



# Thirty - Third Sunday In Ordinary Time November 18, 2018

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Good Shepherd Parish Website [www.gsparish.ca](http://www.gsparish.ca): Archdiocese of St. John's [www.rcsj.org](http://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
<b>Tuesday November 20</b>	<b>6:30 pm</b>	<b>St. Mary's</b>	<b>Elizabeth Molloy; Frank &amp; Bridget Bishop &amp; deceased family members Donald Gibbons &amp; deceased members of the Gibbons family</b>
<b>Wednesday November 21</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>	<b>Annie Power &amp; deceased members of the Power &amp; Lewis family Patsy &amp; Allan Power; Tommy Drohan</b>
	<b>6:30 pm</b>	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	<b>Charlie &amp; Nora Daley; Don Sullivan &amp; Andy Simmons In Thanksgiving (for favours received)</b>
<b>Saturday November 24</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>	<b>St. Vincent's</b>  <i>Ministry</i>	<b>Catherine &amp; Edward Stamp; John &amp; Florence Raymond Patrick &amp; Kathleen Kielly &amp; deceased of the Kielly &amp; Fleming families</b>  <i>Cross Bearer: Marilyn Kielly Readers: Anne Hayward, Thelma Stamp Gifts: Frances Fleming &amp; family Eucharistic Minister: Patrick Tobin</i>
<b>Sunday November 25</b>	<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>St. Joseph's</b>  <i>Ministry</i>	<b>"Missa Pro Populo"</b> <i>For Parishioners</i> <b>John &amp; Ann Daley &amp; deceased members of the Daley family Josephine &amp; Bernard Gough</b>  <i>Server: Donal Greene Readers: Rose Daley, Dave Kenny Gifts: Mary Hearn Eucharistic Minister: Howard Power</i>

### LITURGY & MEETING SCHEDULE

Tuesday, November 20	7:00 pm	St. Mary's	KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING
Wednesday, November 21	7:00 pm	Admiral's Beach	Holy Hour
Friday, November 23	3:00 pm	St. Mary's	Chaplet of the Divine Mercy
Saturday, November 24	2:00 pm	Riverhead	BAPTISM
	3:00 pm	St. Vincent's	SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION
	3:30 pm	St. Vincent's	CONFESSIONS
Sunday, November 25	9:45 am	St. Joseph's	SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION
	10:00 am	St. Joseph's	CONFESSIONS
	12:30 pm	North Harbour	BAPTISM

**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](http://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 coming 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 register at the parish office on or before November 30. 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 in 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 meetings 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 Gifts; there are only a limited number available.
- 11. ADVENT CAROL CONCERT (Note Date Change)** The parish is sponsoring an Advent Carol Concert, **Sunday December 16, 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 being 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.

**VOCATION REFLECTION** "Heaven and earth will pass away but my words will not pass away." How is Christ calling you to share His eternal words of salvation? Are you being called to help others approach the mercy of God as a priest or in the consecrated life? Consider a vocation to the priesthood or 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](mailto:vocations@rcsj.org)

**BASILICA NATIVITY WINDOW CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT AND STAINED GLASS BOOK** to help raise funds toward the Restoration of the Basilica Stained Windows! Available for Christmas, a Basilica Nativity Window Christmas Ornament, \$10, and Stained Glass Windows of the Basilica: An Illustrated Guide, by John FitzGerald (194 pp., \$25), to help raise funds for the restoration of the Basilica's stained glass windows. Available by pre-order from the Basilica Parish (754-2170) and after all weekend masses at the Basilica.

**CANDLE LIGHT VIGIL: TO REMEMBER THOSE WHO DIED BY SUICIDE.** This annual community vigil is held to remember those who died by suicide and to support survivors of suicide loss. Gather in music, poems, prayers and candle lighting. You are invited to bring a framed photograph of your loved one to be displayed during the vigil. Music by Shelley Neville, Peter Halley, Dan Dillon, Judy Brazil, & Shannon Power. Please feel free to bring along sandwiches/cookies for tea following the vigil. This vigil is open to everyone regardless of faith! All are welcome. **Date:** Sunday, December 9, 2018 - **Time:** 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm **Location:** St. Patrick's Church, 6 Patrick Street, St. John's **Parking:** Church parking lot on Patrick Street.

## FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS

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

Weekly Offering: \$1683.95	Collection for Priesthood: \$2.00	Mission Sunday: \$10.00	Centre for Life: \$10.00
All Souls Offering: \$65.00	Church Dues: \$370.00	Mass Card Print Cost: \$2.00	Word Among Us Missal: \$5.00
Mount Carmel Card Game Proceeds (Nov 11): \$126.00		Baptism Church Stipend (Nov 11): \$100.00	
St. Joseph's Hall Donation: \$250.00	St. Joseph's Hall Rent: \$125.00		
North Harbour Church Memoriam (Margaret Power): \$50.00	North Harbour Church Memoriam (Albert Power): \$175.00		
North Harbour Weekday Offering (Nov 8): \$123.00	Heat/Light/Ins: \$20.00	All Souls Offering: \$10.00	
Queen of Holy Rosary Church Admiral's Beach Special Monthly Collection (October): \$240.00			
Lewis Personal Care Offering (Nov 9): \$50.00	St. Vincent's Card Game (Nov 5): \$170.00	<i>sponsors.... Lucinda Hayward, Pamela Hayward</i>	
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

**OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CHURCH NOTICE:** In preparation for the Advent and the Christmas season there will be a thorough cleaning of the church on Wednesday, November 21 starting at 10:00 am. Any help that you can give would be greatly appreciated.  
Thank you

**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

**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.

**DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE** will host **Archbishop Martin W. Currie** at the Lantern at **7PM on 5 December 2018**. He will present on "His Life and Times". Entertainment provided by Brian Whelan and Sharon White and some former members of the Holy Show including Fr. John Costello. A free will offering for our projects is the admission price. Everyone is welcome.

**THANK YOU:** I wish to express my deepest thanks to all my good friends and neighbors, who contributed so generously with prizes, monetary gifts and attended the fundraiser held to assist me with medical expense. Thanks again and God bless. **Michael Bishop**

**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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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

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

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