



# ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH

ST. MICHAEL'S BASILICA ~ ST. MARGARET'S ~ ST. MICHAEL'S BY THE SEA

EGLISE DE L'ASCENSION

May 11, 2024

The Ascension of the Lord

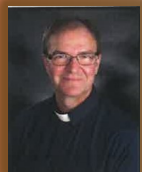


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*Rev. John Beaumaster*    *Rev. David Rioux*



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## Parish Office Hours

**Monday** 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Tuesday (closed)**

**Wednesday & Thursday** 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Friday** 9:00 a. m to 4:00 p.m.

## St. Michael The Archangel Parish

### ST. MICHAEL'S BASILICA

SATURDAY 4:00 PM

SUNDAY 10:30 A.M. & 5:30 P.M.

MONDAY TO FRIDAY 9:00 A.M.

THURSDAY 4:00 PM (FRENCH MASS)

### ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH

SATURDAY 6:00 P.M.

### ST. MICHAEL'S BY THE SEA

SUNDAY 11:00 A.M.

### BAPTISM & MARRIAGE

Please call the Parish Office

778-5150

### CONFESSION

Every Saturday at 3:00 P.M.

(BEFORE THE 4PM MASS)

& First Friday of the month after

9:00 A. M. Mass

### RESPONSIBLE MINISTRY

Patricia Lee

506-627-6465

### RELIGIOUS COORDINATOR

Renee Comeau

778-5153

*Mothers hold our hands for a little while...  
but they hold our hearts forever!*



All-loving God,  
we give you thanks for  
mothers young and old.  
We pray for all mothers of  
every kind. Those who  
have loved us and helped  
shape us with  
motherly care and  
compassion.  
We remember mothers,  
grandmothers and  
great-grandmothers  
who are no longer with us,  
but whose love  
is in our memory forever.  
Amen



### CANDLE LIGHTING : You are

welcome to light a candle in

the Church. If the door is

locked, please come to the office

**FAÇADE LIGHTING** : Announce your  
special milestone on the Bulletin,  
with a donation of \$50.00.



Saint Michael's Museum &

Genealogical Centre,

Saint Michael's Catholic Supplies &

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**Telephone: 778-5152**

**Website**

www.saintmichaelsmuseum.ca

**Hours**

**10 am—4 pm**

**Tuesday—Saturday**



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or contact any member

† St. Michael's Basilica Mass Intentions \* Please Note: There will be no daily Mass from May 13-17, 2024. Priest are on Retreat.

MAY 11	SATURDAY	4:00 p.m.	Mona Phelan; Patricia Gibson; Wally Jimmo; Edward (A) & Katherine Phee; Catherine Connors Lahey; Mary Agnes Mann Lahey; Mary Lahey Tozer; Patricia Lahey; Michael McCluskey; Paul MacLean; Jenna Handrahan; Pat & Paul Chiasson; Theresa Young; Raymond Trevors; Mary Savoy	<b>LECTORS</b> <b>ST. MICHAEL'S BASILICA</b> <b>MAY 18 4:00 PM</b> <b>1ST READING:</b> Joni Craig <b>2ND READING:</b> Dorine McCarthy  <b>MAY 19 10:30 AM</b> <b>1ST READING:</b> Robyn King <b>2ND READING:</b> Ally Roy  <b>MAY 19 5:30 p.m.</b> Judy Losier  <b>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF COMMUNION</b>  <b>MAY 18 4:00 P. M.</b> Lorraine Gray; Margie Whalen; Jessica Young <b>MAY 19 10:30 A.M.</b> Barb McLaughlin; George Springer; Joanne Isiah <b>MAY19 5:30 P.M.</b> Mary Keating
MAY 12	SUNDAY	10:30 a.m.	Alice Fleiger; Albert & Carroll Hickey; Harold Edwin Adams & Dolores (Deredin) Adams McDermaid	
MAY 12	SUNDAY	5:30 p.m.	For the People	
MAY 13	MONDAY	9:00 a.m.	No Mass	
MAY 14	TUESDAY	9:00 a. m.	No Mass	
MAY 15	WEDNESDAY	9:00 a. m.	No Mass	
MAY 16	THURSDAY	9:00 a.m.	No Mass	
MAY 17	FRIDAY	9:00 a.m.	No Mass	
MAY 18	SATURDAY	4:00 p.m.	Albert Schofield; Michael, Genevieve, Pat Gorman; Thomas Conroy; Tom , Jean Olsen & DFM; Roy Matheson; Brian & Rick Theriault; Theresa Young; Lloyd Wormell; Michael McCluskey; Raymond Trevors; Pat, Anna & Darlene McGrath; Emma & Herman Skidd; Jule LeBelle	
MAY 19	SUNDAY	10:30 a.m.	Bradley Brawn (A); Albert & Joseph Muir; Charlene Rutter (A); Clifford Carter	
MAY 19	SUNDAY	5:30 p.m.	For the People	

† ST. MARGARET'S MASS INTENTIONS

MAY 11	SATURDAY	6:00 p.m.	Kenneth Cook; William Dunn
MAY 18	SATURDAY	6:00 p.m.	Clara Bransfield

† ST. MICHAELS BY THE SEA MASS INTENTIONS

PLEASE NOTE: STARTING ON MAY 18, 2024 MASS AT ST. MICHAEL'S BY THE SEA, WILL NOW BE EVERY SATURDAY, AT 4:00 P.M.

