



ALL SAINTS CANDLE – MAY 03, 2026

CONFIRMATION – 5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Shining a Light on What is Happening in Our Parish

Our Mission at All Saints is to be a family of worshipping Christians, dedicated to Christian Education, Spiritual Growth, Pastoral Care, Outreach, and Fellowship.

OUR CANDLE HAS BEEN GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

In loving memory of **Lester Dawe** – by Ruth, Reg, Nancy, Kelly, and Jane Taylor

In loving memory of **David Butler** and **Samuel J. Peach** – by Barbara Butler

In loving memory of **David Butler**, remembering his birthday on May 2nd - by Ros & Roger Cairns

In loving memory of **Elizabeth Peach**, remembering her passing on May 1, 2017 - “Always in our hearts” – by Ros & Roger Cairnes



Living resurrection is to exist as God exists, to love as God loves. *Thomas Merton*

MOTHER’S DAY MEMORIALS - Some of our fondest memories are the time spent with our Mothers and Grand-Mothers. We again invite you to place a memorial in our **2026**

Mother’s Day Memorial Booklet as a remembrance of that special lady in your

life. Your kind donation may be eTransferred to donations@allsaintsparish.ca or by placing it in an envelope and either dropping it into a collection plate, or into our secure Dropbox at the Parish Hall entrance. The **deadline is noon on Wednesday, May 6th**



STUDENT SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY IN OUR PARISH OFFICE - Any post



secondary student that would be interested in working in the Parish Office during July and August are asked to **submit their resume to the Parish Office by May 31, 2026**. You can email to office@allsaintsparish.ca or drop off during business hours, Monday to Friday, from 8:00am to 2:00pm. Please mark it "Parish Office Summer Employment". Funding has been secured for this position from the Canada Summer Jobs Program 2026.

JOB OPPORTUNITY – CBS/PARADISE FOOD BANK - We are currently seeking to hire an **Assistant Coordinator** for our food bank, and we are asking our members to canvass through their congregations to see if anyone is interested. This position entails the following:



- Work hours are Monday to Friday, 9:00am-2:00pm, with the food bank being open to the public Tuesday to Friday
- There will be a requirement for some heavy lifting.
- The position will be responsible for food intake, sorting food by dates and quality, preparing food hampers by dates, and stocking food on shelves by food type, or into coolers and freezers as required.
- Take calls from clients and prepare client files for dates that client was served.
- Applicants will be required to submit a resume with work history and three references.
- A police security check is also required

Please email your resume to cbsparadisefoodbank94@gmail.com, or drop off at the Food Bank at 81 Conception Bay Highway in Conception Bay South.

THE CBS/PARADISE FOOD BANK - There continues to be a growing need for



**CBS/
PARADISE**

Community Food Bank

groceries within our community, and we once again ask that you please consider donating food items or money to the CBS / Paradise Community Food Bank to help those a little less fortunate. The following are some key items:

Tin Soups, Beans, Canned Vegetables, Canned Corn, Kraft Dinner, Fruit, Milk, and Tea Bags - and/or you may make a **monetary donation** simply by e-transferring your

donation to donations@allsaintsparish.ca, and please indicate that it is for the Food Bank.

DO WE HAVE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS- If you would like to receive a digital copy of our weekly bulletins, *The Candle*, and all other updates, please email your address to communications@allsaintsparish.ca



ALL SAINTS TEA ROOM LUNCHEON – Our **All Saints Tea Room Luncheon** is held every Wednesday, starting at noon, and it continues to be a wonderful time of fellowship, with lots of good food and fun. Our untold gratitude goes out to our ladies and gentlemen on the Tea Room Team for giving so unselfishly of their time in providing this wonderful outreach ministry.



CLB ANNUAL INSPECTION – It's that time of the year for our CLB season to start winding down for the summer break, re-commencing again in September. They will be holding their closing Annual Inspection on **Monday, May 11th, starting at 7:00pm** in our Parish Hall. Congratulations on another successful year.



