

February 9th, 2020 – Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

This Sunday's Readings:

Isaiah 58.6-10: "Your light shall break forth like the dawn."

Psalms 112.4-5: "Light rises in the darkness for the upright."

1 Corinthians 2.1-5: "I proclaimed to you the mystery of Jesus Christ, and him crucified."

Matthew 5.13-16: "You are the light of the world."

To Book Mass Intentions:

Please contact Winona (Parish Office 357-2593) to have the Mass celebrated at St. Vincent de Paul or St. Bridget's.

Please contact Tammy (Lincoln Office 444-6005) to have the Mass celebrated at St. Francis of Assisi.

Mass Intentions

St. Francis of Assisi	Sat. Feb 8	5:00 p.m.	† Alfred Richard-Julia & George Bourque
St. Francis of Assisi	Wed. Feb 12	9:00 a.m.	† Mass
St. Francis of Assisi	Sat. Feb 15	5:00 p.m.	† Suzette Bourque-Julia & George Bourque

St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. Feb 9	10:00 a.m.	† Arthur O'Brien
St. Vincent de Paul	Tues. Feb 11	6:30 p.m.	† John Garnier
St. Vincent de Paul	Thurs. Feb 13	12:00 p.m.	† Michael Mombourquette
St. Vincent de Paul	Fri. Feb 14	9:00 a.m.	† Deceased Members of Legion of Mary
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. Feb 16	10:00 a.m.	† Michael Mombourquette

St. Bridget's	Sun. Feb 9	12:00 p.m.	MASS
St. Bridget's	Sun. Feb 16	12:00 p.m.	MASS

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Father Charles will be available to meet with parishioners at the Office of St. Francis of Assisi every Wednesday from 9:30 to 12:00 p.m.; other than this time can be by appointment.

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

The Rosary will be said at St. Francis of Assisi on Saturday evening beginning at 4:30 p.m. prior to Mass.

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 held Sunday evenings at 7 p.m. in the church hall.

ST. BRIDGET'S

Thank you to the St. Bridget's Altar Society for their donation of \$2405.87 towards the 2019 Electricity & Heating Cost and Snow Removal for December 2019 for St. Bridget's Church.

Feb.2nd, 2020 Offertory St. John Paul II Parish
(THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED CONTRIBUTIONS)



	<u>St. Francis of Assisi</u>	<u>St. Vincent de Paul</u>	<u>St. Bridget's</u>
Regular & Loose	\$440.00	\$2375.40	\$290.00
Direct Deposit (Jan 2020)	\$675.00	\$	\$
Cemetery Fund/Upkeep	\$75.00	\$20.00	\$
Initial Offering	\$	\$35.00	\$
Fundraising	\$	\$1206.75	\$
Donations	\$	\$	\$2405.87
Building Fund/Upkeep	\$55.00	\$577.30	\$
Totals	\$1115.00	\$3617.15	\$2695.87

(Please make all cheques payable to St. John Paul II Parish and put them in your offertory envelopes or use the blue envelopes provided at the church entrances for Income Tax purposes).

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. (March 7th, 2020-St. Francis of Assisi), (Apr. 4th, 2020-St. Bridget's), (May 2nd, 2020-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. at St. Vincent de Paul.

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

Choir practice will be after Mass every Sunday. New members are welcome.

Thank you to all who contributed in any way to help make our Card Party & Turkey Pot Pies Fundraisers a success. We raised \$670.75 from the Card Party and \$536 from the Turkey Pot Pies for a total of \$1206.75.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper will be held on Tuesday, February 25th from 4:00-6:00 p.m. in the St. Vincent de Paul Family Center. **Adults \$8.00 Children 6-12 \$3.00 Under 6 – No charge.** Anyone willing to help please call Catherine Bettel at 357-3601 or Patsy Buying at 357-3247.

NOW AVAILABLE – convenient automatic direct payment for regular collection from your bank account (weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly). A void cheque and signed authorization form is required. Every Sunday in February after Mass Jody Carr will be at the entrance of the church to assist you with the form we provide or you can see Winona at the rectory office during regular office hours.

PARISH NEWS

National Week for Life and the Family - Young couples are invited to attend a meeting on a discussion on Life and Family on Tuesday, February 11th following the 6:30 pm Mass at the St. Vincent de Paul Family Centre.

There will be a Mass to celebrate International Day of the Sick on Wednesday, February 12th at 11am at St. Vincent de Paul Church followed by a reception at the Family Centre.

Your 2019 Income Tax Receipts for Donations are now available to pick up at each church site. Thank you for your generosity and continued support of our Parish.

There will be a Responsible Ministry Workshop on Wednesday, February 19th at 6:30 p.m. at St. Vincent de Paul Family Centre. All Parishioners are invited to attend.

OTHER NEWS


ALL ARE WELCOME!! Please join us for our **Diocesan Development & Peace SHARE LENT WORKSHOP – “FOR OUR COMMON HOME”**, **SAT., FEB. 15TH 9:30 AM** Msgr. Boyd Ctr., 120 Regent St., Fredericton. In response to Pope Francis’ concern for the Amazon and its peoples, we are invited to heed the cry of the poor and of the Earth through the testimonies of Indigenous and traditional communities, struggling to protect the Amazon forest from shameless plunder. How we live here, makes an impact there. Learn what you can do to take actions. Lunch provided. RSVP by Feb. 3rd chris.er.mcaloon@gmail.com Call/Text: Chris: 506-474-2342. Thank you.

CWL NEWS

St Francis of Assisi CWL is hosting a “Game Day” – board games or card games on Sunday, February 16th from 1-4PM. All are welcome. Any questions please contact Pauline Bourque @452-1090.

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Knights of Columbus Council 9496 will be featuring a combined event at St. Francis of Assisi Church Hall on Monday February 10th. Starting at 6:00 P.M. sharp a Special Seminar presentation will be given by our District Deputy (Antoine Pelletier). Officers from other Councils will be invited to participate. Following the Seminar we will hold our regular 9496 Council meeting. We would appreciate a good attendance. Les Siller G.K.

<p>Geary Monument Service</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Monument Sales ● Levelling ● Cleaning ● Sandblasting  <p>58 Intervale Road Geary, NB E2V 3Y7 Fax: (506) 357-8555 www.gearymonuments.com</p> <p>Phone: (506) 357-6544 Cell: (506) 261-8114</p>	<p>McAdam's FUNERAL HOMES & CREMATORIUM</p> <p>McAdam's 506-458-9170 Oromocto 506-357-5100 McAdams@McAdamsFH.com</p> <p>McAdam's Funeral Home 160 York Street Fredericton, N.B. E3B 3N7 www.mcadamsfh.com</p> <p>Oromocto Funeral Home 108 Winnebago Street Oromocto, N.B. E2V 1C7 www.oromocto1h.com</p> <p>Independently Owned & Operated</p>
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St. Francis of Assisi Hall Rentals: - please contact Tammy at 444-6005

St. Vincent de Paul Hall Rentals: - please contact Hilda Aube at 208-0652

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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.
<p><i>Marriages-6 months' notice</i> <i>Baptisms-Contact Parish Office</i> <i>Confession-Feel free to meet with the priest any time before or after the weekday Masses for Confession.</i> <i>If you have a family member in hospital or in need of a home visit please contact the priest.</i></p>		