MAY 12	SUNDAY	11:00 a.m.	Byron Eastwood; Rita Richard & Ricky Hallihan; Mary Walsh
MAY 18	SATURDAY	4:00 p.m.	David LeBreton; Sharon O'Brien

Collections for May 4th & 5th ,2024

<b>ST. MICHAEL'S BASILICA</b>		
OFFERTORY: \$ 5374.00	CAPITAL CAMPAIGN: \$ 80.00	CEMETERY: \$ 220.00
RENOVATION: \$ 1816.00	TREE OF HONOR \$ 175.00	

<b>ST. ANDREW'S</b>
Cemetery: \$ 125.00

<b>St. Michael the Archangel Parish</b>
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL \$ 157.00
PAPAL WORKS \$ 615.00

<b>ST. MARGARET'S</b>
OFFERTORY \$ 328.50
RENOVATION \$ 35.00

<b>ST. MICHAELS BY THE SEA</b>	
OFFERTORY: \$ 656.25	CEMETERY \$ 45.00
RENOVATION \$ 20.00	

<b>LECTORS</b>
<b>ST. MARGARET'S</b>
<b>MAY 11</b> Joey Cook
<b>May 18</b> Maura Flynn
<b>BAYSIDE</b>
<b>MAY 12</b> Doris Guimond
<b>May 19</b> Helen Land

*In your prayers, please remember those who are suffering, and those who have passed: especially ~ Linda Blakley ~ Albert Schofield*



Thank You, Heavenly Father, that You loved me so much that You sent Your Son to die for me. And thank You, Lord Jesus, for Your immeasurable love towards me. I pray that I may I keep Your commands and remain in Your love, every moment of the day, just as You kept Your Father's commands and remained in His love. In Jesus' name I pray, AMEN.

**"As the Father hath loved me, so have I loved you: continue ye in my love."**

## PARISH NEWS

### **CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE UPDATE**

Goal..... \$ 1,000,000.00  
Donations/Pledges ..... \$ 856,167.39  
Percent of Goal Reached ...85.61%



### **K OF C FATHER B.M. BRODERICK COUNCIL 1219**

**4TH DEGREE** Meeting 1st Monday of the Month

**REGULAR** Meeting 3rd Monday of the Month

**EXECUTIVE** Meeting 2nd Monday of the Month

(Meetings are held at 7:00 p. m.)

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHATHAM BINGO:** Sunday at 7:00 pm.

Doors open at 5:15 pm.

**K OF C BREAKFAST** is the 1st Sunday of each month.



### **ST. MICHAEL'S BASILICA CWL BURSARY**

St. Michael's Basilica Catholic Women's League is offering a Bursary of \$300.00. Catholic students who will be entering a Post-secondary education program may apply. Application Forms are available on the James M. Hill Memorial High School Webpage. Please send your completed application to St. Michael's Parish Office **by May 15th**: email: [office@saintmichaels.ca](mailto:office@saintmichaels.ca) / 10 Howard St., Miramichi, NB E1N 0C4 (Note: The Application Form advises you of what information is required.)

### **ST MICHAEL'S BASILICA CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE IS INVITING CWL**

Members and other Parishioners to donate a *gift for new babies*. Your gifts will be presented to the Miramichi Regional Hospital, to be distributed as needed. (Please note: The Hospital cannot accept "Baby Formula".)

**St. Michael's Basilica—St. Vincent De Paul Committee:** The committee extends grateful appreciation, for all the donations received. At this time, **they are not able to take any further donations until the Fall of the year**. Sincere thanks for all the hard work, and dedication received from our volunteers and public assistance to help our community.

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear Parishisher's , as I prepare for my retirement I would like to share my story. I would like to present it in a spiritual sense. I would like to offer this **May 19-20 from 7-8 or 8:30**. All are welcome there will be a free will offering on Monday night to help send our young people to a conference In Halifax this summer. Hope to see you in the main Church . **FATHER DAN BASTARACHE**

JOURNEY  
OF  
Faith



**DRAW MAY 5TH , 2024**  
**NO WINNER # 1539 DID NOT PLAY**  
**\$ 466.00 WILL ROLL OVER**

**DON'T FORGET TO PLAY YOUR TOONIES !!!!!!!!**

## PARISH NEWS CONT

**St. Margarets Church: 50/50 Draw.** Now selling envelopes for \$10.00 each on the May Draw to be held, June 1st, 2024. Prize will be \$450.00 or more. Please contact Maura Flynn 506-773-5781 or Norman Hay 506-773-5860 for tickets. Thank you for your support.

