

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH – April 3 - 9, 2023**

Date	Day	Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
April 3	Monday	10:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Margaret Hinchey <b>Ecumenical Holy Week Service - Fraser Road United Church</b>	John & Anne Ducey
April 5	Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	<b>Stations of the Cross led by the Knights of Columbus</b>	
April 6	Holy Thursday	7:00 p.m.	<b>Mass of the Last Supper</b>	
April 7	Good Friday	3:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	<b>Celebration of the Lord's Passion (St. Joseph's)</b> <b>Celebration of the Lord's Passion (St. Anne's)</b>	Michael & John Ryan Madonna Ryan & family
April 8	Holy Saturday	8:00 p.m.	<b>Easter Vigil - Easter Proclamation</b>	Tom Mason Ruth Power (B) Edward, Anne (B) & Marjorie Lane
April 9	Easter Sunday	9:30 a.m.	<b>Resurrection of the Lord, St. Anne's Church, Glenwood</b>	Bessie Mason & family Patricia Parsons
April 9	Easter Sunday	11:00 a.m.	<b>Resurrection of the Lord, St. Joseph's (Mass of the People)</b>	Pauline Lane

**MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE - EASTER TRIDUUM (APRIL 6 - 9, 2023)**

<b>Ministry:</b>	<b>Holy Thursday at 7:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Good Friday at 3:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Readers:</b>	Carole Hibbs & Brian Noonan	Patricia Parsons & Maureen Saunders
<b>EMHC:</b>	Joan Kieley, Doris Scharpegge Kay MacArthur	Rita Pearce, Jeanne Dillon Daniel O'Donnell, Cathy Bureaux
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Don Farrell & William O'Rielly	Dan Mahoney
<b>Candle Bearers:</b>	Jeanne Dillon & Elizabeth Blake	
<b>Gift Presenters:</b>	Ian, Maureen & Layla Saunders	
<b>Hospitality:</b>	Alice McCarhy & Ed Blackmore	Volunteers
<b>Treasury:</b>	<b>Team 1: Doris Scharpegge,</b> Ed Blackmore, Dan Turner, Mary Turner	
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<b>Readers:</b>	<b>Easter Vigil at 8:00 p.m.</b> Bridget Bowen, Pat Gonzales, Peter Byrne, Carole Hibbs, Brian Noonan	<b>Easter Sunday at 11:00 a.m.</b> Joan Kieley & Maureen Saunders
<b>EMHC:</b>	Betty Blackmore, Doris Scharpegge, Kay MacArthur	Rita Pearce, Jeanne Dillon, Cathy Bureaux
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Alex Bracci, Bill O'Rielly, Dan Mahoney	Jottin Jose
<b>Candle Bearers:</b>	Barbara Fowler & Colleen Maloney	
<b>Gift Presenters:</b>	Steve, Tammy & Rosie Hoskins	Lloyd & Melissa Burke & family
<b>Hospitality:</b>	Ed Blackmore & Rita Pearce	Elizabeth Blake
<b>Treasury:</b>	<b>Team 2: Mary Griffiths, Elizabeth Blake</b> Margie Beaton, Mike English, Mary Goulding, Shirley O'Donnell	
<b>Music &amp; Sacristans for Easter Triduum</b>		
<b>Music:</b>	Sunday AM Choir	
<b>Sacristans:</b>	Doris Scharpegge, Kay MacArthur, Rita Pearce, Cheryl Dwyer	

**HOLY THURSDAY  
ALTAR OF REPOSE**

8 p.m. - 9 p.m. - Knights of Columbus  
9 p.m. - 10 p.m. - RCW & Sacristans  
All parishioners are invited to participate during this time of Adoration.

**Church Openings During Holy Week**

*The Church will be open to parishioners Monday to Thursday from 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. and on Friday from 9 a.m. to the conclusion of the Good Friday Service if you wish to visit or make the stations.*

**ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH BULLETIN**



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**PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (YEAR C)**

Check out our bulletin on-line at [www.stjosephsparishgander.com](http://www.stjosephsparishgander.com)

**Parish Priest**  
Father William Hearn  
Cell: 486-9492  
**Parish Pastoral Council**  
Chair: William O'Rielly  
**Finance Committee**  
Chair: Dan Mahoney  
**St. Anne's Parish Council**  
Vice Chair: Irene Broderick  
**Catechetical Coordinator**  
Alice McCarthy (St. Joseph's)  
[sjp-homestudyprogram@bellaliant.com](mailto:sjp-homestudyprogram@bellaliant.com)  
**Parish Secretary** - Elizabeth Blake

