



Thirty - Second Sunday In Ordinary Time November 11, 2018

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY - FRIDAY: 9:00am - 12:00 and 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Good Shepherd Parish Website www.gsparish.ca: Archdiocese of St. John's www.rcsj.org Facebook (@GoodShepherdParishSMB)

PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON: Shirley Kielly - 525-2936.
PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON: Howard Power - 521-2431.

MARRIAGE NOTIFICATIONS: 6 Months (Marriage Preparation course required) Please call (RCEC) to register at 726-3660.
PRE-BAPTISM COURSE: To register call Dave Kenny @ 229-7395.

A copy of the child's birth record must be provided before the baptism.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION: Debbie Dunphy, Donna Critch, Marian Bonia, Sheila Yetman, Leona Tobin, Angela Fleming.

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
Saturday November 17	4:00 pm	Mount Carmel <i>Ministry</i>	Wayne Dean & deceased family members Walter Nolan, Bill & Kitty Nolan; Glynn Power <i>Server: Dave Kenny Readers: Hughie Lawlor, Howard Power Gifts: Jose Walsh & Dolly Nash Eucharistic Minister: John Buckle</i>
Sunday November 18	10:30 am	St. Mary's <i>Ministry</i>	"Missa Pro Populo" <i>For Parishioners</i> Madonna Kelly, John White and deceased family members Kevin Hayward <i>Cross Bearer: Des Yetman Readers: Jeanette Critch, Angela Fleming Gifts: Ron & Sylvia Molloy & family Eucharistic Minister: Helena Critch</i>

LITURGY & MEETING SCHEDULE

Wednesday, November 14	7:00 pm	Admiral's Beach	Holy Hour
Friday, November 16	3:00 pm	St. Mary's	Chaplet of the Divine Mercy
Saturday, November 17	3:30 pm	Mount Carmel	CONFESSIONS
Sunday, November 18	10:00 am	St. Mary's	CONFESSIONS

WORLD DAY OF THE POOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH: Archbishop Martin W. Currie, Archbishop of St. John's
Will preside at a televised mass on the National Catholic Broadcasting Corporation Vision TV at 9:30 am and Faith TV at 4:00 pm.

The priests of the Archdiocese will be on a conference from Monday, November 12 to Friday, November 16, 2018. There will be priests available for funerals and emergency calls during this week. Please pray for our priests attending this conference.



**Baptized this weekend at Good Shepherd Parish
St. Joseph's Church**

JACOB LEONARD BUTLAND

Congratulations and God's blessings on you and your family!



From the Pastor...

Parish Evaluation forms are still available on the parish website and in the churches. **Please consider taking one to give to someone who does not attend mass regularly, as I would like to hear from them as well.**

1. HOME CATECHESIS/ SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION: Those parents wishing to register their child may do so by either registering on the website www.gsparish.ca: or by calling the parish office at 521-2206. **PLEASE NOTE THE SECOND SESSION FOR PARENTS AND CHILDREN WILL TAKE PLACE NOV 24 St. Vincent's at 3pm, Nov 25 St. Joseph's at 9:45am.** Regular attendance at mass and participation in the children's liturgy program are a requirement for the reception of sacraments. All children of the parish are welcome to participate in the Children's liturgy program.

2. SALE OF LAND AND CHURCH BUILDINGS: will be published in the next two weeks.

3. IRELAND PILGRIMAGE 2019: Registration fee of \$250.00 per person is now due and payable. The Next Deposit of \$500 is due Jan 31, 2019. Final Payment will be due May 31, 2019.

4. MINISTRY SUNDAY The parish is in need of volunteers for all ministries in the parish. Please consider the gifts and talents that you have and where God is calling you to use them. Sign-up sheets are available in the churches and on the parish website..

5. MINISTRY APPRECIATION NIGHT – will take place Friday Dec 7 at the Riverview Lounge, St. Catherine's. This is open to all parish ministers/volunteers, and their spouse/guest. Please contact the parish office to register. Mass will be celebrated in St. Joseph's at 6pm, supper will be served at 7:30 at Riverview lounge with a dance to follow. Music supplied by Rodney Linehan.

6. NOVEMBER MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS. Feast of All Saints and All Souls, during the month of November a book of remembrance will be in each church, in which you will be able to record your deceased family members and friends.

7. CHRISTMAS HAMPERS. If you are need of receiving a Christmas hamper this year, please contact the parish office to register your name. Hampers will be available about a week before Christmas.

