

# Saint Michael

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## THE ARCHANGEL PARISH

**Saint Michael's Basilica**  
12 Howard Street, Miramichi

**Saint Michael's by-the-Sea**  
7321 NB-117, Bay du Vin

**Saint Margaret's Church**  
9371 NB-134, Saint Margarets



*The Sower, by James Tissot*

**“The seed is the Word of God, Christ is the Word.  
All who come to Him shall live for ever.”**(Gospel Acclamation)

This Lord's Day Word compares the Kingdom of God to the mustard seed (Mark 4:26-35). The seed figures in Christ's teaching disciples who ask, 'increase our faith' (Luke 17:5-10). "If you have faith like a grain of mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move, and nothing will be impossible for you" (Matthew 17:14-20).

G. K. Chesterton's poem *The Holy of Holies* asks, 'what is in the heart of the smallest of seeds?'

'God Almighty, and with Him  
Cherubim and Seraphim,  
Filling all eternity—  
*Adonai Elohim.*'

Our recent Solemnity of Corpus Christi celebrated the Mystery that the tiniest grain of consecrated bread becomes the whole Body of Christ, and each person in Holy Communion receives the whole Body of Christ.

Psalm 92 tells us how to receive and realize the potential of this Grace that Christ offers us, to build up the Kingdom of God, with nothing impossible for us. If we faithfully nurture within ourselves the seed, the Word of God, 'the righteous shall flourish, in the courts of our God.'

**Parish Office:**  
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**Hours:**  
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**Lord's Day Mass Times:** St. Michael's Basilica: Saturday 4PM, Sunday 10:30AM & 5:30PM | St Margaret's Church: Saturday 6PM | St Michael's By-the-Sea: Saturday 4PM

**Daily Mass Times:** St. Michael's Basilica: 9AM Monday-Friday ; 4PM jeudi messe en français

**Eucharistic Adoration:** 9:30AM First Fridays

**Confessions:** St. Michael's Basilica: 3PM Saturday

# Weekly Mass and Prayer Intentions

## Saint Michael's Basilica

Saturday June 15	4PM	Colleen Sullivan, John Lordon, Adelyn Robichaud, Thomas Lahey, Patrick Lahey, Raymond Lahey, David Lahey, Michael Rutter, Thomas Rutter, Danny Laviolette, Thomas Conroy, Michael Keoughan, Martin and Ida Keoughan, Linda Blakely, Theresa Young, John Hackett, Frank Cox, Keith Cox, Leo Coombs, Marcia Schofield, Stephen Trevors
Fourth Sunday after Pentecost ; 11 <sup>th</sup> Sunday OT		
Sunday June 16	10:30AM	Colin Fleiger, John Johnson, Christine Smith, Margaret Brown, Charles Spray
	5:30PM	<i>Pro Populo</i> - for the People
Monday June 17	9AM	Llyod Wormell; Special Intention
Tuesday June 18	9AM	Barbara Brown, Joyce Fitzpatrick
Wednesday June 19	9AM	George Hickey, George & Viola Chaney, Blair & Keith Chaney &DFM; Gordon Allison, Paul Green, Joan Losier
Thursday June 20	9AM	Gordon Allison; Special Intention
	4PM	
	Messe	
	français	
Friday June 21 <i>Memorial: Saint Aloysius Gonzaga</i>	9AM	Colleen Sullivan
Saturday June 22	4PM	Frank Despres, William Cook, Paula MacDonald, Mary & Helen Keoughan, Linda Blakely, Barbara Brown, Alice Coombs, Patricia Coombs, Theresa Devereaux, Adelyn Robichaud, Colleen Sullivan, Owen Murdock, Joan Losier, Michael McCluskey, Connie Comeau, Laurie Keoughan, Les Glazier, Rhoda Flood
Fifth Sunday after Pentecost ; 12 <sup>th</sup> Sunday OT		
Sunday June 23	10:30AM	Sean Thibodeau, Olin Adams, Marilyn Goguen, Deb Young & DFM
	5:30PM	<i>Pro Populo</i> - for the People

