

# RICHMOND E-NEWS

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

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## SERVICES THIS WEEK (9-15 MARCH)

- Communion at **Holy Trinity** (9 am) & **St Luke's** (11 am); Morning Prayer at **St Mark's** (9 am) & **St John's** (10:30 am)
- On most days the rector offers a brief **morning prayer time** live at 8:30 am (and viewable at any time later). See [Parish of Richmond and Woodstock - YouTube](#)

Among those we uphold in prayer: **Allen, Cole, Connie, Doris, Ivan, Joyce, Lawrence, Lynn, Melba, Michelle, Nadine, Peggy, Ronnie, Rosanne, Shirley, Steven**

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**

**Food Bank** Let's fill those boxes and show gratitude to God by sharing with our neighbour the blessings we have been given.

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

Note that next Tuesday there are no **Lenten study** meetings scheduled.

Forthcoming events --

- Tomorrow (Friday 7 March) a **World Day of Prayer** service (with Debec UCC) takes place at **St John's** (7 pm) preceded by optional potluck supper (6 pm). Special speaker: **Philip Shepherdson**
- On Thursday (13 March) Woodstock's L. P. Fisher Library opens an exhibition entitled *Artopia: Paintings and Carvings by Ernest and Nancy Clarke*, 6:30 pm. It features dozens of works, both retrospective and recent.
- On Thursday (27 March) **Vestry** meets at the Rectory, 7 pm
- On Saturday (26 April): Richmond parish gathers for a **Dream with God** visioning discussion at the Parish Centre, 10 am

**Annual Meeting:** The **Richmond Parish Corporation** for this year will be the Rev Maria Shepherdson (chair), Lisa Cummings & Marilyn Wilson (wardens); Corinne Silverton, Jesse Smith, Pat Margison, Sharon Lutwick, Sandra Black & David Bell (vestry).

#### **Spotted in St Luke's bulletin:**

*Coffee Fund Project* -- During December and January, you provided \$580 to purchase 58 x \$10 Tim cards for the most needy. These cards are distributed by Outreach Workers supporting the homeless, couch surfers and those with inadequate housing. During these cold months, the coffee cards are greatly appreciated.

*Underwear Project* -- We asked what other items are needed and have been advised that **men's and women's underwear in all sizes, as well as sleeping bags** are needed. We will put a box at the back of St Luke's for these items; and you can also leave money in an envelope in the labelled container if you wish for the outreach committee to purchase underwear. Please note on the envelope whether the money is for coffee or undergarments or either.

Photos circulating with this week's e-News include shots of Friday's **concert** at Holy Trinity, Saturday's **annual meeting** at St John's and Sunday's rather crowded **parish service** at St Mark's.

#### **SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY**

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