

MASS INTENTIONS FOR ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH – November 7–10, 2024

Date	Day	Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
Nov 7	Thursday	10:00 a.m.	Larry & Marg Hudson Sharon Maidment Agnes Joy (B)	Marie Kelly Marie Kelly Anne Hillier
Nov 8	Friday	10:00 a.m.	Leonard (B) & Rita Kieley Mary Hearn Derm Culleton	Phyllis Dohaney Ed & Patsy Bridgeman Annette O'Rielly
SUNDAY LITURGY - Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time				
Nov 9	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Anthony Holland (A) Jack & Helen Hogan Michael McGrath	Barry Holland Jackie O'Rielly & family Anne Ducey
Nov 10	Sunday	9:30 a.m.	St. Anne's Church, Glenwood	
Nov 10	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!

October 27, 2024	St. Joseph's	St. Anne's
Sunday Offering	\$3,105.00	\$260.00
Loose	52.00	5.00
Maintenance	35.00	25.00
Youth Ministry	5.00	
Evangelization/Nations	25.00	5.00
Advent Offering	5.00	
Candles		10.50
Virtual Bake Sale	70.00	
E-Transfers	638.00	
Direct Deposit	435.00	
Total deposit	\$4,370.00	\$305.50

THIS FALL IN THE PARISH



Virtual Bake Sale - sponsored by the RCW - donations are being accepted in lieu of the cancelled Afternoon Tea & Bake Sale. Your monetary donation can be dropped off at the Parish Office, put in collection or e-transferred. Income tax receipts will be issued at the end of the year for donations.



Annual Christmas Gift Card Tree (\$500) fundraiser - (draw date - Friday, December 13th). Tickets are available at the Parish Office and through e-transfer. We will be selling tickets at the Gander Co-Op on Thursdays and Fridays from October 31st to December 12th. Please inform the Parish Office if you are available to help on some of those days. Parishioners are asked to donate gift cards, or funds toward the purchase of gift cards, for the Tree.

To continue supporting our Parish financially, you may use one of the following methods:

Sign up for Direct Deposit; E-transfers to: tjosephsparish@nf.aibn.com or by mail; or use the collection basket when you attend Mass. Thank you for your support.

MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE - November 9 & 10, 2024

	Saturday at 5 p.m.	Sunday at 11 a.m.
Readers:	Tracey King	Jhanz Dano
Eucharistic Ministers:	Kay MacArthur & Betty Blackmore	Daniel O'Donnell & Cathy Bureaux
Presenters of Gifts:	Des & Jeanne Dillon	Daniel & Shirley O'Donnell
Altar Servers:	Rene Cashin	Alex Bracci & Don Sejin
Candle Bearers:	Renata Oman & Elizabeth Blake	Volunteers
Hospitality (Ushers):	Ed Blackmore & Kay MacArthur	Rene & Edwina Cashin
Music:	Volunteers	Volunteers
Sacristan:	Rita Pearce	
Treasury:	Team 4: Des Dillon, Nick Connolly Jeanne Dillon, Bill Kelly, John & Alice Ivany	

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH BULLETIN



**10 Bishop Street
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November 3, 2024
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THIRTY-FIRST 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, as Jesus highlights the two Great Commandments, we see the importance of love as being at the very heart of the Gospel message. The first of the two Great Commandments has God as its focus and the second focuses on the importance of love for one another. These two Commandments summarize all the other Commandments of God. If we truly live out our lives in love of God and neighbour, then the other Commandments should not be difficult to follow. Living with a focused desire to love God and each other will help to prevent us from brooding over past wrongs or slights, from harboring grudges, or from hurting one another. The challenge set before us today is to pray and sing and participate in the Eucharist with hearts truly filled with love of God and neighbor. What transformation our prayer would then produce both in ourselves and in others!

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength."

CATECHESIS - RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Registration is now open for the Finding God Program (Grades 1-6) and the sacraments of First Communion and Reconciliation. Please contact Alice at sjp-homestudyprogram@bellaliant.com to register your child/children. There is a \$20 registration fee per family. Monthly sessions will begin in October.

Religious Education for Grades 1-6 will take place on Sunday, November 17th from 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. at the McCarthy Centre.

This includes children who will be preparing for First Holy Communion and Reconciliation.

Children's Liturgy is taking place this Sunday during the 11:00 AM Mass. Volunteers are welcome to join this Ministry.

WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

"Forsake me not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me!
Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong salvation!"