## Saint Michael's By-the-Sea

Saturday June 15	4PM	Gene Walsh; Louise Bransfield
Saturday June 22	4PM	Lisa Glazier

## Saint Margaret's Church

Saturday June 15	6PM	David Cook; Mass of Thanksgiving
Saturday June 22	6PM	David Cook

*Please remember in your prayers:* Adelyn Robichaud, Gerald Cameron, Colleen Sullivan

**A Father's Day Prayer:** God our Father, we praise You and bless You for the life You have given us through Your saving love, revealed in Jesus Your Son. Through Christ You have revealed Yourself as a loving Father who provides for us all. Look with love upon our fathers and bless them with Your love. Deepen their love for their wives and families, and make us one in love with all Your holy people as we proclaim Your mighty deeds and sing Your praises. We offer You praise and glory, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Readings:** Ezekiel 17:22-24 ; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 ; Mark 4:26-35

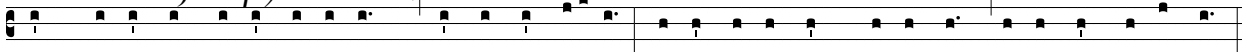
**Psalm:** 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 **R:** 2 Lord, it is good to give thanks to You.

**Entrance Antiphon:** Psalm 30



O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to you; be my help. Do not a-ban-don or for-sake me, O God, my Sav-iour.

**Communion Antiphon:** Psalm 26



There is one thing I ask of the Lord, \* on-ly this do I seek ; to live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

# Parish News

**The Bulletin** is changing format, as we are in the process of changing parish office staff. Our thanks to Mary Roy's long service in compiling the parish bulletin. We will try to serve as well, please be patient!

**Prayerful Preparation for the Jubilee Year 2025.** A Jubilee Year is a joyful time of grace, conversion, and pardon (see Leviticus 25). The Catholic Church celebrates a Jubilee Year every 25 years. The theme of 2025's Jubilee is Pilgrims of Hope, for 'Hope does not disappoint' (Romans 5:5). A pilgrimage to Rome may not be possible for everyone, but for the faithful in our diocese, the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception has been designated as a place of pilgrimage for the Jubilee Year 2025.

**Pope Francis has asked all Catholic faithful to prepare for the upcoming Jubilee Year with prayer,** in particular for Christian unity and peace.

The Canadian Bishops are offering a number of reflections on prayer, to aid in our preparations:

The 'Our Father' as a programme of Life, in a great symphony of prayer: [cccb.ca/ourfather](http://cccb.ca/ourfather)

The meaning of the four Constitutions of Vatican II for the life of the Church today: [cccb.ca/vatican2](http://cccb.ca/vatican2)

**Weekly Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament:** Fridays at 9AM at Sts. Peter & Paul (Bartibog Bridge), First Fridays following the 9AM Mass at Saint Michael's Basilica, First Saturdays at 9AM at St. Mary's Church, and Last Sunday at 4PM at St. Samuel's Church.

**Divine Mercy, Rosary, and Benediction** at St. Samuel's, Last Sundays of each month at 4PM followed by Mass at 5:30PM.

**Mass of Thanksgiving Friday July 5 6:30PM at St. Patrick's Church** (Nelson), with Fr. Leon Creamer commemorating his recent 65<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Priestly Ordination, and his upcoming 90<sup>th</sup> birthday. Reception to follow in the parish centre following the Mass. All are welcome!

**Annual Shrine Mass July 14 3PM at Our Lady of Mound Carmel Church,** Howard, NB.

**Marriage Encounter Weekend September 27-29** at the Villa Madonna Retreat Center in Rothesay NB. Uncover the secrets to a lasting, supportive, transformational marriage. For more information contact call 506-451-8489 or email [ron.joanne.arsenault@wwme.org](mailto:ron.joanne.arsenault@wwme.org).

## **Yard Sale Fundraisers:**

**Saturday June 22 8AM-12 Noon in the St. Paul's Anglican Church hall** (Bushville).

**Monday July 1 8AM-12 Noon at St. Mary's Church** 360 Newcastle Blvd. Miramichi.

Come out for a morning of treasure hunting, and stay for the BBQ and strawberry shortcake at 10AM!

