RICHMOND E-NEWS

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RICHMOND THIS SUNDAY

- Communion at Holy Trinity (9 am); Memorial service & Communion at St John's (11 am); Memorial service at St Mark's (3 pm)
- Sunday School at the Parish Centre, 11 am
- Find Sunday's Bible readings: <u>https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/texts.php?id=220</u>
- Among those we hold up in prayer: Billie, Carolyn, Cathy, Claire, Colby, Cole, Doreen, Frankie, Freda, Gail, Gary, Glenn, Helen, Jack, James, Jason, Jean, Jeremy, Joanne, John, Katherine, Kevin, Kim, Lawrence, Lewis, Linda, Marg, Margaret, May Izabella, Meghann, Melba, Melissa, Nadine, Nicole, Peter, Robert, Russel, Steve, Stevie, Steven

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

This coming week's birthdays: **Sabrina Lutwick, Pam Parkinson**

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

Please continue to **remember the Food Bank** when you shop. **Particularly needed** are tinned tomatoes, vegetables and soups and tinned tuna, ham etc suitable for school lunches. Have you checked out the parish Facebook page this week? <u>https://www.facebook.com/parishofrichmond/</u>

Vestry meets tonight at St Mark's, 7 pm. Under discussion will be the Covid question.

Memorial services take place this Sunday at St John's (11 am) and St Mark's (3 pm).

Holy Trinity has marked Christianity's "season of creation" and been mindful of the 5th Mark of Mission ("to strive to safeguard the integrity of creation and sustain and renew the life of the earth") by replacing all of its incandescent and fluorescent bulbs with LED bulbs. As an **all-LED facility**, HT becomes much more energy efficient both in terms of the monthly power bill and the lifespan of the bulbs.

The recent **Blessing of the Animals** service is given an illustrated review in this week's Diocesan e-News: <u>https://nb.anglican.ca/news/the-blessing-of-the-animals</u>

Anyone who would like to have Billy Graham's final book Nearing Home: Life, Faith and Finishing Well can contact <u>dbell@unb.ca</u>

Quite a few parishioners are staying close to home from health considerations or as care-givers for a family member. Let us remember them faithfully by stopping by or telephoning or even sending a card just to let shut-ins know we care about their well-being.

In 2021 Richmond parishioners have been able to give nearly \$6000 to answer calls to support the **Primate's World Relief and Development Fund**. Please continue to give generously as the PWRDF reaches out in urgent situations, including:

- To give **emergency support to the people of Haiti** <u>https://interland3.donorperfect.net/weblink/weblink.aspx?name=E34449</u> <u>2QE&id=3</u>
- To participate in the matching offer to provide solar "suitcases" for rural baby delivery in Mozambique, see https://pwrdf.org/solarsuitcases2021/
- To support **covid Vaccine Equity** outreach in developing countries, see <u>Donation Form (donorperfect.net)</u>

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.

Richmond next Sunday

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