

## This Week in the Parish

Monday to Friday, **Morning Prayer** will be prayed and live streamed at **St. George's Chapel at 8:30 a.m.**

**Monday** 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Beavers (St. George's)  
7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Scouts(St. George's)

**Tuesday** 11.00 am Spencer's Home

**Wednesday** 10:30 a.m. Bible Study (St. George's)  
1:00 p.m. Bible Study (St. James)  
Cubs :6:30-8:00pm

**Thursday** 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (St. George's)  
11:30 a.m. Gospel-based Discipleship (ZOOM)

**Friday** 6:00 p.m. Station of Cross( St Georges church)

### DAILY BIBLE READING

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

Sunday	Genesis 11: 1-9,27-12:10	Ephesians 6: 10-End
Monday	Genesis 13	I Timothy 1: 1-17
Tuesday	Genesis 14	I Timothy 1: 18-2 End
Wednesday	Genesis 15	I Timothy 3
Thursday	Genesis 16	I Timothy 4
Friday	Genesis 17: 1-22	I Timothy 5
Saturday	Genesis 18	I Timothy 6

**Prayer for New Priest** *Almighty God, who knowest the needs of thy Church in every place: Look graciously at this time upon the people of Six Saints ; and give to us a faithful Pastor, who shall lead us according to thy will, and make us a people acceptable unto thee ; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. BCP p.45*

☞ Let us remember the faithfully departed **Cheryl Reid**. May her soul rest in peace. We will continue to Pray for Cliff Reid

🕯️ The **sanctuary candles( St Georges)** will be lit in remembrance of **Bill Hodgson** on his anniversary 🕯️. ✨ Let us keep him in our thoughts and prayers.

If you or a loved one has been admitted to the hospital, please kindly call the parish office to request prayers or a pastoral visit. (506)-855-5209 📞 📧 📱

## The Parish of the Six Saints

*Jesus Christ the Same, Yesterday, Today and Forever*

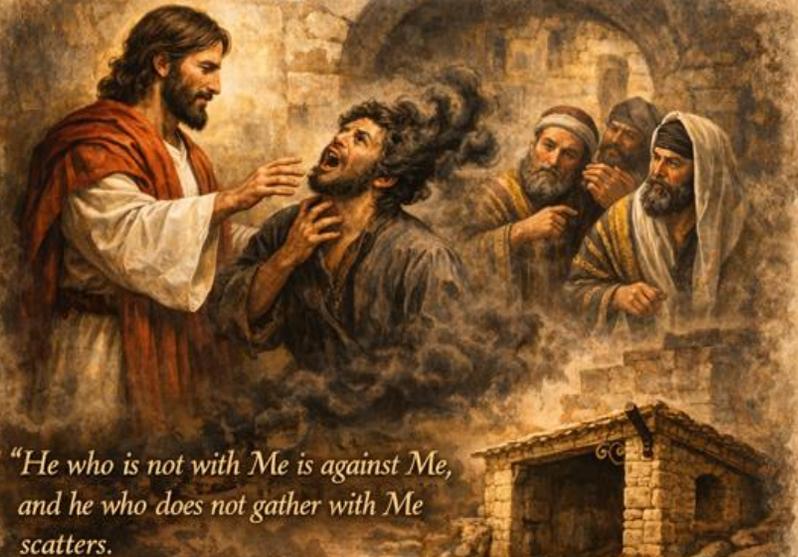
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Vicar Interim Priest in Charge Rev. Rob Salloum- (506)233-7625

## Third Sunday in Lent

**March 8, 2026**



*"He who is not with Me is against Me, and he who does not gather with Me scatters.*

*"When an unclean spirit goes out of a man, it seeks rest and finds none..."*

**Luke 11: 14-26**

**The Gospel for today: Luke 11: 14-26**

**Prayer Requests:** please contact the Parish Office:  
[office@stgeorgesmoncton.ca](mailto:office@stgeorgesmoncton.ca) or 506-855-5209

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	The Rev David Alston	506 866-5986
	The Rev Norman Dupuis	506-386-1324

**Welcome to the Parish of the Six Saints**  
**Services this morning is being offered at**

- 8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer 📖 St. George's( Rev Norman Dupuis)
- 10:00 a.m. Morning Prayer 📖 St. George's( Rev Norman Dupuis)
- 9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer 📖 St. Mary's( Rev Barb Haire)
- 9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist 📖 St Andrews( Rev Rob Salloum)
- 11:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist 📖 St James ( Rev Rob Salloum)
- 5:00 p.m. Evening Prayer 📖 St. George's( Rev Norman Dupuis)



