

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.**

Thursday 7:00 p.m. Gospel-based Discipleship (ZOOM)

DAILY BIBLE READING

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

Sunday	Job 33	Romans 4
Monday	Job 38: 1-21	Romans 5
Tuesday	Job 38: 22- end	Romans 6
Wednesday	Job 39	Romans 7
Thursday	Job 40	Romans 8: 1-17
Friday	Job 41	Romans 8: 18- End
Saturday	Job 42	Romans 9

Please Note 📅 📖 **Thursday Communion Service at St George's church** will not be held during the month of **July** due to the summer break and resume from August. 🌟 Thank you for your understanding

📅 **Please Note** 📖 Our Bible Study gatherings at St. James, St. George's, People Park Tower and Spencer's Home service are on summer break and will resume in September. 🙏 Thank you for your participation and fellowship. We look forward to studying God's Word together again in September! 🌟

🕒 **Morning Prayer Schedule Change** Please note that beginning June 29 Monday Morning Prayer will be held at 8:15 a.m. (instead of 8:30 a.m.) 📅 Tuesday to Friday Morning Prayer will continue at 8:30 a.m.

🧵 **Quilting Ministry – St. James Church** 🧵 Join us every **Wednesday from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** at **St. James Church!** We have quilting supplies available and welcome anyone interested in quilting. ❤️ The quilts we create are donated to those in need. 📞 For more information, contact **Joyce McKillop at 506-389-1948** or Joygram6447@bellAliant.net. 🌟 **New members are always welcome!**

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

The Parish Office: 506-855-5209

Email – office@stgeorgesmoncton.ca

Website: www.parishofsixsaints.ca

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

Fifth Sunday After Trinity

July 5, 2026

Luke 5:1-11

The Miraculous Catch of Fish

“
Do not be afraid;
from now on
you will be
catching people.”

Luke 5:10

They left everything and followed him.

The Gospel for today: **Luke 5: 1-11**

Prayer Requests: please contact the Parish Office:
office@stgeorgesmoncton.ca or 506-855-5209

Wardens:	Sheila Colbourne	506-830-4903
	Karen MacLean	506-688-8469
Deacons:	The Rev Barb Haire	506-203-0188
	The Rev David Alston	506-866-5986
	The Rev Norman Dupuis	506-386-1324

Welcome to the Parish of the Six Saints

Services for this Sunday are being offered at

- 08:00 am Morning Prayer St. George's (Rev Norman Dupuis)
- 09:00 am Morning Prayer St. Mary's (Rev Barb Haire)
- 09:00 am Morning Prayer St. Andrew's (Rev David Alston)
- 10:00 am Morning Prayer St. George's (Rev Norman Dupuis)
- 11:00 am Morning Prayer St. James' (Rev David Alston)
- 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 TODAY IS:

GRANT, O Lord, we beseech thee, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by thy governance, that thy Church may joyfully serve thee in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

READINGS FOR TODAY AND NEXT WEEK

Today's Readings (Trinity 5)

BCP- Book Of Common Prayer & BAS- Book Of Alternate Service

Psalms 28,29 BCP P 362,363
 The Lesson: Isaiah 6: 1-8
 The Gradual: Psalm: 84: 8-13 BCP p 438
 The Epistle: I Peter 3: 8-15 BCP p 225
 The Holy Gospel: Luke 5: 1-11 BCP p 225

Next Sunday's Readings, Trinity 6

Psalms 34
 The Lesson: Jonah 2
 The Gradual: Psalm: 90: 14-18
 The Epistle: Romans 6: 3-11
 The Holy Gospel: Luke 6: 27-36

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 Explore more on our website: www.parishofsixsaints.ca

Coming up in Six Saints... Young Adult BBQ Meeting



Saturday, July 11th 5:30 PM 10 Rue des Bouleaux
 Notre Dame, NB E4V 1Y3 (Maria Stam's home) All young adults from all parishes of the Six Saints are warmly invited! We look forward to a great time of food, fellowship, and fun!

Parish Picnic Celebration The Parish is delighted to host a joyful picnic gathering at St. Martin's-in-the-Woods, Shediac Cape, NB E4P 3J2



on August 16th at 1 p.m.! This special occasion will also be a warm welcome celebration for our new priest, Rev. Christopher Taper. Come and enjoy a wonderful time of fellowship, laughter, community, and celebration as we gather together in faith and friendship. This will be a potluck gathering, and everyone is warmly invited to bring finger foods to share. Thank you, and we look forward to seeing everyone there!

Choir School 2026 July 9 – July 12, 2026 Rothersay Netherwood School For the 67th year, the Diocese will be holding its annual Choir School. This is a wonderful opportunity to learn music, develop your singing skills, and join with friends old and new in making a joyful noise to the Lord!

