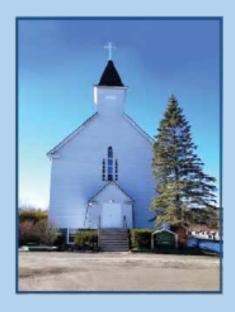
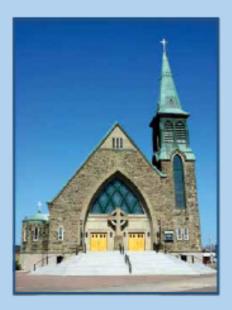
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Saint Augustine's Moncton



Our Lady of Mercy Pointe-du-Chêne

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Welcome to Queen of All Saints Parish April 11th, 2021 Divine Mercy Sunday

Mass Schedule—Heures des Messes

Monday 9:30 a.m. Saint Lawrence O'Toole Saturday 4:00 p.m. St. Augustine's

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. St. Augustine's 7:00 p.m. Our Lady of Mercy

Wednesday

Sunday

9:00 a.m. Saint Lawrence O'Toole

DIVINE MERCY

Thursday

4:00 p.m. Saint Lawrence O'Toole (French)

11:00 a.m. St. Augustine's

1:00 p.m. Our Lady of Mercy **Friday** 12:00 noon St. Augustine's

7:00 p.m. St. Augustine's

Confessions: By appointment - Saint Lawrence O'Toole (Tuesdays 1:00pm to 3:00pm)

St. Augustine's (Wednesdays 1:00pm to 3:00pm). Please call the office at 857-4223 to schedule a time.

YELLOW ZONE: TWO METRES OF PHYSICAL DISTANCING MUST BE MAINTAINED. CONTINUOUS MASK WEARING IS REQUIRED.



Saturday

Call the parish office during regular hours at 857-4223 each week to reserve your spot for weekday and weekend Mass. Do NOT leave a message to make your reservation. Deadline for reservations is Friday at 12:00noon. Please arrive 15 to 30 minutes prior to Mass to allow check in and seating.



FACE MASKS are mandatory and must be worn throughout the liturgy.

Thank you!

Daily Readings

Monday Acts 4:23-31; John 3:1-8 Tuesday Acts 4:32-37; John 3:7-15 Wednesday Acts 5:17-26; John 3:16-21 Thursday Acts 5:27-33; John 3:31-36 Friday Acts 5:34-42; John 6:1-15



Sunday Third Sunday of Easter: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; 1 John 2:1-5; Luke 24:35-48



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Saint Augustine's: Envelopes: \$3,875.00 (82 env); Loose: \$360.50; Share Lent: \$290.00 (9 env.); Easter Offering: \$2,725.00 (69 env.); Easter Loose: \$60.00; Good Friday: \$910.00 (39 env.); Building Fund: \$140.00 (6 env); Easter Flowers: \$40.00; Lenten Folders: \$99.50 (6 folders); Ray of Hope: \$50.00: (1 env.); Ash Wednesday: \$50.00; Faith Development: \$10.00; Pre-Authorized: \$1,625.00 (43 env.)

Saint Lawrence O'Toole: Envelopes: \$890.00 (38 env.): Loose: \$83.00; Easter Offering: \$638.00 (25 env); Good Friday: \$433.00 (25 env.); Development and Peace: \$55.00 (3 env.); Lenten Folders: \$82.50; Pre-Authorized: \$80.00 (4 env).

Our Lady of Mercy: Envelopes: \$480.00 (18 env.): Loose: \$260.45; Candles: \$48.00; Easter: \$585.00: Heating of Church: \$10:00; Development and Peace: \$90.00; Building Maintenance (roof): \$20.00; Good Friday: \$265.00.

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MASSIntentions					
Sat	10	4:00pm	St. A	Late George Cunningham	Madge Lund and Family
		7:00pm	OLM	John A. Sullivan	Mike and Judy
Sun	11	9:00am	SLOT	Late Charles Northup	Arthur, Therese and Angel
		11:00am	St. A	Late Joan Blakney	Daughter Linda
		7:00pm	St. A	Tiffany Good	Mary's Mantle Group
Mon	12	9:30am	SLOT	Late Lucie Dugas	Danny and Nicole Sullivan
Tues	13	7:00pm	St. A	Ann. Late Gerald Cameron	Elizabeth and Family
Wed	14	4:00pm	SLOT	Special Intention	Parishioner
Thurs	15	1:00pm	OLM	Janet Belliveau	Agnes Rodgers and Family
Fri	16	12:00noon	St. A	Late John Keating	Mary Chapman
Sat	17	4:00pm	St. A	Anthony LeBlanc	Joseph Nguyen
		7:00pm	OLM	Lionel Gould	Sister Jan
Sun	18	9:00am	SLOT	Late Nina Kostinuk	Laurel, Julie and Clarence
		11:00am	St. A	Late Brian Savoie	Helen, Kevin, Ryan O'Connor
		7:00pm	St. A	Late Celia Hachey	Claire Hachey



A WARM WELCOME is extended to all CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES AND THEIR SPONSORS in attendance at Saturdays liturgy as they receive a blessing from the community and enter into the final preparations for the Sacrament of Confirmation on April 18th.

