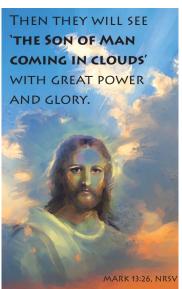
#### **ASCENSION**

Today we celebrate the truth of our creed: "he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God, the Father." We celebrate that Jesus has gone before us and opened the gates of heaven. We celebrate that we now live everyday with the hope of Heaven. Jesus is alive — in our hearts through Baptism and through the graces we receive in every Eucharist. His ascension calls us to build up his church. It points us clearly to the coming of the Spirit so that we, the Church, can become what we are supposed to be in Christ: His divine presence for all those who do not yet believe and His pardoning presence for those of us who do believe and yet fail.

His Ascension is also the start of our mission. We hear in today's Gospels: "Go into all the world and proclaim the good news to the whole creation". Pope Francis says: "Mission is giving what we have received. Mission is fulfilling God's mandate which we have listened to and on which I would like to reflect with you: "Therefore go and make disciples of all nations" (Mt 28: 19). Go. The mission demands that we leave." What does it look like to proclaim the good news? This past weekend, I taught our last class of family faith for the year. This class went in depth on Jesus' Beatitudes. One of the slides had this quote from Pope Francis: "Do not be afraid to go and to bring Christ into every area of life, to the fringes of society, even to those who seem farthest away, most indifferent." Simply put, proclaiming the good news is sharing our story about how God has worked in our lives and then going out into the world, living Jesus' teachings and example; living his beatitudes. We are called to go out and to serve others, as Jesus and his disciples did. As I mentioned to the kids in my class, it is not enough to simply live out the beatitudes, we must go and take action.



"The Risen Jesus says: "Make disciples". This is the mission. He does not say: conquer, occupy, but rather, "make disciples", that is, share with others the gift you have received, the encounter of love that has changed your life. It is the heart of the mission: bearing witness that God loves us and that with Him true love is possible, the love that leads us to give life everywhere, in the family, at work, as consecrated persons, and as spouses. Mission is to return disciples, with the new disciples of Jesus." This was part of his message that Pope Francis shared on 5th May 2018, to the members of the Neocatechumenal Way. Our mission is simple: we build Jesus' church, we become disciples, we help find other disciples. We do all this by living a life that attracts others, a life where we have the courage to serve.

Katy Mahoney



May 13, 2018 **Ascension Sunday** 



Saint Augustine's 340 Dominion Street Moncton, NB



REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE—HEURES DES MESSES

**PASTORAL MINISTRY TEAM** 

St. Augustine's: Friday—12:00 noon

**Priest-Moderator:** 

Liturgy:

**Assistant Priests part time:** 

**Justice and Solidarity:** 

Saturday—4:00 p.m.; Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Claire Hachey

Marilyn McCleary

Rev. Allison Carroll

Rev. Laurence Quin-Morris

jbm@gasmoncton.com

frlaurence@gasmoncton.com Rev. Jean Bernard (JB) Mallais

St. Lawrence O'Toole: Sunday —9:00 a.m.; dimanche—9h00

Our Lady of Mercy: Saturday 4:00 p.m.—Effective to May 26th



Saint Lawrence O'Toole 2340 Route 115 Irishtown, NB



Our Lady of Mercy 11 St. Andrews Street Pointe-du-Chêne, NB

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St. Augustine's Local Pastoral Council: staugustine.lpc@gmail.com

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00, 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Faith Development-Children: Eileen Caissie

eileen.caissie@gasmoncton.com

St. Lawrence O'Toole Cemetery: Linda Evans 389-9300

> Ray of Hope Needy Kitchen: 857-4224 **Meals served:** Monday to Friday 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

St. Vincent de Paul Society: 857-2088 Clothing Depot Regular Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 10:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m.

# Daily Readings

Monday Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; John 15:9-17

Tuesday Acts 20:17-27; John 17:1-11

Wednesday Acts 20:28-38; John 17:11-19

Thursday Acts 22:30, 23:6-11; John 17:20-26

Friday Acts 24:27, 25:13-21; John 21:15-19

Saturday Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; John 21:20-25

**Pentecost Sunday** Sunday

Acts 2:1-11, 1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13; John 20:19-23

IRISHTOWN COMMUNITY CENTRE will hold a YARD SALE Saturday, May 26th from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. To rent a table, contact Sheila at 383 -7919 or Shirley at 382-9340.

SAINT LAWRENCE O'TOOLE CHURCH will have a table at the Yard Sale and are looking for table top items and pictures. Please drop off items at the Community Centre Friday evening May 25th by 8:00 p.m.

# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY Yard Sale

Saturday, June 2nd

8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.

**New Clothing** Purses Shoes Good Quality Used Clothing Household items Books and Toys Something for everyone

All proceeds will help the needy of our community.



QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS SENIORS GROUP extends an invitation to Seniors and 🗎 Retirees for an afternoon of 🕇 socializing, board games or

SENIORS cards this Monday, May 14th p.m. to 4:00 p.m. GET-TOGETHER The elevator will be available

He was lifted up,

and a cloud took him

out of their sight.

ACTS 1:9

for this gathering which is held in the Fr. Peter McKee room in St. Augustine's Church basement. For information, contact Debbie at 384-8431.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL at St. Augustine's is calling for applications from individuals interested in the position of manager of the depot which provides good used clothing and household items to those in need. This is a part-time position requiring 21 hours a week from September to June and 14 hours a week during the summer months of July and August. Responsibilities include coordination of volunteers, maintaining inventories and basic bookkeeping duties. Qualifications include empathy for those in need and basic computer knowledge. The job also requires some heavy lifting. The deadline for applications is April 30th. Resumes can be emailed to St. Vincent de Paul President Patsy Murray at spmurray14@hotmail.com



#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Sat	12	4:00 p.m.	St. A	Late Vincent and Rita Hynes	
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Sun	13	9:00 a.m.	SLOT	Ann. Late Rheal Dupuis	M
		11:00 a.m.	St. A	Late Nancy Tozer	Ε
Fri	18	12:00noon	St.A	Late Dorothy Higgerty	
Sat	19	4:00 p.m.	St. A	Late Bazil Lund	
		4:00 p.m.	OLM	Tommy and Reg Rodgers	
Sun	20	9:00 a.m.	SLOT	Late Edward Bartlett	
		11:00 a.m.	St. A	Late Rita LeBlanc	Re

Family Muriel and Marion Nom Odette and Marc Ernie and Ann Maltby Peter Kane Madge and Family Family Don and Ann Bartlett Reg and Marcia Currie

### **LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS**

Saint Augustine's: Envelopes: \$4,627.50 (202 env): Loose: \$653.50: Candles: \$135.00: Pope's Pastoral Works: \$30.00 (2 env.); Building Fund: \$707.50 (38 env.); Easter Offering: \$20.00; Pre-Authorized: \$1,408.00 (34env.).

Saint Lawrence O'Toole: Envelopes: \$835.00 (35 env.); Loose: **\$114.80**; Spring Tea Fundraiser: \$2,433.00; Pre-Authorized: \$80.00 (5 env.).

Our Lady of Mercy: Envelopes: \$1,080.00 (38 env.); Loose \$115.95; Candles: \$53.10; Pope's Pastoral Works: \$145.00; Pre-Authorized: \$20.00 (1 env.).

> Thank you for your continued generosity!



ANNUAL BBQ at St. Lawrence O'Toole Sunday, June 3rd immediately following the 9:00 a.m. liturgy.

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY'S ANNUAL GARAGE SALE is scheduled for Saturday, May 26<sup>th</sup> There will be delicious baked goods and tables filled with gently-used and reusable items - all at amazing prices! Sale

will be at the Dan Bohan Centre (5 Fatima Dr, Riverview) on <u>Saturday,</u> May 26th from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Contact is Laura at 854-1899!





ST. AUGUSTINE'S **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE** is offering a **\$500.00 BURSARY** to a June 2018 High School graduate who is a parishioner of St Augustine's and who pursue postsecondary studies. A

copy of the criteria for this annual bursary is available at St. Augustine's Church entrance and online at gasmoncton.com. Applications will be accepted until May 27th.

The VINCE SUNDERLAND BURSARY is being offered to a St. Augustine's 2018 High School graduate. A letter of application, including acceptance letter; recent marks; future intentions; and any other pertinent information will be accepted until May 25th. Please forward applications to the parish office to the attention of St. Augustine's LPC.

The WAK (Moncton) Chapter of the Irish Canadian Cultural Association is pleased to offer three \$500 scholarships this year: the Gerry McCarthy Memorial Scholarship, the Rev. Peter McKee Memorial Scholarship and the Dan and Marie McGee Medical Science Scholarship. For details and applications, please contact irishroom@rogers.com or St. Bernard's parish office at 857-0425...



