

| HOLY MASS   | PARISH MEETINGS  |                       |  |                        |  |   |  |                                 |  |                                |  |                       |  |                            |  |                             |  |                       |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |
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| <p><b>Sunday February 9<sup>th</sup> 2014</b><br/><b>5<sup>th</sup> Sunday In ordinary Time</b></p> <p><b>READINGS:</b> Isaiah 58.6-10 1 Corinthians 2.1-5<br/><b>Psalm 112 Gospel:</b> Matthew 5.13-16</p> <p><b>Saturday February 8<sup>th</sup> 4:00pm</b><br/><b>Offered for:</b> David Tarbell, Donna Van Every, Norman Sr. &amp; the children<br/>Requested by Norman &amp; Elizabeth Tarbell &amp; family</p> <p><b>Sunday February 9<sup>th</sup> 10:00am</b><br/><b>Offered for:</b> Theodore Porter 1<sup>st</sup> memorial birthday<br/>By Lorraine Oakes and family</p> <p><b>Tuesday February 11<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm</b><br/><b>Offered for:</b> David Jerry Lazore<br/>Requested by wife and children and the grandchildren</p> <p><b>Wednesday February 12<sup>th</sup> 12:10pm</b><br/><b>Offered for:</b> Bruce Phillip Jackson<br/>Requested by wife Linda and family</p> <p><b>Thursday February 13<sup>th</sup> 9:30am</b><br/><b>Offered for:</b> Tsiionkwanonhsothe<br/>Minnie Mae Peters<br/>Requested by the family</p> <p><b>Friday February 14<sup>th</sup> 12:10am</b><br/><b>Offered for:</b> Wallace Jacobs<br/>Requested by the family</p> <p><b>Saturday February 15<sup>th</sup> 4pm</b><br/><b>Offered for:</b> Edward Lazore<br/>Requested by the family</p>  | <table border="1"> <tr> <td><b>Parish Council</b></td> <td>February 23<sup>rd</sup> 1:00pm 2014 K.H.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Finance Council</b></td> <td>March 15<sup>th</sup> 2014 Pastors residence 9:00am</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;"><b>Sunday Collections</b><br/><b>For the week of January 26<sup>th</sup></b><br/>1,008 US 797.55CDN</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Faith Formation Ministry</b></td> <td>February 5<sup>th</sup> 6pm pastors residence</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Communications Ministry</b></td> <td>February 12<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm K.H.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Youth Ministry</b></td> <td>February 14<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm K.H.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Liturgical Ministry</b></td> <td>February 19<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm K.H.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Family Life Ministry</b></td> <td>February 26<sup>th</sup> 3:00 pm K.H.</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;"><b>Sanctuary Lamp</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;"> <p><b>Sanctuary Healing Candle</b><br/>Betty Swamp by Bessie Mitchell<br/>Theresa Mitchell by Bessie Mitchell</p> <p><b>Sanctuary Candle in Memoriam</b><br/>In memory of<br/>Art Bova by daughter Lori Bova.</p> </td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;"><b>"A message from the Bishop's office in Valleyfield"</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"> <p>Yes to palliative care available to all, but no to euthanasia under the name "medical aid in dying." <b>The members of our National Assembly will soon be called upon to vote on Bill 52.</b> This proposed law, if it were to be adopted, would legalize euthanasia under the name "medical aid in dying." 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| SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM  |  |                       |  |                        |  |   |  |                                 |  |                                |  |                       |  |                            |  |                             |  |                       |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |
| <p>Learn why it's so important to start your family with the holy sacrament of Baptism.<br/>Next Baptism Seminar<br/>Thursday February 20<sup>th</sup> 2014 4:00 pm.</p> <p>You have to BE PRE-REGISTERED to attend. Please call or visit the Pastor's Residence to obtain application. To insure your registration, please submit completed application form and birth certificate of person to be baptized <b>before</b> the scheduled seminar.</p>   |  |                       |  |                        |  |   |  |                                 |  |                                |  |                       |  |                            |  |                             |  |                       |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |



### The Lord's Prayer

Ta kwa ien ha, ne, ka ron hia ke, te si te ron, a ie sa sen na ien, a ie sa wen ni ios ta ke, a ie sa wen na ra kwa ke, non wen tsia ke, tsi ni iot, ne, ka ron hia ke, kie sa wen na rak wa. Ta kwa nont, ne, ken wen te, ia kion he kon, nia te wen ni se re ke, sa sa ni konr hen, ni on kwa ri wa ne ren, tsi ni iot, ni, i, tsi on kwa ni konr hens. O the non, ion ki ni konh rak sa ton, non kwe; to sa, a ion kwa sen ni, ne ka ri wa ne ren, ak we kon, e ren, sa wit, nio tak sens. NE NE KA NA KE RAH TSHE RA, NE NE KA SATS TENH SE RA, KA IA TA NE HRA KWAH TSHE RA, SA WEN'K NON:WA NOK TSI NEN:WE - E THO E THO NA IA WEN.



