



**Second Sunday In
Ordinary Time
January 19, 2020**

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

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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 January 21	6:30 pm	St. Mary's	Deceased members of the Meehan, Ryan, Watson & Williams families Deceased members of the Walsh & Bonia families
Wednesday January 22	6:30 pm	St. Joseph's	Dianne Hickey & deceased members of the Lewis & Hickey families; Austin & Theresa Linehan In Thanksgiving – School Year Special Favor
Thursday January 23	9:00 am 4:00 pm	Admiral's Beach <i>re-scheduled</i> North Harbour <i>re-scheduled</i>	Sharon Regular; Fred Doody Dermot Synyard & deceased of the Synyard family Eddy Didham; Regina Hurley Marg Power
Friday January 24	8:45 am	Lewis Personal Care <i>re-scheduled</i>	Val & Dorothy Corcoran; Jack Corcoran Michael & Rita Lewis
Saturday January 25	4:00 pm	Mount Carmel Ministry	"Missa Pro Populo" For Parishioners Josephine Davis Pat & Annie Ezekiel & deceased family members Server: Dave Kenny Readers: Dolly Nash, Dave Kenny Gifts: Sandra McDonald, Elsie Power Eucharistic Minister: Bill Gambin
Sunday January 26	10:30 am	St. Mary's Ministry	Martin & Uriel Meehan, Martin Meehan Jr Patrick & Louisa Critch & deceased family members Cross: Ron Molloy Readers: Uriel Kielly, Priscilla Tobin Gifts: Marion Bishop & family Eucharistic Minister: Bill Breen

LITURGY & MEETING SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Jan 21	7:00 pm	St. Mary's	KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING Holy Hour Chaplet of the Divine Mercy BAPTISM Confessions Confessions BAPTISM
Wednesday, Jan 22	7:00 pm	Admirals Beach	
Friday, Jan 24	3:00 pm	St. Mary's	
Saturday, Jan 25	1:30 pm	St. Joseph's	
	3:30 pm	Mount Carmel	
Sunday, Jan 26	10:00 am	St. Mary's	
	12:00 noon	Riverhead	

Dear Parishioners,

- 1. CATHOLIC MISSIONS IN CANADA 2020 CALENDARS:** Calendars are on sale at the parish office and at the church before and after the weekend mass at a cost of \$10.00 each. All proceeds from the sale of calendars will go entirely to the parish to help offset general church expenses.
- 2. GATHERING PLACE:** The parish will once again be sponsoring a meal on Valentine's Day, February 14. The cost of the meal is \$1500.00. If you would like to make a donation, it would be greatly appreciated.
- 3. 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. Fr. Steve

VOCATION REFLECTION "To you who have been consecrated in Christ Jesus and called to be a holy people." Could it be that you or someone in your family is being called to consider 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

VISITATION: Thursday, January 23. Mass will be celebrated in Admiral's Beach at 9:00 am. Visitation will be starting in Admiral's Beach at 9:30 am, visiting O'Donnell's, St. Joseph's, St. Catherine's, Mount Carmel, Colinet and North Harbour. Mass in Nt. Harbour at 4:00 pm.

VISITATION: Friday, January 24: Mass will be celebrated at Lewis Personal Care at 8:45 am. Visitation will be starting in Peter's River at 9:30 am, visiting St. Vincent's, Gaskiers, St. Mary's and Riverhead. Anyone and everyone are welcome for Mass at Lewis Personal Care Home.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NINE DAY NOVENA FOR LIFE: As Catholics, we know prayer is what strengthens and sustains our efforts to defend the sanctity of life. That's why this year, councils are encouraged to spiritually support national, state and local Marches for Life across the globe, as well as our Order's efforts to build a Culture of Life, by participating in [9 Days for Life](#).

9 Days for Life is a multi-faceted novena offered each year by the bishops of the United States for the respect and protection of every human life. Each day, a different intention is accompanied by a short reflection, suggested actions, and related information. Knights of Columbus Councils encourage Knights and parishioners to participate in this year's Novena between Tuesday, January 21 –and Wednesday, January 29, 2020. (handouts of the novena in today's bulletin).

PARISH WEEKLY ENVELOPES FOR 2020: If you would like to use envelopes and receive a Tax Receipt at year end for your donations, please contact the parish office.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE: Upcoming Marriage Preparation course dates in St. John's for 2020 are March 6 & 7, April 17 & 18, May 22 & 23, June 12 & 13. To register for a course please complete the registration form on the Archdiocesan website rcsj.org. Select Chancery/Marriage Tribunal and then Marriage Preparation. Anyone requiring additional info call Theresa Whiffen at 726-3660 ext 236 or email twhiffen@rcsj.org.

