

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sept 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019

*This Sunday's Readings:*

*Sirach 3.17-20: "Humble yourself, so you will find favour in the slight of the Lord."*

*Psalms 68.3-4: "In your goodness, O God, you provided for the needy."*

*Hebrews 12.18-19: "You have come to Mount Zion, to the city of the living God."*

*Luke 14.1, 7-14: "Whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and whoever humbles himself will be exalted."*

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. Aug 31	5:00 p.m.	† Sandra Copeland-Birthday Girls Club
St. Francis of Assisi	Wed. Aug 28	9:00 a.m.	MASS
St. Francis of Assisi	Sat. Sept 7	5:00 p.m.	Bishop Harris in honour of 50yrs of Priesthood- Joyce Green
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. Sept 1	10:00 a.m.	† Berton Foster
St. Vincent de Paul	Tues. Sept 3	6:30 p.m.	† Keith Carr
St. Vincent de Paul	Thurs. Sept 5	12:00 p.m.	† LeRoy Washburn
St. Vincent de Paul	Fri. Sept 6	9:00 a.m.	Celebration of 75 <sup>th</sup> Birthday of Bishop Harris- St. Vincent de Paul CWL
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. Sept 8	10:00 a.m.	† Peter Doherty
St. Bridget's	Sun. Sept 1	12:00 p.m.	Special Intention
St. Bridget's	Sun. Sept 8	12:00 p.m.	MASS

Saturday night Mass at St. Francis of Assisi will be at 5PM.

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.

St Francis of Assisi Card Party will be starting again on September 8<sup>th</sup> at 7.p.m. Everyone is welcome. If you have any questions, please contact Alice at 458-5784 or Sheila at 446-6074.

St Francis of Assisi Church, Lincoln presents its Fall Turkey Supper on Sunday, September 29, from 4-6 pm. Turkey, potatoes, squash, peas, dressing, gravy, pie, tea, and coffee is the Menu. Adults \$12. Take outs available as well, \$12 each. Always said to be the Best Church Supper in the area.

*Aug 25<sup>th</sup> Offertory*

(THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED CONTRIBUTIONS)



St. Francis of Assisi

Regular	\$430.00
Loose	\$47.55
Garden Fund	\$10.00
Yard Sale	\$372.35
Total	\$849.90

St. Vincent de Paul and St. Bridget's

Regular	\$1515.00
Loose	\$270.30
Donation (anonymous)	\$28.05
Building Fund	\$45.00
Total	\$1813.35

(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 7<sup>th</sup>-St. Francis of Assisi), (Oct. 5<sup>th</sup>-St. Bridget's), (Nov. 2<sup>nd</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 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.

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.

Expo Sign Up for Sunday School, RCIA and Other Church Groups will be after Mass on Sunday, September 8th in the St. Vincent de Paul Family Center.

**"GET YOUR TICKETS" ON A MONTHLY \$100 DRAW BEFORE AND AFTER SUNDAY MASS @ \$10 PER TICKET. THE WINNER OF THE DRAW FOR AUGUST IS JEAN GUY RINGUETTE. CONGRATULATIONS!**

**Spiritual Adoption Month 6:** I'm 6 months old now. I just opened my eyes – Before today they were sealed shut for protection. I wonder what you look like. I can hear sounds too! It's great to have someone praying for me.

**A Cause of Murmuring**

**Meditation:**

**My daughter, I have something to tell you.** I replied, "Speak, Jesus, for I thirst for your words." **It displeases me that, because the sisters were murmuring, you did not ask to have Father Andrasz hear your confession in your cell. Know that, because of this, you gave them even greater cause for murmuring.** Very humbly I begged the Lord's forgiveness. O my Master, rebuke me; do not overlook my faults, and do not let me err (Diary, 1460).

**My Prayer Response:**

Lord, help me not to be a cause of murmuring among my family and friends nor react to their murmuring. May I avoid offending you and be quick to beg Your forgiveness when I sin.

**OTHER NEWS**

**St. Dunstan's CWL Bridge Luncheon – Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup> @ 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.

PILGRIMAGE TO MONTREAL Sept 18 – 21. In order for the Pilgrimage to go forward we need 14 more pilgrims. If you are thinking about joining us on this trip, contact Marlita at 444-1643 or by email [marlitachase@hotmail.com](mailto:marlitachase@hotmail.com). Visit St. Joseph's Oratory and Notre Dame Basilica (Organ Concert and the AURA Light Show).

**CWL NEWS**

St. Francis of Assisi CWL will be holding there Executive Meeting on September 8<sup>th</sup> at 9 a.m. The general meeting will follow at 10 a.m. All St. Francis CWL members are asked to attend as this is a very important meeting.

St. Vincent de Paul Church CWL Council: General meeting Sunday, September 8th in the Family Centre at 2 pm. All ladies welcome.

**Catholic Women's League Fashion Show ~ Saturday, September 14th at 11:00 am.** St. Theresa's Church Hall, 1 William St. Fashion Show, Lunch, Bake & Craft Sale! Fashions by Tan Jay in the Regent Mall. Cost \$10.00 at the door.

**K OF C NEWS**

The Knights of Columbus, Council #6774, will hold its 1<sup>st</sup> regular meeting for this fraternal year on Wednesday, September 4<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm at the St. Vincent de Paul Family Centre. Please try to attend.

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**Father Charles Udeh**

**Pastor: 357-2593**



*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.*