



**Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time**

October 25, 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 HOURS:** Monday - Friday: 9:00 am - 12:00 and 1:00pm - 5:00pm

*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)*

**Good Shepherd Parish New Email Address [goodshepherdparish2008@gmail.com](mailto:goodshepherdparish2008@gmail.com)**

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**

<b>Tuesday Oct 27</b>	<b>6:30 pm</b>	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	<b>Francina Kielley; Clyde Bennett Beth Wade</b>
<b>Wednesday Oct 28</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	<b>Kenneth Walsh &amp; deceased members of the Walsh &amp; Bonia families; Renee Stevenson For a Special Intention</b>
<b>Thursday Oct 29</b>		<b>Rectory</b>	<b>Joan Butler; Hilda Fagan For a Special Intention</b>
<b>Friday Oct 30</b>		<b>Rectory</b>	<b>Catherine Stamp; Vince Fleming Lily Beard</b>
<b>Saturday Oct 31</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>	<b>St. Vincent's</b>	<b>Rick, Randy &amp; Paul St. Croix Tom &amp; Con Fleming; Nathan Flynn</b>
	<b>5:30 pm</b>	<b>St. Mary's</b>	<b>Mervin Dobbin; Dave Trask; Ben Hawco</b>
<b>Sunday Nov 1</b>	<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>	<b>"Missa Pro Populo" For Parishioners</b>

**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 **October 30, 2020**.

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY:** Last Sunday, the Church celebrated its annual World Mission Sunday. We wish to thank everyone who prayed for and were able to support the work of the missions last week. Your prayers and donations will make a huge contribution to the growth of the Church and the well-being of the poor in the world.

**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

**READERS**

**St. Vincent's:** Frances Fleming

**St. Mary's:** Uriel Kielly

**Mt. Carmel:** Bertha Fowler

**FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS**

**Weekly Offering: \$1058.40**

**Church Dues: \$365 .00**

**Collection to Priesthood: \$10.00**

**World Mission Sunday: \$292.00**

**Gathering Place: \$90.00**

**Needs of Canadian Church: \$10.00**

**St. Vincent's Card Game Proceeds (Oct 5): \$115.00** sponsors... *Genette Hayward, Chris Fleming*

(Oct 12) **\$110.00** sponsors... *Raymond Hayward, Shawn Hayward*

**Mt. Carmel Card Game Annual Fee: \$40.00**

**Sacred Heart Cemetery Memoriam (Ronald Fleming Jr): \$25.00 (Frank Hayward): \$25.00**

**ONLINE DONATIONS: \$100.00** *thank you!*

**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 September Month Posted on the Church Bulletin Board.***

**RCL BR 62 Riverhead Annual Eugene Breen Memorial Legion Cup Dart Tournament - COVID-19**

**GUIDLINES:** Saturday October 24<sup>th</sup>. 2 men 2 women. \$40 per team. Registration starts at 9 am. First 15 teams registered will play, then a wait list will be started. Registration deadline is October 21st. Call Paul at 525-2638 to register team.

**RCL BR 62 Legion Craft and Fall Fair- COVID-19 GUIDLINES:** Saturday, November 14th. 10am to 4 pm. Admission \$2 Interested vendors call 525-2664 or the Legion at 525-2712. Tables[6ft] \$20 each. Face Masks are mandatory.

**TENDER FOR SNOW CLEARING-ST. JOSEPH'S:** Tenders are invited for Snow Clearing and Ice Control for the period of October 30, 2020 to May 1 2021 and this includes the following roads within the Town of St. Joseph's: Cemetery Road - .25km, Lower Road- .6km, Church Road- .25km: **Total km: 1.1 km.** Contact Town Clerk for Details (Tony Reardon @ 521-2938)

**KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS 18<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL ROSARY AND LIGHT SERVICE THURSDAY OCTOBER 29<sup>TH</sup> 7: PM**

The 18th Annual Rosary and Light Procession organized by the Knights of Columbus will take place at the Basilica-Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in St. John's on Thursday October 29th starting at 7:30 p.m. Due to the present coronavirus pandemic, attendance at the service will require preregistration and will be limited to 100 people. However, the service will also be live streamed. You can preregister on the Basilica website ([www.thebasilica.church](http://www.thebasilica.church)) or by email ([basilica@rcsj.org](mailto:basilica@rcsj.org)) or by phone (709-754-2170) or you can participate virtually either via live stream on the Basilica Heritage Foundation website ([www.thebasilica.net](http://www.thebasilica.net)) or the Basilica Parish website ([www.thebasilica.church](http://www.thebasilica.church)) or by viewing the celebration when it is posted on the Archdiocese's website ([www.rcsj.org](http://www.rcsj.org)).

**Special Archdiocesan All Soul's Day Mass  
Monday November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 p.m.**

Since March 2020, four people have died of COVID-19 in the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador. As well, during that time period there have been many other deaths from other causes in our province. The restrictions and regulations put in place to prevent the further spread of the coronavirus pandemic has affected how the friends and loved ones of all these deceased were able to celebrate their funerals and mourn their loss.

In the Catholic Church, All Souls Day, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, is a day especially dedicated to the Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed. It is a day both for remembering those whom we love who have died and for praying for the repose of their souls.

This year on Monday November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 p.m. a special Mass will be celebrated in the Basilica-Cathedral of St. John the Baptist. It will be offered for the repose of the souls of all those who have died in this province since the beginning of the coronavirus pandemic and for the consolation and healing of all those who are struggling with the pain and grief of the death of loved ones.

Those who wish to do so, can preregister for attendance at this Mass on the Basilica website ([www.thebasilica.church](http://www.thebasilica.church)) or by email ([basilica@rcsj.org](mailto:basilica@rcsj.org)) or by phone (709-754-2170), or you can participate virtually either via live stream on the Basilica Heritage Foundation website ([www.thebasilica.net](http://www.thebasilica.net)) or the Basilica Parish website ([www.thebasilica.church](http://www.thebasilica.church)) or by viewing the celebration when it is posted on the Archdiocese's website ([www.rcsj.org](http://www.rcsj.org)).