CHRISTMAS - we've already received some small soaps, lotions, etc. from 'parish travellers'. We will be handing these out with our Christmas Gift cards. They can be dropped off at the office Monday - Thursday, in the morning. We will also be looking for mittens, hats, etc. to be distributed with our Gift Cards. There will be a 'trunk' at the main entrance of the church in October to receive these knitted offerings. (Store-bought goods are acceptable - new, please!). Thank You for thinking of others!

50 & PLUS - on September 9th, at 2:00 p.m., a meeting will be held at the Assumption Hall, with the President of the NB Senior Citizens Federation (NBSCF) Percy Huntington and Robéa Cormier, Past President, in attendance. They will be explaining the benefits of NBSCF membership and all are welcome to attend.

THE SAINT JOHN CATHOLIC ACADEMY - is a co-ed, grades 9-12 Catholic High School in Saint John. The school takes its name from St. John the Baptist, for whom the city and river are named, and who is a model of courage and virtue. For more information, view the prospectus here: bit.ly/SJCA-Prospectus. To apply, visit bit.ly/SJCA-apply.

GROWING UP IN SAINT JOHN'S NORTH END - by Redemptorist Brother Raymond Pierce is a book of 64 short stories of memories. It is available for a *donation* by cheque or money order payable to the "REDEMPTORISTS". Send your donation and your return address to - Br. Raymond Pierce, 426 St. Germain Ave., Toronto, ON, M5M 1W7 or email raymondcssr@gmail.com.

CANADIAN MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION will be offering the following programs - please call (506) 652-1447 for more information. *Life After Loss (Survivors of Suicide)* - September 21 - November 23,

Thursdays, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. at *Carleton Kirk United Church Understanding Anxiety & Panic Disorder* - September 26 - November 21, and from March 12 - April 30, 2024 Tuesdays, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.,

Simonds Lions Club

Mindfulness - October 5 - November 9 and March 14 - April 18, 2024, Thursdays, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Lighter Moments (For Older Folks):

As I've gotten older, people think I've become lazy. The truth is I'm just being more 'energy efficient'.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Monday – Thursday - 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Weekday Liturgies

Monday - NO MASS Tuesday - 5:30 p.m. (Novena Mass) Wednesday - NO MASS Thursday - 9:00 a.m. Mass Friday - NO MASS

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil at 4:00 p.m. Sunday at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday - 5:00 - 5:30 p.m. Saturday - 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment only. Please call the Rectory

Sacrament of Marriage

A six (6) month prior notice is requested

Ministry to the Sick

Please contact the Rectory if you or someone you know would like to be visited at home or in hospital



August 27th, 2023 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Masses for the week of August 28th

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Monday		- NO MASS -	from Liv
Tuesday	5:00 p.m.	- Adoration -	f h ground
		- Novena Mass	Mough
		- Sheila Williams	
Wednesday		- NO MASS -	all
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	- NO MASS -	-things
Friday		- NO MASS -	1910
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	- Memorial Mass	roman .
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	- For the People	
-	11:00 a.m.	- Living & Deceased members of the Lozier	
		& Ray Dobbelsteyn families.	

MEMORIALS WILL BE CELEBRATED on Saturday, September 2nd at 4:00 p.m. for: Gerald Vickers, Cecelia Boyd, Wilson Devassy (a), Wayne Wetmore, David Durant and all deceased members of their families; a Mass of Thanksgiving and a Special Intention.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - we are preparing the October - December schedule. If you know that you will be unavailable at any point during those months, please contact the parish office (653-6830 or stpiusx@nb.aibn.com) by Tuesday, September 12, so that we can adjust the schedule accordingly.

SUNDAY OFFERTORY - August 20th - (Including PAD) - \$4,576.00



BOOK/PUZZLE SALE - will be hosted by the C.W.L. in the fall. They will be looking for books or jigsaw puzzles in good condition. If you have any to donate, please leave them at the church entrance or phone 653-6834 to arrange for a time to drop them off to the church hall.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES - The **C.W.L** will also be collecting school supplies for students. Any donations will be greatly appreciated and can be placed in bags at all entrances. Some suggested items are Glue sticks, dry erase markers, pencils, erasers, markers, notebooks. **Deadline September 3**rd.

CHOIR PRACTICE - will be starting again on Wednesday, **September 6th at 6:30 p.m**. Please join Mary Ann in the choir loft. (Use 'parking lot' side door, please).

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

For Pope Francis as he encourages the millions of Catholics persecuted for their faith in Jesus and His Gospel. We pray to the Lord.

For Bishop Christian and for our parish family as we celebrate St. Pius the Tenth on Monday. We pray to the Lord.

For the many in Canada who continue to face the threat of wildfires and for the people of Hawaii in their recovery. We pray to the Lord.

For the success of the new Saint John Catholic Academy and for a generous response and support from the community.

We pray to the Lord.

For the many families and individuals who are being overwhelmed by steadily increasing food prices and rent. We pray to the Lord.

For anyone who is ill or awaiting surgery or treatment.

We pray to the Lord.

For those who have died NN..... that they may receive refreshment, light and peace in the Kingdom of Heaven. We pray to the Lord.

Yvonne Robichaud, Alex Bishop, Ethel Langlais, Dorianne McCaskill, Barbara Shephard, Barry McManus, Bob Estabrooks, Harold Arbeau, Bill Finlay

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES - will begin Sunday, September 24th in the Parish Hall.

Grades 1 - 5 will be Sunday mornings from 9:50 -10:50 a.m.

Grades 6 - 8 will be on Sunday evenings from 6:15 - 7:15 p.m. and

Grade 9 will be on Sunday evenings 7:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Registration for all grades will be held *after Sunday morning Masses*, on **September 3**rd, **10**th and **17**th. *Grade 1 students are requested to bring a copy of their Baptism certificate when they register.*