

RICHMOND E-NEWS

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“Not only with our lips but in our lives”

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RICHMOND THIS SUNDAY

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

Among those we uphold in prayer: Brian, Carlene, Carolyn, Cecil, Charlotte, Cole, Don, Doris, Frankie, Freda, Gail, Gary, Harry, Helen, Joanne, Joyce, Lawrence, Lynn, Marg, Mary-Lee, Melba, Nadine, Nellie*, Nicole, Peggy, Shawn, Steven, Trina, Wendell, Wendy, Yvonne
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To add/delete a name to the parish prayer list, speak to Pat Margison (328-8146).

This coming week's birthdays: **Linda Bell, Lucas Lutwick, David Bell, Stephen Kennedy**

Who do you know in hospital? There's a convenient way to get a cheery greeting to the hospitalized. The hospital delivers it. Parishioners receiving these notes have mentioned how important they are. Check out: <https://horizonnb.ca/patients-visitors/send-a-message-to-a-patient/>

Please continue to **remember the Food Bank** when you shop. Particularly needed are canned tomatoes, vegetables and soups, and tuna, ham etc suitable for children's lunches.

Have you checked the parish's Facebook page lately? [\(16\) The Anglican Parish of Richmond, Diocese of Fredericton | Facebook](#) Three mysterious Wisemen continue diligently towards their Epiphany. But do we?

Thanks to our unknown **Facebook reporter** for the multiple photos from Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

Attached to this e-news are recent photos of the year-end **Sunday School presentations**.

Also *attached to the e-news* is the parish's 2022 **financial report** to the end of November. Thanks to those who assemble it.

Many people are acquainted with C. S. Lewis's **Mere Christianity** (1952). It is often said to be second only to St Augustine's Confessions as an influential work of Christian apologetics. Less well known is that Lewis took his title from an obscure work by the English puritan **Richard Baxter**. Here is what Baxter wrote in 1680: *I am a CHRISTIAN, a MEER CHRISTIAN, of no other Religion; and the Church that I am of is the Christian Church...: But must you know what Sect or Party I am of? I am against all Sects and dividing parties: But if any will call Meer Christians by the name of a Party...I am of that Party which is so against Parties: If the Name CHRISTIAN be not enough, call me a CATHOLICK CHRISTIAN...as it signifieth one that hath no Religion, but that which by Christ and the Apostles was left to the Catholick Church, or the Body of Jesus Christ on Earth.*

RICHMOND NEXT SUNDAY

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