

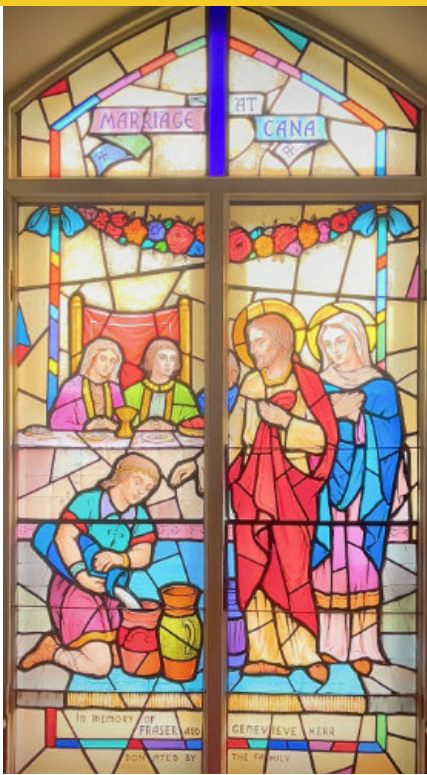
Saint Michael

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Bulletin for October 6, 2024

Saint Michael the Archangel Basilica 12 Howard Street, Miramichi
Saint Michael's by-the-Sea 7321 NB-117, Miramichi Bay
Saint Margaret's Church 9371 NB-11, Saint Margarets



Marriage at Cana - Stained Glass in the Bishop Rogers' Chapel of Saint Michael the Archangel Basilica.

‘On the threshold of His public life Jesus performs His first sign - at his mother's request - during a wedding feast. The Church attaches great importance to Jesus' presence at the wedding at Cana. She sees in it the confirmation of the goodness of marriage and the proclamation that thenceforth marriage will be an efficacious sign of Christ's presence.’
(*Catechism of the Catholic Church* § 1613)

Marriage in God's Plan

“Sacred Scripture begins with the creation of man and woman in the image and likeness of God and concludes with a vision of ‘the wedding-feast of the Lamb...’
‘The intimate community of life and love which constitutes the married state has been established by the Creator and endowed by Him with its own proper laws.... God Himself is the author of marriage.’
The vocation to marriage is written in the very nature of man and woman as they came from the hand of the Creator. Marriage is not a purely human institution despite the many variations it may have undergone through the centuries in different cultures, social structures, and spiritual attitudes. These differences should not cause us to forget its common and permanent characteristics. Although the dignity of this institution is not transparent everywhere with the same clarity, some sense of the greatness of the matrimonial union exists in all cultures.
‘*The well-being of the individual person and of both human and Christian society is closely bound up with the healthy state of family life.*’
Holy Scripture affirms that man and woman were created for one another: ‘It is not good that the man should be alone.’ The woman, ‘flesh of his flesh,’ his counterpart, his equal, his nearest in all things, is given to him by God as a ‘helpmate’; she thus represents God from whom comes our help. ‘Therefore a man leaves his father and his mother and cleaves to his wife, and they become one flesh.’” (CCC §§ 1602-1617).

Parish Office:
10 Howard Street, Miramichi, New Brunswick, E1NoC4

Hours:
Monday to Thursday, 8am-4pm

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Lord's Day Mass Times: St. Michael's Basilica:
Saturday 4pm, Sunday 10:30am & 5:30pm
St Michael's By-the-Sea: Saturday 4pm
St Margaret's Church: Saturday 6pm

Daily Mass Times: St. Michael's Basilica:
9am Monday - Friday ; 4pm jeudi la Messe française

Eucharistic Adoration: 9:30am First Fridays
Confessions: St. Michael's Basilica: 3pm Saturdays

Weekly Mass and Prayer Intentions

Saint Michael's Basilica

Saturday October 5	4pm	Rita LeBlanc, Harriet Malinowski, Sarah Theresa Scoretz, Patricia Stewart, Stella Matthews, Betty Ann Laurin, Debbie Young, Marilyn Goguen, Adelyn Robichaud, Clive Galimore, Argentine Richard, William & Mae Kitchen, Katherine Phee, Jack Barry, Eldon & Ella Comeau, Sonny & Mary Joyce Ramsay, Frank & Catherine Cool, and Bill, Pat, & Anna McGrath
Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost ; 27 th Sunday OT		
Sunday October 6	10:30am	Albert Schofield, Betty McCafferty, and Martin & Clara Moran
	5:30pm	<i>Pro Populo</i> - for the People
Monday October 7 <i>Memorial - Our Lady of the Rosary</i>	9am	Christopher Sonier, and for the holy souls in purgatory
Tuesday October 8	9am	
Wednesday October 9	9am	
Thursday October 10	9am	
	4pm	<i>la Messe française</i>
Friday October 11	9am	
Saturday October 12	4pm	Steve O'Donnell, Donald Scoretz, Dorothy Vautour, Joan Losier, Michael McCluskey, Edward 'Buddy' Hogan, Ian McLaughlin, Wayne Fitzpatrick, Alma Robinson, Lucy Gallant, Irene McLeod, Adelyn Robichaud, Argentine Richard, Jack Barry, Edward Leggatt, Mary Agnes & Patrick Lahey, Mary Ellen & John Jackson, Raymond & Patricia Lahey, John & Pam Richard, and for peace in Ukraine.
Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost ; 28 th Sunday OT		
Sunday October 13	10:30am	Wayne Vautour, Jack & Kevin Connell, and Norma & Art Theriault
	5:30pm	<i>Pro Populo</i> - for the People

Saint Michael's By-the-Sea

Saturday October 5	4pm	Emerson Schofield, Rita & Xavier Richard, and Byron Eastwood
Saturday October 12	4pm	Paul & Cassie Lloyd & Paula McIntyre, and Ricky & Mike Hallihan

Saint Margaret's Church

Saturday September 5	6pm	Annie and Alexis Flynn and deceased family members
Saturday October 12	6pm	Lee & Stella, and Dale McIntyre, and Tommy & Gerry Flynn

Please pray for: Our Diocesan clergy, in their upcoming study days at the Villa Madonna Retreat Centre. Let us pray for wellbeing for Philip Jardine.