### THIS SUNDAY'S REFLECTION

Centered on the image of light, today's readings offer a rich meditation on the nature of discipleship. Light permeates our lives, it changes marking the passing of time. Light energizes us, and its absence can disorient us. Symbolically, light signifies life, creation. Light is associated with God's entry into time, into deeper relationship with us, and it represents both resurrection energy and the Spirit among us. So light permeates spiritual history as well, expressing divine energy, presence. Our intense response to light ensures that light serves as a powerful, evocative spiritual image as well. Thus, the notion of light displacing darkness—used by both Isaiah and the Psalmist to describe the transformation possible through living justice, compassion, generosity, seeking blessing and freedom for all—is a metaphor for conversion leading to social change that resonates with us as we continue Jesus' mission. Light is physical energy, divine energy, spiritual energy... each life-giving, transformative. Yet we too, Jesus tells us, are light for the world. Transformed by the light of Christ that fills us, shapes us through love, we shine, reflecting the God that creates us, is the Light of our longing. Let there be light!

*Ella Allen, Fredericton, NB*

### PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK & ELDERLY

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE SICK FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES, FEBRUARY 11, 2014**

**PRAYER TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES**  
O ever Immaculate Virgin, Mother of Mercy, health of the sick, refuge of sinners, comforter of the afflicted, you know my wants, my troubles, my sufferings; look with mercy on me.  
By appearing in the Grotto of Lourdes, you were pleased to make it a privileged sanctuary, whence you dispense your favors; and already many sufferers have obtained the cure of their infirmities, both spiritual and corporal. I come, therefore, with complete confidence to implore your maternal intercession. Obtain, O loving Mother, the grant of my requests. Through gratitude for your favors, I will endeavor to imitate your virtues, that I may one day share your glory. Amen.

**MARY, HEALTH OF THE SICK, PRAY FOR US!**  
We commend to Our Lady of Lourdes all parishioners of St. Regis Church who are suffering—those in our hospitals and nursing homes; those who suffer from illness, loneliness, or depression. We pray especially for Ted Mitchell, Theresa Mitchell, Gordon Caldwell, Anne-Marie McDonald, Sandra Terrance, Eva Seymour, Felicia Sunday, Jimmy Jacobs, Betty Swamp, Bertha Horne, and Barbara White, Paul Arbour and Lawrence Robillard. May God grant eternal rest to all the faithful departed, especially the recently deceased Thomas George, Barbara Gray, Jarius Chrisjohn, Javin Chrisjohn, and Hunter Chrisjohn. May our Blessed Mother console all their families and loved ones who mourn.

### A PRAYER FOR CAREGIVERS

O Divine Healer, look down upon all who care for your people—wounded in body or mind or Spirit. Gift our minds with knowledge and wisdom, our hands with the touch of kindness, our spirits with a deep compassion. Open our hearts to be ever more inclusive and deepen our capacity for wonder that we recognize You in unexpected people and situations. We pray in gratitude, O healing Mystery, for the skill of Physicians, the experience of nurses the touch of CNA's and Orderlies, the cleansing gifts of housekeepers, the listening ear of Social Workers, the prayer and presence of Chaplains, the attentiveness of Dieticians, the expertise of Information, and vision of Administrators and Leaders.  
Thank you for the call to be a healing presence to Your people. Bless us all whom we encounter, O God of Mercy. Amen

### Announcements/Notices

**Our office hours**  
Please take note of our opening hours in the Office  
**Tuesdays to Fridays: 9 am to 12 noon**  
**1.00 pm to 4.00 pm.**

The office is closed:

- ❖ 4.00pm in the evenings,
- ❖ On Mondays
- ❖ On weekends.
- ❖ On Holy Days of Obligation

Please respect these hours, and try to accommodate your inquires within the designated times. Private calls to the Pastor and emergency calls are of course welcome at all times. Phone calls outside the office hours will be taken up by the pastor, and appointments with the pastor can still be arranged outside the office hours. Help us to get more organized.

**Parish Sacristan**  
I notice that we absolutely need a sacristan here in our Church. Mr. Harold Caldwell has volunteered to be our Sacristan. We are giving him some time to try this ministry and see if he will be able to assume the role. All matters related to the sacristy and altar should be addressed to Harold Caldwell.  
Fr. Anthony

### Children's Liturgy Program

**Children's Liturgy** - All children are invited to participate in the Children's Liturgy held every Sunday during the 10 am Mass. This Sunday's Feb.9<sup>th</sup> instructor is Team #1 - Becky Papineau and Leanne Oakes. Next Sunday's instructors are Caroline Peters and helper. If you wish to volunteer, please call K.H

**Religious Education News** - All candidates of the 2014 Confirmation and 1st Communion classes are strongly encouraged to attend Masses and classes as a requirement to receiving the Sacraments. Please remember to sign in when attending a Mass.