**Saturday July 6 at St. Michael's by-the-Sea Church hall,** you can donate items before/after 4PM Saturday Masses.

**June 30 is the last day to buy tickets for the St. Michael's Capital Campaign committee's July fundraiser.** Each day in July will have a winner. Tickets are \$20 each or 3 for \$50, available at the parish office or the museum & book shop.

**Cold Plate Take-out Sunday August 4 2-4PM at Our Lady of the Annunciation Church,** Doaktown. Please order by Friday July 26 by contacting Good Shepherd Parish, 506-843-2210 or [goodshepherdparish92@yahoo.com](mailto:goodshepherdparish92@yahoo.com). Gluten-free option available. \$15/ adult, \$8/children.

**Pot of Gold 50/50** June 10 Draw \$234 winner #2415 Marilyn McCoombs. Drop a toonie marked with your number into one of the yellow boxes at St. Michael's Basilica, Chatham Superstore, or Kingston's Gas Bar for a chance to win. Email [potofgold5050@gmail.com](mailto:potofgold5050@gmail.com) or call 506-623-9056 to get your number.

**St. Margaret's 50/50** May Draw \$500 winning # 352494 Rhoda Conroy. Draws will resume in the Fall. Thank you for your continued support.

<b>June 8-9 Collection for Saint Michael the Archangel Parish</b>	<b>St. Michael's By-the-Sea</b>	<b>St. Margaret's</b>	
Regular	\$6402	\$587	\$315
Renovation	\$130	\$30	
Capital Campaign	\$125		
St. Vincent de Paul ministry	\$202		
Cemeteries	\$305	\$20	\$225
Cathedral Restoration	\$100		





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Community breakfasts - first Sunday of each month, 9AM-11AM  
Fundraising Bingo - Sundays at 7PM, doors open at 5PM  
Senior Dances - Saturdays at 8PM, doors open at 6:30PM  
**Get your tickets early -  
Canada Day Dinner & Dance June 29th**  
Call 506-773-7225



## Catholic Women's League of Canada

Saint Michael's Basilica

The CWL is inviting members and parishioners to donate a gift for new babies. Your gifts will be presented to the Miramichi Regional Hospital, to be distributed as needed.


## Saint Vincent De Paul

Saint Michael's Basilica

*Clothing for those in need, from community donations*

The Saint Vincent de Paul clothing ministry is open to those in need, Saturdays from 9AM-12PM, in the Saint Michael's Basilica Parish Centre.

Sincere thanks for all the hard work, and dedication received from our volunteers and public assistance to help our community.




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For upcoming community events & fundraising, visit this link:  
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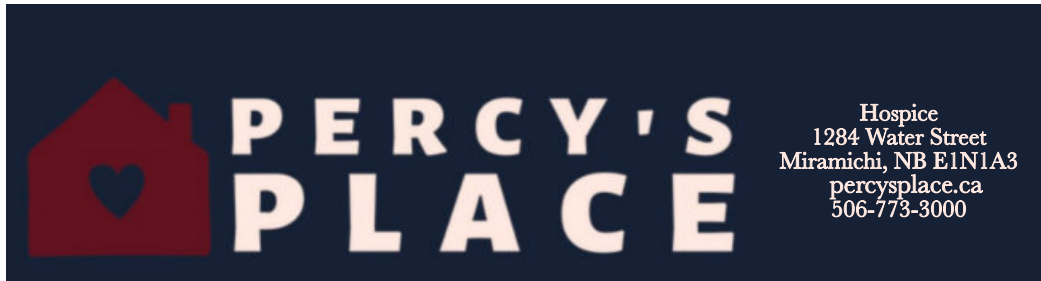


**Kindertots Children's Centre Inc.**  
122 Hutchison Drive  
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**Miramichi Irish Festival July 19-21, 2024.**  
Tickets on sale now. 1745 Water Street 506-778-8810

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