

Baptism Preparation: A Fee is applicable for a Baptism and must be paid at the Parish Office before the Baptism takes place. Parents and godparents are required to complete a baptism preparation course and therefore must contact the parish office to make arrangements. **Baptism Preparation will be held on April 18th, 2021, at 1:00 p.m., in the Parish Church.** To register, contact the parish office at 279-1625. For Baptism, at least one sponsor (godparent) must be a baptized, confirmed and practicing Roman Catholic. **Godparents must submit a copy of their Baptism Certificate at the Baptism Preparation Course.** Before your child can be baptized, the parish office must have a copy of your child's birth certificate. To register, contact the parish office at 279-1625. ***During the COVID-19 Pandemic, baptisms will be after the 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass.***

REGISTRATION FOR MASS ATTENDANCE: *Registration for Mass on a weekly basis is required* as we are allowed a maximum number of **50**. Wearing a mask is mandatory. Any parishioner who has a health issue and cannot wear a mask is asked to contact the Parish Office. **If you are registered and are unable to attend for any reason, please contact the Parish Office and inform them.** These seats would then be available for other parishioners who may not have registered. ***Please note: You should register by calling the Parish Office, Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.***

A YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH: On December 8th, 2020, Pope Francis announced a Year of St. Joseph to mark the 150th anniversary of the proclamation by Pope Pius IX of St. Joseph as the Patron of the Universal Church. A webpage dedicated to Celebrating the Year of Saint Joseph is available on the CCCB website. The webpage contains a number of resources and will be updated periodically throughout the Year of St. Joseph. The website is www.cccb.ca.

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE: *Share Love, Share Lent: Paschal Progression.* Did you know that Development and Peace has organized a Lenten campaign every year since 1968? Keeping up with the tradition, this year's campaign, *Share Love, Share Lent*, invites you to a final week of family fun, communal reflection, global solidarity and prayer. **Don't miss our special campaign Way of the Cross!** Catch the details and contribute at www.devp.org/lent.



WELCOME TO ALL & HAVE A SAFE & BLESSED WEEK!

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Confessions by appointment only.



April 4th, 2021

On January 30th, 1986, millions of school children watched the memorial service for Christa McAuliffe, the teacher and astronaut who died in the Challenger Space Shuttle disaster. The most comfort and hope that the cleric offered a grieving nation was to say that she would live on in our memories.

St. Paul, however, offers genuine and lasting comfort and hope. Jesus does not merely live on in our memories. Paul assures us that Jesus was truly raised from the dead, victorious over the power of death and the grave. Our hope in Christ is real. God is alive!

Our Easter faith gives us a lifelong mission – to proclaim to all people that death does not have the last word. Because Jesus lives, we can confidently face every tomorrow with the promise of eternity as our true hope. (*Henri J.M. Nouwen*)

Risen Savior, your victory over death gives you the last word. Death is done. Heaven is real. Thank you for your steadfast love. Alleluia! Amen.

LITURGY SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

April 7th to 11th, 2021

Wednesday, April 7th, 7:00 p.m., Marystown:

Michael Brennan, Mary Jo Martin, William J. Reid & DFM

Saturday, April 10th, 4:00 p.m., Marystown:

Marion Stapleton, Eugene & Rita Hannam, Allan Coady & DFM

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 11th, 9:00 a.m., Frenchman's Cove

John & Bertha Nolan, James Nolan & Deceased Members of the Nolan & Cluett Families, Tommy Coady

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 11th, 11:00 a.m., Marystown

Intention of All Parishioners

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 11th, 2:30 p.m., Fortune

Madonna King, Deon Parsons, John Walsh

Sanctuary Candle – April 4th to 10th

Thomas Francis Brake

MINISTRIES – April 7th – 11th

Wednesday, April 7th, 7:00 p.m., Marystown:

Hospitality: Ed Russell, Alex Power, George Hynes, Vince Antle

Reader: Betty Coady **Eucharistic Minister:** Debbie Farrell

Saturday, April 10th, 4:00 p.m., Marystown:

Hospitality: Dora Cribb, Sharon Manning, Madonna Lambe, Wally Coady

Reader: Sharon Walsh **Eucharistic Minister:** Sr. Dorothy Willcott

Sunday, April 11th, 9:00 a.m., Frenchman's Cove:

Hospitality: Sarah Walters & Rowena Coady

Reader: Nancy Drake

Sunday, April 11th, 11:00 a.m., Marystown:

Hospitality: Ellen Kilfoy, John Edwards, Mary Poulain

Reader: Russ Murphy **Eucharistic Minister:** Cathy Bailey

Pope's Prayer Intention for April 2021: Fundamental rights ~ We pray for those who risk their lives while fighting for fundamental rights under dictatorships, authoritarian regimes and even in democracies in crisis.

VOCATIONS BULLETIN REFLECTION: “God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power.” Are you being called to proclaim the life of the resurrected Christ to the world? Call Fr. James Fleming, Vocation Animator for the Archdiocese, at (709) 754-1195, or email jjfleming@gmail.com: Fr. Jeff Kolonel at (709) 745-8183; Fr. Philip Melvin at (709) 754-1195. Information may also be obtained by emailing: vocations@rcsj.org.

The totals stated here represent collections to March 28th, 2021

OFFERTORY (M):	3662.00	OFFERTORY (FC):	330.00
OFFERTORY (F):	606.00	ASH WEDNESDAY (M):	35.00
ASH WEDNESDAY (F):	75.00	HOLY THURSDAY (M):	25.00
LENTEN OFFERINGS (M):	60.00	LENTEN OFFERINGS (F):	45.00
CHRISTMAS DAY (M):	5.00	EASTER OFFERINGS (M):	20.00
DEV. & PEACE (M)	100.00	DEV. & PEACE (F):	30.00
GOOD FRIDAY (M):	10.00	TOTAL COLLECTION:	\$5003.00

Thank you for your continued support to the parish.

VOLUNTEERS are needed to assist with Ushering, Eucharistic Ministers, Bereavement, etc. Since the pandemic many of our volunteers have not returned to their ministries and it is becoming increasingly difficult to find people to help. If you are willing to assist, please contact the Parish Office.

2021 ENVELOPES & 2020 CHARITABLE DONATION RECEIPTS: Please be advised that the 2021 envelopes that were not picked up from the back of the Church are now in the parish office. Charitable donation receipts are also available to be picked up at the parish office. Please arrange to pick them up at your earliest convenience.

SHARED ADMINISTRATIVE HOURS OF OPERATION: Until further notice our Administrative Assistant will continue to help out in St. Patrick’s parish office on Thursday’s, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., weather permitting. During this period, Sacred Heart parish office will be closed.

EASTER GREETINGS: Christ IS Risen! He is Risen Indeed! I pray that you and your loved ones have a blessed Easter! In the dark times, may you be blessed to see the Light that will not be overcome. This is true, was true and will be true. It is our hope in our trying times. When you come before the Lord, please pray for our Archdiocese, our parish and our priests. Know we pray for you, your loved ones and your intentions. We may not see each other each day but may we meet each day in our prayers! God Bless you!