**OFFICE HOURS:**  
9 a.m. - 12 noon  
1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

**Phone:** (709) 256-3151  
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**Reconciliation**  
Saturdays - suspended.  
Or by appointment

**Sacrament of Baptism**  
Baptism Preparation (2 hours)  
& Baptisms by Appointment  
**Weekend Mass Schedule**

**St. Joseph's, Gander**  
Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
**St. Anne's, Glenwood**  
Sunday 9:30 a.m.

Father Hearn celebrates weekday Masses **in the Chapel** at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday and Fridays.  
All are invited to attend.

**HOLY WEEK**  
Holy Week is the week which precedes the great feast of the Resurrection of the Lord on Easter Sunday. The week begins with Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, includes the last days of Lent, and ends on Holy Saturday with the beginning of the Easter Vigil. During Holy Week, the Church celebrates the mysteries of salvation accomplished by Christ in the last days of his life on earth, beginning with his messianic entrance into Jerusalem and culminating with his Passion and Death on the Cross. Though Holy Week is solemn and sorrowful, it anticipates the Easter joy of Christ's resurrection which brings new life to all who believe.

**Sunday Theme**

The beginning of today's Mass recalls the messianic entrance of the Lord Jesus into Jerusalem, coming to complete his Paschal Mystery. In the Passion Narrative we see the model for all love – the sacrificial love of Jesus which continues to be available for each of us. This love is made manifest as Jesus, the Suffering Servant, heals the injured slave in the Garden of Gethsamene, comforts the weeping women, forgives his executioners, and welcomes the repentant thief. Jesus' love culminates in his death on the cross for our salvation. Such great love ought to guide our personal and communal life as Christians and as Church.



**ECUMENICAL HOLY WEEK SERVICE**

The Gander Ministerial Association wishes to invite you to an Ecumenical Holy Week Service which will take place at the Fraser Road United Church on Monday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7 p.m.

**Speaker:** Rev. Terry Caines of the Anglican Diocese

**The Offering (through the Salvation Army) will be used to help those struggling with homelessness.**



"We must never forget the moment and the way in which God enters into our lives, treasuring in our hearts and minds that encounter with Grace that enkindles faith in our hearts and sparks zeal for the Gospel within us."

**Pope Francis @ Pontifex**

# WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

## Passion (Palm Sunday)

"Hosanna in the Highest. Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy."

### PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

"Six days before the solemn Passover, the Lord came to Jerusalem, and children waving palm branches ran out to welcome him.

They loudly praised the Lord:

Blessed are you who have come to us, so rich in love and mercy.

Open wide the doors and gates, lift high the ancient portals.

The King of glory enters. Who is the King of glory?

He is God the mighty Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

"Blessed are you who have come to us, So rich in love and mercy". Amen.



### THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM

Through his Paschal Mystery, the Lord Jesus redeemed the human race and gave perfect glory to the Father. By dying, Christ destroyed our death; by rising, he restored our life. For this reason, the Easter Triduum, when we celebrate the suffering, death and resurrection of our Lord, is the high point of the Liturgical Year. The Easter Solemnity is to the year what Sunday is to the week.

The celebration of the *Triduum* (Latin word for 'three days') opens with the evening Mass of the Lord's Supper, continues through Good Friday and Holy Saturday, reaching its climax in the Easter Vigil, and closes with Evening Prayer II on Easter Sunday. During these days, we gather a number of times and we hear some of the Church's most beautiful prayers and Scripture readings. There are two important points to keep in mind regarding the Triduum:

- First, it is the highpoint of the liturgical year, an event which, though it spans three days, is really **one** major unified celebration.
- Secondly, the focus from start to finish is on "the glory of the Cross". This defining theme, inherent throughout the Triduum, is first expressed in the entrance antiphon of Holy Thursday's Mass: "We should glory in the Cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, in whom is our salvation, life and resurrection, through whom we are saved and delivered." These words set the tone for the whole Triduum event – we gather "to glory in the Cross of Christ".

