



**Fourteenth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
July 4, 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*  
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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>Friday<br/>July 9</b>    | <b>10:00 am</b> | <b>St. Joseph's</b> | <b>Funeral Mass</b><br>Ralph Gough<br><b>Registration required due to Covid Restrictions</b>    |
|                             | <b>2:00 pm</b>  | <b>St. Mary's</b>   | <b>Graveside Prayers &amp; Burial</b>   |
| <b>Saturday<br/>July 10</b> | <b>10:00 am</b> | <b>St. Mary's</b>   | <b>Funeral Mass</b><br>Kenneth Bishop<br><b>Registration required due to Covid Restrictions</b> |
|                             | <b>4:00 pm</b>  | <b>Mount Carmel</b> | <b>Mike Nash; Annie Squires; Rosa Butler</b>  |
| <b>Sunday<br/>July 11</b>   | <b>10:30 am</b> | <b>St. Mary's</b>   | <b>"Missa Pro Populo"<br/>For Parishioners</b>  |

PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE IN THE WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

**ARCHBISHOP'S REQUEST FOR YOUR INPUT IN PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE**

All members of the Catholic Community of the Archdiocese of St. John's are being invited to participate in a survey that will be used in developing a plan for the ongoing provision of ministries, programs and services in the Archdiocese. Paper copies of the survey are available at the doors of the church or the survey can be done online by going to the following link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/5CNK9KJ> The Archbishop asks that all completed surveys be submitted prior to June 30, 2021.

**Dear Parishioners,** it's been three weeks since my surgery, overall, I am doing ok. Unfortunately, one of the incisions has not healed well and has partially reopened and needs to be packed. The medical staff responsible for my care have encouraged me to restrict my physical activity, therefore I will not be able to get out this weekend as I had hoped. This is the longest I have ever been away from the parish and I very much miss being "Home". I really hope to be back with you next week. I will rest as much as I can and hopefully the incision will heal up. Thanks for your understanding and your prayers. 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, two names per family (e.g., John & Mary Doe or John & Mary Doe & deceased family members) Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

**Baptized this week at Good Shepherd Parish**

St. Joseph's Church St. Joseph's

**BRITTANY ERICKA HICKEY**

*Congratulations and God's blessings on you and your family!*

**READERS:** Hughie Lawlor (Mt. Carmel)

Jeanette Critch (St. Mary's)

**VOCATION DISCERNMENT GROUP.** Single Catholic men who are interested in discerning a vocation to the priesthood are invited to attend our monthly Vocation Discernment Group led by Fr. James Fleming. This group meets on the last Sunday of each month at the Basilica from 6:30–8pm. The meetings typically consist of evening prayer, a meal, and discussion of a particular topic related to the priesthood and discernment. To register or find out more, please contact Fr. Fleming at (709) 754-1195 or [vocations@rcsj.org](mailto:vocations@rcsj.org)

**FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS**

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

**Weekly Offering: \$1200.10**

**St. Vincent's Cemetery Fund: \$20.00**

**Mass Card Print Cost: \$8.00**

**St. Vincent's Hall Heat/Light 30%: \$19.36 Pond View Seniors**

**Funeral Fees (Marie Ryan) Mass: \$150.00 St. Joseph's Cemetery Plot Fee: \$100.00**

**ONLINE DONATIONS: \$90.00**

**RCEC Financial Campaign: \$15.00**

**St. Joseph's Cemetery Fund: \$20.00**

**Certificate: \$5.00**

**Word Among Us Missals: \$15.00**

**Mt. Carmel Cemetery Fund: \$50.00**

*Parish Monthly Financial Report for May 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! July Month Draw # 1: Ticket No. 00082

Winner: Bill Breen. Drawn at Parish Office on July 2 by Elizabeth Daley Witness: Howard Power

Congratulations! Bill. Thank you, Elizabeth & Howard.

**NOTICE: FROM ASSUMPTION CHURCH CEMETERY COMMITTEE**

Effective July 01, 2021 a Cemetery Fee will be charged to all individuals being buried in the St Mary's Cemeteries (Old and New). The amount will be \$100.00 for residents (St. Mary's and Gaskiers/Pt La Haye) and \$200.00 for non-residents. This new fee structure will replace the Plot Fee charge currently in place. We would also like to remind visitors to the Cemetery to please close the gates when leaving. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding in this matter.

**ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH HALL COMMITTEE**

The Parish Hall Renovations are Complete! The committee wishes to thank all the men and women who worked on the project for a job well done. The hall is now available for family/community gatherings. However, please keep Covid 19 Guidelines in mind as you plan your event. Thank you for your continued support for our parish hall. Stay Safe!

**THANK YOU:** I wish to express a sincere thank you to my relatives and friends who sent sympathy and mass cards, phoned or visited at the passing of my brother, Kevin Careen. From the bottom of my heart thank you again and may God bless you all. **Madeline McDonald**