SPONSOR THE CANDLE – Place a '*Memoriam*' to remember a loved one, or a '*Thank Offering*' for that special occasion, and it will be prominently placed prominently in the Bible graphic at the top of this weekly bulletin, for which your kind donation of \$25 would be greatly appreciated. Alternatively, we invite you to place a '*Full-Page*' message with a photo and a memorial verse, for which your kind donation of \$50 would be greatly appreciated. A paper copy of '*THE CANDLE*' is distributed at all Sunday services, and a digital copy is permanently available on our Parish website at allsaintsparish.ca



ALL SAINTS CBS PRAYER CHAIN TEAM - Do you, or a friend, or someone you know require **personal and confidential prayer for any reason**? If so, we invite you to please reach out in confidence to our Prayer Chain Coordinator, **Linda McDonald, at 709-834-1720**, or call our **Parish Office at 709-834-4501**. We are a very active ministry with many prayerful members ready to reach out in thoughtful prayer. Please go to our website to get a full list of our prayer warriors, along with their contact information.



CHURCH OFFERTORY OPTIONS – In addition to our *Sunday collection plate*:

- Our **secure drop-slot**, located to the left of the Parish Hall main door, which is emptied daily, is available 7/24

- **e-Transfer** has become a popular means of offertory by sending an Interac to donations@allsaintsparish.ca
- Our **eGiving program** is growing. It automatically deposits your gift at whatever interval you choose (weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly). Register by going to our website and follow the eGiving notes. For assistance call our Office at 834-4501, or email finance@allsaintsparish.ca
- If you run out of envelopes, please contact the Parish Office at 709-834-4501 or email us at office@allsaintsparish.ca

MEMORIALS – CAPITAL FUND

- In loving memory of our friend, **David Butler**, remembering his birthday, May 2nd - by Dave & Bertha Rideout
- In loving memory of **David Butler**, remembering his birthday on May 2nd - by Bob Peach
- In loving memory of mother, **Nellie Dawe**, remembering her passing on April 29, 1999, and her birthday on May 7th - by Joan and Family
- In loving memory of **Frances Dawe**, remembering her birthday on April 28th - by Mary & Herb Butler

APRIL 26, 2026	WEEKLY	YTD
PERCENT OF LAST YEAR	80%	85%
2026 ACTUAL	2,327	63,571
2025 ACTUAL	2,914	74,931
DIFFERENCE	-587	-11,360

We accept donations via **eTransfers** to donations@allsaintsparish.ca

Please consider signing up in our **e-Giving Program** which ensures you automatically contribute on a regular basis, even during those times when you are unable to physically attend your Church.

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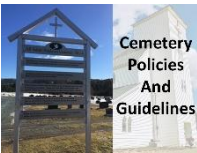
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CEMETERY UPDATE – It's that time of year when we restart our ongoing cemetery maintenance activities, and we would like to welcome back Stephen Porter, our Cemetery Supervisor.

As you may or may not know, All Saints has five separate cemetery properties, and we maintain the graves of over 3700 souls – our departed family members. This task gets more challenging each year, and so we would like to point out a few areas where you, our Parishioners, can help us ease some of the burden.

Our first priority for the season is to ensure we have all our properties cleaned up after the throws of winter, and in a respectable condition for our upcoming Mother's Day celebrations. This entails removing a lot of old flowers and ornaments that have weltered, broken, or been blown around the property, creating not only an eyesore, but a safety hazard.



Which brings us to a few reminders of some important sections of our ***Cemetery Policies and Guidelines*** document located at the top of our website. With such a large volume of graves spread over such widespread properties, it is imperative that we all act responsibly.

- Nothing is permitted to be planted on a grave plot
- Every effort should be made to place flowers and any other items of respect directly on the monument base itself, or areas as near to the base as possible, but never exceeding six inches away from the monument base. Any such items may be discarded, without notice.
- Cut flowers and potted plants may only be placed in disposable clay or plastic containers. **Glass containers are absolutely not permitted** within our cemeteries, and will be discarded, without notice.
- Ornaments made of glass, ceramic, plastic, wood, or metal are not permitted, as they tend to clutter the gravesites and interfere with general maintenance. **Any such items that are considered a safety hazard or which interfere with general maintenance, especially grass cutting, may be moved or discarded.** without notice.
- Last year, at the peak of the fire season, we had to remove all solar powered lighting because there were occasions when such devices were responsible for starting some grass fires. As this season progresses, we may have to enact such measures once more. We will send out notices and post on our website and Facebook page.
- Please expect to receive a few notices throughout the summer season requesting your volunteer assistance with a few projects such as mowing, and monument maintenance, etc..
- If you identify any items or issues that may be a concern, please reach out to the Cemetery Team at cemetery@allsaintsparish.ca or call 834-4501.