



**TWENTY-NINTH
SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
October 20, 2019**

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday: 9:00 am -12:00 and 1:00pm - 5:00pm

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

Good Shepherd Parish New Email Address goodshepherdparish2008@gmail.com

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 Theresa Whiffen (RCEC) to register at 726-3660 ext. 236

PRE-BAPTISM COURSE: To register please call Dave Kenny @ 229-7395

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 October 26	4:00 pm	St. Vincent's <i>Ministry</i>	Joseph & Lucina Hearn, Ambrose & Marion Ryan Lawrence & Mary Ann Hearn and deceased members of the Hearn & Ryan families <i>Cross: Rita Raymond Readers: Dan St. Croix, Sheila Yetman Gift Bearers: Frances Fleming Eucharistic Minister: Ann Hayward</i>
Sunday October 27	10:30 am	St. Joseph's <i>Ministry</i>	"Missa Pro Populo" For Parishioners Michael & Jessie Gough; Richard & Clotilda Singleton <i>Server: Donal Greene Readers: Joseph Dobbin, Hugh Lawlor Gift Bearers: Jamie & Krista Cleary & family Eucharistic Minister: Howard Power</i>

LITURGY & MEETING SCHEDULE

Wednesday, Oct 23	7:00pm	Admirals Beach	Holy Hour
Friday, Oct 25	3:00pm	St. Mary's	Chaplet of the Divine Mercy
Saturday, Oct 26	4:00pm	St. Vincent's	Confessions
Saturday, Oct 27	5:30 pm	St. Joseph's	Confessions

Congratulations to the Graduates of Dunne Memorial Academy and St. Catherine's Academy

Sharing with you in your joy!

May God guide and direct you to a bright and blessed future.

Dear Parishioners,

Sunday October 20- Friday October 25, I will be in Québec City attending the Canadian Canon Law Society Annual Convention. Because I am flying out Sunday morning THIS weekend both masses will be on Saturday.

1. Please take note of our new e-mail address goodshepherdparish2008@gmail.com.

2. **INTENTIONS FOR MY CHAPEL**, just a reminder that if there is anything you wish me to pray for in my chapel please let me know, you can also drop a note in the collection.

3. **TIME BEFORE ALL MASSES**, please note I am available for a chat, prayer, blessing, or sacrament of reconciliation before all masses.

4. **CHRISTMAS STOCKING TICKET LOTTERY**: In the coming weeks we will be selling tickets on a very large Christmas Stocking valued at \$1000.00 filled with multiple items. Tickets sell 3/\$5.00. For prizes we are looking forward to your support with donations of items. Also, if you want to make a cash donation to the parish, we can issue an income tax receipt and the parish can purchase the items for the spin. We are looking for volunteers to help with the sale of tickets. Please call the parish office if you are willing to help. Thank you for your support. God Bless, Fr. Steve.

5. **MINISTRY APPRECIATION NIGHT** will take place **Friday December 6** 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 29. Mass will be celebrated in St. Joseph's Church at 6 pm, dinner will be served at 7:30 pm at the Riverview Lounge with a dance to follow. Music supplied by Rodney Linehan.

6. **ADVENT CAROL CONCERT**: The parish is sponsoring an Advent Carol Concert, Sunday December 1, from 2:00 to 4:00 pm in Our Lady of Assumption Church, St. Mary's. Admission is \$10.00, Children under 12 years, free admission. If you are interested in performing please contact either Angela Fleming 525-2658, Mary R. Fleming 525-2943 or the parish office 521-2206. The parish will also be accepting donations of nonperishable food items for the food bank.

7. **MASS INTENTIONS are often booked months in advance. I am only permitted to celebrate three intentions per mass and I am unable to add intentions the day of the mass. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. God Bless, Fr. Steve**

VOCATION REFLECTION: "Pray always and do not to lose heart." If you are considering a vocation as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life, let the grace of prayer encourage you. Call Father Jeff Kolonel at (709)745-8183 or Father Ray Earle (709)754-1195 or Father Philip Melvin at (709)754-1195 or email: vocations@rcsj.org

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE: Registration for this course is via the Archdiocesan website – rcsj.org. If you have any questions regarding the course, please call Theresa Whiffen at 709-726-3660 ext. 236 or email at twhiffen@rcsj.org

PONTIFICAL MISSION SOCIETIES: The Extraordinary Missionary Month: The month of October, 2019, is a special month of prayer, reflection and action called by Pope Francis to commemorate the 100th anniversary of Pope Benedict XV's apostolic Letter on overseas mission, "Maximum Illud".

