

MASS INTENTIONS FOR ST. JOSEPH’S PARISH – May 6 - 11, 2025

Date	Day	Time	Mass intention	Requested By
May 06	Tuesday	2:00 p.m.	Intention of the Bailey family (Garret, Shawнна & Everett)	
May 08	Thursday	10:00 a.m.	Theresa Shaw (B)	Dan & Mary Turner
			Reginald Stapleton	Dan & Mary Turner
			Mercedes Wall	Leo Wall
May 09	Friday	10:00 a.m.	Elaine Molloy	Tom & Kay Fleming
			Theresa Power	Maxine Dunn
			Daniel Maloney	Kevin & Joan Kieley
SUNDAY LITURGY - FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER				
May 10	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Robert McNiven (B & A)	Elizabeth Philpott
			Rose Nolan & Rita Hillier	Anne Hillier
			Sandra Maloney Peyton	Colleen Maloney
May 11	Sunday	9:30 a.m.	St. Anne’s Church, Glenwood	
May 11	Sunday	11:00 a.m.	MISSA PRO POPULO - For the People of the Parish	

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

April 27, 2025	St. Joseph’s	St. Anne’s	
Sunday Offering	\$1,472.00	\$135.00	
Loose	60.00	5.00	
Heat/Fuel	90.00	25.00	
Maintenance	30.00	15.00	
Cemetery Assessment	10.00	5.00	
Easter Offering	35.00	20.00	
Development/Peace	5.00	5.00	
Holy Thursday	10.00	5.00	
Good Friday/Holy Land	35.00	10.00	
Candles		17.00	
E-Transfers	1,059.00		
Direct Deposit	550.00		
Total Deposit	\$3,356.00	\$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.

GAS/GROCERY GIFT CARD (\$500.00) SPRING FUNDRAISER

You may donate a gift card by dropping off a card at the Parish Office or e-transferring funds to be used to purchase a gift card. The draw date is June 13th. We will be selling tickets \$1.00 each at the Co-Op. Over 2000 tickets have been sold. Thank you to those who have helped. Tickets are available at the Parish Office.

MINISTRIES’ SCHEDULE - May 10 & 11, 2025

Ministry:	Saturday at 5 p.m.	Sunday at 11 a.m.
Readers:	Tracey King	Carole Hibbs
Eucharistic Ministers:	Cheryl Dwyer & Kay MacArthur	Cathy Bureaux & Darwin Bejado
Presenters of Gifts:	Pauline Lane & Colleen Maloney	Michael & Maria Oliva & family
Altar Servers:	Dan Mahoney	Alex Bracci & Don Sejin
Candle Bearers:	Barbara Fowler & Elizabeth Blake	
Hospitality (Ushers):	Ed & Betty Blackmore	Pat Gonzales
Music:	Volunteers	Volunteers
Sacristan:	Rita Pearce	
Treasury:	Team 2: Margie Beaton, E.lizabeth Blake	
	Mike English, Mary Goulding, Shirley & Daniel O’Donnell	

The Sunday AM Choir has resumed practices on Sunday evenings at 7:30 p.m. in the McCarthy Centre. New members are always welcome!

ST. JOSEPH’S PARISH BULLETIN

St. Joseph’s Church
Gander

10 Bishop Street
Gander, NL
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May 4, 2025
stjosephsparish@nf.aibn.com

St. Anne’s Church
Glenwood

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER (Year C)

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.

THE EASTER SEASON: The Easter season is celebrated during the seven weeks from Easter to Pentecost. These fifty days of Easter are celebrated as one great Feast Day known as “the Great Sunday” (Saint Athanasius). Through the entire Easter season Christians sing the triumphant “Alleluia”, rejoicing in the hope of the resurrection.

In today’s Gospel we see Jesus appearing to his disciples after his resurrection and sharing a meal with them. This account reminds us of the Church’s celebration of the Eucharist. Through the ages at each Eucharistic liturgy, as the Scriptures are proclaimed and the Eucharistic meal is shared, Christians have come to recog nize the Risen Christ in their midst. What we are celebrating during the Easter season, the Paschal Sacrifice of Christ – his dying and rising – is present to us in each Mass with its saving power.



CATECHESIS

Preparation for First Holy Communion/Reconciliation will take place on Sunday, May 4th from 3:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. at the McCarthy Centre. All children are expected to attend the preparation session.



