

Parish of St. Mark
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MISSION STATEMENT

From three communities and beyond called into one to be Word of God. In a spirit of Friendship, sharing of life and energy, faith and appreciation, we commit ourselves to Accepting all who come and to be present to them, and from our gatherings open ourselves to our neighborhoods and to the wider church.

Pastor: Fr. Don Breen

**Mass Times: Sat. 5pm
Sun. 9am & 11:15am**

Parish Council Chair: Rick Northrup

Baptisms, Marriage, Catechetical Ministry: contact office

Reconciliation : Saturday after Mass or by appointment.

July 2nd – 3rd, 2016 - 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 66 10-14 Galatians 6 14-18 Luke 10 1-12 17-20

July 9th – 10th, 2016 – 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deuteronomy 30 10-14 Colossians 1 15-20 Luke 10 25-37

Announced Masses

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| Wed. | July 6 | 9:00 a.m. | Marilyn Evans |
| Thurs. | July 7 | 7:00 p.m. | Nellie Stoyles |
| Fri. | July 8 | 9:00 a.m. | Teresa Mantin |
| Sat. | July 9 | 5:00 p.m. | Theresa & Lorne Lawless |
| Sun. | July 10 | 9:00 a.m. | For Parishioners |
| | | 11:15 a.m. | Vincent Breau |

There will be no Mass on Tuesday until September

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"He said to them, 'The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few...'" Luke 10:2

As Catholics we are all called to serve in ministry. However, many of us are unsure how to use our talents and gifts to build God's Church. Talk to God and ask Him what He wants you to do. The next time one of your fellow parishioners asks you to help or join a committee, it may be the answer to your prayer.

Condolences to:

Susan Sargent, Lynn Pierce, Mike, Paul, Carl, Brian, Timothy, Robert and families on the death of their father Michael J. Donovan

Mass Coordinators Needed

Are you interested in being more involved during the Mass, but maybe not in a "speaking" role? We have an urgent need for new Mass coordinators for all Masses. Adult couples or singles are invited. This is a great way to participate in the Mass, get to know fellow parishioners and be a part of parish life. We will pair you with an experienced coordinator to familiarize you with this ministry. For more detailed information on this ministry please contact Jake Hebert, Eucharistic Coordinator at 849-3439.

Rosary continues all summer on Mondays at 7:00 p.m in the Chapel.



Are you **new to the parish?**

If you would like Sunday Offertory Envelopes or if you would like to find out more about the different ministries that take place at St. Mark's, these items are available for you in the foyer or call the church office at 849-5111.

Religious Formation - 849-5111

Coordinator – Wendy Ellis 849-8162

Email: wendy.ellis@bellaliant.net

Sessions resume September 18th, 2016

CATECHISTS: Please return manuals and attendance sheets as soon as possible. They may be left on the religious Ed counter any time the church is open.

Thanks Wendy

New St. Mark's Website



Our website is new and improved! This spring, we launched our new website for St. Mark's, and we continue to grow and make improvements all the time. The Media Ministry team would like to thank Michael Hogan, as without his help, we wouldn't have been able to get to where we are today! Michael designed our new site, trained our web contributors and has been an invaluable resource for St. Mark's! Thank you, Michael, for your generous donation of time and talent! May God bless you in all your endeavours!



Congratulations, prayers and best wishes to **Pat and Nancy Lanigan** who are celebrating their 45th Wedding Anniversary and to **Bill and Anne Stroud** who are celebrating their 40th Wedding Anniversary

Wedding Anniversaries

If you, or someone you know is celebrating an anniversary, (25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, etc.) please contact the office, 849-5111, so that remembrance may be made.

R.C.I.A.

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

If you know someone interested in becoming a Catholic or would like to inquire into the Catholic faith yourself, call the Parish Office, 849-5111. Sessions begin in the fall. We will be happy to answer any questions you may have, and explain what is involved. Co-ordinators: Jackie and Allan Beckingham, 849-9521.

Diocesan and Community News

Your Prayers are humbly requested for the 60 youth, 13 chaperones and 2 priests from the Diocese of Saint John who will be attending the Steubenville Atlantic 2016 conference in Halifax July 8th to 10th, 2016.

First Spiritual Exercises Workshop with Michael Hansen, SJ, will take place at Villa Madonna Sept. 26th – Sept. 30th. This workshop is sponsored by the Atlantic Association of the Spiritual Exercises Apostolate (AASEA). The costs is \$100 for commuters, includes breaks and lunch each day; \$400.00 single or \$600 per couple includes accommodation Sun. to Thurs. and all meals Sun. supper to Fri. noon. For more information, please contact the Villa at (506) 849-5125

Wailing Wall –Parishioners are invited to write their prayer, needs or petitions on the paper provided and pin to the wall board. All who pass by the wall are asked to pause for a moment to see and pray for the intentions. If you wish, take home one of the papers, and include this intention in your daily prayer. Keep the paper for a week, and then initial it before placing it back on the wall. The person who placed it originally will know by your initial that someone cares.

The parish welcomes hearing about prayers answered. A note in the collection basket or in the office letter slot will be appreciated. Names are not necessary.

Pre-Authorized Debit System - If anyone would like to start this system of donation, forms are available in the foyer. Please fill out and drop in collection basket in an envelope along with a VOID cheque.

If you are new to the Parish we would like to hear from you, or if you are leaving the area, please let us know.

Register Update:

Please fill out this form and put it in collection basket or give to greeter. Thank you for helping to keep our records up to date.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

New in Parish _____ Moving out of _____

Moving within the Parish _____

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| Required Weekly | \$ 5,550.00 |
| Sunday Collection, June 26 th | \$ 4,001.00 |