Parish of Richmond e-News

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RICHMOND THIS SUNDAY

 Communion at St Mark's (9:00) & St John's (11:00); Morning Prayer at Holy Trinity (9:00)

This coming week's birthdays: Katee Fox, Brandon Kennedy, Shelley Parkinson, Gail Bœhler, Robert Parkinson

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOOD BANK WHEN YOU SHOP Next deliveries: Holy Trinity (15 June); St John's (22 June); St Mark's (29 June)

Vestry meets tonight at the Parish Centre, 7 pm. Open to all.

Accountability One of the themes of Bishop Edwards' tenure is to be the accountability of leaders. He has taken the lead by undergoing a "probationary" review after his first six months in office. Watch for its appearance on the diocesan website. Further reviews will be conducted annually. All will be published.

The Bishop's Pilgrimage has reached the St Stephen area. Every evening the bishop posts interesting meditations on the day and photographs. He finds he is learning important things about Anglicanism in NB and is grateful for the obvious enthusiasm his walk has generated:

http://anglican.nb.ca/wp/pilgrimage/2015/06/10/day-11/

Pilgrims from the parish of Richmond joined the bishop and his companion, Trevor Fotheringham, on Monday. The walk was pleasant, weather ideal, insects not bad at all. Meeting the local people at the reception at the Elmsville parish hall at its conclusion was wonderful. When it comes to community service this this small, rather elderly congregation puts many larger places in the shade. We felt privileged to have met them. Here is the bishop's account: http://anglican.nb.ca/wp/pilgrimage/2015/06/08/day-9/

Please consider sponsoring a child for a week of camp. A donation of \$195 will send a child to camp. Over 50 % of campers were sponsored last year. Request for sponsorships for this year have already been received. The Board of Directors, staff and campers thank you for your support in previous years. **People sponsor kids to Brookwood** to honour friends on their significant birthdays. They sponsor kids in memory of deceased loved ones. Why might you sponsor a child for a week of camping at Brookwood? At \$195 it's the best summer camp deal there is. **Mark you special offering "Brookwood camper".**

Camp Brookwood has put out a call for the following. If you can help, contact Ken [linus_lion@hotmail.com]:

- Salt & Pepper shakers
- Hand can opener
- Bandages
- Tylenol & Advil & Benadryl & Gravol Children's
- Lice Treatments
- Box of Medical gloves
- Tooth Brushes
- Flip Chart Paper
- Photo Copy paper
- Floor Model Fans (gently used or new)
- Children Craft Paint (dollar Store)
- Clay
- Glue Stickes
- Any craft supplies (Children Safe!)
- Dodge balls
- Musical instruments (gently used or new)

The triennial **synod of the ecclesiastical province of Canada** (ie, Newfoundland, Quebec and the Maritimes) meets at the St. Thomas University Conference Centre, Fredericton, on 25-28 June. To learn more about the provincial synod, see <u>http://www.province-canada.anglican.org/</u> Observers welcome.

Courtesy of **Ken Tompkins**, the parish of Richmond has one of the nicest websites in the diocese: <u>http://www.parishofrichmond.ca</u> Websites always need fresh content. Ken welcomes scanned, **well-captioned photos** and even short video clips directed to <u>linus_lion@hotmail.com</u>

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