

MASS INTENTIONS FOR ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH – August 21 - 24, 2025

Date	Day	Time	Mass intention	Requested By
Aug 21	Thursday	10:00 a.m.	Evelyn Walsh Lar & Maureen Fahey Josephine White	Ed & Patsy Bridgeman Tony & Jeanne Collins The O’Rielly family
Aug 22	Friday	10:00 a.m.	Sandy Noseworthy Rivlyn Galway The Boland family	The O’Rielly family Rita Pearce Eileen Stack
SUNDAY LITURGY - Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time				
Aug 23	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Bernard (A) & Bridget Hogan Douglas Rossiter (A) Wiliam & Mary Cooke	Phil & Bertha Pollett Ross & Denise Lambert Tom & Kay Fleming
Aug 24	Sunday	9:30 a.m.	St. Anne’s Church, Glenwood	
Aug 24	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!

August 10, 2025	St. Joseph’s	St. Anne’s
Sunday Offering	\$2,072.00	\$190.00
Loose	83.75	25.00
Maintenance	25.00	152.00
Cemetery Assessment	10.00	
Development & Peace	20.00	
Candles		8.00
E-Transfers	50.00	
Direct Deposit	450.00	
Total Deposit	\$2,710.75	\$375.00

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.

Salt of the Earth with
THE CELTIC FIDDLERS
A evening of traditional Newfoundland, Irish and Scottish
vocal and instrumental music, stories and great laughs



The Celtic Fiddlers Concert has been cancelled due to the wildfires in and around St. John’s, as some of the members of the band have been impacted by possible evacuations, etc. Refunds available at the Parish Office.

MINISTRIES’ SCHEDULE - August 23 & 24, 2025

Ministry:	Saturday at 5 p.m.	Sunday at 11 a.m.
Readers:	Joan Kieley	Caren Almadrones
Eucharistic Ministers:	Doris Scharpegge & Jeanne Dillon	Darwin Bejado & Rita Pearce
Presenters of Gifts:	Des & Jeanne Dillon	Tony & Arya Jacob & family
Altar Servers:	Dan Mahoney	Don Sejin
Candle Bearers:	Renata Oman & Monica Hollowaw	Miracle & Faith Ferdinandus
Hospitality (Ushers):	Pauline Lane & Colleen Maloney	Vince & Carole Hibbs
Music:	Volunteers	Volunteers
Sacristans:	Doris Scharpegge, Kay MacArthur	Rita Pearce
Treasury:	Team 1: Doris Scharpegge, Rene Cashin Edwina Cashin, Ed Blackmore, Paul Brazil, George O’Brien	

The SUNDAY AM CHOIR will resume practice in the Fall.

ST. JOSEPH’S PARISH BULLETIN

St. Joseph’s Church
Gander

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Gander, NL
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August 17, 2025
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St. Anne’s Church
Glenwood

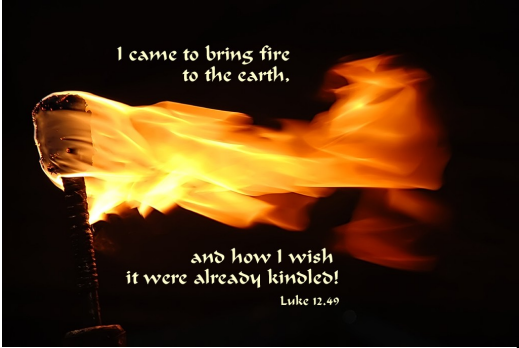
TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year C)

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.

Today’s Gospel provides much food for thought. When Jesus, the Prince of Peace, tells us that he has come to bring division and not peace, he is telling us that there is a cost to genuine peace. Today we are being challenged to stand up for our faith convictions when necessary, even among family members, relatives and friends. As Christians, for example, we believe in the dignity of human life from the moment of conception to natural death. To speak of this moral value in public can be a cause of division. The first Christians were martyred because of their faith values. Even today, Christians are being put to death simply for professing the Christian faith. Though embracing the Gospel values of our Lord Jesus Christ may be difficult at times, we can trust in the power of the Holy Spirit to ignite the fire within us, enabling us to speak the Word of God with boldness and so live up to our convictions.





AUGUST 22 - MEMORIAL OF THE QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY: In 1954, Pope Pius XII instituted this memorial “so that all may clearly recognize and more zealously venerate the kind and maternal rule of the Mother of God” (*Ad Caeli Reginam*). This memorial is celebrated on the Octave of the Solemnity of the Assumption.



The annual cemetery Mass in Glenwood will be celebrated at **St. Anne’s Cemetery** on Thursday, August 21st at 6:30 p.m.

WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH’S PARISH

“Turn your eyes, O God, our shield; and look on the face of your anointed one; One day within your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.”



