

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

### Sunday School Picnic:

Summer is just around the corner, and so is our Sunday School Picnic & BBQ (following the 10 am service on **Pentecost Sunday, June 4**). We are looking for some help with a few things to make this a great event for our whole Parish family, and so sign-up sheets will be set up in the Narthex (Lobby) this week.



### June Sure Looks Busy!

On **JUNE 23-25** Camp Medley is hosting their **Family Camp** weekend, and our Family & Youth Minister, Rob Montgomery, will be helping out with Evening Worship. Cost for the weekend is \$150 for a family of four, +\$25 per additional person (Not including infants).



**Can't come for the whole weekend?** Come join us for the day (\$10/person).

After Family Camp ends on the 25th, our **Youth Group** will be making the trek up to Medley for their very own Camp Party to kick off Summer Break.

### Family-Friendly Potlucks:

We are holding another **Family-Friendly Potluck** here at St. Paul's on **Saturday May 13 at 12:30pm**. These events are intended to be fairly informal; a simple devotion, a shared meal, and some time spent together. We'll have some fun activities for the kids to enjoy as well.

If you are interested in joining us, please connect with Rob Montgomery by email ([rob.montgomery@anglican.nb.ca](mailto:rob.montgomery@anglican.nb.ca)), or by phone at 506 608-1772.

### Summer Camp Registrations:

There are several Camp Ministries that run during the summer months that we at St. Paul's are proud to support:

- ❖ Camp Medley in Upper Gagetown (<http://campmedley.ca/>)
- ❖ Camp Brookwood near Florenceville-Bristol (<http://www.campbrookwood.ca/>)
- ❖ Choir School at RNS (<http://www.anglicanchoirschool.com/>)
- ❖ St. Michael's Youth Conference south of Bouctouche (<https://smyc.ca/>)

**NOTE:** Bursaries are available for all these great camps. Please contact Rob Montgomery for more information.

### CHILDREN ARE ALWAYS WELCOME AT ST. PAUL'S

**Activity Bags** are available for children remaining in Church

**Sunday School** welcomes kids ages 3+ during our 10 am service

Our **Nursery Room** is always ready for parents to use if they wish

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### ST. PAUL'S YOUTH GROUP

Ages 12+ **Friday 7-9pm** at the Church Everyone Welcome

### Contact Info

**Family & Youth Minister:** Rob Montgomery  
506-608-1772 / [rob.montgomery@anglican.nb.ca](mailto:rob.montgomery@anglican.nb.ca)

## PARISH NOTES

### And Where is the Rector today?

Part of the bargain for Archdeacon Wandlyn being with us in January, was that I had to reciprocate by visiting the Parish of Fredericton. Thanks to Rev. Eileen for taking the 8 am Eucharist and Rev. Robyn Cuming at 10, with Fr. Jim preaching at 10 a.m.

### Some Notes from the April Vestry Meeting

+ Clark Sancton attended Vestry to bring Vestry up to date on the work of the Endowment Fund. Bert Fraser will be joining the members of the Fund and providing a link between Vestry and the Fund.

+ Vestry is still considering terms of service for members of Vestry and Parish Committees

+ we are grateful to John Johnson who has agreed to take on the connection with the Cortland Place property. John succeeds Hadley Wood who served in this role for five years.

+ the Parish Advisory Committee (PAC) on the appointment of the new Rector have posted the Parish Profile and advertised the vacancy in the Diocese and National Church. The deadline for expressions of interest is May 19. The congregation is asked to pray for the Bishop and the PAC as they anticipate response and prepare for interviews.

+ Greg Fleet gave notice that we now enjoy high speed internet at the church, thanks in part to some wiring he and Harry Crossley installed

+ notice was given that Deantha Edmunds will be renting the parish hall June 26 – 30 to run a Music Camp. We are also anticipating hosting the UNB-SJ arts camps for some weeks in the summer

+ 13 candidates will be presented to the Bishop for Confirmation

### A Gift to Sigowet School

The Ministry and Mission committee of the Parish of Shediac have made a generous donation of \$1000 to Sigowet School. They have often made a gift and we greatly appreciate their interest and support.

