

May 17th, 2020 – Sixth Sunday of Easter

This Sunday's Readings:

Acts 8.5-8: "Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit."

Psalms 66.1-3a: "Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth!"

1 Peter 3.15-18: "Christ was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit."

John 14.15-21: "I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate."

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. May 16	9:00 a.m.	†	Maria Weirathmulle
St. Francis of Assisi	Sat. May 16	5:00 p.m.	†	Ernest & Isabell Bourque
St. Francis of Assisi	Wed. May 20	9:00 a.m.		MASS
St. Francis of Assisi	Sat. May 23	9:00 a.m.		MASS
St. Francis of Assisi	Sat. May 23	5:00 p.m.	†	Sadie McLean
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. May 17	10:00 a.m.	†	Tony Forbes
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St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. May 17	5:00 p.m.	†	Laura, Hilary & Fr. Pat McDonough
St. Vincent de Paul	Tues. May 19	9:00 a.m.	†	Frank Dignam
St. Vincent de Paul	Thurs. May 21	12:00 p.m.	†	Donald Lanteigne
St. Vincent de Paul	Fri. May 22	9:00 a.m.	†	Jerome O'Brien
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. May 24	10:00 a.m.	†	Michael Mombourquette
St. Vincent de Paul	Sun. May 24	5:00 p.m.		MASS
St. Bridget's	Sun. May 17	12:00 p.m.		MASS
St. Bridget's	Mon. May 18	6:30 p.m.		MASS

PLEASE NOTE-TEMPORARY WEEKEND AND WEEKDAY MASS TIMES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

WEEKEND MASSES-

5 p.m. Saturday at St. Francis of Assisi

10 a.m. Sunday at St. Vincent de Paul

12 p.m. Sunday at St. Bridget

5 p.m. Sunday at St. Vincent de Paul

WEEKDAY MASSES-

6:30 p.m. Monday at St. Bridget

9 a.m. Tuesday at St. Vincent de Paul

8 a.m. Adoration begins, following Mass 9 a.m. Wednesday at St. Francis of Assisi

12 p.m. Thursday at St. Vincent de Paul


8 a.m. Adoration begins, following Mass 9 a.m. at St. Vincent de Paul

9 a.m. Saturday at St. Francis of Assisi

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) will be by appointment, Monday to Sunday. Please call 357-2593 to book an appointment with Father Charles.

March 15th -March 31st, 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	\$529.60	\$1143.60	\$229.00
Ash Wednesday	\$20.00	\$	\$
Building Fund/Upkeep	\$	\$50.00	
Hall Rental		\$500.00	
Direct Deposit (March)	\$605.00	\$550.00	
Direct Deposit (Anonymous)	\$80.67		
Totals	\$1215.27	\$2243.60	\$229.00

Month of April 2020 Offertory St. John Paul II Parish


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	<u>St. Francis of Assisi</u>	<u>St. Vincent de Paul</u>	<u>St. Bridget's</u>
Regular & Loose	\$915.00	\$3578.95	\$590.00
Building Fund (Memorial)		\$25.00	
Building Fund/Upkeep	\$55.00	\$325.00	
Hall Rental		\$250.00	
Dev & Peace	\$55.00	\$170.00	
Good Friday		\$330.00	
Easter Offering		\$835.00	
Donation (K of C)		\$1000.00	
Direct Deposit (April)	\$605.00	\$560.00	
Totals	\$1575.00	\$6573.95	\$590.00

May 3, 2020 Offertory St. John Paul II Parish


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	<u>St. Francis of Assisi</u>	<u>St. Vincent de Paul</u>	<u>St. Bridget's</u>
Regular & Loose	\$550.00	\$1425.00	\$45.00
Building Fund (Memorial)		\$525.00	
Building Fund/Upkeep		\$155.00	
Initial Offering		\$10.00	\$5.00
Ash Wednesday		\$10.00	
Dev & Peace		\$55.00	
Good Friday	\$5.00	\$100.00	
Easter Offering	\$5.00	\$100.00	
Papal Charities		\$5.00	
Totals	\$560.00	\$2215.00	\$50.00

May 10, 2020 Offertory St. John Paul II Parish

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	<u>St. Francis of Assisi</u>	<u>St. Vincent de Paul</u>	<u>St. Bridget's</u>
Regular & Loose	\$80.00	\$1755.00	\$375.00
Building Fund (Memorial)		\$225.00	
Building Fund/Upkeep		\$165.00	
Papal Charities		\$10.00	
Tree Fund SVDP (Memorial)		\$40.00	
Donation (Religious Art Room)		\$1000.00	
Totals	\$80.00	\$3185.00	\$375.00

NEW GIVING OPTIONS - PLEASE SHARE and thank you for all who are continuing to give offering.