50th ANNIVERSARY

On Saturday, May 10th, after the 5:00 p.m. Mass, we will celebrate Father Hearn’s 50th anniversary. He was ordained to the priesthood on May 17, 1975 in Harbour Grace. Parishioners are invited to come to an informal gathering at the McCarthy Centre where refreshments will be served between 6 and 7:30 p.m.

WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

“Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; O sing to the glory of his name.
O render him glorious praise, Alleluia.”



ROMAN CATHOLIC WOMEN

Next Meeting
Monday, May 12th

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (Fr. McCormack Council)
“Guided by the principles of charity, unity, and fraternity, the Knights of Columbus builds lifelong relationships with our members and families.” For membership information please contact Grand Knight Pat Woodford at pat.glenda@nl.rogers.com



FOR YOUR INFORMATION DIOCESAN STIPENDS

MASS STIPEND - \$10.00 (as of Easter Monday)
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.

SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS ARE EXTENDED TO THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF:
Margaret Penton, of our parish who died on Thursday, April 17, 2025. She is the mother of Brad (Zeta), Carol Ann, Leonard (Deborah Clarke), Ray Jr., Lillian (Mike Logan), Michelle (Stephen Pearce) & Mary Jane (Kurt Riemann).
Mercedes Wall, of our parish who died on Thursday, April 24, 2025 She is the mother of Brad and Gerard.
May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



Congratulations from the parishioners of St. Joseph's to **William Knox** of our parish who was presented with a Papal Blessing by Father Hearn on the occasion of this 90th birthday (January 10, 2025)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Nash Vey, Jocelyn Downer, Michael McNiven, K.T. Chacko, Mary Lee, Stephanie Broderick, Mary Harrison, Joey Manuel, Carey Leigh Sheppard, David Brown, Margie Keating, Maureen O’Rielly, Jackie Beresford, Jamie Cokes, 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 Guillemade, JoAnne Lyver, Judy Lush, Linden Collins, Rowena Zwicker, Toni Marie Rolfe, Zeta Purchase, Renata Oman, Anne Marie Collins, Michael Parsons, Alice Richards, Christopher & Kathy 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.**

 The 2024-25 **Living with Christ Sunday Missal** is available at the Parish Office for \$5.00. **OFFERTORY ENVELOPES** - are available at the Parish Office. The parish offers **DIRECT DEPOSIT** for contributions and accepts **E-TRANSFERS**.

MAY 6 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT FRANÇOIS DE LAVAL, BISHOP, PATRON OF THE BISHOPS OF CANADA: François de Montmorency Laval (1623-1708) was the first bishop of Quebec City. Born in France to a noble family, he was educated by the Jesuits and was ordained a priest in 1647. He was made a bishop in 1658 and arrived in New France the following year. In 1663 he founded the Seminary of Quebec (now Laval University) in order to supply priests for his vast diocese which extended to all the French-speaking territories of North America. François was an outstanding educator and administrator, a generous benefactor, a caring bishop, and a pious man. He was beatified by Pope (Saint) John Paul II in 1980 and canonized by Pope Francis in 2014. Saint François de Laval is the patron of the Bishops of Canada.



Scenes from the outdoor Stations of the Cross on Good Friday.
Over 60 parishioners participated and most gathered at the McCarthy Centre afterwards for hot refreshments. Thank you to all those who volunteered to read the Stations.



THE PARISH COMMUNITY of ST. JOSEPH'S welcomes
Jack Anthony & Charlie Lily Kay SAMUELSON
who were baptized on Easter Sunday by Father William Hearn
They are the son and daughter of Anthony and Shalon (Cuff)
Please pray for Jack & Charlie and their family!
"You have become a new creation and have clothed yourself in Christ. May you always walk as a child of the Light."

ST. ANNE'S CHURCH, GLENWOOD Liturgical & Ministries' Schedule for May 11, 2025



Date	Day	Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
May 11	Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Brian McGrath & Marie Power Dennis Penton & Michael Kelly Donal Foley	Bridget Foley Bridget Foley Bridget Foley
Ministries:		Fourth Sunday of Easter		
Readers:		Lonzo Bryan & Albert Oake		
Gifts:		Bridget Doyle & Barbara Harding		
Hospitality:		Irene Broderick		