RELIGIOUS CELEBRATIONS AND EVENTS

1. World Day for Consecrated Life 2020 Initiated in 1997, by Saint John Paul II, the World Day for Consecrated Life is celebrated annually on February 2nd the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. St. John Paul gave as the purpose of this World Day: "to help the entire Church to esteem ever more greatly the witness of those persons who have chosen to follow Christ by means of the practise of the evangelical counsels" as well as, "to be a suitable occasion for consecrated persons to renew their commitment and rekindle the fervor which should inspire their offering of themselves to the Lord."

We are grateful to these consecrated men and women of our Archdiocese who live out their baptismal vocation by professing the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience in a religious congregation, a secular institute or through private vows. The World Day for Consecrated Life is a wonderful opportunity for us to show our gratitude to them by praying for God's continued blessing upon them and by praying that many others will hear and respond to the call to Consecrated Life. In celebration of this year's World Day for Consecrated Life, Archbishop Hundt invites you to join him at a special Mass on Sunday February 2nd 2020 at 11:00 a.m. in St. Pius X Church (16 Smithville Crescent, St. John's, NL). All those in the Archdiocese who are in vowed Consecrated Life have been invited to this Mass. Following the Mass there will be an opportunity to socialize with them at a small reception in the parish hall

3. The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity will take place the week of 18-25 January 2020. The theme is: "They showed us unusual kindness" (Acts 28:2). Local resources for Canada can be accessed on the website of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity: In English: <https://www.weekofprayer.ca/2020-wpcu-resources>

FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS

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

Weekly Offering: \$1563.70 **Christmas Offering: \$70.00** **New Years Offering: \$72.00** **Church Dues: \$140.00**
Initial Offering: \$66.00 **Sunday Missal: \$5.00** **Word Among Us Missal: \$5.00**
Gathering Place Donation: \$20.00 **Mass Card Print Cost: \$23.00**
Mt. Carmel Card Game Proceeds (Jan 12): \$77.00
Funeral Fees (John Parrott): Mass: \$150.00 **Wake room Rental: \$75.00 – The Parrott Family**
Mt. Carmel Church Donation: \$75.00 - Dunphy's Funeral Home
St. Joseph's Church Anonymous Donation: \$500.00
St. Joseph's Hall New Year's Eve Event: Door/Ticket Spin Proceeds: \$2010.00 **Donation: \$300.00**
Total Gross Proceeds: \$2310.00

THANK YOU: The St. Joseph's Parish Hall Committee thanks everyone who helped make the New Year's Eve fundraiser a success. All events were well-attended, and your generosity was much appreciated. Thank You and Happy New Year!

Queen of Holy Rosary Church Admiral's Beach Special Monthly Collection (December): \$110.00

St. Mary's Funeral Mass Stipend (Muriel Corcoran): \$150.00

St. Vincent's Church Luminary Offering: \$18.25

St. Vincent's Hall Heat & Light 30 %: \$142.54 – Pond View Seniors Club

St. Vincent's Hall Floor Maintenance 30%: \$127.50 – Pond View Seniors

St. Vincent's Card Proceeds (Jan 6): \$110.00 sponsors.... *Margie Hicks, Colleen Hicks*

St. Vincent's Hall Canteen Sales (Jan 11): \$50.00

St. Vincent's Hall Rental (Jan 11): \$50.00 – Nadine Jackson

St. Vincent's Cemetery Plot Fee (Double): \$200.00

Parish Monthly Financial Report for December 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! January Month Draw #1: Ticket No. 00117

Winner: Mary Mandville Pinksen Drawn at Parish Office on January 8 by: Bill Furey Witness: Shawna Hickey
Congratulations! Mary. Thank you, Bill & Shawna

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 at 8pm

ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BR 62 ST MARY'S: Branch Cribbage and Darts Tryouts. 2 pm Sunday January 19th
Legion/ Ladies Auxiliary members paid up for eligible to play. Winners must be able to move on to Districts being played On February 8th.

COUNSELLING AND PASTORAL SERVICES

Winter 2020 Group Offerings - Ruah Counselling Centre. Please go to www.rcsj.org for more information: *Rebuilding After the End of a Relationship, Separation & Divorce* (8 weeks beginning January 13, 2020 on Monday evenings 7-9pm) *Stress Management* (8 weeks beginning January 22, 2020 on Wednesday evenings 7-9pm) *Self-Empowerment for Women* (8 weeks beginning January 23, 2020 on Thursday evenings 7-9pm) *When You See Red for Women* (8 weeks beginning January 29, 2020 on Wednesday afternoons 12-2pm) *When You See Red for Men* (8 weeks beginning February 4, 2020 on Tuesday evenings 7-9pm)

Ruah Counselling Centre also provides individual, couple, and family counselling. Please contact Samantha Lake at 579-0168.

CENTRE FOR LIFE: Counselling and support services are available for post-abortive women and any woman in an unexpected pregnancy. Professional confidential counselling services available by contacting 709-579-3818, or by email counsellors@centreforlife.ca There is no fee for the services provided by the Centre for Life.

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