

**BAPTISM PREPARATION:** Parents and godparents as well as witnesses are required to complete a baptism preparation course, which is offered at the parish church. 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 office if they were baptized outside the parish. Before your child can be baptized, the office must have a copy of your child's birth certificate. To register, call the parish office at 891-1730. A church fee of \$25.00 is applicable for Baptisms. (Goodwill offering for the Priest is to be paid separately). Date for next preparations will be announced at a later date.

**SHARED ADMINISTRATIVE HOURS OF OPERATION:** Until further notice the Administrative Assistant from Sacred Heart Parish will be in St. Patrick's parish office on Thursday's, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., weather permitting. During this period, Sacred Heart parish office will be closed. If the office is closed due to inclement weather, please call Sacred Heart Parish office at 279-1625.

**2021 ENVELOPES** are available for pick-up at the back of the Church.

**NEW...SAINT JOSEPH SUNDAY MISSAL PRAYERBOOK AND HYMNAL FOR 2021:** Parishioners wishing to purchase the Sunday Missal are requested to do so by contacting the parish office. 50 copies are available for purchase at a cost of \$5 per missal.

**THE CENTRE FOR LIFE** offers support to women in unexpected pregnancies with professional counselling and resources. Post-abortion counselling is available to anyone who is in need of emotional healing. The Centre for Life offers confidential and compassionate outreach. There is no fee for our services. Please contact [counsellors@centreforlife.ca](mailto:counsellors@centreforlife.ca) or 579-3818.

**A YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH:** On December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Pope Francis announced a Year of St. Joseph to mark the 150<sup>th</sup> 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](http://www.cccb.ca).

**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.

***WELCOME TO EVERYONE & HAVE A BLESSED WEEK!***

# FATHER MICHAEL BERNEY ROMAN CATHOLIC FAITH COMMUNITY

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*Confessions by appointment only.*

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**Divine Mercy Sunday** (also known as the **Feast of the Divine Mercy**) is celebrated on the Second Sunday of Easter, which concludes the Octave of Easter. The feast day is observed by Roman Catholics as well as some Anglicans. It is originally based on the Catholic devotion to the Divine Mercy that Faustina Kowalska reported as part of her encounter with Jesus, and is associated with special promises from Jesus and indulgences issued by the Catholic Church.

The feast of Divine Mercy, according to the diary of Kowalska, receives from Jesus the biggest promises of grace related to the Devotion of Divine Mercy, in particular that a person who goes to sacramental confession (the confession may take place some days before) and receives holy communion on that day, shall obtain the total expiation of all sins and punishment. That means each person would go immediately after death to heaven without suffering in purgatory. Additionally, the Roman Catholic Church grants a plenary indulgence (observing the usual rules) with the recitation of some simple prayers.

**LITURGY SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS – April 15<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup>**  
**St. Patrick's Parish, Burin**

<b>Thursday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m.:</b> Intention of All Parishioners
<b>Saturday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 p.m.:</b> Peter & Katie Power & DFM, Robert, Elizabeth & Eugene Lundrigan, Dwayne Drake

**PARISH MINISTRIES – April 15<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup>**

**Thursday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m.:**

**Greeter:** Bernice Hollett      **Questioner:** Bernice Hollett      **Recorder:** Bernice Brenton  
**Usher:** Mary Francis      **Server:** Gertie Pearson      **Lector:** Mary Francis  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Gertie Pearson      **Sacristan:** Margaret Manning

**Saturday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 p.m.:**

**Greeter:** Bella Keating      **Questioner:** Bella Keating      **Recorder:** Roberta Mayo  
**Ushers:** Dennis Brown & Theresa Edwards      **Server:** Theresa Edwards  
**Lector:** Roberta Mayo      **Eucharistic Minister:** Evelyn Brenton  
**Sacristan:** Margaret Manning      **Music:** Vanessa Jackman

<b>The totals stated here represent collections to April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021</b>			
<b>OFFERTORY:</b>	\$1,844.80	<b>ASH WEDNESDAY:</b>	\$40.00
<b>DUES:</b>	\$225.00	<b>DEVELOPMENT &amp; PEACE:</b>	\$40.00
<b>EASTER OFFERINGS:</b>	\$565.00	<b>GOOD FRIDAY:</b>	\$340.00
<b>LENTEN OFFERINGS:</b>	\$387.00	<b>HOLY THURSDAY-FAMILY AID</b>	\$385.00
		<b>TOTAL COLLECTION:</b>	<b>\$3,826.80</b>

**Thank you for your continued generosity and support to the parish.**

*Faith is to believe what you do not see; the reward of this faith is to see what you believe.*  
 (Saint Augustine)

**LITURGY SCHEDULE – April 14<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup>**  
**Sacred Heart Parish, Marystown**

**Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.: Saturday, 4:00 p.m.: Sunday, 11:00 a.m.**  
**(Please Note: Registration is required)**

**VOLUNTEERS** are needed to assist with Ushering, Eucharistic Ministers, Bereavement, Lectors, etc. If you are willing to assist, please contact the Parish Office.

**VOCATIONS BULLETIN REFLECTION:** “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent Me, so I send you.” Is Jesus trying to send you to proclaim his truth and peace as a priest, sister or brother? Call Fr. James Fleming, Vocation Animator for the Archdiocese, at (709) 754-1195, or email [jjfleming@gmail.com](mailto: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](mailto:vocations@rcsj.org).

**PARISH FUNDRAISER - 50/50 DRAW, APRIL 30<sup>TH</sup>, 2021**  
**\$20,000.00 MAXIMUM PRIZE PAYOUT, Tickets \$10.00 each**

**To purchase tickets or for more information call:** Grace Antle 342-2012; Catherine Lundrigan 891-1794; Marguerite O’Brien 891-2495; Dot Antle 891-2482; Janice Brushett 342-2138; Roberta Mayo 891-2393; Dominic/Rita Lundrigan 891-1742; Rita Abbott 277-1693; Mary Francis 891-1735; Vic Lundrigan 891-2309; Trudy Antle 891-2597; Sandra Burke 277-0945.

**PLEASE SUPPORT - GET YOUR TICKET SOON!**

**2020 CHARITABLE DONATION RECEIPTS** are available for pickup.

**4<sup>TH</sup> DEGREE PRO DEO AND PRO PATRIS (CANADA) SCHOLARSHIPS:**

The deadline to apply for the **Supreme Scholarship is May 1<sup>st</sup>**. This is open to students graduating **Grade XII in June 2021**. The application can be found online at [www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org). Click “What we do”, then click “Scholarships”. The correct scholarship is the **Pro Deo Pro Patrio 4<sup>th</sup> Degree (Canada)**. The application can be downloaded from the website. The member has to get the application.