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: Today, on World Mission Sunday, we are invited to celebrate our mission's vocation, to pray for the people who are actively engaged in mission, and to generously contribute to our worldwide mission solidarity fund through this collection. Your gift on this day helps: People in remote villages, towns and cities, the witness and work of missionaries and local priests; Children, the elderly, refugees, the sick, and orphans through the services of religious Sisters and Brothers; To bring the Gospel to the poorest of our human family; Catechists proclaim the message of hope and peace that only Christ can give. Please offer your prayers for the work of the Church in the Missions today and be as generous as you can on World Mission Sunday.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS wish to sincerely thank Archbishop Peter Hundt and Father Ray Earle for the valuable contribution they made to the Rosary and Light Procession held at the Basilica on Thursday, October 10th. The Organizing Committee also expresses its appreciation to the many Knights, as well as representatives of the Catholic Women's League and the Legion of Mary, who helped make this 17th annual ceremony such a great success.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIPS: Available to all students who graduated Grade X11 with Honours in June 2019 and are attending a Post-Secondary institution in September. Application deadline: **October 31, 2019**. Information and applications under scholarship on the State Council website at www.kkofcnl.org.

DIPLOMA IN THEOLOGY AND MINISTRY: OFFERED BY THE ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. JOHN'S AT QUEEN'S COLLEGE

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CAFE OF MEMORIES 2019: An afternoon of entertainment and refreshments for those with dementia and their caregivers. Events will be held **on November 5, 2019 from 2:00 – 4:00 pm** at Freemason's Hall, 115 Carson Avenue, Mount Pearl. Please register by calling Alzheimer Society at 709-576-0608 or email events@alzheimernl.ca

FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS

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

Weekly Offering: \$1617.30 Needs of Canadian Church: \$5.00 Collection for Priesthood: \$55.00
World Mission Sunday: \$10.00 Church Dues: \$500.00 Christmas Stocking Donation: \$25.00
Mt. Carmel Card Game Proceeds (Oct 13): \$172.00 RCEC HST Rebate (2nd Quarter): \$2293.23
Funeral Fees (John J. Marrie): Mass Stipend: \$150.00 Wake room Rental: \$75.00 (The Marrie Family)
Cemetery Plot: \$100.00
Wake room Rental Fee: \$75.00 – Dunphy's Funeral Home
Nt. Harbour Weekday Offering (Oct 10): \$117.00 Church Dues: \$100.00 Donation in lieu of Card Game: \$50.00
Queen of Holy Rosary Church Ad. Beach Special Monthly Collection (Sept) \$540.00
St. Joseph's Hall Rental (May): \$170.00 – Elections Canada
St. Vincent's Hall Rental (May): \$170.00 – Elections Canada
St. Vincent's Card Game (Oct 7): \$205.00 sponsors ... David Gibbons, Yvonne Stamp

Parish Monthly Financial Report for August 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 521-2431.

GRAND IN YOUR HAND: Thank you for your support! October Month Draw #1: Ticket No. 00118
Winner: Helen Crawley Drawn at Parish Office on October 4 by: Dave Kenny Witness: Howard Power
Congratulations! Helen. Thank you, Dave and Howard.

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

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH CLEANING (OCTOBER): Elizabeth Daley, Mercedes Daley, Gail Singleton, Doris Squires

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS to Mrs. Agnes Hearn celebrating her 88 birthday Sunday, October 20.
May your Special day be filled with JOY and LOVE. Happy Birthday!

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS have been asked to collect toiletries especially toilet tissue for the Gathering Place. If you can assist with this need please leave your donation either at the parish office or at either one of the four main churches. Thank you for your support.

THE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BR 62, RIVERHEAD, St Mary's Bay, is letting residents from our neighboring communities know that the Branch has an assortment of medical aides, equipment, available for the public at no charge. If you are in need of specific items please contact the Branch at 525-2712 or our chairperson of medical supplies Willie at 525-2427. All we require is that the equipment be returned to the Branch after the need is no more, so we can lend out to others.

THE FATHER VAL POWER CENTER is now offering a 3-mile Indoor Walk Program on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 10 am and Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7 pm. Free for members. Drop ins \$2.00 per session. Everyone Welcome.

THE FATHER VAL POWER CENTRE: Providing there is sufficient interest, the center is hoping to offer Weekly Yoga and Meditation Sessions. Please call 525-2260 if you are interested in this program.

ST. JOSEPH'S TENDER FOR SNOWCLEARING: Tenders are invited for Snow Clearing and Ice Control of local roads for the period of November 1, 2019 – October 30, 2020. Detailed specification is available by contacting Tony Reardon at 521-2938. Tenders must be received at the Town Office before 5:00 pm on Thursday, October 31, 2019 to be eligible for consideration.

PLEASE SAVE THE DATE

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MINISTRY APPRECIATION NIGHT, Friday December 6 at the Riverview Lounge, St. Catherine's

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