

MASS INTENTIONS FOR ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH – April 11 - 12, 2026

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Mass Intention</u>	<u>Requested By</u>
SUNDAY LITURGY - Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)				
Apr 11	Holy Saturday	8:30 p.m.	Edward, Anne (B) & Marjorie Lane Phonse & Winnie Pittman Patricia (Cashin) Barron	Pauline Lane Mary Whelan Pauline Lane
Apr 12	Sunday	9:30 a.m.	St. Anne's Church, Glenwood	
Apr 12	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!

	St. Joseph's	St. Anne's
March 29, 2026		
Sunday Offering	\$3,237.00	\$415.00
Loose	94.00	10.00
Maintenance		25.00
Heat	20.00	
Lenten Offering	20.00	
Holy Thursday	10.00	
Candles		15.75
Development & Peace	100.00	
Easter Sunday	20.00	
Good Friday	10.00	5.00
Donation in Memoriam	25.00	
Flowers for Easter	10.00	
New Year's Day		5.00
E-Transfers	822.00	
Direct Deposit	470.40	
Total Deposit	\$4,838.40	\$475.75



Office Closure
The Parish Office will be closed on Monday. For emergencies please call Father Hearn at 709-486-9492.



“The cross is part of the mission. The imperialist occupation of the world is disrupted from within; the violence that until now has been the law is unmasked. The poor, imprisoned, and rejected Messiah descends into the darkness of death, yet in so doing He brings a new creation to light.”
Pope Leo @Pontifex

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

MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE April 11 & 12, 2026

Ministry:	Saturday at 5 p.m.	Sunday at 11 a.m.
Readers:	Pat Gonzales & Tracey King	Tina Purcell
Eucharistic Ministers:	Patricia Noonan & Doris Scharpegge	Daniel O'Donnell & Joan Kieley
Presenters of Gifts:	Des & Jeanne Dillon	Mary Rose Suyat & Allan Barro
Altar Servers:	Don Farrell	Evan Burke
Candle Bearers:	Paul Mora & Mar Gonzales	Don Sejin & Volunteer
Hospitality (Ushers):	Colleen Maloney & Pauline Lane	Alice McCarthy & Ed Blackmore
Music:	Volunteers	Volunteers
Sacristans:	Doris Scharpegge & Kay MacArthur	Rita Pearce & Kelly Dumais
Treasury:	Team 2: Margie Beaton, E. Blake, Daniel & Shirley O'Donnell, Mary Goulding	

Ecumenical Lenten Service Collection - \$620.00

(to be divided between the Gander & Area Food Bank and the Salvation Army Food Bank)

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH BULLETIN



**10 Bishop Street
Gander, NL
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April 5, 2026
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THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD (Year A)

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 OCTAVE: The first eight days of the Easter season, from Easter Sunday to the Sunday following Easter, are known as the Easter Octave. The weekdays during this time period are celebrated as Solemnities of the Lord.

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.

Easter, New life in Christ!

Jesus Christ is risen from the dead. Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, rejoice and be glad! This is key teaching of our Christian Faith. His resurrection was foretold and it was promised. But the fulfillment of the Resurrection passed through the paces of suffering and death. For us, the difficult stages mean death to our selfish selves. Death to our old ways that we may rise to new life. Just as all die in Adam, so in Christ all will be brought to life. In life, let us all belong to Him that in us Christ will rise again!



A bright and beautiful Easter Season has dawned upon us. For the next fifty days we will celebrate the death and resurrection of the Lord Jesus. His risen Holy Spirit continues to transform our lives.

**He emerged from the dark tomb of death to the light of day,
to the joy of all believers.
He is risen, the firstborn from the dead.
Our hope of eternal glory!**

Tragic world events of economic uncertainty, destruction and war, with the loss of so many innocent lives, are cause for great concern to the human family as we move forward in 2026.

The message of Easter inspires us to counter acts of hatred and violence with deeds of love and service to those around us. Jesus Christ is truly risen and glorified. He will not deprive his Church of the help we need to persevere in this world.

I wish all parish members a Happy Easter as we continue to worship and witness together in the peace and love of this holy season.

Father Hearn

WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

Second Sunday of Easter - Divine Mercy Sunday

"Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in him you may grow to salvation, alleluia."



ROMAN CATHOLIC WOMEN

Next Meeting
Monday, April 13
Next Card Game TBD

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (Fr. McCormack Council)



"The Knights of Columbus empowers Catholic men to live their faith and serve family, parish, community and country." For membership information please contact Grand Knight: Alex Bracci at bracci.alessandro35@gmail.com.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION DIOCESAN STIPENDS

MASS STIPEND - \$10.00 (as of April 2025)

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.

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

The annual Good Friday Collection is taken at the request of the Holy See. It is for the support of the many social, educational, and parish projects of the Church throughout the Holy Land, and it helps to assure the Church's presence and a measure of security and peace for our brothers and sisters. Please give generously to support the Church of the Holy Land and our brothers and sisters in their need.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Alex Keating, Reme Truchon, Michael English Sr, Dan Decker, Cathy Turner, Phyllis Francis, Aubrey Holmstead, Allison Bursey, Glen Gillingham, Brian Maloney, Matthew Puddicombe, Peggy Dicks, Nash Vey, Jocelyn Downer, K.T. Chacko, Stephanie Broderick, Joey Manuel, Carey Leigh Sheppard, David Brown, Margie Keating, Jackie Beresford, Jamie Cokes, Johanna Hogan, Fran Gilbert, Denise Crant, Loretta Dwyer, Beth McGrath, Lawrence Clowe, Wayne Coady, Mary Pickett, Marie Lawton, Cathy Hogan, Ed Tricco, Nellie Guillemaude, JoAnne Lyver, Judy Lush, Linden Collins, Toni Marie Rolfe, 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.***

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES - are available at the Parish Office. The parish offers **DIRECT DEPOSIT** for contributions and accepts **E-TRANSFERS**.

SUNDAY MISSALS for the 2025-26 year are available at the Parish Office for \$5.00.



On Sunday, March 29th the Knights of Columbus sponsored a Parish Family Ski Day at the Airport Nordic Ski Club. Conditions were perfect for cross-country skiing and everyone had a great time. Hot Chocolate was served afterwards. Thanks to Alex Bracci and the Knights.



THE PARISH COMMUNITY of ST. JOSEPH'S welcomes

Amirabelle GALOS

who was baptized
on Saturday, March 14, 2026
by Father William Hearn

Amirabelle is the daughter of
Rodrigo & Meriam (Samson)
of our parish.

Please pray for Ameribelle and her 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 April 12, 2026



Date	Day	Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
April 12	Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Archie, Audrey & Gordon Stanford	Audrey Doyon & Debbie LaMoth
			Jim & Genevieve Hanlon	Loretta Dwyer
			John Hanlon	Loretta Dwyer

Ministries: Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)

Readers: Lonz Bryan & Cheryl White

Gifts: Remi & Rosie Truchon

Hospitality: Irene Broderick

Parishioners of St. Anne's Church who would like to e-transfer funds to the church may use this address: stanneschurchglenwood@gmail.com. Thank you.