

Sunday Collection May 1-May 15, 2021	# of Env	Env Amount	Change	Total
Sunday Collection	197	3321.00	17.75	3338.75
Holy Thursday	3	30.00	✓	30.00
Good Friday	4	35.00	✓	35.00
Easter	7	105.00	✓	105.00
Parish Maintenance	18	215.00		215.00
Food Bank	1	25.00	✓	25.00
Development & Peace	1	10.00	✓	10.00
Ash Wednesday	1	10.00	✓	10.00
Cemetery Fund	1	30.00	✓	30.00
Acknowledged with Thanks				\$3,798.75

Due to the Alert Level 2 guidelines we are not able to pass around the collection plate, You can contribute to the parish by dropping your envelope in the basket provided at the back of the church or by mailing your envelopes to the address at the right, you can drop your envelopes in the mailbox outside the office door, or you can use Direct Giving through automatic debit from your bank account. You can call the office to get more information on Direct Giving. If you drop your envelopes at the office door, please ring the doorbell to notify the office that there is a drop off and it can be picked up immediately. **Please refrain from depositing at the door outside of office hours. Note: office will be closed Tuesday June 1 st.**

Recycling Fund Raiser

Please consider donating your beverage containers that have piled up over the holiday. If you wish to donate your beverage containers, you can do so by dropping your bags into the green bin next to the parish centre door. We ask that you drop off your recycling in this bin on Mondays if possible. This will give time to bring the bags to the depot and get a report for the bulletin. Please remember this is for beverage containers only (pop cans, juices boxes, liquor bottles, beer bottles) not milk cartons, soup cans or plastic containers. Please be careful as to what you put in the recycling bags. The containers must be cleaned and caps removed. Thank you to all who are contributing. **To date we have \$847.35 in our recycling account.**

St. Edward's Parish



**Trinity Sunday
May 30, 2021**

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Parish Office Hours: Mon to Fri 9:00 am – 12:00 pm, 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Office will be closed Tuesday, June 1st

Administrative Assistant: Helen Butler

Parish Administrator: Fr. Cosmas Iweru, S.D.V.

Weekday masses open to the public

Intentions are

Monday, 11:00 am – Gertrude & Katlyn Walsh, Joan Mackey

Thursday, 11:00 am – Norbert Murphy, Patricia Martin

Friday, 10:00 am – James & Sara Philpott, Cyril & Joan Morris

Weekend masses open to capacity of 50

Saturday – 5:30 pm

Sunday – 11:00 am

It is very important that you preregister to attend weekend masses. Call the office to book your space for the month of June, 834-2919

St. Edward's Parish Cemetery Clean Up

During the town's 'Three Hour Challenge' from 9:00 am to 12 noon, June 19, 2021. The cemetery committee will be holding a cleanup at the cemetery. There will be a load of topsoil dumped on the premises for anyone that wants to fix up their family's grave, (bring along your own shovel and wheelbarrow). We hope that as many parishioners and family members as possible will be able to help with this event.

Lobster Take Out Dinner

Topsail United Church will be holding a Lobster Take Out Dinner on Wednesday June 9 from 4 until 6 P.M. Meal will consist of 3 Salads, Roll, Dessert. Cost \$35. To reserve, please call the church Office at 834-4567, between 9 and 12 Monday thru Friday. No ticket sales at the Door, all meals will need to be paid for in Advance. Cut of Date for Orders will be June 5, 2021. Due to Covid 19 social Distancing must be maintained during pick up.

Fundraiser for Anne Carew

A long-time (Administrative Assistant) Secretary of the Basilica for fifty years, Anne Carew, has recently undergone major surgery. Consequently, significant renovations will need to be made to her home to ensure a safe environment. This will necessitate the construction of an accessible wheelchair ramp. The Terra Nova Council, Knights of Columbus in cooperation with the Basilica Parish Community are undertaking fundraising for this costly venture. They are seeking monetary donations. If you are interested in supporting this worthwhile cause, donations may be put in the collection basket, and will be forwarded to the K of C. Please mark envelope 'Anne Carew Fundraiser'. **Cheques must be made payable to Terra Nova Council.** Tax receipts will be issued from the Knights of Columbus.

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

Cemetery Committee – A Vital Service to Our Parish

The operation of our cemetery is a very important function we provide to our parishioners.

Currently our Cemetery Committee is short a couple of members, so we are asking for volunteers who could lend their time and talents to assist with this essential service.

If you can commit a small amount of your time to a monthly meeting and occasionally be available to help with graveyard management, we would be most appreciative.

If you would like be part of our Cemetery Committee, please contact Helen Butler at the Parish Office at 834-2919.

Call out for Ministers

Over this past year during the pandemic, we've had the same people ministering to our weekend masses. It's time to give them a break. Now that more people are coming to mass is there anyone who would be willing to help out during weekend mass? We are looking for people to carry the cross, read, take the collection, and usher (3 people per mass). Please call the office to express your interest 834-2919. Thank you.

Centre for Life

Centre for Life is hosting a virtual tax clinic for seniors under the Community Volunteer Income Tax Program. If you are a senior with a modest income and would like to make an appointment or have an inquiry please call 579-1500.

Centre for Life offers support to women in unexpected pregnancies with professional counselling and resources. Post-abortion counselling is available to anyone who is in need of emotional healing. The Centre for Life offers confidential and compassionate outreach. There is no fee for our services. Please contact counsellors@centreforlife.ca or 579-3818.