



EASTER SUNDAY
April 4, 2021

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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
Wednesday April 7	6:30 pm	St. Joseph's	John Lewis Jr. Alban Hearn; Gary Slaney
Thursday April 8	9:00 am	Admiral's Beach	Austin & Theresa Linehan John & Anne Daley & deceased family members Souls in Purgatory
	4:00 pm	North Harbour	Ben Power; Lori Oliver Madeline Daley & Michael Butland
Friday April 9	8:45 am	Lewis Personal Care	Mary Margaret St. Croix; Jack & Mary Vail Deceased members of the Walsh & Bonia families
Saturday April 10	4:00 pm	St. Vincent's	Bern Halleran William & Ellen Watson; Ed Watson
	5:30 pm	St. Mary's	Lucina & Mike St. Croix & deceased family members Doreen Tobin & deceased family members Neil Fleming & deceased family members
Sunday April 11	9:30 am	Mount Carmel	"Missa Pro Populo" For Parishioners
	11:15 am	St. Joseph's	Patricia Gough & Regina Ryan Jim & Esther Pike; Beth Wade

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED EASTER MONDAY

Dear Parishioners,

Wednesday, March 24, the Chief Medical Officer of Health announced that as of 12:01 a.m. Saturday March 27th all of the province would move to Alert Level 2.

Archdiocesan Churches may be opened provided that: **a)** No more than 50 people are present including the officiant; **b)** All present COVID-19 safety protocols are followed including social distancing, facemask wearing,, COVID self-assessment and contact tracing registration. The Chief Medical Officer requested that masks be worn by congregants throughout public worship services (except when receiving Communion, and lectors, cantors and the celebrant when ministering).

Please keep in mind there is a limit of fifty (50) people total, registration by phone **521-2206** will be required for the weekend masses.

Also, Dr. Fitzgerald has stated that masks should be worn at all times, even when sitting.

Thanking you in advance for your patience and understanding. Stay Safe and God Bless! Fr. Steve.

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 Anthony Halleran, Ann & Harold Adams, Mildred & Joe Dean – St. Vincent’s

VISITATION: Thursday, April 8. 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, April 9: 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.

FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS

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

Weekly Offering: \$525.00

Dev & Peace Offering: \$40.00

Good Friday Offering: \$40.00

Certificates: \$10.00

Funeral Mass Stipend (Kevin Christopher): \$150.00

Funeral Mass Stipend (John F. Gibbons) \$150.00

ONLINE DONATIONS: \$160.00 *thank you!*

New Years Offering: \$50.00

Lenten Offering: \$55.00

Easter Offering: \$70.00

Ash Wednesday Offering: \$45.00

Holy Thursday Offering: \$90.00

Mass Card Print Cost: \$1.00

GRAND IN YOUR HAND: Thank you for your support! March Month Draw # 2: Ticket No. 00062

Winner: Maureen Lewis. Drawn at Parish Office on March 26 by Fr. Steve Witness: Howard Power

Congratulations! Maureen. Thank you, Fr. Steve and Howard.

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 31st 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. Men under 18 are requested to attend with an adult chaperone.