

## **RICHMOND E-NEWS**

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*“Not only with our lips but in our lives”*

### ***RICHMOND ALL SAINTS DAY***

- Communion at **St Mark's** (9 am) & **St John's** (11 am);  
Morning Prayer at **Holy Trinity** (9 am)
- Sunday School at the Parish Centre (11 am)
- Find Sunday's Bible readings:  
<https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/texts.php?id=167>
- Find every day's Morning, Mid-Day & Evening Prayer  
and Compline (modern language) at:  
<https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-daily-prayer>

Among those we hold up in prayer: **Barbara, Billie, Carolyn, Cathy, Cole, Connie, Danielle, Doreen, Frankie, Freda, Gary, Glenn, Graeme, Helen, Jack\***, James, Jason, Jean, Jeremy, Joanne, John, Josh, Katherine, Kevin, Kim, Lawrence, Lewis, Linda, Marg, Margaret, May Izabella, Meghann, Melba, Melissa, Nadine, Pauline, Peter, Reg, Robert, Russel, Steven

\*new

This coming week's birthdays: **Allan Clark, Roberta Hoyt, Ryder Sewell**

***Are we still remembering the Food Bank ministry when we shop?*** Next deliveries: **Holy Trinity** (16 November); **St John's** (23 November); **St Mark's** (30 November)

The **Parish Advisory Committee** (PAC) is in motion. The committee are **Ernest Clarke** (chair), **Lisa Cummings** (secretary), **Pat Margison, Andrew Bell & Marilyn Wilson**. The committee's role is to advise the archbishop about all matters connected with ministry in the parish and in

particular whether we want a stipendiary cleric in future and on what terms (full time, half time, part time etc) They will begin their work by offering a survey to parishioners and preparing a “parish profile” document. PAC has asked that the following be circulated:

*The PAC has met to start the process towards a new rector as we anticipate the regrettable retirement of Archdeacon Rod Black at the end of 2020. PAC members are available and open for input from any and all Parishioners of Richmond and welcome your communication **sooner rather than later**. We are working on the required **Parish Profile** stating who we are as a Parish. We are also preparing a **questionnaire** to be distributed that will give everyone an opportunity to speak to our parish aims and goals (where we, as a Parish, fit into our communities and more). Pray and Share.*

Are you looking for special **spiritual nurture**? A virtual Christian Ashram is available 6-8 November:

<https://kateflavell2.wixsite.com/azchristianashram>

October's **NB Anglican** has a thoughtful piece at the end on the advantage of **supporting the Food Bank financially** rather than with food donations.

For perennial gardeners, October is the first month of spring. It's **time to be planting lily bulbs**. Anyone who wants lily bulbs should email [dbell@unb.ca](mailto:dbell@unb.ca) After 3 years they can be 5+ ft high. Hurry!

**Operation Christmas Child** shoeboxes are now available in the churches. Thank you for supporting this ministry to children in many parts of the world.

Remember that there's a convenient way to get a cheery greeting to **someone stuck in hospital**. The hospital will deliver it. Check out: <https://en.horizonnb.ca/home/facilities-and-services/services/other-services/send-a-message-to-a-patient.aspx>

Please consider benefitting the “Corporation of the Anglican Parish of Richmond” in your will. The parish has received **many bequests** over the years, without the interest on which we could not make it financially.

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

***RICHMOND NEXT SUNDAY***

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