ROMAN CATHOLIC WOMEN
Thank you for all the support for RCW activities this year.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (Fr. McCormack Council)
“The Knights of Columbus aspires to invite every Catholic man to join the Knights of Columbus and to extend our charitable reach as widely as possible.” For more 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.



PILGRIMS OF HOPE PILGRIMAGE

Our Lady of the Snows Church in Marysvale has been chosen as one of the Churches in the Diocese where Jubilee celebrations will be held this summer. The schedule of events for Saturday, September 6, 2025 is as follows: **Our Lady of the Snows Church, Marysvale**
(Three Parish Priests will be partaking in these events)

- **10:30 a.m.** Mass in the Church
- **11:30—3:30 p.m.** Adoration/Confessions
- **4:00 p.m.** Grotto Mass

(If any parishioners are interested in attending this event please contact the Parish Office.)



“Faith does not spare us from the possibility of sin, but it always offers us a way out of it, which is the way of mercy.
[#GeneralAudience](#).”

Pope Leo XIV

POP TABS FUNDRAISER

By donating your pop tabs money can be raised for The Robert Hampson Tabs for Kids Fund (through the Fraser Road United Church) which is used to purchase wheelchairs for kids. Tell your friends, tell your neighbours, tell everyone and keep those pop tabs coming. These small items make a huge difference in the life of a child. Eleanor Farrell is our new parish coordinator. You can drop your tabs off at the Church or the Parish Office.



The 2025 **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**.

AUGUST 19 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT JOHN EUDES, PRIEST: John was ordained in 1625, becoming a member of the Oratorians. However, seeing the urgent need for clerical reform, he left the Oratorians in 1643 to found the Congregation of Jesus and Mary, dedicated to upgrading the religious and intellectual formation of the clergy. Their symbol was the union of the hearts of Jesus and Mary. John died in 1680, was beatified in 1908, and was canonized in 1925. In the decree of beatification, Pope Pius X declared John Eudes to be the father, doctor and apostle of the devotions to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

AUGUST 20 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT BERNARD, ABBOT, DOCTOR: Bernard gave up a life of privilege to become a monk. He was one of many monks sent out to begin new foundations. In the Valley of Light (‘Clairvaux’), he founded the monastery where he ruled as abbot for the rest of his life. His writings and sermons have had a profound and lasting influence on Catholic spirituality. His abbey became the motherhouse for dozens of Cistercian monasteries around the world. Bernard was canonized in 1174 and declared a Doctor of the Church in 1830.

AUGUST 21 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT PIUS X, POPE: Pius X, formerly Giuseppe Sarto, was born in Italy in 1835. At age 23 he was ordained a priest and was involved in pastoral ministry for 17 years. He became a bishop in 1884, a cardinal in 1892, and was elected pope in 1903. He died in 1914 and was canonized in 1954. His recommendations and encyclicals reflect his pastoral background: he advocated frequent communion for adults, sacramental preparation for children, and catechism instruction for everyone.

AUGUST 23 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT ROSE OF LIMA, VIRGIN: Rose was born in 1586 in Lima, Peru. While still young, she chose for herself a life of prayer and penance, subjecting her body to austerities as well as deprivation of food and sleep. As a result, she endured interior periods of darkness and desolation as well as mystical experiences. She joined the Third Order of St. Dominic and lived in a little hut in her parents’ garden, working to help support them. She died in 1617 at age 31, and in 1671 she became the first canonized saint of the New World.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Lisa McGrath, Cheryl White, Matthew Puddicombe, Shane Kelly, Peggy Dicks, Nash Vey, Jocelyn Downer, Michael McNiven, K.T. Chacko, 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, Cathy Hogan, Ed Tricco, Nellie Guillemaude, JoAnne Lyver, Judy Lush, Linden Collins, Rowena Zwicker, 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.**

ALL SAINTS CEMETERY COMMITTEE

There is a position open on the Cemetery Committee to represent St. Joseph’s Parish. If you are interested please contact the Parish Office.

ST. ANNE’S CHURCH, GLENWOOD Liturgical & Ministries’ Schedule for August 24, 2025

	Date	Day	Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
	Aug 21	Thu	6:30 p.m.	Cemetery Mass	
	Aug 24	Sun	9:30 a.m.	Nicholas Sr., Bridget, William & Bertha Broderick Ronald, Mary & Gus Broderick Michael, Martina, Michael Jr. & Marlene Broderick	Len & Marion Broderick Len & Marion Broderick Len & Marion Broderick
Ministries:	TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME				
Readers:	Albert Oake & Bridget Doyle				
Gifts:	Erica Bryan & Lonz Bryan			Hospitality:	Irene Broderick