## REGIONAL NEWS

**Cursillo News:** Have you ever desired an Encounter with Jesus? The opportunity is happening May 23rd to May 26th, 2024 for the Men. May 30th to June 2nd , 2024 for Women. If interested, please feel free to contact: **Donna Wade-506-622-8433; Bill Martin- 506-627-6702.**

## WEEKLY EXPOSITION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT:

### **ST. MARGUERITE BOURGEOYS PARISH**

St. Mary's, the First Saturday at 9:00 am

St. Samuel's, Miramichi: Last Sunday at 4:00 pm

Sts. Peter & Paul, Bartibog Bridge: Fridays at 9:00 am

### **FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY:**

### **ST. MARY'S CHURCH (ST. MARGUERITE BOURGEOYS PARISH)**

9:30 am Mass (with rosary at 9:00 am), **Holy Hour**, the First Friday of the month at 11:00 am

**DIVINE MERCY, ROSARY, AND BENEDICTION** will take place at St. Samuel's, Douglastown, the last Sunday of each month at 4:00 pm, followed by Mass at 5:30 pm.

### **SATURDAY, MAY 18<sup>TH</sup>, BEAVERBROOK KIN CENTRE**, major fundraiser for MVHS

Drama Club going to Scotland this summer. 12noon to 6pm featuring, indoor BBQ, Half/Half, tickets on a painting, bake sale, music by many local artist from 2pm to 6pm. Donation at the door. We need baked items and if you can donate something , please give Susan Butler a call at 506-622-1780.

### **SUNDAY, MAY 26<sup>TH</sup>, UNITED CHURCH CENTRE**, 556 King George Hwy. Canadian

Fiddle Champion Scott Woods & Mult-Talented Band, award winning step dancer, humour, family – friendly show at 7pm. Tickets \$45.00 each on sale at Brookdale Flower Shop or on line at [www.scottwoods.ca](http://www.scottwoods.ca) . Hosted by the Miramichi Folksong Festival . For further info call Susan at 506-622-1780

**FREE: HELPING HANDS—**, feeding Chatham's needy, one person at a time, light breakfast served at 67 King Street, open 10 to 11am, volunteers welcome

### **PLEASE JOIN US AT THE SPRING FLING!** On Sunday, May 26th from 1:30

to 3 pm there will be live, local entertainment at **Sts. Peter & Paul Church**. Dessert, tea and coffee will be available throughout the afternoon in the **Father Morrissey Centre** from 1:30 to 4 pm. Everyone is welcome. Admission is a freewill offering.

### **HIKE FOR VONDY HOUSE, HOSPICE MIRAMICHI**

506-773-7607

[events@hospicemiramichi.com](mailto:events@hospicemiramichi.com)

**Sunday May 26, 2024**

**1:30pm**

1k or 2.5k walk or run

**Miramichi Cross Country Ski  
Club**

**131 Nelson St, Miramichi, NB**  
Supported by MCCSC and  
the Owls Rest Disc Golf Club

**WALK FOR LIFE :** will take place  
on Saturday, June 1st, 2024.

Beginning at the Lord  
Beaverbrook Arena at 19 am,  
and the walk will begin at 11  
am. BBQ lunch will be served  
(donation only) If the weather is  
uncomfortable, we will gather  
indoors for lunch at St. Mary's  
Anglican Church basement. Any  
questions , comments or  
concerns please contact us at  
the Miramichi Right to Life.

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Tickets on sale from  
May 2024

[www.canadasirishfest.ca](http://www.canadasirishfest.ca) or

1745 Water Street, Miramichi.

Phone: (506)778-8810



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## Kindertots Children's Centre Inc.

122 Hutchison Drive  
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[www.kindertots.ca](http://www.kindertots.ca)  
Tel: 778-3936



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**STEUDEVILLE ATLANTIC 2024 YOUTH CONFERENCE** — Youth aged 14-18 are invited to participate in this event  
held at Saint Mary's University in Halifax, NS from July 5-7. If you are between 18 and 21, you can attend as a  
peer leader. Before registering please talk to your parish priest or RE coordinator about registration. Confer-  
ence information can be found on the Archdiocese of Halifax-Yarmouth website under Steubenville Atlantic.  
Transportation to NS is included in the registration fee of \$300.00. Pick up locations will be from Fredericton,  
Saint John, and Moncton. For more information please contact Patricia Lee at [catech-esis@dioceseofsaintjohn.org](mailto:catech-esis@dioceseofsaintjohn.org) or 506-627-6465.

**Société Alzheimer Society New Brunswick:** The New Brunswick Alzheimer Society is now offering in-person  
support for family members and friends of people living with Alzheimer's disease or other forms of dementia.  
Caregiver support Network is a safe and inclusive peer support group where family member and friends of  
people living with dementia can come together to share and learn. Caregiver support networks are a chance to  
connect with others who "get it". Sessions will be held in the **Adult Day Centre, Losier Hall**, 515 Water St. Mira-  
michi NB, E1V 0K4, held on the **first Tuesday of every month**, from **6:30 pm to 8:30 pm**. Questions, call 506-  
773-4214 or email at [NHWWMiramichi@shannex.com](mailto:NHWWMiramichi@shannex.com).