#### From the Offices of Faith Development, Liturgy and Youth Faith Development



Ellen 857- 9952 or <u>ellen.diocesemoncton@gmail.com</u>
Trevor 857-4879 or trevord.diocese@gmail.com

Deb <u>liturgymoncton@gmail.com</u>

Please note that the English offices for the Archdiocese of Moncton will be relocating to 45 York Street as of Monday, May 14th. Contact information for Deb, Ellen and Trevor will remain the same.

**PARISH CATECHETICAL COORDINATORS** meeting is scheduled for Monday, May 14th at 45 York Street. Please use the entrance on Dominion St.

WITH GRATITUDE AND THANKSGIVING: Time with David Haas—The Archdiocese of Moncton is pleased to host David Haas, well known composer of contemporary liturgical music (including: You are Mine, Blest Are They, and We Have Been Told), in concert on Friday, June 1st, 7:00 pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, 5 Fatima Drive in Riverview Admission: \$20.00 (cash only). Doors open at 6:30 pm. Please note: a collection will also be taken up for Music ministry Alive (MMA) Scholarship Fund for youth and adult music ministry formation. On Saturday, June 2nd from 9:00am – 2:00pm, David will facilitate a workshop and retreat for *Music Ministers*. This day is offered free of charge to music ministers within our diocese. Advance registration only—Deadline is May 25th. Lunch will be provided. Visit www.diomoncton.ca for registration and other information.

The Office of Faith Development will close on May 25th, 2018 and reopen on August 27, 2018



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2018 - Mark your calendars because this year's VBS will be held June 25th to 29th at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish. VBS is open to children from any parish having finished Kindergarten up to sixth grade as of June 2018. Registration will open in the next couple of weeks. The theme of this year's VBS is *Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus*. For more information contact Karen at 387-4198 or Trevor at 857-4879.

The SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION for youth from St. Augustine's and St. Lawrence O'Toole will be celebrated at St. Augustine's this Tuesday, May 15th at 7:00 p.m. Parishioners

are encouraged to attend this celebration and offer their support to these young people. Everyone is invited to a reception being held in the church basement immediately following the liturgy which is being prepared by the Catholic Women's League.

Sponsored by the Moncton Archdiocese Committee of the Charismatic Renewal, the **2018 ANNUAL PENTECOST CELEBRATION** will be held in St. Augustine's Church basement from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. on <u>Sunday, May 20th</u>. Speaker is Gerard MacDonald from Mount Stewart, PEI, a leader in his faith community and Director for the Atlantic Service Committee which serves the Charismatic Renewal in the Atlantic area. For further information, contact Roberta Brine at 386-5175.

MARCH FOR LIFE will be held in Fredericton Thursday, May 24th. Meet at Champlain Mall by Tim Horton's for car pooling—leaving at 8:00 a.m. sharp. If you can take your car or need a drive, call Charlotte at 536-5106 by May 21st.

<u>Tuesdays</u>

1:30 p.m.—St. Augustine's: **Adoration and Rosary** 

Wednesdays

7:00 p.m.—St. Augustine's: Living Word Community Prayer Group

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7:00 p.m.—St. Lawrence O'Toole: Adoration, Silence, Prayers for Vocations

Sunday, May 13th

10:00 a.m.—St. Lawrence O'Toole: Faith Development

Sunday, May 27th

10:00 a.m.—St. Lawrence O'Toole: **Faith Development** 

Tuesday, May 15th

7:00 p.m.—St. Augustine's: **Confirmation** 

Saturday, May 19th

1:30 p.m.—St. Augustine's: Sacrament of Baptism

Saturday, June 2nd

8:00 a.m.—St. Vincent de Paul Yard Sale

Sunday, June 3rd

10:00 a.m.—St. Lawrence O'Toole Church: **Annual BBQ** 

## **Pilgrimage to Lourdes**

Join Fr. Laurence and Bishop Richard Moth with the Dioceses of Arundel and Brighton in the U.K. July 23 to August 3

Staying at the 3-star Hotel de l'Europe with Fr. Laurence as Chaplain

- Daily mass
- Group procession
- \* VisitSacredBathsofLourdes and Grotto
- Stations of the Cross on the hill
- \* Free time and sightseeing

Prices from Moncton:

Double occupancy \$2813.40 CAD Single occupancy \$3205.40 CAD Quoted cost includes

- return airfare fromMoncton
- hotel accommodations
- three meals aday
- four excursions
- all taxes, transfers, tips
- and activities related to the pilgrimage

Contact

Tiffany Good, the Pilgrimage Coordinator to reserve your tour today at 506-863-3427 or goodtiffany@hotmail.com

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS TUESDAY** 