For more information and registration, please visit: <https://www.choirschoolnb.com/> Or contact Mike Briggs at: michaelbgbj7813@bellaliant.net

Important Announcement Rev Rob Salloum will be away for the month of July. In case of an emergency or if you require a pastoral visit, please contact: Norman Dupuis-506-386-1324 or David Alston- 506-866-5986 or Barb Haire -506-203-0188

PARISH WORSHIP & FELLOWSHIP GATHERINGS

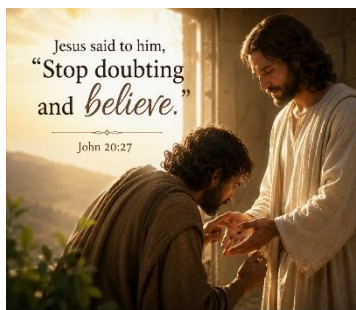
Service Time: 10:30 AM Potluck Fellowship will follow each Parish Service. August 16 is Picnic day so potluck will be served in Shediac Martin in the woods

Date	Host Church	Celebrant
July 12	St. George's Church	Rev. John Paul Westin
August 16	St. James Church	Rev. Rob Salloum and Rev. Christopher Taper

E transfer can be made out to office@stgeorgesmoncton.ca or epay@sixsaints.ca

✪ A Place for Doubt in a Growing Faith ✪

Although the Bible mentions the word *doubt* only a few times, it presents an important lesson about faith. In the New Testament, the Greek word *diakrino* means "to hesitate" or "to waver." Jesus used this word when teaching about faith in prayer (Mark 11:23), and Paul used it in Romans 14:23 to describe hesitation that comes from a lack of faith. Doubt, therefore, is not simply asking questions—it is hesitation in trusting God.



The Bible presents Abraham as an example of unwavering faith. Romans 4:20 says that Abraham "did not waver through unbelief regarding the promise of God, but was strengthened in his faith." His confidence rested not in circumstances but in God's faithfulness.

However, not all doubt is harmful. Healthy doubt can protect us from believing false teachings, misleading information, or our own negative thoughts. The real issue is not whether we doubt, but **what we choose to doubt**. Beneficial doubt causes us to question falsehood, while harmful doubt questions God's truth and promises.

A well-known example is **Thomas** in John 20. After Jesus' resurrection, Thomas refused to believe the other disciples, saying, "Unless I see the nail marks in His hands... I will not believe." His mistake was not that he had questions, but that he placed conditions on believing Jesus. Instead of trusting the testimony of those who had seen the risen Lord, he demanded proof on his own terms.

Yet Jesus responded to Thomas with grace rather than condemnation. He did not immediately appear but allowed Thomas to wrestle with his doubts for a week. During that time, Thomas remained with the other disciples, showing the importance of staying connected to the community of believers even during seasons of uncertainty. When Jesus finally appeared, He lovingly invited Thomas to believe, saying, "Stop doubting and believe" (John 20:27). From Jesus, these words were an invitation, not a rebuke.

Thomas's experience teaches several valuable lessons. First, God can use seasons of doubt to deepen our faith when we continue seeking Him. Second, the Church should respond to those who struggle with mercy and compassion, as Jude 22 reminds us: "Be merciful to those who doubt." Instead of criticizing or excluding those with questions, believers are called to encourage and support them.

Thomas's story did not end in doubt. Church tradition holds that he later traveled to India, where he faithfully preached the Gospel and established Christian communities. His life became a testimony that God can transform honest struggles into a stronger, more mature faith.

Doubt is never the goal of the Christian life, but when it comes, God can use it to strengthen our trust in Him. If we continue to seek Christ, remain in fellowship with other believers, and keep our hearts open to His truth, our doubts can become opportunities for deeper faith. In God's hands, even seasons of uncertainty can lead to spiritual growth and a more confident relationship with Him.

-From Daily Bread

🔊 **Announcements...** 🙌 ✨ **Prayer Meeting Invitation** ✨ 🙏 📅 **Date:**

Saturday, **July 18** 📍 **Venue:** St. George's Church **Time:** 5.30 pm. Join us for a blessed time of fellowship and prayer as we gather to seek God's presence. 🌿

Our Prayer Meeting Includes: 🎵 Worship Songs 📖 Bible Study 🙏 Prayer for Canada ❤️ 🙏 Prayer for those who are facing illness or difficult situations 🗣️ Fellowship with finger foods at the end ❤️ If you would like us to pray for your healing or any personal prayer request, please send us a message at office@stgeorgesmoncton.ca. 🤝 **Everyone is welcome!** 🗳️ If possible, you are welcome to bring a finger food item to share during our fellowship.

🌟 **St. Michael's Youth Conference – August 17–22** 📅 **Dates:** August 17–22, 2026 📍 **Location:** Camp Wildwood, near Bouctouche, NB 👤 **Ages:** Youth 13–19 Registration is now open for the St. Michael's Youth Conference! Join us for an unforgettable week of faith, friendship, fun, and fellowship. 🖥️ Register or learn more: www.smyc.ca 📧 Questions? Contact Olivia Lipton at oliviaglipton@gmail.com

🗺️ **Young Adult Day Trip to Summerside, PEI!** 📅 **Date:** Monday, September 7, 2026 📍 **Destination:** Summerside, Prince Edward Island Join us for a fun-filled day exploring the Island, relaxing at the beach, and connecting with friends. 🌞 🗣️ **Lunch and snacks will be provided.** 🙌 **Don't forget to bring your beach attire!** 📧 **To attend or for more information,** please contact Olivia Lipton at oliviaglipton@gmail.com.

📌 **Please Note** 📅 🕒 For the month of July, the office will be open from **8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** 📞 If we are unavailable to take your call, kindly leave a message, and we will get back to you as soon as possible. 🙏 Thank you for your understanding!