



Thirty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time *November 12, 2017*

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Parish Office Hours: Mon-Fri: 9:00 am - 12:30 and 1:30pm - 5:00pm
Good Shepherd Parish Website www.gsparish.ca; *Archdiocese of St. John's* www.rcsj.org
Facebook (@GoodShepherdParishSMB)

Marriage Notifications: 6 Months (Marriage Preparation course required)
Please call Jocelyn (RCEC) to register at 1-709-726-3660
Pre-Baptism Course: To register call Dave Kenny @ 229-7395, Anna Dobbin @ 521-2867
Sacrament of Reconciliation available before all Masses, or anytime by appointment at the parish house.

Visitation To The Sick And Anointing Of The Sick
Please call the Parish Office if you would like Father Steve to visit you at home or in the hospital.

MASS SCHEDULE

(When there is a funeral, weekday mass will be re-scheduled)

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	MASS INTENTIONS
Tuesday November 14	6:30 pm	St. Joseph's	Peter & Mary D Healey & deceased family members Lena & Joe Dawe Austin & Theresa Linehan & deceased family members
Wednesday November 15	6:30 pm	St. Joseph's	Pat & Mary Ezekiel & deceased family members Peter & Agnes Power & deceased family members Wayne Dean
Thursday November 16	9:00 am	Lewis Personal Care	Anthony & Catherine Hicks & deceased family members Michael & Annie Corcoran & deceased family members Ron & Donna Martin
Friday November 17		Rectory	Joseph Doody; Rita Lewis Father Purcell
Saturday November 18	4:00 pm	Mount Carmel <i>Ministry</i>	"Missa Pro Populo" For Parishioners Server: Marie Bonia 1st Reader: Joan Downey 2nd Reader: Joseph Dobbin Gifts: Ethan McCrate & family Eucharistic Minister: Linda Dunne
Sunday November 19	10:30 am	St. Mary's <i>Ministry</i>	Marg & Walter White & deceased family members Donna Tobin; Ben Fleming & deceased family members Cross Bearer: Ron Molloy 1st Reader: Mike Breen 2nd Reader: Priscilla Tobin Gifts: Todd White & family Eucharistic Minister: Betty St. Croix

LITURGY & MEETING SCHEDULE

Wednesday, Nov 15	7:00 pm	St. Joseph's	*CATECHETICAL TEAM MEETING
Wednesday, Nov 15	7:00pm	Home/St. Catherine's	Holy Hour
	7:00pm	Admiral's Beach	Holy Hour
Thursday, November 16	7:00 pm	St. Mary's	KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING
Friday, November 17	3:00 pm	St. Mary's	Chaplet of Divine Mercy



Baptized this weekend at Good Shepherd Parish:
Emily Rose Bolt
&
Kooper Paul Fitzgerald
Congratulations and God's blessings on you and your families!



Dear Parishioners

- 1. BELIZE SCHOOL SUPPLIES POSTAGE FEE:** The total postage fee amounted to \$1187.75. To date the parish has received **\$901.00** to offset shipping costs. If you haven't already made a contribution, please consider donating to this worthwhile cause. Thank you
- 2. CHRISTMAS STOCKING TICKET LOTTERY FUNDRAISER:** Tickets are on sale throughout the parish on a Giant Christmas Stocking filled with lots of Christmas goodies valued at \$500.00. Tickets sell for \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00.
- 3. PARISH ANNUAL KITCHEN PARTY:** I would like to put together a committee to help with the planning of the Parish Kitchen Party which will take place April 15, 2018. I really need help planning this fundraiser and I will be asking people to donate items as prizes. If you are interested in assisting with this vital fundraising event, please contact me at the parish office.
- 4. FAITH FORMATION SESSIONS:** Next session is November 21, 7pm. All are welcome!
- 5. GATHERING PLACE:** The parish will be sponsoring a meal on Tuesday, Feb 13. The cost of the meal is \$1500.00, if you would like to make a donation, it would be greatly appreciated. We will need about 10 volunteers for this meal. Also between now and 2nd Sunday of Advent, I will be accepting donation of personal toiletry items for the guests at the Gathering Place, please note, toothpaste is not needed. **ALSO THERE IS AN URGENT NEED FOR WINTER BOOTS, JACKETS, GLOVES, HATS, MITTS, ETC.**
- 6. MINISTRY APPRECIATION NIGHT:** For all those in ministry will take place, **Friday Dec 1, in St. Joseph's**. Mass at 6:30pm. Reception and Dance to follow at St. Joseph's Hall, 7:45pm. All liturgical ministers, choir members, committee members, church cleaners, ticket sellers, parish volunteers, etc. and spouses/guest are invited to attend. BYO- Refreshments. The parish will be covering the cost of the meal so please contact the parish office if you plan to attend on or before **Friday November 24**.
- 7. CATHOLIC MISSIONS IN CANADA 2018 CALENDARS:** Calendars are now on sale at the parish office, before and after the weekend masses at a cost of \$10.00 each. All proceeds from the sale of the calendars will go entirely to the parish, to help offset general operational church expense.