### Quilt in the Crosby Room

Our quilters have a pretty quilted hanging on display on a rack in the Crosby Room. It will be on sale as a silent auction item at our annual yard sale on May 5 & 6. If you would like to pre-view it, drop by the Crosby after church and have a look.

### ACW Meeting

ACW members, please note that our monthly meeting will be held on **May 11th at 1:30**. This changed so as to not conflict with the Diocesan Annual Meeting in St. George.

### **ACW Card Party**

The ACW Card Party was a great success. Over \$1200 was raised. This money will be used to send 4 inner city kids to local camps this summer. Thank you to all who contributed and attended and many thanks to the Bulk Barn for their donation.

### **Baptism – June 11**

We are looking forward to celebrating the sacrament of Holy Baptism, on **Sunday, June 11 at 10 a.m.** Families are invited to contact the office if they are interested in having a child a baptized.

### **Letter for Pickup**

The Wardens and Chair of the Finance Committee have prepared a letter to the congregation. It is available this morning in the lobby. Thank you for picking up your copy.

### **Those Preparing for Confirmation**

Please remember to pray for those in preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Bishop Edwards will be with us on **Wed, May 17** at 7 p.m.

#### **Adults**

Gayle Johnson  
Heather McNutt  
Robert Montgomery  
Neville Russell  
Amanda Shonaman  
Paul Taylor

#### **Young People**

Tyler Bishop  
Ross Daigle  
Sara Harrigan  
Simon Oxley  
Sophie Parsons  
Anna Streeter  
Kylie Streeter

### **Coffee Hour Volunteers**

The Mission Within the Parish Committee is looking ahead to fall and planning for our popular after church coffee hours. If you would like to add your name to the list to start volunteering in September, please sign up on the sheet on the lobby table, or call the office at 847-1812.

### **St. Paul's Endowment Fund**

The St. Paul's Endowment Committee is accepting applications for funding to the following four categories:

1. In support of spiritual enhancement of the members of the Parish family.
2. In support of building renovations, restoration or repairs at St. Paul's, Rothesay.
3. In support of assistance or aid to families in need or to support worthy undertakings and projects in the Rothesay area.
4. In support of national or international relief efforts.

The Committee will distribute approximately \$3200 to each category. We encourage members of the Parish and others to submit applications for funding within the guidelines.

Applications are available at the Church office and will be accepted **until May 31, 2017**

## **BEYOND THE PARISH**

### **"Sing Out! Reach Out!"**

"Sing Out! Reach Out! A Concert in Support of Outreach Ministry" will be held at St. Luke's Anglican Church, corner of Main and Lansdowne, Saint John, on **Saturday, May 13 at 7 p.m.** Performers will include the Harbour View High Choir, the Saint John High Choir and special guests. Admission at the door: \$10 for adults and \$5. All proceeds will support St Luke's Outreach Programs.

### **Annual Spring Tea**

The Annual Spring Tea will take place at the Kingston Parish Hall on **Sat, May 6, from 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.** Cost is \$8 per person. Tea, Coffee, Sandwiches and Sweets will be served. Sponsored by the Anglican Parish of Kingston.

### **RNS Art Show**

The 28th Annual Rothesay Netherwood School Art Show and Sale will be held on **Fri evening, May 12 from 7-9pm and on Sat, May 13 from 9am-3pm** in the school's Irving Gymnasium. Over 300 pieces of original artwork from up-and-coming and professional artists from Atlantic Canada and beyond will be displayed for sale. Proceeds raised through events such as the Art Show and Sale are given to the school to enhance the learning environment of its students. For more information, please call the School Office at 847-8224 or email [artshow@rns.cc](mailto:artshow@rns.cc). To preview artwork, please visit [www.rns/cc/artshow.cc](http://www.rns/cc/artshow.cc)

### **To Emmaus**

'Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who has not heard?'

The Risen One wandered their road with them. Their beclouding had not cleared and did not lift even from His word.

He simply came when asked at evening and broke bread there, a third, with them.

And abruptly they were assured, beyond all that seeing had suffered joyful. They hurried to those who had not heard.

'The Lord is risen indeed,' the welcomers cried.

Margaret Avison 1918-2007

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