On April 5th through the SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
Chimnecherem Jude Ogbonna
was welcomed into our Christian Family at St. Augustine's Church
son of Chinedu and Ijeoma



May the example of his parents, Godparents and all of us lead to a greater love of God



Heartfelt Sympathy is extended to the Families of Raymond Howard And Valerie Fagan

May they rest forever in the loving embrace of God

<u>ST. AUGUSTINE'S</u> Evening Prayer Sundays at 6:30pm prior to 7:00pm Mass If you plan on attending evening prayer please call the office to register at 857-4223



St. Augustine's Youth Group

Meet regularly on Friday evenings at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement. All youth grades 6 to 12 and young adults are welcome. Please contact Charlie at 857-4223 to register.



OF COURSE! I'm interested in supporting my parish in a steady and continuous way. In that case, please don't miss our Sunday gathering on the weekend of April 17th and 18th to discover a simple way to make your financial commitment to your parish.

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SAINT AUGUSTINE'S FAITH DEVELOPMENT MEET IN CHURCH BASEMENT

You must be pre-registered to attend faith sessions. Once registered, each family will receive an email advising what session they are scheduled for. Due to Covid19 restrictions, families are only allowed to attend the session they have been assigned to. We will not be allowed to add families to other sessions for this year. We ask that you please arrive 10 minutes prior to the start time in order to check in and be seated. Also, please note that the doors will be locked once the session has been underway for 10 minutes and entry will not be permitted after that time.



Group A Sunday, April 25th, 9:30am Group B Sunday, April 25th, 12:15pm Group C Tuesday, April 27th, 6:15pm

FIRST EUCHARIST: There will be a gathering Monday, April 12th at 6:30pm in the church basement. Pre-registration is required contact Eileen at eileen.caissie@gasmoncton.com

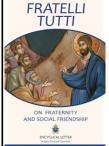
THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: Will be celebrated at St. Augustine's Sunday, April 18th at 11:00 a.m.

SAINT LAWRENCE O'TOOLE: Family Faith sessions will be held Sunday, April 25th at 10:00am.



From the Diocesan Offices of Faith Development, Liturgy and Youth Faith Development 45 York Street Trevor 857-4879 trevord.diocese@gmail.com Ellen 857-9952 ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com

Parish Catechetical Coordinators: will meet on Thursday, April 22nd at 6:00 p.m. Meetings take place at the Diocesan Offices on 45 York Street. Masks are mandatory. Please use the Dominion Street entrance.



Who is My Neighbour: Exploring Fratelli Tutti: Who is my neighbour and how can the parable of the Good Samaritan help us to examine our role in our communities? How does St. Francis of Assisi guide us in attending to the stranger and the other? How can we transform the seemingly inevitable consequences of discord and conflict?

Join Dr. Andrew Wilson, either in person or virtually on Tuesday, April 20th from 7:00-9:00 p.m. as he explores these and others question opening up for us the encyclical letter Fratelli Tutti, released by Pope Francis in October 2020. A frequent presenter for the Office of Faith Development, Andrew is associate professor of religious studies at Mount Allison University, Sackville. In person participation will take place at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Riverview, where all POPE FRANCIS COVID-19 protocols will be respected. Register with Ellen by Monday, April 19th and indicate whether you will be joining us physically or virtually.

Join the Conversation: The Office of Youth Faith Development is seeking young people aged 12-24 to join a series of virtual conversations (via Zoom) originally initiated by the CCCB and the Canadian Catholic Youth Ministry Network. These sessions are scheduled to take place on an ongoing basis beginning in May and will be an opportunity for young people across Atlantic Canada to gather and talk about issues important to them in 2021 and how we as a faith community can respond to them. All young people in this age range are welcome to join the conversation. For more information contact Trevor.

