

# RICHMONDE-NEWS

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## RICHMOND THIS COMING SUNDAY

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

Among those we uphold in prayer: Allen, Cecil, Cole, Connie, Doris, Frankie, Freda, George, Græme, Helen, Joyce, Lawrence, Lynn, Marg, Max, Melba, Michelle, Nadine, Nellie, Nicole, Peggy, Phyllis, Ronald, Shawn, Sheldon, Steven, Wendell

The prayer list is long again. **Please advise Pat Margison (328-8146) of name deletions as well as additions.**

**Whom 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/>

Have you checked the parish's Facebook page lately? [\(16\) The Anglican Parish of Richmond, Diocese of Fredericton | Facebook](#)

Tomorrow, being September 8<sup>th</sup>, is **Accession Day**. Here is a prayer used in Roman Catholic services:

O GOD, who provides for thy people by thy power, and rules over them in love: mercifully bless thy servant King Charles; that under him we may be governed wisely, and grant that he being devoted to You with his whole heart, and persevering in good works unto the end, may, by thy guidance, come to thine everlasting kingdom; through Jesus Christ.

**Parish Prayer Time** will resume at St Mark's on Monday 18 September, 6:30. Some will share aloud. Some will pray or meditate silently. All are welcome.

**Vestry** meets on Thursday 21 September at the Parish Centre, 7 pm.

**St Mark's Memorial service** will take place on Sunday 24 September 2023, 4 pm (note time). Canon **Chris Hayes** will lead. This will also be the occasion of the interment of **Carolyn McBride Steeves** and son **Matthew**.

Beginning the first Sunday in October, parish **combined services** will be monthly.

This week's images are from St Mark's on Saturday and Holy Trinity on Sunday. (The unusual HT flowers are turtleheads.)

Again this September the **Compassion Fund** will provide some backpacks to local schools for distribution to children in need. Parishioners are asked to bring in **notebooks/scribblers, pens/pencils, coloured pencils/markers, highlighters, pencil cases, erasers, rulers, glue sticks, binders, water bottles** and anything else that students might need.

**Operation Christmas Child** This is an early reminder that it's only 12 weeks until collection for Operation Christmas Child, which will be November 13-18, 2023. Thanks for your shoe boxes last year. Atlantic Canada sent **26,000 boxes in 2022** and approximately 4300 children gave their lives to Christ from our shoeboxes. Now is the time to start picking up school supplies, summer clothes and toys. Any questions, please contact **Rosanne Carpenter**.

**Please continue to remember the Food Bank** when you shop. At the moment they are looking especially for breakfast cereals, soups and crackers.

#### ***RICHMOND NEXT SUNDAY***

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