

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Aug 11th, 2019

This Sunday's Readings:

Wisdom 18.6-9: "By the same means by which you punished our enemies, you called us to yourself and glorified us."

Psalm 33.1+12, 18-19: "Blessed the people the Lord has chosen as his heritage."

Hebrews 11.1-2: "Abraham was looking for the city designed and built by God."

Luke 12.32-48: "You must keep yourself ready."

Winona will be available Monday-Friday from 10a.m.-2 p.m. at 357-2593 or svdp@rogers.com

Tammy will be available Monday-Friday evenings at 444-6005 or 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. Aug 10	5:00 p.m.	†	Steve McInroy-Peter & Debbie Tulk
St. Francis of Assisi	Wed. Aug 14	9:00 a.m.		NO MASS
St. Francis of Assisi	Sat. Aug 17	5:00 p.m.	†	Robert Levesque-Alphee & Louise Levesque
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. Aug 11	10:00 a.m.	†	Maria Francis
St. Vincent de Paul	Tues. Aug 13	6:30 p.m.		NO MASS
St. Vincent de Paul	Thurs. Aug 15	12:00 p.m.		NO MASS
St. Vincent de Paul	Fri. Aug 16	9:00 a.m.		NO MASS
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. Aug 18	10:00 a.m.	†	Maria Francis
St. Bridget's	Sun. Aug 11	12:00 p.m.		MASS
St. Bridget's	Sun. Aug 18	12:00 p.m.	†	William Shannon

Saturday night Mass at St. Francis of Assisi will be at 5PM for the months of July & August. This is to help accommodate Fr Breen who is replacing Fr Udeh for part of the summer.

Father Charles will be leaving for Nigeria on Wednesday, July 17th and arriving back home on Monday, August 26th.

There will not be any weekday Masses from July 17th to August 26th and "Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament" from 8 a.m. – 9 a.m. on Wednesdays at St. Francis of Assisi and Fridays at St. Vincent de Paul will not be held while Father Charles is away.

Father Donald Breen will be celebrating weekend Masses on Saturdays and Sundays in his absence.

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament will be held on Wednesdays from 8 a.m.-9 a.m. at St. Francis of Assisi. (Will resume after Aug. 25th)

St Francis of Assisi Church, Lincoln, is holding a YARD SALE on Saturday, August 24, from 8am to noon. Table rentals \$10 can be arranged by calling 452-1090. A Cafe will be available as well. Donations accepted (NO clothing or electrical items)

Aug 4th Offertory

(THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED CONTRIBUTIONS)



St. Francis of Assisi

Regular	\$700.00
Loose	<u>\$71.25</u>
Total	\$771.25

St. Vincent de Paul and St. Bridget's

Regular	\$1395.00
Loose	\$541.55
Building Fund	\$618.35
Building Fund (Memorial Donation)	\$50.00
Cemetery Fund (Memorial Donation)	<u>\$65.00</u>
Total	\$1936.55

(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.

(Sept 7th-St. Francis of Assisi), (Oct. 5th-St. Bridget's). (Nov. 2nd-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 8 a.m.-9 a.m. at St. Vincent de Paul.

Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament will be held on Fridays from 8 a.m.-9 a.m. (Will resume after Aug.25th)

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.

"GET YOUR TICKETS" ON A MONTHLY \$100 DRAW BEFORE AND AFTER SUNDAY MASS @ \$10 PER TICKET.

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.

Part One: A Whole-Burnt Offering

Meditation:

February 7, [1937]. Today, the Lord said to me, **I demand of you a perfect and whole-burnt offering; an offering of the will. No other sacrifice can compare with this one. I myself am directing your life and arranging things in such a way that you will be for me a continual sacrifice and will always do my will** (Diary, 923).

My Prayer Response:

Jesus, raise up many souls like St. Faustina to live a perfect and whole-burnt offering of their will to Your will. May they bring many souls to you!

PARISH NEWS

CAMP SHELDRAKE 2019 SUMMER PROGRAMS: WE ARE LOOKING FOR PEOPLE FROM OUR PARISH TO SPONSOR A CHILD OR HELP SUBSIDIZE THIS PROGRAM. FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE SEE WEBSITE www.campshldrake.ca OR CONTACT THE OFFICE.

OTHER NEWS

St. Dunstan's CWL Bridge Luncheon – Saturday, September 28th @ 1 pm. \$12 per person or \$48 per table. Prizes, Door Prizes, 50/50 Draw. In the Monsignor Boyd Family Centre. To reserve your table, call Josie at 455-5746 or Pat 206-0517.

St. Anthony's monthly "Touched by Cancer" Mass for those whose lives have been affect in any way by cancer will take place Friday, Aug 16th at 7:00 pm. All are welcome.

Shrine Sunday 2019

The 96th Annual Pilgrimage to St. Francis of Assisi Shrine at Upper Skiff Lake takes place on Aug. 11th with the Most Reverend Robert Harris, Bishop of Saint John Diocese, as principal celebrant. The chapel will be open for prayer at 10 am with open air mass at 11 am.

Afternoon services begin with the Holy Rosary at 1 pm in the three founding languages – French, English and Maliseet, This is followed by the Sacrament of Healing at 2 pm. All are welcome to join in this Spiritual Journey.

A canteen will be operating in the kiosk at lunchtime. Bring a lawn chair. Come and enjoy the day.

Ample parking is available, with disabled parking next to the church. Bring your chair, come early to experience the day, meet old friends and make new ones. Everyone is welcome to join the choir or volunteer to help with the services.

To reach the site, take exit 212 at Meductic, Turn onto Route 122 towards Canterbury. You can take Mill Street to Upper Skiff Lake Road – follow the signs. Or drive on Route 122 to just past Skiff Lake, turn right onto the Upper Skiff Lake Road – follow the signs.

K of C NEWS

Knights of Columbus Monthly Community Breakfast: 170 Regent Street, on Sunday, August 11th , from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Cost: Adults \$ 7.00, children \$ 3.00, families \$ 20.00. Proceeds to the Law Enforcement Run for Special Olympics New Brunswick. Everyone welcome.

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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- 5 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.