

Parish of Richmond E-News

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29 June 2017

RICHMOND THIS WEEK

- On Sunday, Morning Prayer at **Holy Trinity** (9:00) & **St John's** (11:00)
- On Wednesday, Communion at **St Mark's** (with Bishop Hockin), (7pm)
- **Readings** for Sunday: Genesis 22: 1-14; Psalm 89: 1-4, 15-18; Romans 6: 12-23; Matthew 10: 40-42

Prayers of the people list: Cathy, Clara, Cole, James, Jason, Katherine, Louise, Peter, Robert, Ronald, Steven, Tammy

This coming week's birthdays: **Janelle Gould, Hilary Stockford**

Anniversaries: **Robert & Ronda Foster, Ralph & Rosanne Carpenter, Ernest & Nancy Clarke**

Kindly remember the Food Bank when you shop. Next deliveries: **Holy Trinity** (17 July); **St John's** (24 July); **St Mark's** (31 July). *The Food Bank welcomes paper towels and toilet tissue in the donation bins.*

Tonight (Thursday), **Marjorie Burt Hewson** joins with Sally Dibblee, Ypie Shaver, Martin Shaver and John Thompson in a **free public concert in honour of Canada 150 at the Court House**, Upper Woodstock, 7 pm.

Our Vestry reminds us of the famine conditions in east and central Africa. **It asks that this Sunday everyone who has not done so already make a special offering to the PWRDF.** Envelope holders may use the convenient blue envelope but any offering may be marked "Africa Appeal". Thanks to the several people who have donated already.

On Tuesday (for next week only), parish musical instruction (and a lot of fun) with **Lise-Anne Grant** takes place at St Mark's, 7-8 pm. Turnout has been great and ALL voices are welcome.

On Wednesday, parish **mid-week services** begin at St Mark's, 7 pm. Our beloved **Bishop Hockin** will preach. Marjorie Burt Hewson will be musician.

June Weddings

- Congratulations to Sandra & Ronald Black on the June 24th marriage of son **Seth Black** to **Sarah Crain**. The couple will reside in Fredericton.
- Congratulations also to Marilyn & Charles Wilson on the June 30th marriage at St Mark's of son **Ross Wilson** to **Jennifer DaCunha**. The couple will reside in Woodstock.

2017 Graduates with a parish connection

- from Woodstock High: **Drew Hallett, Katie Montgomery, Alex Metherall, Trent Collier, Kyle Young, Jayde Youden**
- from NB Community College: **Spencer Minard**
- from NB College of Craft & Design: **Michaela Bowmaster**
- from Oulton College: **Misty Carpenter, Megan Boyer**

Age of Wonders -- In addition to putting final touches on its waterless bathroom, St Mark's is auditioning a new sound system. Next Friday is the 110th anniversary of the building's consecration.

Camp Brookwood, which begins its 50th camping season on Sunday, is **completely full** for the summer. Congratulations to all the board members who choose to invest their energies in this marvelous ministry. Remember to support Brookwood with your own offerings. This parish count on the Brookwood ministry and Brookwood counts on us for support.

Brookwood needs: If you have a **tent** to give away Camp Brookwood has a need for it. Contact MLPHILIP@mccain.ca Brookwood also has need of: construction paper, white photocopy paper; large paint bottles (dollar store); foam paint brushes; glue gun sticks; tie dye; glitter; felt; yarn; 9 volt batteries (16); white exterior paint; redwood stain; paint brushes and rollers; small white board; gray floor paint; light beige paint

The Diocese of Fredericton's **School of Church Music** celebrates 60 years this summer. As usual, several in our parish will attend the adult chorister program, which runs next week.

NB Christian Ashram takes place at Beulah Campgrounds, Brown's Flat, 10-13 August. Experience a bit of 'Kingdom Living'. Attend one or multiple days. Visit www.nbca.ca or speak with Cindy Derksen.

Save the Date -- The **Welcome Back picnic** for Rod and Susan Black will take place at Wes & Pat Margisons' place on Sunday 13 August.

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

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/eneews/> Find Diocesan **forthcoming events** at <http://anglican.nb.ca/wp/eneews/upcoming-events/>

Bishop Edwards offers the following guidance for people who are not confirmed but who feel called to take communion: **ALL BAPTIZED FOLLOWERS OF JESUS ARE WELCOME AND ENCOURAGED TO MAKE THEIR COMMUNION**. Those who have not been confirmed in any tradition are encouraged to become confirmed as Anglicans after due preparation. Any who have been confirmed by a bishop, such as a Roman Catholic bishop, may be received into the Anglican Communion as prescribed on p 629 of the *Book of Alternative Services*.

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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