✚ **After the Service** ✚ ☕ Coffee • 🍵 Tea • 🍪 Light Snacks ♡  
*Served with love ✨ Enjoy fellowship and meaningful conversation as we gather, share, and connect together.*

**THE COLLECT FOR LENT 3:**

WE beseech thee, Almighty God, look upon the hearty desires of thy humble servants and stretch forth the right hand of thy Majesty to be our defence against all our enemies; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

**Almighty** and everlasting God, who hastest nothing that thou hast made and dost forgive the sins of all them that are penitent: Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that we, worthily lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, may obtain of thee, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness; through Jesus Christ. **Amen. (BCP Pages. 145 & 138)**

**THE INTROIT PSALM**

Mine eyes are ever looking unto the Lord, for he shall pluck my feet out of the net: **look thou upon me, and have mercy upon me, for I am desolate, and in misery.** Unto thee, O lord, do I lift up my soul: **my God, in thee have I trusted, let me not be confounded.** Glory be.. and to the Holy Ghost: **As it was and ever shall be: world without end. Amen**

**Today's Readings (Lent 3)**

BCP- Book of Common Prayer

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|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| Psalms 52,54                    | BCP Page 395, 397  |
| The Lesson: Deuteronomy 12: 1-7 | Pew Bible Page 168 |
| The Gradual Psalm 25: 16-22     | BCP Page 359       |
| The Epistle: Ephesians 5: 1-14  | BCP Page 145       |
| The Holy Gospel: Luke 11: 14-26 | BCP Page 146       |

**Next Sunday's Readings Lent 4 ( Mothering Sunday)**

- Psalms 86,87
- The Lesson: Deuteronomy 15: 1-11
- The Gradual Psalm 125
- The Epistle: Galatians 4:26-5:1
- The Holy Gospel: John 6:5-14

**Coming up in Six Saints...**



✦ **Willing Workers Meeting** ✦ 📅 **Tuesday, March 10** 🕒 **2:00 PM** All members are kindly invited to attend.

**Annual Meeting Reminder** Please note that the Parish Gathering for the month of **March** has been preponed to **Sunday, March 15.** 📍 **St. George's Church** 🕒 **10:30 a.m.** Service – Parish Service 🕒

**Following the Service – Potluck and Annual General Meeting.** 🌿 With warm hearts, we kindly invite you to attend both the **Parish Service** and the **Annual General Meeting** 🌿 and please bring finger food to share 🍌🍷🍔

📣 **Invitation to Parishioners** 🙏 All parishioners are warmly invited to prayerfully consider serving the church as a **Vestry member** 📧 If you feel called to serve or would like to learn more about these roles, please reach out to **Ashley Sobey, phone number-(506)-863-4944 and email- [ashleysobey@yahoo.com](mailto:ashleysobey@yahoo.com)** or Parish office.

🌿 📅 **Parish of Six Saints Bible Study Gathering** 📅 🌿 Join us at the **Whitmore's Home** 🕒 **10:00 a.m.** 📅 **Wednesday, 11th March** 📍 **14 Oxley street, Hillsborough, E4H 3A3.** All are welcome! 🙏

🍀 **1st Moncton St. George's Scouting** 🍀 🎉 **Saint Patrick's Day Dessert Party!** 📅 **14** **Date & Time: March 14th | 11:30 AM – 2:00 PM** 📍 **Location: St. George's Church, 51 Church St.** 🍽️ **Menu:**



One bowl of chicken fricot or potato soup. All-you-can-eat desserts, tea & coffee Takeout available 📍 **Admission:** Adults: \$15 Children (12 & under): \$10 🎁 **Bonus:** There will be door prizes! ✨ Come join the fun, enjoy delicious food, and celebrate Saint Patrick's Day with us! ✨

## Vicars voice

Solitude –Living in the Stillness.  
Hello Again!

Does an extended period of silence make you uncomfortable? Are you able to take time to slow down and sit in silence and solitude? While it is true that some of us prefer to be alone, all of us require the company of others. Yet, we also benefit greatly from solitude.

