



As we enter the second of the two years between our Diocesan Synods (understanding that summer is for R&R on most people's agendas) perhaps this is the time to review what has been accomplished in support of the priorities of the Nicodemus Project, and what is to come in the near future.

Prepare our leaders for a different future

- Fall 2009 and winter 2010 Natural Church Development workshops.
- Lent 2010 Nicodemus Project Lenten Bible study provided to all parishes.
- Aug. 30 – Sept. 1, 2010 Clergy Conference led by the Rev. Gary Nikolosi, expert in congregational development.
- Oct. 28 & 29. 2010 Congregational Development workshop with the Rev. Chuck Owens of South Carolina, recommended by Bishop Edward Salmon. Everyone is welcome.
- Nov. 6, 2010 Natural Church Development workshop specifically for Anglicans at Christ Church (Parish) Church, Fredericton, sponsored by the Archdeaconry of St. Andrews.
- Nov. 20, 2010 Parish visitation program workshop in Sussex presented by the Stewardship Team.
- Nov. 27, 2010 Leadership workshop led by the NB Cursillo team.
- March 29, 2011 Wardens' Day focused on re-learning what it means to be Christian and Anglican, Christ Church (Parish) Church, Fredericton.
- Lent 2011 Nicodemus Project Lenten Bible study featuring web cast talks provided to all parishes.

Help our struggling parishes

- Fall 2010 Continued investment in a Congregational Growth and Development Fund in support of forward-looking and mission-minded projects in parishes, groups of parishes and deaneries.
- Spring 2010 and forward Review of diocesan governance structures and processes by a team led by Archbishop Claude Miller.

Parish self-assessments and future plans

- Fall 2009 and following Parishes began work on these documents to send to their territorial archdeacons by fall 2010.
- Summer 2010 Territorial archdeacons have many completed parish assessments in hand.
- Fall 2010 Archdeacons have all the parish documents and make archdeaconry plans based on them.

As a result of these Synod 2009 initiatives, we are moving toward a future that includes strong, healthy, welcoming and growing parishes able to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ for the Making of Disciples.



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• Ordinations

Robert (Rob) Marsh, Richard Robinson and Lisa Pacarynuik will be ordained to the transitional diaconate by Archbishop Claude Miller on Saturday, Oct. 2 at 3 p.m. in Christ Church Cathedral.

• Appointments

* The Rev. Canon Stuart Allan is appointed to pastoral oversight and as interim-priest-in-charge of the Parish of Millidgeville effective Sept. 12.

* Mr. Richard Robinson was appointed student minister in the Parish of New Bandon on Sept. 1. The Rev. Rod Black remains priest-in-charge of the parish and will supervise Mr. Robinson until he is ordained a priest.

• Announcements

* The Service of Induction: the Rev. Peter J. Gillies as rector of the Parish of Kingston, Trinity Church (3946 Route 845, Kingston) on Sept. 19 at 7 p.m.



• PWRDF Pakistan Flood Relief

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• Youth Rally

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• Anglican Church Women open trust fund with Anglican Foundation

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