VOCATION REFLECTION: "Well done, good and faithful servant...." How are you called to use your talents? If Christ may be inviting you to faithful service as a priest or consecrated religious, call Fr. Ken Walsh at 781-1696, Fr. Jeff Kolonel at 745-8183, or Fr. Ray Earle at 488-2525 or email: vocations@rcsj.org

VISITATION: Thursday, November 16, mass will be at Lewis Personal Care Home at 9:00am. Visitation will be starting in Peter's River at 9:30am visiting St. Vincent's, St. Mary's, and Riverhead.

CHURCH DUES & ADVENT OFFERING ENVELOPES are available on the table at the back of the church for those who are not using the weekly boxed envelopes.

SUNDAY MISSALS FOR 2018 are on sale before and after the weekend masses. Cost \$5.00 per missal.

"LISTEN! SOON THE GREAT GIFT OF THE INCARNATION WILL BE HERE". To retreat for a brief time from the Christmas hype - as exciting and engaging as that is - the **Basilica Parish presents** our **21st Annual Festival of Carols & Scripture**. This is an ecumenical service. Donations gratefully accepted. Please take a couple of hours to enjoy the advent time of preparation.

"Mark your calendar: The First Sunday of Advent, December 3rd, 2016, at 7:00 pm - at the Basilica."

AWAY IN A MANGER NATIVITIES FROM AROUND THE WORLD

WHERE? The Basilica Museum (immediately west of the Basilica) **WHEN?** December 3-23

TIMES? The exhibit is open every day from 1-4 p.m., and evenings by request. Please call to book a visit if you are bringing a large group. **ADMISSION: A GIFT FOR A NEEDY CHILD** (You can leave gifts under our tree)

FOR MORE INFORMATION: Call Rene Estrada at the Archdiocesan Pastoral Centre (726-3660, ext 223 or restrada@rcsj.org) or Anne Walsh (726-3660, ext. 233, or e-mail awalsh@rcsj.org)

RUAH COUNSELLING CENTRE – We provide individual, couple and family counselling. Fall Group Offerings. Registration still ongoing for the following Fall Group Offerings. Please call 579-0168, or go to www.rcsj.org for more information: **Parenting Children (Tuesdays 7-9pm, Oct.24-Dec. 5); Special **Topic Series for Single Moms** (Mondays 7-9pm, Oct. 16- Nov.27); **Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training for Parents and Caregivers** (Thursday/Friday 8:30am-4:30pm, Nov. 2-3); **Emotion Focused Family Therapy** (Monday/Tuesday 9am-4pm, Nov. 20-21).**

FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS

Mount Carmel/St. Joseph's

Weekly Offering: \$889.10 Collection for Priesthood: \$5.00 World Mission Sunday: \$10.00 All Souls Offering: \$234.00
Church Dues: \$475.00 Sunday Missal: \$5.00 Word Among Us: \$5.00
Mt. Carmel Altar Society Card Game Proceeds (Nov 5): \$143.00 Mt. Carmel Cemetery Fund: \$80.00
Mt. Carmel Church Memoriam (Kay Batterton): \$40.00 – OLMC Choir Mt. Carmel Church Memoriam (Glynn Power): \$50.00
St. Joseph's Parish Hall Rental (N. Hickey) : \$125.00
Admiral's Beach Church Family Funeral Fees (Joseph Doody): \$150.00 – Wakeroom Rental \$150.00 – Mass Stipend
Queen of Holy Rosary Church Admiral's Beach Special Monthly Collection (September): \$460.00 *thank you!*