ROMAN CATHOLIC WOMEN

Next Meeting -
Monday, Nov 11th

Other events

Virtual Bake Sale
Christmas Gift Card Tree FR

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (Fr. McCormack Council)



"The Knights of Columbus fosters a high-performing culture that puts people first. " For membership information please contact Grand Knight Pat Woodford at pat.glenda@nl.rogers.com.

Fall Tickets need to be returned to Dan Mahoney or the Parish Office no later than Sunday, November 17th.

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.



"Let us ask the Holy Spirit to rekindle the fire of love in our hearts and to move us to joyfully bear witness to the Spirit's His presence in our lives."

Pope Francis @ Pontifex

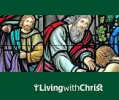
PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Stephanie Broderick, Mary Harrison, Joey Manuel, Carey Leigh Sheppard, David Brown, Margie Keating, 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.

SUNDAY MISSAL

2024-2025



#LivingWithChrist

The 2024-25 Living with Christ Sunday Missal is available at the Parish Office for \$5.00 each. It will be on sale in the Church on the weekend of November 16 & 17. 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**.

LITURGICAL YEAR (2023-2024)

As we journey through November, we gradually draw near to the end of the current liturgical year as we celebrate the last four Sundays of Ordinary Time, the last Sunday being *The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe*. Ordinary time celebrates the mystery of Christ in all its fullness. *In these last Sundays of the liturgical year, our focus turns to the return of Christ and the fulfillment of the Kingdom.*

NOVEMBER 4 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT CHARLES BORROMEEO, BISHOP: Charles Borromeo (1538-1584) lived during the Catholic Reformation. At 22 years of age he became Cardinal Archbishop of Milan and Papal Secretary of State. As Archbishop, he chose to live an ascetic life and reform his vast diocese, imposing severe discipline on both clergy and laity, thus provoking much opposition. His dedicated life entailed great personal sacrifice. He is a patron of catechists and catechumens.

NOVEMBER 9 - FEAST OF THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA: The Lateran Church, is the *cathedra* (chair) of the Bishop of Rome, presently Pope Francis. On an ancient plaque at the entrance, there is a Latin inscription which translates as *'The Most Holy Church of the Lateran, the Mother and Head of all Churches of the City and the World'*, and so the whole Church rejoices in its dedication.. In a sense, because it is the Pope's Church, the Lateran Basilica is the spiritual home of all Catholics. To celebrate this Feast is also to see ourselves as 'Church'. The Word of God, proclaimed on this Feast, recalls an essential truth: each of us is "God's building", "God's temple", and God's Spirit dwells within us. The temple of stones is a symbol of the living Church, the Christian community, built upon the one foundation of Jesus Christ, the chief cornerstone. All of us, therefore, are called to recommit ourselves as living stones, to build our lives on Christ. Each time we share in the Eucharistic liturgy, we open ourselves to being conformed more and more to the Lord Jesus, thus becoming "living temples", dwelling places for the Lord. In this way, we become a community that worships God 'in spirit and truth', building up the Church in love for and in union with the See of Peter.



FAMILIES IN NEED CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISER TAKE OUT DINNER

Stuffed Chicken Breast dinner, mashed potatoes,
glazed carrots and dessert

Date: November 15, 2024 - Time: 4:30 - 6:00 p.m.

Place: Gander Curling Club - Price: \$15.00

This holiday season we are again doing our annual fundraiser for Families in Need with all the proceeds going to 3-4 families. We will reach out to the churches to make sure the funds will be allocated to the appropriate families. We are looking for the community's help off-setting the cost of this fundraiser. The more monetary donations we receive to cover the food costs, the more we can donate to families. Tickets are available at our Parish Office. Every little bit helps and we appreciate it! If you would like to give, please contact: Eugene @ 709-424-9224 or email: eugenebroderickcatering@gmail.com.

ST. ANNE'S CHURCH, GLENWOOD Liturgical & Ministries' Schedule for November 10, 2024

Date	Day	Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
Nov 10	Sun	9:30 a.m.	Alphonsus Dwyer (B) Chris Coish Genevieve, James, Leo & John Hanlon	Lianne, Lonz, Haley & Erica Margaret Coish Loretta Dwyer
Ministries:		Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time		
Readers:		Christine Kinden & Lonz Bryan		
Gifts:		Bridget Miles & Barbara Harding		
Hospitality:		Irene Broderick		