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“Not only with our lips but in our lives”

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RICHMOND THIS SUNDAY

- Communion at **St Mark's** (9 am) & **Holy Trinity** (11 am); Morning Prayer at **St John's** (11 am)
- Sunday School at the Parish Centre, 10 am

Among those we uphold in prayer: **Allen, Cecil, Charles, Cole, Connie, Debbie, Doris, Fern, Frankie, George, Græme, Heather, Helen, Ivan, Joyce, Lawrence, Lynn, Maddie, Marian, Melba, Michelle, Nadine, Nicole, Peggy, Phyllis, Robert, Ronald, Shawn, Sheldon, Shelley, Steven, Tara**

Please advise Pat Margison (328-8146) of name deletions as well as name additions.

Whom do we 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/>

This coming week's birthdays: **Ralph Carpenter, Robert Jones**
Anniversary: **Gary & Roberta Hoyt**

Have you checked the parish's Facebook page lately? [\(16\) The Anglican Parish of Richmond, Diocese of Fredericton | Facebook](#) See a couple of photographs from last Sunday's parish service at St John's.

This coming Sunday, being the 4th Sunday in Lent, is **Mothering Sunday**. Members of the Richmond **Mothers' Union** will lead the service at St John's, and all the churches will have a ration of the traditional Simnel cake, a type of fruit cake.

On Tuesdays the **Lenten book study** continues in the Library of the Parish Centre, 10:30. It is based on *Lent with the Beloved Disciple*:

<https://www.bloomsbury.com/ca/lent-with-the-beloved-disciple-9781399404907/>

Contact Bonnie Sparks for details.

On Monday 18 March **Parish Prayer Time** resumes at St John's, 6:30. Come to prayer/meditate or share what is on your heart (up to 5 minutes).

Camp Brookwood invites applications for a full roster of summer 2024 positions: Director, Assistant Director, Cook, Lifeguard/cabin leader, Crafts/cabin leader, Maintenance/cabin leader, Cabin leaders/counsellors. Application can be made directly from the Brookwood website: <http://campbrookwood.ca/>

Vocation Day -- Saturday 6 April Are you discerning a Christian vocation? Have you wondered what it means to be an **evangelist, priest, deacon, layreader, parish nurse or pastoral visitor**? Join for a day of presentations on these ministries and explore what God might be calling you to. **Hear from others** how they heard God's call and explore some questions you might be wrestling with. See [Discerning Your Ministry? | Vocations | Anglican Diocese of Fredericton](#)

Update from the Food Bank Back in January 2023, Volunteer Family Services (aka the Food Bank) was feeding 650 people (one-third of them children). **This January it fed 782.** The Food Bank is always in need of soups, non-sugary cereal, canned beans, canned pasta, dry pasta, tuna/hamburger helper, vegetables (fresh, frozen, canned), oatmeal, pancake mix, tea, shampoo (men & women), deodorant (men & women), razers (men & women), toothbrushes.

RICHMOND NEXT SUNDAY

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