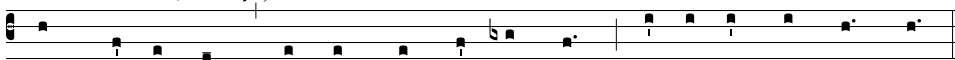
And, let us pray for the repose of the souls of Father Kevin Barry, Robert Theriault, and Patrick O'Donnell, son of the late Pat O'Donnell.

Readings: Genesis 2:7-14; Hebrews 2:9-11; Gospel of Mark 10:2-16

Psalm: 128 R:5 *May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.*

Entrance Antiphon: from Esther 4. Within Your will, O Lord, all things are established and there is none that can resist Your will. For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth, and all that is held within the circle of heaven; You are the Lord of all.

Communion Antiphon: from Lamentations 3



The Lord is good * to those who hope in Him, * to the soul that seeks Him.

Parish News

Weekly Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament:

Fridays at 9am at Sts. Peter & Paul (Bartibog),
First Fridays following the 9am Mass at Saint Michael's Basilica,
First Saturdays at 9am at St. Mary's Church, and Last Sundays 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.

LIFE CHAIN pro-life witness in an hour of silent prayer Sunday October 6 2pm, at the corner of King George Highway and Kingsway Avenue, in Newcastle, Miramichi. Along with hundreds of other sites across Canada, we will form a "Life Chain." Everyone is welcome to peacefully, publicly, and safely call upon our community to protect human life. For further information please contact: miramichirighttolife@gmail.com

Prayer for the sanctity of life every Wednesday 2-3pm at St. Michael's By-the-Sea.

October 7 World Rosary Day - In this month of the Holy Rosary, Pope Francis is calling on all people of good will in a day of prayer for the 2025 Holy Year. Pope Francis is also calling for October 7 to be a day of prayer and fasting, for peace.

Parish Office Hours Change - As of October, our Parish Office will be open to serve **Monday to Thursday 8am-4pm.**

Join our weekly Parish Prayer Group 1pm Tuesdays, and **Bible Study 1pm Thursdays**, in our parish centre. These one-hour sessions will interactively discuss aspects of prayer as found in the Judeo-Christian Tradition, in this year of prayer leading up to the 2025 Jubilee Year. Or, **form your faith at home** through our **free parish subscription to FORMED**: bit.ly/SMA-Formed

Celebration of 75 Cursillo Weekends Saturday, October 19 10:30am to 2:30pm (note time change) Mass, Potluck, Music.... Bring a fellow Cursillista and your dish, to St. Michael's Parish Centre.

Good Shepherd Parish Fall Supper Sunday October 6, 3-6pm, at St. Bridget's Church in Renous. Turkey with all the trimmings, eat in or take out. Price is adult \$16, children under 12 \$10, family of four 2 adults, 2 children \$45, any children after that under the age of 12 is \$5.

Paroisse de l'Ascension Fall Supper Sunday October 27 1-5pm. Turkey supper with all the trimmings, dine-in or take-out, \$18.

Saint Margaret's Church 50/50 - now selling envelopes for \$10 each for a draw to be held October 26, 2024. Prize will be \$400 or more. Contact Maura Flynn 506-773-5781 or Norma Hay 506-773-5860 . Thank you for your support.

Pot of Gold 50/50 anyone renewing or registering between September 15 and October 15 and pays for a year of play (\$104) will be entered into a draw to play free for a year. Register or renew at the yellow boxes at the church entryways or in the parish office.

September 28/9 collection for Saint Michael the Archangel Parish		St. Michael's By-the-Sea	St. Margaret's
Regular	\$5467	\$550	\$285
Renovation	\$20		
Capital Campaign	\$125		
St. Vincent de Paul ministry	\$237		
Needs of the Canadian Church	\$926		
Cemeteries	Basilica \$255	St. Andrew's \$115	\$220



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Community breakfast - first Sunday of each month, all welcome!
Join us for breakfast this Sunday October 6 8am-Noon!
Fundraising Bingo - Sundays at 7pm, doors open at 5pm
Senior Dances - Saturdays at 8pm, doors open at 6:30pm
Call 506-773-7225 for information or to join in service, in fraternity and charity!



Catholic Women's League of Canada

Saint Michael's Council


Canada Needs Our Lady Rosary Rally -Saturday, October 12th @ 12 Noon at Saint Michael's Basilica. We are praying for Canada's needs. This Annual Rosary Rally celebrates the Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima Miracle October 13, 1917. We will be part of hundreds of cities across Canada participating in this same anniversary. For further information please call 506-424-1332.

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-Noon**, in the Saint Michael's Basilica Parish Centre.



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