

MASS INTENTIONS FOR ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH – August 17 - 18, 2024

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Mass Intention</u>	<u>Requested By</u>
SUNDAY LITURGY - Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time				
Aug 17	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Josephine & Kip Shea Bernice Mercer Lisa White	John & Patty Ann Maloney Wilson & Agnes Hunt Anthony & Paula
Aug 18	Sunday	6:00 p.m. 11:00 a.m.	St. Anne's Church, Glenwood MISSA PRO POPULO - For the People of the Parish	

The Parish Secretary will be on vacation July 29 - August 28. During that time Maureen O'Rielly will work Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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

August 4, 2024	St. Joseph's	St. Anne's
Sunday Offering	\$1,584.00	\$157.00
Loose	151.30	16.00
Maintenance	130.00	10.00
Cemetery Assessment		58.00
Candles		1.00
E-Transfers	425.00	
Direct Deposit	510.00	
Total deposit	\$2,800.30	\$242.00

To continue supporting our Parish financially, you may use one of the following methods:
Sign up for Direct Deposit; E-transfers to: stjosephsparish@nf.aibn.com or by mail; or use the collection basket when you attend Mass. Thank you for your support.



"All of us sometimes find ourselves, in life, in situations beyond our strength and ask ourselves: "How can I cope with this situation?". It helps, in such cases, to remember that "With God nothing will be impossible" (Lk 1:37). And if we believe this, we will perform miracles.

Pope Francis @ Pontifex

MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE - August 17 & 18, 2024

	<u>Saturday at 5 p.m.</u>	<u>Sunday at 11 a.m.</u>
Readers:	Patricia Noonan	Carole Hibbs
Eucharistic Ministers:	Betty Blackmore & Kay MacArthur	Rita Pearce & Bill Dumais
Presenters of Gifts:	Ed & Patsy Bridgeman	Pat & Marjorie Gonzales
Altar Servers:	Rene Cashin	Alex Bracci
Candle Bearers:	Colleen Maloney & Monica Holloway	Volunteers
Hospitality (Ushers):	Ed Blackmore & Kay MacArthur	Vince & Carole Hibbs
Music:	Volunteers	Volunteers
Sacristan:	Doris Scharpegge	
Treasury:	Team 4: Des Dillon, Nick Connolly Jeanne Dillon, Bill Kelly, John Ivany, Alice Ivany, Maxine Dunn	

Copies of the Presenters of Gifts schedule for August are available in the back of the Church.

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH BULLETIN



**10 Bishop Street
Gander, NL
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August 11, 2024
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NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year B)

Check out our bulletin on-line at www.stjosephsparishgander.ca

Parish Priest
Father William Hearn
Cell: 486-9492
Parish Pastoral Council
Chair: Vacant
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
Parish Secretary - Elizabeth Blake

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

Phone: (709) 256-3151
Fax: (709) 256-3152

Reconciliation
Saturdays at 4:30 p.m.
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.

Weekday Masses are celebrated usually at 10 a.m. Please check the schedule in the bulletin.

Today, Jesus challenges his listeners to be open to the gift of faith that will enable them to appreciate the Eucharistic Mystery and explains further what this faith implies. Jesus is the revelation of the Father – he has truly 'come from God' and 'has seen the Father'. Those who live by the faith Jesus is offering 'hear the teaching of the Father and learn from it'. This faith also recognizes that all the promises that sustained Israel's faith are being fulfilled in Jesus, "the living bread that came down from heaven". Jesus concludes his teaching today with the words "Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh". We hear these climactic words echoed by Jesus during the Institution of the Eucharist at the Last Supper and by the Priest during the Consecration at each Mass: "Take this, all of you, and eat of it, for this is my Body, which will be given up for you". Let us give thanks to God this week for the gift of faith and the gift of the Eucharist.



AUGUST 15 - SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, SPECIAL PATRON OF ACADIANS:



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary celebrates her being assumed – taken up body and soul – into heaven at the end of her earthly life. In declaring the doctrine of the Assumption (1950), the Church proclaims and celebrates that in Mary there was no obstacle to deny her immediate passing through death and becoming the first after her Son to be raised body and soul to fullness of life with God.

WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

“Look to your covenant, O Lord, and forget not the life of your poor ones for ever. Arise O God, and defend your cause, and forget not the cries of those who seek you.”

ROMAN CATHOLIC WOMEN



The next RCW Monthly Meeting will take place in September. Date to be decided.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (Fr. McCormack Council)



“The Knights of Columbus offers formation, mutual aid and financial security to members through our charity, products and outreach.” For membership information please contact Grand Knight Pat Woodford at pat.glenda@nl.rogers.com

FOR YOUR INFORMATION DIOCESAN STIPENDS

BAPTISM STIPEND - \$25.00 - Baptisms are celebrated by appointment (after a Baptism Preparation Course has been completed).

