

*Christmas Mass Schedule*

*Christmas Eve:* 6:00 pm - St. Kevin's  
 7:45 pm - St. Joseph's  
 9:30 pm - St. Kevin's  
*Christmas Day:* 10:00 am - St. Kevin's

*New Year's Eve:* 4:30 pm - St. Kevin's  
 6:00 pm - St. Joseph's  
*New Year's Day:* 11:00 am - St. Kevin's

**SCHEDULE OF LITURGIES** *(There will be no weekday Masses until Tuesday, January 6<sup>th</sup>)*

<i>Sat., Dec. 28<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>5:00 pm</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>John Ezekiel Jr. &amp; John Ezekiel Sr. Alex Williams Tony, Donnie &amp; Junior Whitten</i>
<i>Sun., Dec. 29<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>9:30 am</b>	<i>St. Joseph's</i>	<i>James Cooper &amp; Lorraine (Rose) Cooper Phil Chafe Jack Walsh</i>
<i>Sunday, Dec. 29<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>11:00 am</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>For all Parishioners</i>
<i>Sat., Jan. 4<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>5:00 pm</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>John Ezekiel Jr. &amp; John Ezekiel Sr. Neil McGrath Alexander Williams George &amp; Florence Williams</i>
<i>Sun., Jan. 5<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>9:30 am</b>	<i>St. Joseph's</i>	<i>Henry &amp; Mary Miller Alice Norman Jack &amp; Valerie Doyle</i>
<i>Sunday, Jan. 5<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>11:00 am</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>For all Parishioners</i>
<i>Mon., Jan. 6<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>Marian Prayer Group</i>
<i>Tues., Jan. 7<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>10:00 am</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>Conrad Labonte Special Intentions of Kieley family Special Intentions of Clymkiv family</i>
	<b>10:30 am</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>HOLY OUR</i>
<i>Wed., Jan. 8<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>10:00 am</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>Richard &amp; Theresa Howlett Mary &amp; Patrick Barton Joyda Maher</i>
<i>Thurs., Jan. 9<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>10:00 am</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>George Croft Kathleen Murphy Bernice O'Driscoll</i>
	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>LEGION OF MARY</i>
<i>Fri., Jan. 10<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>10:00 am</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>Harry Richards Special Intentions of Barbara McBride Special Intentions of Olivia Martin</i>
<i>Sat., Jan. 11<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>5:00 pm</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>Josephine &amp; Leo Guiney Nora White Elizabeth &amp; John Drew</i>
<i>Sun., Jan. 12<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>9:30 am</b>	<i>St. Joseph's</i>	<i>Sheila Snow Teresa Dwyer Matilda Williams</i>
<i>Sun., Jan. 12<sup>th</sup></i>	<b>11:00 am</b>	<i>St. Kevin's</i>	<i>For all Parishioners</i>

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FROM Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> - January 6<sup>th</sup>.**

**The office will re-open on Monday, January 6<sup>th</sup>.**

**LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION**

<b>St. Kevin's Parish</b>		<b>St. Joseph's Parish</b>	
Sunday Coll:	\$ 1,111.80	Sunday Coll:	\$ 578.30
Food Bank Coll:	\$ 14.00	Food Bank Coll.:	\$
Dues: \$ 50.00	Advent Folders: \$40.00	Advent Folder:	\$

**Sanctuary Lamps:** Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> : **St. Kevin's Church:** Margaret, Val & David Noonan  
**St. Kevin's Chapel:** Mary & Cosmas Leonard  
**St. Joseph's Church:**  
 Dec. 29<sup>th</sup>: **St. Kevin's Church:** George Hatfield  
**St. Kevin's Chapel:** Loyola White  
**S.t Joseph's Church:**  
 Jan. 4<sup>th</sup> : **St. Kevin's Church:** David Kirby  
**St. Kevin's Chapel:** Theresa Connolly  
**St. Joseph's Church:**

**Sacramental Meeting** - next meeting is Sunday, January 5<sup>th</sup> 12 Noon at St. Kevin's church

**Baptism Preparation** - every second month - next Preparation at St. Kevin's is on Monday, December 9<sup>th</sup>. Baptisms take place each month on 3<sup>rd</sup> full weekend at St. Kevin's & 4<sup>th</sup> full weekend at St. Joseph's. **A COPY OF YOUR CHILD'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE IS NOW REQUIRED.**

**Spiritual Tips** - *IT'S NOT TOO EARLY TO THINK ABOUT NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS...* committing just 10 minutes a day to spiritual reading can transform your life.

**Rediscover the Saints Book Club** - Coming to St. Kevin's, Sundays Jan. 26 -Mar. 30, 8-9 pm  
 Are you wondering just what the saints are all about and what relevance they have in today's world? Would you like the opportunity to explore the Catholic faith in a personal and practical way? Would you like a night out and a chance to get to know your fellow parishioners? Come for an hour of discussion and of course, refreshments, as we explore together this wonderful book - REDISCOVER THE SAINTS

**Christmas Stockings** - Kindly take a stocking and place your monetary donation inside and return it to the church and place it in the basket/box provided (please ensure you do not place it with the empty stockings). All donations are in aid of St. Kevin's Food Bank. Thank you

**Family Aid Donations** - Thank you to the following for their very kind and generous donations: \$2,000.00 from Goulds Lions Club; Geoff Murphy Services - DKI for their their donation of 25 turkeys and 25 dozen eggs for our Christmas hampers and St. Kevin's Junior High students for donating the treats for our Christmas Hampers. \$50 donation has been received in memory of Mary & Gus Dinn; \$100 donation received in memory of Justin Blundon; \$50 donation has been made on behalf of Fr. Jeff and \$100 donation has been made on behalf of Dennis Lawlor.