At St John Paul II Catholic Parish of Oromocto, Lincoln and Gagetown, New Brunswick Canada we invite you to give offerings for the continued operation of the parish. This is a great time of need for everyone and our parish is no exception. Several people have asked how they can give to the parish, there are several ways you can give your offering as follows:

1. Drop cash or cheque off in person or a cheque by Mail at: 25 Loisville St, Oromocto, NB E2V 1B9

(Please make cheques payable to St. John Paul II Parish and include your name, address, phone, email address, regular/building/special collection, which Church to designate, and envelop # if you have one.)

Note: Envelopes can now be dropped off at any time by using the secure mail slot in the Rectory door.

2. Interac e-mail transfers by sending to e-mail: svdp@rogers.com Question: Parish Office Location
Answer: OromoctoNB

In the memo/message box, it is important you include your name, address, phone, email address, regular/building/special collection, which Church to designate and envelop # if you have one.

3. Automatic direct deposit from your bank account: Choose monthly, weekly, bi weekly giving for the **regular** collection

Email svdp@rogers.com or to Jody Carr at jody.r.carr@gmail.com to get a form to sign, return to parish by email or mail and include a void cheque. Please include your phone number and email address.

4. Give at church when you attend any of the Masses.

PARISH NEWS

Dear Parishioners

I am thankful to God for His protective cares on us and to you for your prayers, patience and support to our church in the difficult time of pandemic. Considering the possible ways of bringing Christ more close to us in this phase of our restriction relaxation and being guided by the directives of the Bishop, the Parish Pastoral Council came up with temporary new worship modalities.

We have formed a group of volunteers in all our three churches to serve as Pandemic Response Coordinators in fulfilment of the outlined Covid-19 prevention rules by the GNB authorities. Because we are allowed to have only 10 people in every mass excluding the lay ministers, we shall be projecting mass to the family center TV whenever we have mass at St. Vincent; hence getting 10 people in the church and 10 people in the family center. Others who have mobile data in their cell phone can participate virtually. I will go around and distribute communion during communion time. The same is applicable to St. Francis of Assisi if we can succeed extending the microphone to the hall, while St. Bridget's will contain only 10 people because we have no microphone to project to the basement. I will continue our Facebook virtual mass to enable us to join from our homes, however, I will encourage us to drive into the church parking lot to receive the Holy Communion 40 minutes into the weekend masses and 20 minutes into the week day masses. This new modality will avail us the opportunity to at least attend Mass any day of the week and receive the Holy Eucharist in this new reality of our time. The Sacrament of reconciliation will be by appointment, Monday to Sunday.

To ensure everyone's safety, the dispensation from the observation of Sunday obligation remains in effect by Bishop Riesbeck. If you show any COVID-19 symptoms outlined by GNB authorities, please stay home, and consider being tested.

God bless you and your family and loved ones. I am proud to be your Priest; we will continue to grow stronger together in prayer and with love and support of each other in the love of Christ. May St. Johnpaul 11 intercede for us. Amen.

Yours in Jesus and Mary,

Father Charles Udeh, SMMM.

St. John Paul II Parish

St. Vincent de Paul † Oromocto, NB Phone: 357-2593 Fax: 357-7752 Family Centre Phone: 357-8281	St. Francis of Assisi † Lincoln, NB Phone: 444-6005 Fax: 444-6039 Church Hall Phone: 444-6004	St. Bridget's Gagetown, NB
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Parish Email: svdp@rogers.com Parish website address: stjohnpaul2parishnb.ca

St. Francis of Assisi Office Hours: Tues – Thurs 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Email: stfranassisi@nb.aibn.com.

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

Temporary 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- 9 a.m. & 5 p.m.	Sunday-10 a.m. & 5 p.m.	Sunday-12 p.m.
Wednesday-9 a.m.	Tuesday-9 a.m. Thursday-12 p.m. Friday-9 a.m.	Monday-6:30 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.