St. Mary's/St. Vincent's

Weekly Offering \$641.25 All Souls Offering: \$93.00 Gathering Place: \$25.00 Church Dues: \$210.00
Funeral Mass Stipend (late Anne Gibbons): \$150.00 Sacred Heart Church Memoriam (Mary Stamp): \$10.00
St. Joseph the Worker Church Riverhead Property Insurance (July 2017 – June 2018): \$821.00 rec'd from Riverhead Recreation Com.
Bulletin Advertising AD: \$400.00 – Father Val Power Centre rec'd from Riverhead Recreation Committee \$300.00
Royal Canadian Legion Branch 62 Riverhead \$100.00
St. Vincent's Card Proceeds (Aug 14): \$160.00 sponsors Lucinda Hayward, Pamela Gibbons
(Oct 23): \$180.00 sponsors... Theresa Halleran, Dianne Gibbons

Parish Monthly Financial Report for September Posted On the Church Bulletin Boards

Please take time to review. If you have any questions or concerns you may contact the parish office or Mr. Howard Power, Finance Council Chairperson at 521-2431.

GRAND IN YOUR HAND: Thank you to all of you who have volunteered to sell tickets for us and to those who have purchased tickets. Thank you for your support!

November Month Draw #1: Winner: Todd White Ticket No. 00087
Ticket Drawn at Parish Office November 3 by: Patsy Doody Witnessed by: Lillian Doody & Sheila Lee
Congratulations! Todd Thank you Patsy, Lillian & Sheila

CARD GAMES: Mt. Carmel Altar Society: Sunday at 8:00 pm North Harbour: Monday at 8:00 pm
Admiral's Beach Fire Dept.: Monday at 8:00pm Salmonier 50 + Club: Wednesday at 8:00 pm

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH CLEANING GROUP (November): Christine Daley, Doris Lewis, Clara Linehan, Marlene Butland

THE PTE. KEVIN KENNEDY MEMORIAL GARDEN has limited space for the planting of a certain number of trees in memory of loved ones. The Museum Committee, therefore, invites anyone interested to call 525-2544 for more information regarding where exactly in the garden to plant them etc. Thank you for all interest and support of this beautiful garden project.

THE DIOCESAN RESOURCE CENTRE will be open for Three Saturdays for your Christmas shopping convenience. Join us on November 18th and 25th and on December 2nd from 10:00am until 4:30pm. For cards, ornaments, books and nativities, we have what you need to enjoy the true meaning of Christmas.

CHASE THE ACE @ THE HOLYROOD POND INTERPRETATION CENTRE in St. Stephen's by St. Vincent's - St. Stephen's - Peter's River Fire Department. The ace pot is starting at \$7,732.00 on Nov.5, tickets are sold from 1:00 P.M. - 2:30 P.M. with our draw @ 3:00 P.M.; tickets are sold each week on a 50/50 draw. Thank you for your support!

SHARON & MICHAEL'S RESIDENCE: We will be hosting a party on November 19, starting at 2pm for Mr. William Nolan, the oldest member of our community, who will be celebrating his 97th birthday. It will be a sit-down meal with a medley of fine music. Come all and have a ball

THE IRISH LOOP ARTISANS COOPERATIVE FALL FAIR will take place 10 AM to 4 PM Saturday November 18th and Sunday November 19th at the Bay Bulls Regional Lifestyle Centre. This is a handmade event with over 70 vendors. Admission is just \$2.00 for adults and free for kids. There will be a major door prize and a 50/50 draw. A great opportunity to do some Christmas shopping and support our local artisans. See you at the fair!

THE COLINET LOGGERS HERITAGE SOCIETY will be hosting a Christmas concert at the Colinet church bldg. On November 25th Starring Shelly Neville, Kyran Pennell, Nicole McDonald and the St Pats dancers. Starting at 6pm- to 9 pm.

Parish Office Closed Monday November 13

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St. Mary's Bay Council #13320 for information.

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