There is a difference between loneliness and solitude. Loneliness hints at isolation and sadness. On the other hand: **“Solitude is the creation of an open, empty space in our lives by purposely abstaining from interaction with other human beings, so that, freed from competing loyalties, we can be found by God”** (Life with God Bible, p. 531). So, **“Solitude”** involves purposeful *action* and *inaction*! We actively create an open space in which we can invite a full communion with God.

While cultivating solitude is countercultural, we are called to develop this spiritual discipline. In solitude, we are refreshed. Psalm 46:10 says **“Be still and know that I am God.”** and Habakkuk 2:20 says: **The Lord is in His Holy Temple, let all the earth keep silent before Him.”** Psalm 62 says: **“My soul finds rest in God alone.”** Augustine, reflecting his refreshment said: **“Our souls are restless until they find rest in You.”**

So, what does it take to cultivate solitude? Quite simply, it takes focus, time and commitment. Jesus provides the example for the discipline of prayer, and we can extend that to the discipline of solitude. **“Often, Jesus went to quiet places to pray”** (Luke 5:16). Jesus, the Master, modelled the discipline of setting aside regular time –away from the busy, hectic life to seek out a quiet space. Despite the weight of His ministry, the incessant demands of the crushing crowds- or even his disciples, Jesus possessed a quiet mind. This flowed from the peace that passes all our understanding. He is our model and our focus. The solitude which Jesus established in quiet time, informed and nourished Him during the “not so quiet” rest of the time.

Wouldn't it change our days if we could learn the practice of solitude? It is possible. Dallas Willard writes: In stark aloneness it is possible to have silence...to be still, and to know that Jehovah indeed is God (Psalm 46:10), to set the Lord before our minds with sufficient intensity and duration that we stay centered upon him – our hearts fixed, established in trust (Psalm 112:7-8) – even when back in the office, shop, or home (Dallas Willard, *The Spirit of the Disciplines*, p. 162).

For many of us, the order of life is reversed. As we rush around to complete our highly organized daily schedule, we crowd out God –forgetting that it is He Who makes things possible. For you, is it time to retreat with Him? Do you crave the peace which the world can neither give nor understand? In this season of Lent, is it time to come away with Him?

Peace, Rob+

## Coming up in Six Saints...

♥ **Care Connection – Join Our Parish Visitors Team!** ♥ In an effort to lovingly support the needs of our parishioners, we are forming a **team of parish visitors** as an extension of our pastoral ministry. ✨ **Interested in helping?** We are offering a **training evening:** 📅 **Tuesday, March 24** 🕒 **7:00 PM** 📍 **St. George's Church** Come be a part of this meaningful ministry of care and connection!

✦ **Greater Chapter Meeting** ✦ 📅 **Thursday, March 19** 🕒 **7:00 p.m.** 📍 **St John the Baptist Anglican Church, Riverview.** All newly elected Synod Delegates and Alternates are strongly encouraged to attend. Your presence and participation are greatly appreciated. 🙏 🙌

🌟 **Community Meal Update** 🌟 Our **Community Meal** will be moved to the **fourth Sunday — March 22nd at 5:00 PM** 📍 **Location:** Legion Building(31 Legion St, Hillsborough, NB E4H 2W7) This change is due to the **Annual Meeting.** ✨ We look forward to gathering for **good food and fellowship!** Everyone is welcome. 🍽️ **See you on March 22nd at 5 PM!**

🌸 **St. Mary's ACW Meeting** 🌸 📅 **Date:** Tuesday, **March 24th** 🕒 **Time:** Noon(Lunch) 🏠 **Location:** Veronica Locke's Home ✨ **Special Guest:** Our **Deanery President** will be attending! 🧡 **All ladies are warmly welcome** to join us for fellowship, food, and fun! 🙌 🌿

📄 **Tax Clinic** 📍 **St. George's Basement** 📅 **Every Thursday, starting March 26** 🕒 **1:00 PM – 3:30 PM** Come get your taxes done with ease!

📄 **2025 Tax Receipts** 📄 Tax receipts for the year **2025** have been sent via **email** 📧. If you have not received yours electronically, a copy will be available at the **church front** 🏠. Should you still not receive it, please **contact the church office** 📞 📧. 🙏 Thank you for your patience and understanding! 🙌

## Stations of the Cross Reflections 2026 at 6:00p.m. 🙏

- 📅 **Mar 13** – Barb Haire | 🏠 St. Georges Church
- 📅 **Mar 20** – David Alston | 🏠 St. James Church
- 📅 **Mar 27** – Mike Briggs | 🏠 St. Georges Church

