

Parish of Richmond E-News

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It really isn't about the money. It's about transforming myself and learning to accept and to trust God completely, absolutely and unreservedly. I'm not quite there yet but I'm working on it. I use e-giving to avoid the temptation of those little envelopes, and I recently made a small increase in my contribution yet again.

Laurelle LaVert in NB Anglican (June 2016)

RICHMOND THIS SUNDAY

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

Prayers of the people list: Bobby, Boobo, Cindy, Cole, Gladys, June, Louise

This coming week's birthday: **Linda Stairs**

Anniversary: **Robert & Pauline Jones**

Prayer for the Week: *Gracious God, thank you for the symphony of green we see around just now.*

Please remember the **Food Bank** when you shop. Next deliveries: **Holy Trinity** (13 June); **St John's** (20 June); **St Mark's** (27 June)

Special thanks for the Richmond Parish Singers, the Holy Trinity Art Group and the person who started both of them for their contributions to **last Sunday's parish service**. It was well done and well appreciated.

Bishop Edwards continues his two-week pilgrimage of the archdeaconry of Chatham, by road, trail and water. Follow his progress daily at <http://anglican.nb.ca/wp/pilgrimage/> The bishop will progress through our own archdeaconry in 2018.

Richmond's pilgrims at Bay de Vin and Chatham today were handsomely received by the locals. The pilgrimage photo-of-the-day tells part of the story. See the link above.

This Saturday the Richmond/Woodstock yard-sale takes place on St Luke's lawn or in St Luke's Hall, beginning at 9 am. **You may still drop off items TOMORROW** at the hall between 9 and 1. Proceeds will support the ministries of Camp Brookwood.

Vestry meets on Thursday at the Parish Centre, 7:00. Open to all.

On Saturday 18 June there will be an **Open Doors event at the Synod Office, Bishop's Court (the official episcopal residence, now a discipleship House) and the Cathedral**, beginning at 2pm. Visit the Fredericton market in the morning (if you have never been there you will be very pleasantly surprised) and then the open houses in the afternoon.

On Sunday 26 June **Bishop Edwards will ordain** seven priests and deacons and receive one priest from the Church of Rome at the Cathedral, 4 pm. All invited.

The 59th iteration of **Diocesan Choir School** runs at Rothesay on 7-10 July or adults. It's an opportunity to learn both traditional and contemporary sacred music. See www.anglicanchoirschool.com

To add a name (with permission) to the **parish prayer list**, speak to Pat Margison (328-8146), Wendell Parkinson (325-9519) or Cathie Dean (328-3042).

Cheques to assist Carleton County's **support for Syrian refugees** should be made out to *St Gertrude's Parish – Refugee Fund*. They may be dropped off at the parish office (105 Union St, Woodstock E7M 2W4).

Find this week's **Diocesan e-News** at <http://anglican.nb.ca/wp/enews/> Find Diocesan **forthcoming events** at <http://anglican.nb.ca/wp/enews/upcoming-events/>

When writing a will, do not leave money to a specific congregation as individual congregations are not incorporated. The way to handle it is to leave money to the parish *for the purpose of* supporting a particular congregation or house of worship, if that is what you want. For Camp Brookwood, you would leave money to the Diocesan Synod of Fredericton *for the use of* Camp Brookwood.

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 webadmin@parishofrichmond.ca

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