

Parish of Richmond e-News

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RICHMOND THIS SUNDAY

- Communion at **Holy Trinity** (9:00) & **St John's** (11:00); Morning Prayer at **St Mark's** (9:00)
- **Sunday School** at the Parish Centre, 11 am

This coming week's birthdays: **Sadie Horne, Andy Tibbits**

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOOD BANK WHEN YOU SHOP Next deliveries:

St Mark's (27 April); **Holy Trinity** (11 May); **St John's** (18 May)

Did you know that, in addition to providing emergency food to 1818 families, the Food Bank does 400 income tax returns for clients for free?

Remember **Bishop Edwards** faithfully in prayer. Today is the 17th anniversary of his arrival in NB. Health permitting, this summer he will spend two weeks perambulating the archdeaconry of St Andrews, inviting the faithful to daily services of prayer. If the experiment is rewarding, he will visit a different region each summer.

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

This Saturday the diocesan **Mothers' Union** gathers at the stunning Church of the Resurrection (Grand Bay-Westfield), 9 am.

This Sunday there will be another expedition to the **Sugar Moon cookhouse** at The Divide. Arrive by 1:30. Everyone is invited for fellowship & food! \$12.00 for adults (cash only).

Monday evening **Bible study** continues at the Clarkes. All invited.

There will be a fundraising **salmon dinner marking the 70th anniversary of Camp Medley** on Saturday, 2 May, at Christ Church Parish Church, Fredericton, 6 pm. The proceeds will ensure that every child who wants to attend camp can do so, regardless of ability to pay. **Tickets are \$30. Speakers are the bishop and the deputy premier.** Tables of 10 are available. David Bell will pick up any tickets wanted (**deadline 28 April**).

Ralph & Rosanne Carpenter thank everyone for the pledges and support for their recent fundraising walk for the homeless and **Harvest House**. They were able to raise \$605. The total raised was over \$6000. Thanks to all.

May is around the corner! Please contact Nancy Clarke or Cindy Derksen for pick-up of goods for the **parish yard sale**, scheduled for **Saturday, 23 May** at Holy Trinity. Proceeds will go to **Camp Brookwood**.

Brookwood news:

- **Mary Jane Phillips** will continue as chair of the Camp Brookwood board.
- Registration fee for 2015 will continue at the amazing low price of **\$195** for a whole week at camp.
- The Graham estate donation from **Holy Trinity** will provide siding for the Brookwood chapel.
- **Chaplains** are still needed for a couple of weeks. You do NOT need to be a cleric to be a chaplain. You do have to be fond of children.
- Brookwood will be in focus as host of the **June 20th meeting of Diocesan Council**.

Curious coincidence Earlier this month a visitor to the cathedral in Victoria BC was able to attend Evening Prayer, which is offered **every week-day** (except Saturdays) by the **lay-readers**. On Monday of this week, this same person wandered into Trinity Church, Saint John, in time to join in a service of Evening Prayer led (**three times weekly**) by the **lay-readers**.

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