



**THIRTY - FIRST
SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
November 3, 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)

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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
Tuesday November 5	6:30 pm	St. Joseph's	Frank Healey; Don Hall Mary Theresa Hefferman
Wednesday November 6	9:00 am	St. Joseph's	Donald Gough; Kevin Marrie John Marrie
Thursday November 7	9:00 am	St. Vincent's re-scheduled	Alice Strekowski; Neil Fleming; Kevin & Donald A. Fleming & deceased members of the Fleming & Watson families
Friday November 8	8:45 am	Lewis Personal Care	Maurice St. Croix & deceased members of the St. Croix family Darren Fagan & deceased members of the Fagan & Dinn families; A.J. Delurey
Saturday November 9	4:00 pm	St. Vincent's <i>Ministry</i>	"Missa Pro Populo" For Parishioners Val & Anne St. Croix; Nathan Flynn & Rick St. Croix <i>Cross: Anne Hayward Readers: Rita Raymond, Sylvester Yetman Gift Bearers: Janice Fleming & family Eucharistic Minister: Pat Tobin</i>
Sunday November 3	10:30 am	St. Joseph's <i>Ministry</i>	John & Patricia Singleton & deceased family members Marion & Patrick Tobin; Austin & Theresa Linehan <i>Server: Howard Power Readers: Dave Kenny, Rose Daley Gift Bearers: Andrew & Christine Daley Eucharistic Minister: Donal Greene</i>

LITURGY & MEETING SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Nov 5	7:00 pm	St. Joseph's	FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING Holy Hour Chaplet of the Divine Mercy Confessions Confessions
Wednesday, Nov 6	7:00 pm	Admirals Beach	
Friday, Nov 8	3:00 pm	St. Mary's	
Saturday, Nov 9	3:30 pm	St. Vincent's	
Sunday, Nov 3	10:00 am	St. Joseph'	

Dear Parishioners,

1. **November – Month of the Holy 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.
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:** Tickets are in circulation throughout the parish 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. Thanks to those who have donated prizes or made monetary donations to date and to our volunteers who are helping with the sale of tickets. Thank you for your support.
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: "The Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost." Will you share in Christ's saving mission as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? 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

SANCTUARY LIGHT: In memory of Charles, Mary & Gus Halleran – Sacred Heart Church St. Vincent's

PARISH DUES: If you do not use the parish weekly envelopes write your name and address on an envelope so a Tax Receipt can be issued at year end. This once a year contribution helps purchase materials needed for our many celebrations and to maintain and improve our churches. Weekly collections assist with the day to day operating expenses of our parish.

LIVING WITH CHRIST SUNDAY MISSALS 2019-2020: Missals are on sale at the church entrance. \$4.50 per copy.

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

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

Are you interested in learning more about your faith and growing in understanding of it? The Archdiocese of St. John's offers a two-year Diploma in Theology and Ministry through Queen's College. One weekend each month for two years, you will gather with a group of believers who are curious and committed to explore many areas of theology under with the help of qualified, committed, faithful facilitators. For more information, contact Anne Walsh at (709) 579-0065, ext **227**, OR AMFWALSH@GMAIL.COM

CENTRE FOR LIFE: The Centre for Life offers free, confidential professional pregnancy and post-abortion counselling. Please email counsellors@centreforlife.ca or call (709) 579 – 3818. Linda Holden (709) 579 –1500 for more information.

Centre for Life will be hosting a viewing of the documentary **Fatal Flaws** on **November 12th** at **7:45** at **Corpus Christi Complex** on Waterford Bridge Road with **free admission**. Fatal Flaws is a thought- provoking documentary that journeys through Europe and North America to ask one of the most fundamental philosophical questions of our time: should we give doctors the right in law to end the life of others by euthanasia or assisted suicide? Film maker Kevin Dunn uses powerful testimonies and expert opinions from both sides of the issue to examine the impact on society over time especially for the vulnerable. Tea and coffee will be available. The documentary is approximately 56 minutes in length. Everyone is welcome. Any inquiries, please call 579-1500.

FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS

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

Weekly Offering: \$1486.30 Collection for Priesthood: \$25.00 World Mission Sunday: \$85.00

Church Dues: \$125.00 All Souls Offering: \$5.00 Sanctuary Lights: \$26.00

Mt. Carmel Card Game Proceeds (Oct 27): \$116.00

Baptism Church Fee: \$20.00 - Baby Landyn Hayward Baptism Church Fee: \$20.00 – Baby Rylie Hickey

Queen of Holy Rosary Church Ad. Beach Special Monthly Collection (Sept) \$540.00

St. Vincent's Card Game (Oct 21): \$165.00 sponsors ... Marie Gibbons, Pat Stamp

St. Vincent's Canteen Sales (Oct 21): \$60.00 Certificates: \$19.00 Christmas Stocking Lottery Donation: \$50.00

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 521-2431.

GRAND IN YOUR HAND: Thank you for your support! November Month Draw #1: Ticket No. 00062

Winner: Ned Raymond Drawn at Parish Office on November 1 by: Sharon Gibbons Witness: Fr. Steve

Congratulations! Ned. Thank you, Sharon & Fr. Steve

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: Wednesday at 8pm

MOUNT CARMEL CEMETERY MAJOR CLEANING: VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to help clear trees, grass & alders around Mt. Carmel Cemetery. Cleanup will start at 8 am, **Monday November 4**. This is a **community** project and **any** help anyone can give for cleaning and/or supplying the necessary tools (*chainsaws, bikes, trailers, etc.*) will be greatly appreciated.

A light lunch will be served at approximately 12 noon. Thank you.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH CLEANING (November): Magdalene Greene, Emma Ryan, Anne Marie Reardon, Elizabeth Dinn

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 REMEMBRANCE DAY PARADE AND SERVICE: 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 effort to attend events in our communities this year. RCL Branch 62 Parade to the Cenotaph will begin at 10:30 am at the Royal Canadian Legion. Any Veteran or any organization wishing to parade to please be onsite before 10:30 am. The general public from Portugal Cove South to North Harbour are invited to attend. At 10:45 am you are invited to gather at the War Memorial in Riverhead, for a wreath laying ceremony. Anyone wishing to lay a wreath are asked to call the legion at 525-2712. Following the wreath laying service, mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph the Worker Church. Immediately after mass a lunch will be served at the legion. In the event of inclement weather all events will be held at the RCL Branch 62.

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.

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

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**ADVENT CAROL CONCERT, Sunday December 1, at Our Lady of Assumption Church, St. Mary's
MINISTRY APPRECIATION NIGHT, Friday December 6 at the Riverview Lounge, St. Catherine's**

CHRISTMAS STOCKING TICKET LOTTERY

PRIZE VALUE \$1000.00

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Dave: 229-7395

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Royal Canadian Legion Branch 62

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Business Hours: Monday – Friday 7:30 pm – 12:00 am
Saturday 2pm-5pm & 7pm – 12 am

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Saturday 10:00am – 12 noon & 1:00 – 3:00pm



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