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"Not only with our lips but in our lives"

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SERVICES THIS COMING WEEK (13 -19 SEPT)

- On Sunday, Communion at **St John's** (9 am) & **St Luke's** (11 am)
- Most weekdays the rector offers morning prayers and reflections live at 8:30 am and viewable any time later. See [Parish of Richmond and Woodstock - YouTube](#)

Among those we uphold in prayer: **Cole, Connie, Doris, Ivan, Joyce, Lewis, Lynn, Melba, Michelle, Phyllis, Sheila, Shirley, Steven**

Please advise Pat Margison (328-8146) of name deletions as well as name additions.

Who doesn't know someone in hospital? There's a convenient way to get a cheery greeting to the hospitalized: hospital volunteers deliver it. Folk receiving these notes have mentioned how important they are. Check out: <https://horizonnb.ca/patients-visitors/send-a-message-to-a-patient/>

Food Bank families rely on our weekly and monthly generosity.

This coming week's birthdays: **Karen Parkinson, Wesley Margison, Roger Lutwick**

Anniversary: **Allan & Judy Clark**

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☞ Pray for those taking part in **Saturday's ordination of 7 deacons and priests at Christ Church Cathedral**, 3 pm, and be sure to arrive early for seating.

This Sunday's public worship in the parish will be at **St John's Richmond Corner**, 9 am.

Richmond's **Compassion Fund** has purchased **backpacks destined for needy students** in local schools. Congregants are asked to bring in **school supplies** to go along with them. **Deadline is 30 September**.

Forthcoming ~

- **Saturday 12 September**: Mass **ordination** at Christ Church Cathedral, 3 pm
- **Thursday 17 September**: **Vestry** meets at the Rectory and on Zoom, 7 pm
- *Sunday 20 September*: **Blessing of Animals** service at St John's, 4 pm
- *Monday 21 September*: free **soup/roll lunch** at St Luke's hall, 11:30-1:00
- *Thursday 24 September*: **Do Drop In(n)** at the Parish Centre, 10 am. Conversation, fun or quiet – your choice
- *Sunday 27 September*: **Memorial Service** at St John's (9 am) & St Mark's (3 pm)
- *Monday 26 October*: free **soup/roll lunch** at St Luke's hall, 11:30-1:00
- *Thursday 29 October*: **Do Drop In(n)** at the Parish Centre, 10 am. Conversation, fun or quiet – your choice
- *Tuesday 3 November*: **97th anniversary** of the consecration of Holy Trinity
- *Saturday 7 November*: **Diocesan Synod**, Christ Church Cathedral, 8:45 am
- *Monday 23 November*: free **soup/roll lunch** at St Luke's hall, 11:30-1:00
- *Sunday 29 November*: **40th anniversary** service for Parish of Richmond **Mothers' Union**, 9 am

- *Monday 21 December: free **soup/roll lunch** at St Luke's hall, 11:30-1:00*

Home visits – In times of crisis the rector will be there. Other visits can be arranged by speaking to her or leaving a call back message at **506-328-3042**.

Parish Financial update: The close of August puts two-thirds of 2026 behind us. Offerings to the parish Operating Fund – from which we pay the ordinary monthly bills – have averaged **\$40 a week below** the budget target. That's actually better than last year this time. But to avoid a \$2100 budget shortfall on the year we will have to do a bit better. We did just that in the last third of 2025, ending with a small surplus. We can again.

There is good news. This coming Saturday's **ordination of 7 new deacons and priests at the Cathedral** (3 pm) will equal the largest prior ordination service in Archbishop Edwards' time as bishop. May the Lord be with him and them. If you have never witnessed an ordination in the Catholic tradition, this will be a very special opportunity. Archbishop and ordinands are spending this week in retreat.

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

- Communion at **St Mark's** (9 am) & **St Luke's** (11 am); Morning Prayer at **Holy Trinity** (9 am); Blessing of animals at **St John's** (4 pm)