8. GATHERING PLACE. The parish will be once again sponsoring a meal on Valentine's Day 2019. The cost of the meal is \$1500. If you would like to make a contribution towards the meal that would be appreciated. **This year as a way of helping the guests of the Gathering for Christmas (Last year we collected coats, and winter clothing) the parish will be collecting gifts cards for Tim's, Walmart, or any grocery store. If donating a gift card please get them in \$10 amounts.** The parish will be purchasing 50 Sobeys's cards to donate.

9. WEEKDAY MASS AND SACRAMENT OF CONFESSIONS: Based on the recent parish evaluation forms, I will be occasionally celebrating weekday masses in the various churches of the parish. Regular masses will continue to be celebrated in St. Joseph's. Please consider making weekday mass a part of your weekly church attendance. Also when there are meeting at 7pm in St. Joseph's, they are generally preceded by the 6:30pm mass, please consider attending the mass prior to the meeting. **I have also decided based on feedback received to have confession 30min prior to all weekend masses.**

10. ED ROCHE CALENDARS are available at a cost of \$20 (This is a discount from the regular retail price), all proceeds to the parish. These would make great Christmas Gift; there are only a limited number available.

11. ADVENT CAROL CONCERT, The parish is sponsoring an Advent Carol Concert, Sunday December 9, 2-4pm in Our Lady of the Assumption Church, St. Mary's. Admission is \$10, all proceeds going to help those in need in our local area. Children under 12, free admission. The parish will also be accepting donations of non-perishable food items, for the food bank.

12. SACRED HEART CHURCH ST. VINCENT'S Annual Memory Tree Mass will be celebrated Saturday Dec 22, 4pm. Names of deceased loved ones and donation be received. Please contact Sharon Gibbons, Fan Fleming or Angela Fleming.

13. THE CATHOLICISM SERIES, We will be running this faith formation series **starting in Advent**, these sessions will be offered in Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Mount Carmel and Our Lady of the Assumption Church, St. Mary's.

ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BR #62 REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONY SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11: This year marks the 100th Anniversary of the end of the First World War. It is very important that we gather to remember those who gave their lives for us, those who fought for our freedom, and those who continue to serve. **Please make an extra effort to attend events in our communities this year.** Riverhead Parade to the Cenotaph will begin at 10:30 am at Royal Canadian Legion. We ask Veterans and any organization wishing to parade to please be onsite before 10:30. We invite anyone from Portugal Cove South to North Harbour to attend. At 10:45am you are invited to gather at the war memorial in Riverhead, for a wreath laying service. Following the service mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph the Worker Church. Immediately after mass a lunch will be served at the legion. **THERE WILL ALSO BE A REMEMBRANCE SERVICE IN MOUNT CARMEL AT THE CENOTAPH AT 11:00AM. At 4:30pm we will gather at the Bell outside of the church in St. Mary's and at the Grotto in Mount Carmel, for a special "Going Down of the Sun" Bell tolling ceremony; all are welcome. REMEMBRANCE DAY WREATH-LAYING CEREMONY** hosted by the Fisherman's Museum Committee of St. Vincent's in the Memorial Garden at 2:00pm on Nov. 11th. Anyone wishing to place a wreath may call 525-2544 with the info. The Town Council of St. Vincent's St. Stephen's Peter's River cordially invites you to drop by the Parish Hall afterwards for a 'Tea/Social'. **LEST WE FORGET**

Please make every effort to attend these special events. WE WILL REMEMBER THEM! God Bless, Fr. Steve.

VOCATION REFLECTION "Out of her poverty she has put in everything she had." Will you respond with generosity should the Lord choose you for priesthood or the consecrated life? Are you being called to help others approach the mercy of God as a priest or in the consecrated life? Call Father Jeff Kolonel at (709)745-8183 or Father Ray Earle (709)781-1696 or Father Philip Melvin at (709)754-1195 or email: vocations@rcsj.org

FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS

Mount Carmel/St. Joseph's/ St. Mary's/St. Vincent's

Weekly Offering: \$1671.40 **Needs of the Canadian Church: \$5.00** **Collection for Priesthood: \$25.00** **Mission Sunday: \$50.00**
Centre for Life: \$10.00 **All Souls Offering: \$335.10** **Papal Charities: \$5.00** **Church Dues: \$1000.00**
Lenten Offering: \$5.00 **Advent Offering: \$20.00** **Mass Card Print Cost: \$20.00** **Word Among Us Missals: \$5.00**
Mt. Carmel Cemetery Memoriam (Larry Dooley): \$25.00 **North Harbour Church Memoriam (Margaret Power): \$500.00**
Mount Carmel Card Game Proceeds (Nov 4): \$115.00 **Gathering Place Event Donation: \$50.00**
St. Vincent's Cemetery Maintenance Donation: \$250.00
St. Vincent's Card Game (Oct 29): \$170.00 *sponsors.... Anne Stamp, Arthur Stamp*
St. Vincent's Hall: Pond View Seniors Cost/Sharing (30%): \$44.89 - Heat/Light \$68.33 – Maintenance Supplies
Our Lady of Assumption Church Door Donation: \$650.00 - Yesterday's Youth Club, St. Mary's
Kitchen Party Donations: \$245.00 **Total Proceeds to Date: \$24,368.00**

*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 for your support! November Month Draw #1: Ticket No. 00186

Winner: Mary Fagan, Riverhead Drawn at Parish Office on November 2 by: Rose Fagan Witnessed by: Howard Power
Congratulations, Mary! Thank you, Rose and Howard

LIVING WITH CHRIST 2019 SUNDAY MISSALS are available at the church. \$4.00 per copy.

CARD GAMES: Mt. Carmel: Sunday at 8:00 pm Admiral's Beach Fire Dept.: Monday at 8:00pm Nt. Harbour: Monday @ 8pm
Salmonier South 50 + Club: Tuesday at 8:00 pm Salmonier 50 + Club: Wednesday @ 8pm

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH CLEANING GROUP (November): Christine Daley, Dorie Lewis, Joanne Singleton, and Clara Linehan

ST. VINCENT'S LIONS CLUB CHRISTMAS GIFT GIVING CAMPAIGN: Please help us ensure that needy children in our parish will not receive an empty stocking on Christmas morning. You can help by considering placing a gift marked boy or girl and suitable age by the Christmas tree located at the inside entrance of Sacred Heart Church St. Vincent's. This helps us to collect and distribute toys for children in need throughout Good Shepherd Parish. In addition we are also accepting nonperishable food items in support of the Food Bank. Thanking you in advance for your assistance and support.

RELICS OF SAINTS TO VISIT NL First Class Relics of St. Theresa of Lisieux, St. Faustina, St. John Paul 11, St. Maximilian Kolbe & Blessed Fr. Michael Sopocko will be coming to St. John's, NL. The John Paul 11 Centre for Divine Mercy is located in the Diocese of Ottawa, Ontario. Under special permission and the blessing of the Archbishop of Ottawa, the John Paul 11 Centre has been blessed to have the five first class relics at the Centre. The Mission of the Centre is to promote, profess, proclaim, the message and devotion of Divine Mercy. The John Paul 11 Centre has the privilege of bringing these first class relics of these Saints for veneration wherever they travel. These relics will be venerated at the following churches in St. John's

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, Mount Pearl, Saturday, November 17th - Mass at 5:30 pm followed by Veneration of the relics.

BASILICA - CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST - Monday, November 19th - Confession 5:30 - 6:30 pm, Presentation on Divine Mercy and relics at 6:15 pm, Mass at 7:00 pm followed by Veneration of the relics.

THE ANNUAL DIOCESAN RESOURCE CENTRE TAX FREE CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE will take place on Saturday, November 17th, 10⁰⁰ am -5:00 pm. Come visit the shop at 19 King's Bridge Road for a cup of warm apple cider and a Christmas cookie as you browse the large selection of Nativities, Angels, Ornaments, Christmas Cards and Books.

ST. JOSEPH'S SENIOR HOUSING COMMITTEE is seeking new members to fill two vacant seats. If interested in volunteering please contact either Elizabeth Daley at 521-2479 or Bill McDonald at 521-2014 on or before November 17, 2018.

COLINET LOGGERS-HERITAGE SOCIETY PRESENTS: Sheila Williams and special guests, Jackie Sullivan, Cynthia Laurie.
7:00 PM Sunday Dec 2nd 2018 at the Ferguson and Fred Linehan Heritage Center, Colinet. Doors open 6:30 Tickets: \$20.00

THE GOLDEN HALL in Trepassey will be hosting a concert by the very talented Justin Martin (accompanied by Jason Reid) on Sunday afternoon November 18th from 2:00 - 5:00 PM. Give yourselves an afternoon break and come along to enjoy his awesome voice and accordion playing. Admission: \$10.00 on the door.

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