<u>\$55.00</u>
Total	\$2835.70

(Please make any cheques payable to St. John Paul II Parish)

Please Note: The total amount reflects only what is available to the church and any other special collections will not be added to the total.

Mass in Honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be held the first Saturday of every month at 10 a.m.

(May 4<sup>th</sup>-St. Francis of Assisi), (June 1<sup>st</sup>-St. Bridget's), (July 6<sup>th</sup>-St. Vincent de Paul)

Monthly Confessions: 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. every first Saturday of the month at whichever church the first Saturday Mass in Honor of our Mother Mary will be celebrated. In case of an emergency, people are free to approach the priest for confession before or after the weekday Masses

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

❖ Holy Hour-Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be held on the First Friday of every month from 6-7 p.m. at St. Vincent de Paul.

Devotion to the Blessed Sacrament will be held on Fridays from 8 a.m.-9 a.m.

The rosary will be said at St. Vincent de Paul on Sundays from 9:30-9:50 prior to mass.

Choir practice is 7:15 p.m. every Tuesday at St. Vincent de Paul. New members are welcome.

Anyone who would like to donate towards Easter Flowers please put your contribution in an envelope with your name, amount and envelope # and indicate "Easter Flowers".

**CONFIRMATION TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24<sup>TH</sup> AT 6:30 P.M. AT ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHURCH. EVERYONE IS INVITED TO ATTEND.**

**FOOD BANK:** Every month parishioners at St. Vincent de Paul and St. Bridget's generously share non-perishable food items with those in need who use the Oromocto Food Bank and the Good Samaritan Food Bank in Jemseg. Next week is that time again-please leave whatever you can provide at the entrance of the church as you come to Mass.

## OTHER PARISH NEWS

### **Commissariat of the Holy Land in Canada**

#### **Pontifical collection of Good Friday on April 19, 2019 for the benefit of the Holy Land**

Each year on Good Friday, our parish is called to support Christians in the Holy Land. Many Christians in the Holy Land depend on the collection for their lives.

As a Pontifical collection requested by Pope Francis, the annual Good Friday Collection helps to maintain not only the Holy Places above all, but also the pastoral, welfare, educational and social works that the Church carries out to the benefit of the Christian brothers and sisters and the local population.

With gratitude,

Father Gilles Bourdeau, OFM

Commissary of the Holy Land in Canada

## OTHER NEWS

Knights of Columbus Bishop Dollard Council 1942 100th Anniversary Dinner & Dance (Marc Pepin DJ) on Saturday, April 27th. Begins with 5 pm Mass at St. Dunstan's celebrated with Bishop Harris followed by Dinner and Dance at the Fredericton Inn. Tickets \$40 per person are available from K of C Members, Art 206-0885, John 449-2287 or Robert 459-8209. Everyone is welcome.

**Regional Lenten Reconciliation Service** – Thursday, April 11, at 7:00 pm at Our Lady of Peace Parish (St. Theresa's Worship Site, 1 William St.).

## K of C NEWS

**Knights of Columbus Monthly Community Breakfast:** 170 Regent Street, on **Sunday, April 14th**, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Cost: Adults \$ 7.00, children \$ 3.00, families \$ 20.00. Everyone welcome.

## CWL NEWS

The St. Francis of Assisi CWL Regular Meeting will be held on Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m.

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*Vision Prayer*

*Heavenly Father may the Holy Spirit guide us to become a welcoming, vibrant Catholic community of lifelong learners growing in your love.*

*Be with us as we joyfully share our gifts and talents and serve others through prayer, words and actions. Give us the courage to answer the call to bring all people to Christ. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord. St. John Paul II, pray for us.*

### **Mass Schedule**

**St. Francis of Assisi**  
2130 Route 102 Hwy  
Lincoln, N.B

**St. Vincent de Paul**  
25 Loisville Street  
Oromocto, N.B.

**St. Bridget's**  
2088 Route 102  
Gagetown, N.B.

**Saturday-7 p.m.**  
**Wednesday-9 a.m.**

**Sunday-10 a.m.**  
**Tuesday-6:30 p.m.**  
**Thursday-12 p.m.**  
**Friday-9 a.m.**

**Sunday-12 p.m.**

*Marriages-6 months' notice*

*Baptisms-Contact Parish Office*

*Confession-Feel free to meet with the priest any time before or after the weekday Masses for Confession.*

*If you have a family member in hospital or in need of a home visit please contact the priest.*