**New Ciboria** - St. Joseph's Church is in need of two new Ciboria, the vessel in which the Bread is blessed for Communion. These are rather expensive. If you would like to donate towards the cost of one or would like to purchase one in memory of a loved one, contact the parish office or any parish volunteer.

**Ciboria Donation** \$50.00 has been received in memory of Edward T. & Mary F. Furlong. Thank you.

**Christmas Ministers List** - is now available in each church. Please check the list for the Mass you are scheduled for. We are still in need of 3 Communion Ministers on Christmas Day and 2 Communion Ministers on New Year's Day at St. Kevin's. If you are available please contact the Parish Office.

**Church Envelopes** - are now available in each church.

**ST. JOSEPH'S WEEKLY SPIN** - Winning number for Sunday, Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup> is # 101  
**USED EYEGLASSES** - The Goulds Lions Club are still collecting used eyeglasses to be recycled and reused by those in need. There is a box placed in each church for anyone who would like to donate glasses that they have and don't use anymore. Thank you  
**RUAH COUNSELLING CENTRE** - provides individual, couple, and family counselling. Please contact Samantha Lake at 579-0168 for more information.

**THE CENTRE FOR LIFE** - offers free, confidential professional pregnancy and post-abortion counselling. Email counsellors@centreforlife.ca or call 579 -3818. Linda Holden 579 -1500 for info.

**MATTHEW 25 OUTREACH INC.** supporting a school and orphanage in Kenya, we are now requesting donations for our Christmas project, this year we are supplying all of our little children with a new 3-piece school uniform (Sweater, Shirt, skirt/pants) the suggested donation is \$25.00, how ever any amount would be greatly appreciated. Call Margie Stead 746-6492 or Doreen Stone 834-4164.

**Apr 30-May 10: PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE** where Our Lady has been appearing daily for 38 years. Cost of \$2135 (+ \$675 taxes/security/fuel surcharges) includes airfare from the Maritimes, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast & dinner and experienced local guide. (Optional single room supplement, \$200/p.) The accompanying priest is yet to be determined. INFO: Hector Caissie at hectorcaissie@hotmail.ca or (506) 857-2295

**Do you worry about someone else's drinking?** - If so, Al-Anon/Alateen Family Support Groups can help you! Call 709-722-2666 or 1-888-455-2666 for a meeting near you. For more info see [www.al-anon.org](http://www.al-anon.org)

**AWAY IN A MANGER** - the annual exhibit of nativities from around the world is open Tuesday - Sunday 10 - 4 pm and open on Dec. 23, 10 -pm. Join us for a unique exhibit of Nativity scenes from all over the world! Please consider bringing a gift for a child in need, and place it under our wonderful tree.

For more information or to arrange a group visit - call John Fitzgerald @ (709)726-3660.. Explore the meaning of Christmas by walking through a lovely old room filled with over 100 nativity sets. Come join us at the Mullock Library – Pastoral Centre, Archdiocese of St. John's (right next to the Basilica of St. John's the Baptist). Hot chocolate and refreshments will be served.

**POSITION AVAILABLE** - Corpus Christi Parish is seeking an individual for the position of Parish Administrative Assistant for 25 hrs per week. This individual will be responsible for a wide range of administrative and general office duties to facilitate the efficient operation of the Parish and provide support to Parish Committees, etc., as approved by the Pastor. This individual will require proficiency in office operation procedures, computer skills, communication skills (verbal and written), multitasking, general accounting (petty cash, etc) as well as relationship management. Applicants may forwards their resumes to Theresa Whiffen, HR Manager at [twhiffen@rcsj.org](mailto:twhiffen@rcsj.org) or fax 709-726-3615. Closing deadline is 11:59 pm Dec. 29<sup>th</sup>

**84 MARCONI SEA CADET OPEN HOUSE** - Jan. 13th , 6:30-9pm at Mary Queen of the World school on Topsail Road. Come and enjoy some treats and refreshments, try your skills at air rifle target shooting, knot tying, play a musical instrument, participate in rifle drill, and much more. This program is free to children for ages 12-18. Please follow us on Facebook and Twitter.

**MESSANGER of the SACRED HEART** - If you're thinking of a gift for a grandparent or other relative or friend this year, or even getting a gift for yourself, the little Messenger of the Sacred Heart would be a good choice. This magazine will be sent to your address each month for a full year at a very reasonable price. You would be giving a monthly gift as well as spreading devotion to the Sacred Heart. For more info please call 738-3236

**DEVELOPMENT & PEACE** - Solidarity Tour to the Brazilian Amazon! July 7-23, 2020. Visit Development & Peace partners in Brazil! Deliver Solidarity Letters signed by thousands of Canadians! Learn more about Social Pastorals of the Brazilian Catholic Church! Application deadline: January 6, 2020. Cost \$3000.00 (We will help you fundraise!) Please contact Selina at [shunt@devp.org](mailto:shunt@devp.org)

## ST. KEVIN'S & ST. JOSEPH'S PARISHES

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### Fourth Sunday of Advent December 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019

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Parish Priest: Father Jeffrey Kolonel  
Parish Secretary: Patsy Hynes

Parish Hall Manager: Keith Lee  
Catechetical Coordinators: Fr. Jeff Kolonel  
Paula Everard & Philomena Seaward

Office Hours: 9:30 - 5:00 pm Mon. - Thurs.  
9:30 - 3:00 pm - Friday (Oct. - May)

Mass Schedule: Please see inside bulletin  
Confessions: Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45 pm - St Kevin's  
Sunday: 8:45 - 9:15 am - St. Joseph's

Baptisms: Third weekend of month - St. Kevin's  
Fourth weekend of month - St. Joseph's

Funerals: If there is a funeral on a weekday, it replaces the Mass of that day.