

This Week in the Parish

Morning and Evening Prayer will be prayed and live streamed at St. George's Chapel at 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

- Monday** Alpha 6:30 p.m.: Barbecue, Campfire at the Hall Shore, St. Martin's-in-the-Woods, Shediak Cape
- Tuesday** 11:00 a.m. Holy Communion
(Spencer Home)
5:00 p.m. Holy Communion
(Feast of St. Mary Magdalene)
- Thursday** 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (St. George's)
11:30 a.m. The Sermons of St. Leo
(by ZOOM or in-person at St. George's)
- Saturday** 10:30 a.m. Holy Matrimony (St. George's)
(Jordan Mitchell and Oi Lin Chan)
5:30 p.m. Young Adults at the Stam's
(10 rue des Bouleaux, Notre Dame)

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

A modified schedule from the Prayer Book's Table of Lessons

Sunday	Job 32	Luke 23: 26-49
Monday	Job 33	Luke 23:50-24:12
Tuesday	Job 38:1-21	Luke 24:13-End
Wednesday	Job 38:22-End	John 1:1-28
Thursday	Job 39	John 1:29-End
Friday	Job 40	John 2
Saturday	Job 41	John 3:1-21

***Let us remember before God those of our brethren
who have departed this life and are at rest.***

Tymley Ainsworth

The Parish of the Six Saints

Jesus Christ the Same, Yesterday, Today and Forever

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Fifth Sunday After Trinity July 20th, 2025



Parish Prayer Chain: To pass a message on to the Parish Prayer Chain, from Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. please call the Office, 506-855-5209 or email office@stgeorgesmoncton.ca.

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THE COLLECTS:

GRANT, O Lord, we beseech thee, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by thy governance, that thy Church may joyfully serve thee in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

ENTRANCE PSALM (Sung) :

Consider, O Lord, and hear me, when I cry unto thee: **be thou my succour, O cast me not away, neither forsake me utterly, O God of my salvation.** The Lord is my light, and my salvation: **whom then shall I fear? Glory be...**and to the Holy Ghost. As it was and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Today's Readings (Fifth Sunday After Trinity)

Psalms at Morning Prayer 28 and 29

The Lesson: Isaiah 6:1-8

The Gradual Psalm: 84:8-13

The Epistle: Romans 1 Peter 3:8-15

The Gospel: Luke 5:1-11

Next Sunday's Readings (Sixth Sunday After Trinity)

Psalms at Morning Prayer 34

The Lesson: Jonah 2

The Gradual Psalm: 90:14-18

The Epistle: Romans 6:3-11

The Gospel: Luke 6:27-36

The Vicar is on vacation, so, God willing, this morning, the Rector will celebrate the Holy Communion at St. Mary's and St. James. A warm welcome to Fr. John Paul Westin who will celebrate and preach at St. George's. Thank you for leading!

Next Sunday, our Parish Service is set for 10:30 am at St. George's. Please remember **Viviana Elora Bouchard**, her parents and Godparents, as she is brought to be baptized on that day.

COMING UP IN SIX SAINTS...

Please note: Morning and Evening Prayer will NOT be prayed on Monday (tomorrow) at St. George's Chapel.

After Alpha! Tomorrow at 6:30 p.m.: Barbecue and Singing at the Hall Shore, St. Martin's-in-the-Woods, Shediac Cape; and **Monday, August 18th at 6:30 p.m.:** Barbecue and Singing at St. Mary's Church in Hillsborough. *(In the event of rain, we will meet inside.)*

Six Saints' Young Adults: Supper and Campfire, at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, **July 26th** at the Stam's (10 rue des Bouleaux, Notre Dame).

Six Saints' Supper and Prayer Meeting: Friday August 1st at 6:00 p.m. All are welcome to attend, 17 Weisner Road, Lakeville. Please bring a lawn chair or anything to share. Robyn will be serving spaghetti or rice with meat sauce, rolls, butter, tea and coffee after our worship. A Campfire is planned, weather permitting. Marshmallows or S'mores will be available.

Six Saints' Summer Picnic at Mary's Point, with Holy Eucharist at St. Alban's, Riverside-Albert:

(The Feast of the Transfiguration of our Lord).

When: Wednesday, August 6th at 12:30 pm

Where: we will meet at the Shepody National Wildlife Centre, Mary's Point for lunch and move on from there to St. Alban's Church for the Holy Eucharist at 2:30 p.m.

How: Bring your own lunch. Drinks will be provided. If you need transportation, please contact the Parish Office.



St. Michael's Youth Conference: August 18th -23rd at Camp Wildwood, McKee's Mills – An Anglican conference for youth ages 13-19 years, to deepen their faith through a week of study, conversation, friendship, and worship rooted in the Anglican tradition.

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A *retreat* for Godly Play® practitioners, Christian formation leaders, parents/guardians and anyone who is curious or desiring a time away, to live in a **Godly Play®** way for 24hrs.

When: Friday, Sept. 12th at 5:00 pm to Saturday, Sept. 13th at 3:30 pm
Where: Villa Madonna Retreat House in Rothesay, N.B.
Cost: To be determined

Deadline: Friday, August 29th, 2025

Breakfast Alpha: The next Six Saints' Alpha is planned for Saturday mornings in the Fall, beginning on Sept. 6th from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.



In addition to the Alpha video and small group sessions, Confirmation instruction and options for 'After Alpha' will be offered. Breakfast will be available for everyone, and then we will split up into our groups. More details to follow!

Interested in receiving the Laying on of Hands with Prayer? A Six Saints' Confirmation is set with Archbishop David for Sunday, October 26th. The instruction will begin on Saturday, September 6th, at 8:30 a.m.



The Rector's Corner

On Tuesday, the Church remembers St. Mary Magdalene. Not much is said about her situation; however, St. Luke, who was a physician, noted that she was delivered from seven demons.

Seven demons. This could mean that there were seven different demons; or that Mary was over-powered by a demon ('seven' meaning the number that signifies completeness). We can only try to imagine the horror of her life: the voices; the paranoia; the doubts; the pervasive sadness; the dark, violent thoughts; the self-harm and suicidal tendencies. Oh, the suffering she must have experienced. But she was delivered from them all by the Lord Jesus.

After being made whole, Mary followed Jesus and she also supported the infant Church financially. (St. Luke 8.1-3) As a disciple, this was part of her offering – the returning of love – to God who loved her and saved her. She sought Jesus, even after His crucifixion. She went to His grave on Easter Day to meet the Risen Christ. Jesus spoke her name, "Mary." "Rabbuli! My Teacher!" Mary exclaimed. And from there, she went to tell the disciples.

In his sermon, Gregory the Great pointed out how Mary never gave up. Even Jesus' death did not deter her: "Her longing grew stronger and stronger until at the highest pitch it was allayed in the embrace of Him whom she was seeking. Holy desires grow with delay: if they fade through delay they are no desires at all. Such must be the love that inflames anyone who is reaching out for the truth."

Mary Magdalene's is an amazing story of deliverance and healing. For us, it is also a story of faithful discipleship, a reminder that "holy desires grow with delay. St. Mary Magdalene will be remembered on Tuesday, July 22nd in a celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 5:00 pm at St. George's Chapel. Everyone is welcome to attend!