

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sept 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019

*This Sunday's Readings:*

*Wisdom 9.13-18: "who can discern what the Lord wills?"*

*Psalms 90.3-4: "Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations."*

*Philemon 9b-10: "Take him back, no longer as a slave but as a much beloved brother."*

*Luke 14.25-33: "Whoever of you does not give up all that he has cannot be my disciple."*

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. Sept 7	5:00 p.m.	Bishop Harris in honour of 50yrs of Priesthood- Joyce Green
St. Francis of Assisi	Wed. Sept 11	9:00 a.m.	People with Special Needs-K of C #9496 Lincoln
St. Francis of Assisi	Sat. Sept 14	5:00 p.m.	† Doug Bridgeman-Ray & Phyllis Mulholland † Kay Frenette-Lee Frenette
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. Sept 8	10:00 a.m.	† Peter Doherty
St. Vincent de Paul	Tues. Sept 10	6:30 p.m.	† LeRoy Washburn
St. Vincent de Paul	Thurs. Sept 12	12:00 p.m.	† Christopher Yavis
St. Vincent de Paul	Fri. Sept 13	9:00 a.m.	† Deceased Members of Yavis & Baran Families
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. Sept 15	10:00 a.m.	† Conrad Yavis
St. Bridget's	Sun. Sept 8	12:00 p.m.	MASS
St. Bridget's	Sun. Sept 15	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.

Bible Study CATECHISM of the CATHOLIC CHURCH at St Francis of Assisi Church, Wednesday after the Mass.

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.

*Sept 1<sup>st</sup> Offertory*  
*(THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED CONTRIBUTIONS)*



St. Francis of Assisi

Regular	\$345.00
Loose	\$24.45
Direct Deposit (Aug)	\$675.00
Hall Rental	<u>\$2400.00</u>
Total	\$3444.45

St. Vincent de Paul and St. Bridget's

Regular	\$2010.00
Loose	\$226.40
Hall Rental	\$150.00
Building Fund	\$635.00
Needs of the Canadian Church	<u>\$5.00</u>
Total	\$2386.40

(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.

**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. Thank you!

**Faithful Departed:**

Arthur William O'Brien, husband of Gisela O'Brien and father of Arthur, Andrew & Kathleen.

Let us pray...

Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord,

And let perpetual light shine upon him.

May he rest in peace. Amen

### Faithful Departed:

Alfred Richard, husband of Delcina and father of Ronald, Armand, Sylvia, Joann, Julia, Pamela, Mona, and Angela.

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### PARISH NEWS:

There will be a Finance Parish Council Meeting on Wednesday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:15 pm at the St. Francis of Assisi Family Centre.

The Parish Office will be closed on the following Fridays- Sept 13<sup>th</sup>, Sept 20<sup>th</sup> & Sept 27<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

### OTHER NEWS

“AN INVITATION TO ALL PARISHES”...Please join us: SAT., OCT. 19, 2019, 9:30 AM – 12 PM, Msgr. Boyd Fam. Ctr., Fredericton. **Dr. Michael Higgins**, former President of St. Thomas University, scholar, and current distinguished Professor of Catholic Thought at Sacred Heart University, Connecticut, will give a **free** presentation on the **vital role of the laity in Catholic Church reform**. Hosted by an adult faith formation initiative, Catholic Parishes of greater Fredericton. More info. to soon follow. Please RSVP for planning. Thank you: [jdennning@nb.sympatico.ca](mailto:jdennning@nb.sympatico.ca) (506-470-5696) / [chris.er.mcaloon@gmail.com](mailto:chris.er.mcaloon@gmail.com) (506-474-2342)

### CWL NEWS

St. Francis of Assisi CWL will be holding their 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 meeting of the Knights of Columbus Council No.9496 Lincoln will reconvene on Monday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at the St. Francis of Assisi Church Hall.

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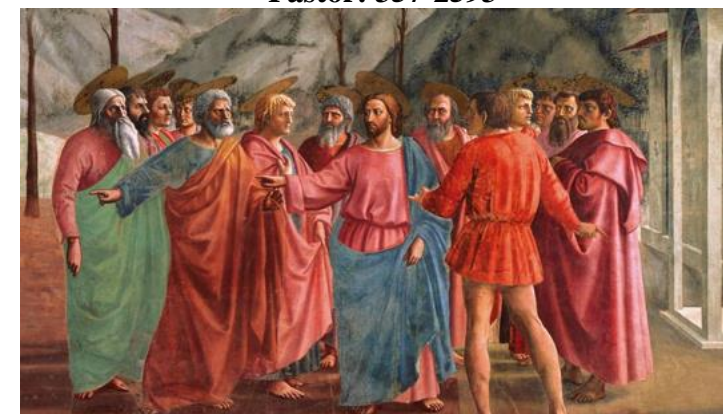
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Father Charles Udeh

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.*