BAPTISM PREPARATION: The baptism of a child is a very important event in the life of the child, the child's family, and the parish community. To help parents enter more fully into the celebration of their child's baptism, St. Joseph's Parish offers a Baptism Preparation Course by appointment. Parents along with godparents are expected to attend the Baptism Preparation Course before the baptism of the child. Please call the Parish Office to register.

MARRIAGE STIPEND - \$200.00 - Please allow at least six months between the time of contacting the Parish and the date of the Marriage. A Marriage Preparation Course is required.

FUNERAL STIPEND - \$200.00 - St. Joseph's Parish has a Bereavement Committee to assist with planning funeral services.

HEARING ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY

St Joseph's Church has an FM System installed which will allow those with hearing challenges to use the system in order to improve their ability to hear the readings and prayers.

In order to use the system, you will need to obtain an FM receiver and either a headset or hearing loop from the Hospitality Ministry, when you enter the church. As we have limited numbers they will be issued on a first come basis.

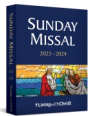
To use the headset, plug it into the receiver and adjust the volume to a comfortable level.

To be able to use the hearing loop, you must have hearing aids that have a T-coil, and it needs to be activated by your hearing care professional if it is not. To determine whether you have T-coil or not, the model number for the hearing aids that have a T-coil installed will end with a T.

The units must be returned immediately following the liturgy.

The RCW has
religious
articles for
sale at the
Parish Office.

Prayer beads,
medals,
St. Joseph Home
Selling Kits etc.



The 2023-24 **Living with Christ Sunday Missal** is available at the Parish Office for \$5.00 each. This missal helps Catholics prepare for and participate in the Sunday Eucharistic Liturgy. It is also useful for personal devotion. The Sunday Missal contains complete readings and Mass texts, as well as selected hymns for Sundays and feast days for the entire Church year.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES - If you are new to the parish or you do not have offertory envelopes and would like to, please contact the Parish Office at 256-3151 and a box will be provided for you. The parish offers **DIRECT DEPOSIT** for contributions and accepts **E-TRANSFERS**.

August 13 - Memorial of Saint Pontian, Pope, and Saint Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs:

During a period of persecution, both Pontian, who had succeeded Pope Urban I in 230, and Hippolytus, who was a priest, a well-known scholar and theologian, were exiled to the unhealthy mines of Sardinia. It was there that they met each other. Hippolytus had rebelled against the Church, but was reconciled through the efforts of Pontian. Hippolytus wrote many works, including a prayer on which our Eucharistic Prayer II is based. Both Pontian and Hippolytus died a martyr's death.

AUGUST 14 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT MAXIMILIAN KOLBE, PRIEST, MARTYR:

A modern day martyr, Maximilian was born in Poland in 1894 and later joined the Franciscans. He worked to spread the Gospel in his native Poland as well as in Japan. He had a great devotion to Our Lady. During the Nazi occupation of Poland, he helped thousands of refugees, including Polish Jews. He was arrested by the Gestapo in 1941 and imprisoned at Auschwitz. When a prisoner escaped, ten men were chosen at random to die, one of them a young father. Maximilian offered to take his place. His offer was accepted. He died in 1941 and was canonized in 1982.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Joey Manuel, Carey Leigh Sheppard, James Lyons, David Brown, Margie Keating, Herb Saunders, Maureen O'Rielly, Jackie Beresford, Jamie Cokes, Lloyd Kirkham, Paula Beaton, Johanna Hogan, Fran Gilbert, Denise Crant, Betty LeBlanc, Loretta Dwyer, Beth McGrath, Lawrence Clowe, Wayne Coady, Mary Pickett, Marie Lawton, Jeana Bowen, Cathy Hogan, Ed Tricco, Nellie Guillemaude, 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.**

Change of Mass Time

**For the month
of August
Sunday Mass
will be held at
St. Anne's Parish,
Glenwood at
6:00 p.m.**

ST. ANNE'S CHURCH, GLENWOOD Liturgical & Ministries' Schedule for August 18, 2024

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Mass Intention</u>	<u>Requested By</u>
Aug 18	Sunday	6:00 p.m.	Gerald & Mary Dwyer Lawrence Jeddore Jr.	Loretta Dwyer Dave & Phyllis Morrissey Bridget Foley
		Ministries:	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
		Readers:	Christine Kinden & Lonz Bryan	
		Gifts:	Bridget Miles & Barbara Harding	
		Hospitality:	Irene Broderick	

