



**Fifteenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
July 11, 2021**

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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
Saturday July 17	4:00 pm	St. Vincent's	Tommy Molloy Jr. Patrick & Nellie St. Croix & deceased family members Peter & Hannah Murphy & deceased family members
Sunday July 18	10:30 am	St. Joseph's	"Missa Pro Populo" For Parishioners Ed & Betty McEvoy; Dave Brenton In Thanksgiving

PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE IN THE WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

ANNUAL CEMETERY LITURGY SERVICES

The Sunday Mass televised on NTV 10:30 a.m. Sunday July 18, 2021 will be offered for the intentions of all the deceased of the Archdiocese.

A special live-streamed Mass at the Basilica 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday July 20, 2021 will be celebrated in memory of all the deceased.

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 Jahn & Mary Doe & deceased family members*) Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

READERS: Priscilla Tobin (St. Vincent's) Tony Healey (St. Joseph'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

FINANCES WITH SINCERE THANKS

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

Weekly Offering: \$1325.10
Good Friday Offering: \$5.00
RCEC Campaign: \$20.00
St. Mary's Cemetery: \$45.00
ONLINE DONATIONS: \$0.00

RCEC Financial Campaign: \$15.00
Easter Offering: \$5.00
Baptism Church Fee: \$100.00
St. Joseph's Cemetery Fund: \$60.00

Word Among Us Missals: \$15.00
Advent Offering: \$20.00
St. Vincent's Cemetery: \$45.00
Mt. Carmel Cemetery Fund: \$80.00

*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!

THE CENTRE FOR LIFE is having a fundraiser on a 100% cotton quilt 66' W x 80 " L with a Sci-Fi theme. The quilt was made by Mary Browne for Fr. Pat Power which he bequeathed to the Centre for Life. It has an estimated value of 900.00. Fr. Pat Power served on the board of directors for the Centre for Life until he passed in April of 2020. The hanging rod and attachments are included. The quilt depicts Star Trek, the Hunger Games, Dr. Who, Lord of the Rings, and Harry Potter. The draw date is October 3 ,2021. Tickets are 5.00 each. **Ticket inquiries can be made at 579-1500 or by email at centreforlife@centreforlife.ca .**