



**SIXTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME  
February 14, 2021**

Good Shepherd Parish  
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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](http://www.gsparish.ca): Archdiocese of St. John's [www.rcsj.org](http://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)

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>MASS INTENTIONS</b>
<b>Tuesday February 16</b>		<b>Rectory</b>	<b>Walter Gibbons Anthony &amp; Catherine Hicks Anna Walsh</b>
<b>Wednesday February 17</b>		<b>Rectory</b>	<b>Stan Bennett Alfred Ryan Francina Kielley</b>
<b>Thursday February 18</b>		<b>Rectory</b>	<b>Kevin Critch &amp; deceased family members Ben St. Croix Nora &amp; Charlie Daley</b>
<b>Friday February 19</b>		<b>Rectory</b>	<b>Peter Molloy Ricky St. Croix Ignatius &amp; Mary Gibbons &amp; deceased family members</b>
<b>Sunday February 21</b>		Mass will be posted on the parish website <a href="http://www.gsparish.ca">www.gsparish.ca</a>	<b>"Missa Pro Populo" For Parishioners</b>

**Dear Parishioners,**

In light of the community spread and increased cases of Covid-19, masses are cancelled this weekend and next, as well as weekday masses. I will post mass online this weekend.

Any number of people from our area travel to and from the St. John's Metro region daily/weekly, including myself. Out of an abundance of caution, and keeping all of our health in mind I make this decision.

Let us pray for all those who have Covid-19, those in isolation and their loved ones. Let us pray for all health care workers, Department of Health officials, front line and essential workers, may God watch over and protect them. This is certainly a time of stress and uncertainty for us, may we be kind and patient with one another. God Bless.

Please stay safe, and follow public health guidelines.

**MASS INTENTIONS** are often booked months in advance. I am only permitted to celebrate **three family** intentions per mass and I am unable to add intentions the day of the mass. Mass intentions are \$5.00 **per** family. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

**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. God Bless, Fr. Steve.

**SANCTUARY LIGHT:** In memory of Leonard & Curtis Hayward – Sacred Heart Church St. Vincent's

**Could God be calling you to become a priest? Come and see.** Single Catholic men of high school age and over are invited to an evening of prayer, dinner, and reflection to learn about discerning a call to the priesthood. Date and time: Sunday January 31<sup>st</sup> from 6:30–8pm. Location: The Basilica of St. John the Baptist. To register or find out more, please contact Fr. James Fleming at (709) 754-1195 or [vocations@rcsj.org](mailto:vocations@rcsj.org). Men under 18 are requested to attend with an adult chaperone.

**FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS**

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

**Weekly Offering: \$1606.45**

**Church Dues: \$25.00**

**Ash Wednesday: \$10.00**

**Purification Candles: \$119.25**

**Funeral Fees (Margaret (Peg) Fagan):**

**ONLINE DONATIONS: \$60.00** *thank you!*

**New Year's Offering: \$20.00**

**Mass Card Print Cost: \$1.00**

**Mission Calendars: \$40.00**

**Word Among Us Missals: \$10.00**

**Mass Stipend: \$150.00**

**St. Joseph's Cemetery Plot Fee: \$100.00**

**Initial Offering: \$10.00**

**Sanctuary Light: \$5.00**

**Gathering Place Donations: \$755.00**

**GRAND IN YOUR HAND:** Thank you for your support! February Month Draw # 1: Ticket No. 00098

Winner: Patrick Breen. Drawn at Parish Office on February 5 by Fr Steve Witness: Howard Power

Congratulations! Pat. Thank you, Fr. Steve & Howard

**FRIDAY NIGHT BINGO ROYAL CANDIAN LEGION BR 62 ST. MARY'S** Friday, February 26th. Doors open 7:30 Bingo starts 8:30. Jackpot and Toonie Jar to Go!! Nevada!! Wheel Spins!! Due to Covid-19 guidelines we can only have 90 people. To reserve a seat or table within your bubble, please call 525-2712 before Feb 24th. We cannot take walk-ins. Sorry