Mondays at the Movies

Everyone is invited to join our film discussion series this Easter season designed to connect popular films to our faith. On April 19th, we will meet via Zoom at 10:00 am to discuss the film The Green Mile (1999), based on the novel by Stephen King. On May 3rd, we will meet via Zoom at 6:30 pm to discuss the film Signs (2002) starring Mel Gibson. For each session, participants will have watched the film ahead of time. Contact Karen for more information and to register at or ihmccatechism@rogers.com or 387-4198. Mondays at the Movies is a collaborative effort between St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Pastoral Unit and the Archdiocese of Moncton Office of Youth Faith Development.



Exploring our Faith

"Faith is to believe what you do not see; The reward of faith is to see what you believe." (St. Augustine)

Throughout our lives, we encounter experiences that knock our sense of balance off kilter and we discover that what we believed to be unchangeable is now somewhat unstable. When unexpected loss, trauma or darkness envelops us or those we love, we sometimes question our deepest beliefs in God and in ourselves. Although varied reasons exist, few of us have managed to totally avoid these times of soul-searching crises. Our present pandemic has been such a catalyst for some. Although some people have enjoyed discovering previously untapped sources of faith enrichment, the loss of "normal" has left a void in many people's lives; leaving them unsure of how to find nourishment for their spiritual hunger. Many have told me that they feel drained; that the never-ending sense of "crisis" has depleted their inner reserves of hope and optimism, making it hard to feel God's presence in their lives.

Thinking about the many different faith altering moments of our lives made today's gospel story of Thomas relatable for me. He is often unfairly referred to as "Doubting Thomas," but I prefer how some writings refer to him as "Thomas, the Twin," for he represents all of us at those points in our faith lives when we are torn between belief and unbelief, between old beliefs and new truths; that dual nature of an evolving faith that moves between the peace we find in our assurance that God is near and the confusion of struggling with doubts and uncertainty.



Teachers of our faith have often referred to these internal struggles of faith as "dark nights of the soul," and I find comfort knowing that many great saints experienced these difficult times on their faith journey. Like Thomas, we find ourselves begging for some sort of proof or sign that our faith in God's love is legitimate and true. We may not be given the opportunity offered Thomas to physically touch the risen Christ, but sometimes allowing ourselves to be open to encountering the risen Christ can reveal God to us in new and totally unexpected ways. Recognizing these encounters help us to evolve, yet again, in our relationship of faith. As in any relationship of value, be it marriage, friendship or faith, a constant demand for proof of another's love can prevent the trust needed to recognize the love that is being offered. Being open to receiving someone's love and acceptance, often allows us to recognize the signs of its existence even when it may not resemble what we expected.

The disciples were experiencing their own "dark night of the soul," and locked the doors in fear, ashamed of their betrayals and failures and afraid of an uncertain future. Yet Jesus found a way to get past their walls and, without judgement or reprisals, offered them the gift of his peace. Unlike Thomas, Jesus never asks for *proof* of their belief or strength of faith or level of worthiness, but offers his gift of hope and light unconditionally. They had to accept the gift, however, to recognize its true worth. God seeks us into relationship regardless of our failings, even when we are unable to seek out God.

The story of Thomas and the disciples during their dark days of doubt and fear, reminds me of one my favourite songs, "Anthem" by Leonard Cohen, in which he writes "There is a crack in everything. That's how the light gets in."

Mary Joshi

OUR LADY OF MERCY



Sincere thank you for your financial support of Our Lady of Mercy. Already in 2021 and still under the Pandemic's Regulations limiting our crowds attending Masses, at the end of February, we are in a year to date surplus Revenue position of \$4,828.55 with \$3315.85 of this amount being the surplus of Revenue over Expenditures in February 2021. We are most impressed with your generosity. Mike Sullivan, LPC Chair. Our Lady of Mercy

Birthright baby bottle fundraiser - just a reminder there is a bottle as you enter the church for any loose change you may have. These funds are collected and turned over to Moncton Birthright; Sheila Gorman.



Envelopes will be found in all of the Pews for VOLUNTARY contributions to our Roof Repair Fund. If you can spare it, we would appreciate any toward this necessarv amount construction project. Mike Sullivan. LPC Chair, Our Lady of Mercy





Faith Experiments Express Learn about faith using science experiments! Designed for young people in grades 1-6, participants will be guided step by step through various fun and simple science experiments that will help them to learn more about faith and scripture. The next sessions will take place via Zoom on April 26th and May 10th at 6:30 pm. Register by contacting Karen at 387-4198 or ihmccatechism@rogers.com. Faith Experiments Express is a collaborative effort between St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Pastoral Unit and the Archdiocese of Moncton Office of Youth Faith Development.



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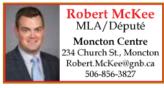












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