



TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 4, 2020

Pastor: Very Rev. Fr. Stephen J Courtney
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GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH

P. O. Box 30
 St. Joseph's, NL A0B 3A0
 Telephone Number 521-2206 Fax Number 521-2888
 Administrative Assistant: Betty Kielly

PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS: Monday - Friday: 9:00 am -12:00 and 1:00pm - 4:30pm

Good Shepherd Parish Website www.gsparish.ca: Archdiocese of St. John's www.rcsj.org
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PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON: Shirley Kielly 525-2936

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON: Howard Power 521-2431

MARRIAGE NOTIFICATIONS

6 Months' Notice (Marriage Preparation course required)

To register please call Theresa Whiffen (RCEC 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

Tuesday Oct 6	6:30 pm	St. Joseph's	Bill Park; Ron Fleming Jr In Thanksgiving (F.F.)
Wednesday Oct 7	9:00 am	St. Joseph's	Ted Champion; Joseph Gough Fr. Joseph Barbour
Thursday Oct 8	9:00 am 4:00 pm	Admiral's Beach Nt. Harbour	William McEvoy; Phonse Doody Beth Wade Imelda Philpott; Albert Power; John Albert Linehan
Friday Oct 9	9:00 am	St. Joseph's	Jack & Mary Vail; Annie Ezekiel Michael Power
Saturday Oct 10	4:00 pm 5:30 pm	St. Vincent's St. Mary's	"Missa Pro Populo" For Parishioners Michael & Alphonsus Bishop; Hilda Fagan; George White
Sunday Oct 11	10:30 am	St. Joseph's	Francina Kielley; Joan & Lee Nolan Mary Gushue

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you everyone who have been sending in their parish envelopes during this time of pandemic and those who have contributed online through our website <https://www.gsparish.ca/donation>. Your continued financial support of the parish is very much appreciated!

HOME CATECHESIS/SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION: Those parents wishing to register their child may do so by calling the parish office at 521-2206 on or before **September 30, 2020**.

GATHERING PLACE, you have been very supportive towards the Gathering Place over the last number of years. In the past we have collected toilet paper and personal items for the guests of the Gathering Place. At this time, we cannot collect these items, instead I am asking that you consider making a monetary donation that we can give to the Gathering Place to purchase these items. The parish will be accepting donations until the end of October, at which time we will send the money to the Gathering Place. You may place your donation in an envelope marked Gathering Place. As always, thank you for your kind support! **God Bless everyone, stay safe and let us continue to pray and care for one another!**
Fr. Steve

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY is on October 18, 2020. This is a world-wide celebration of and collection for the missionary Church. The funds raised will go for emergency aid when disasters strike, to care for refugees in war torn nations, to establish and support rural health clinics, and to provide for the daily needs of all missionaries. Please pray for the missions often and please be generous on World Mission Sunday.

BELVEDERE ORPHANAGE FUND: Each year the Board of Directors of the Belvedere Orphanage Fund Inc. informs parishes of the availability of assistance from the Fund for orphan/half orphans who are in **need**. Eligibility includes male and female orphans and half orphans. Information on the conditions for assistance and application forms available by contacting the parish office at 521-2206. Applications for the 2020 distribution should be received by October 16, 2020.

READERS

St. Vincent's: Rita Raymond **St. Mary's:** Jeanette Critch **St. Joseph's:** Howard Power

VISITATION: Thursday, October 8. Visitation will be starting in Admiral's Beach at 9:30 am visiting O'Donnell's, St. Joseph's, Mt. Carmel, Mitchell's Brook, Colinet, Haricot and North Harbour. Mass in North Harbour at 4:00 pm.

VISITATION: Friday October 9. Visitation will be starting in St. Vincent's at 10:00 am, visiting St. Vincent's, Gaskiers, St. Mary's and Riverhead.

FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS

Weekly Offering: \$1573.00	Good Friday Offering: \$20.00	World Mission Sunday: \$5.00
Needs of Canadian Church: \$315.00	Collection to Priesthood: \$5.00	Church Dues: \$500.00
Gathering Place Donations: \$130.00	Certificate: \$20.00	Mass Card Print Cost: \$14.00
Word Among Us Missal: \$5.00		
Christmas Food Hampers: \$500.00		
Funeral Fees (Renee Fleming Stevenson): Mass Stipend \$150.00	Cemetery Plot Fee: \$200.00	
Colinet Cemetery Plot Fee (John Albert Linehan): \$100.00		
Funeral Fees (Elizabeth (Beth) Wade): Mass Stipend \$150.00	Mt. Carmel Cemetery Plot Fee: \$100.00	
Mt. Carmel Cemetery Fund (The Wade Family): \$100.00		
ONLINE DONATIONS: \$500.00	<i>thank you!</i>	

GRAND IN YOUR HAND: Thank you for your support!

October Month Draw #1: Ticket No. 00120 Winner: John F. Tobin
Drawn at Parish Office on October 2 by Fr. Steve Witness: Betty Kielly Congratulations! Johnny

Parish Monthly Financial Report for August Month Posted on the Church Bulletin Board.