**Day 1 (Holy Thursday evening to Good Friday evening):** The Church celebrates "Christ as Sacrifice" as Christ offers his Body and Blood at the Last Supper on Holy Thursday and then on the Cross of Calvary on Good Friday.

**Day 2 (Good Friday evening to Holy Saturday evening):** The Church is united with "Christ in the Tomb". There is no principal liturgical celebration. On this day the Lord sleeps; on this day we wait at the Lord's tomb and make every effort to enter into God's rest. Prayer, fasting, and silence are the order of the day.

**Day 3 (Holy Saturday evening to Easter Sunday evening):** The Church celebrates "Christ Being Raised Up". "Alleluias" ring out in welcome to our Risen Saviour. There is joy in Christ's journey from death to life, a journey we hope to share with Him.



TRIDUUM

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### GOOD FRIDAY Paschal Fast

Parishioners are reminded of the Paschal Fast which should be observed everywhere on Good Friday and continued, where possible, on Holy Saturday. The Fast honors the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus. In this way the people of God will receive the joys of the Lord's Resurrection with uplifted and responsive hearts.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Johanna Hogan, Fran Gilbert, Lawrence Clowe, Denise Crant, Betty LeBlanc, Loretta Dwyer, Beth McGrath, Wayne Coady, Eddie Dwyer, Mary Pickett, Marie Lawton, Jeana Bowen, Anne Walsh, Cathy Hogan, Ed Tricco, Nellie Guillemade, JoAnne Lyver, Judy Lush, Linden Collins, Rowena Zwicker, Toni Marie Rolfe, Zeta Purchase, Renata Oman, Anne Marie Collins, Michael Parsons, Alice Richards, Kathy Patterson-King, Mary Walsh and Jeremiah Campbell. If a family member or friend is a patient at the hospital or ill at home, and would like a visit from Father Hearn, please call the Parish Office at 256-3151.

### GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION



The Good Friday Collection is requested by the Holy See to help maintain the Church's holy places in the Holy Land, so important to the faith of Christians everywhere, and also to support the faithful who struggle to survive under political and economic oppression and persecution. This Pontifical Collection will be taken in the parishes during the Good Friday celebration on April 7, 2023. Those who are unable to attend the service, or who prefer to contribute online, may do so by Interac e-transfer or CanadaHelps by visiting [www.commissariat.ca/](http://www.commissariat.ca/) supporting us. Receipts will be issued.

**Collection Totals Thank you to all our parishioners for your continued generosity!**

March 26, 2023	St. Joseph's	St. Anne's
Sunday Offering	\$2,737.00	\$340.00
Loose	65.80	10.00
Maintenance	15.00	15.00
Heating	105.00	10.00
Lenten Offering	5.00	5.00
Flowers for Easter	30.00	
Holy Thursday	5.00	
Good Friday	5.00	
Easter Sunday	60.00	5.00
Ash Wednesday	5.00	
Development & Peace	175.00	20.00
Candles		7.00
E-Transfers	735.00	
Direct Deposit	447.00	
<b>Total Deposit</b>	<b>\$4,389.80</b>	<b>\$412.00</b>



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

(Fr. McCormack Council)

50/50 RAFFLE TICKETS

Members who have the \$25 tickets for sale must have them returned **no later than Sunday April 23<sup>rd</sup>** as they will be sent to St John's for the draw. They can be returned to the Parish Office or Dan Mahoney.



We would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all those who reached out to our family during the time of Jim's illness and his passing with their prayers, telephone calls, food, and Mass and sympathy cards. All were very much welcomed and will always be remembered.

**Marie, Jeff, Sherry and John Badcock**

### ST. ANNE'S CHURCH, GLENWOOD Liturgical & Ministries' Schedule for April 7 - 9, 2023

Date	Day	Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
Apr 7	Good Friday	6:00 p.m.	Celebration of the Lord's Passion	
Apr 9	Easter Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Nicholas Jr. & Gus Broderick	Dave & Phyllis Morrissey
			Donal Foley	Remi & Rosie Truchon
	<b>MINISTRIES:</b>	<b>Good Friday</b>		<b>Easter Sunday</b>
	<b>Readers:</b>	Helen Oake		Lonz Bryan
		Remi Truchon & Albert Oake (Passion)		
	<b>Presenters of Gifts:</b>			Alice Bryan & Erica Bryan
	<b>Hospitality:</b>			Irene Broderick

