

MASS INTENTIONS FOR ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH – April 14 - 20, 2025

Date	Day	Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
Apr 14	Monday	10:00 a.m.	Theresa Power Bernice Ryan Lane & Blackwood families	Donna Kane Viola Luedee Pauline Lane
Apr 15	Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Ecumenical Lenten Service	
Apr 17	Holy Thursday	6:30 p.m.	Stations of the Cross led by the Knights of Columbus	
		7:00 p.m.	Mass of the Last Supper	
			Adrian McCarthy Daniel Maloney Marie Power	John & Sharon White Ignatius & Angela Maloney Jerome & Bridget Bowen
April 18	Good Friday	10:00 a.m.	Stations of the Cross (outside - weather permitting)	
		3:00 p.m.	Celebration of the Lord's Passion (St. Joseph's)	
		6:00 p.m.	Celebration of the Lord's Passion (St. Anne's)	
Apr 19	Holy Saturday	8:30 p.m.	Mary O'Rielly (A) John & Helen Hogan Sandra Peyton	Doris, Susan, Sharon & Jim Johanna & Jackie & family The O'Rielly family
			Resurrection of the Lord, St. Anne's Church, Glenwood	
Apr 20	Easter Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Resurrection of the Lord, St. Joseph's (Mass of the People)	
Apr 20	Easter Sunday	11:00 a.m.		

MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE - EASTER TRIDUUM (April 17 - 20)

Ministry:	Holy Thursday at 7 p.m.	Good Friday at 3:00 p.m.
Readers:	Ed Drover & Tina Purcell	Pat Gonzales & Vince Hibbs Passion: Narrator - Carole Hibbs S (Other speakers) - Caren Almadrones
Eucharistic Ministers:	Doris Scharpegge, Jeanne Dillon Bill Dumais	Joan Kieley, Betty Blackmore Cheryl Dwyer
Presenters of Gifts:	Daniel & Shirley O'Donnell	
Altar Servers:	Don Seguin, Faith & Miracle Ferdinandus	
Hospitality (Ushers):	Kay Stockley & Ed Blackmore	Yvonne Mercer
Treasury:	Team 2: Margie Beaton, E. Blake, Mike English, Mary Goulding, Daniel & Shirley O'Donnell	

Readers:	Easter Vigil at 8:30 p.m. Kelly Dumais, Tracey King, Jhanz Dano, Bridget Bowen, Ed Drover	Easter Sunday at 11:00 a.m. Maureen Saunders, Kate Gonzales
Eucharistic Ministers:	Jeanne Dillon, Kay MacArthur Joan Kieley	Rita Pearce, Bill Dumais Daniel O'Donnell
Presenters of Gifts:	Patricio and Marjorie Gonzales.	Michael & Maria Oliva & family
Altar Servers:	Don Seguin,	Alex Bracci
Candle Bearers:	Faith & Miracle Ferdinandus	Volunteers
Hospitality (Ushers):	Pauline Lane & Colleen Maloney	Alice McCarthy & Rita Pearce
Treasury:	Team 3: Dan Mahoney, Maureen Hiscock, Myrtle Mahoney, Lillian Burke, Dan & Mary Turner	
Music & Sacristans for Easter Triduum		
Music:	Sunday AM Choir	
Sacristans:	Kay MacArthur, Rita Pearce, Doris Scharpegge	

**HOLY THURSDAY
ALTAR OF REPOSE**

8 p.m. - 9 p.m. - Knights of Columbus
9 p.m. - 10 p.m. - RCW & Sacristans
All parishioners are invited to participate during this time of Adoration.

Church Openings During Holy Week

The Church will be open to parishioners Monday to Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. and on Friday from 9 a.m. to the conclusion of the Good Friday Service, if you wish to visit or make the stations.

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH BULLETIN



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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF OUR LORD (Year C)

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Parish Pastoral Council
Chair: Vacant
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Chair: Dan Mahoney
St. Anne's Parish Council
Vice Chair: Irene Broderick
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Alice McCarthy (St. Joseph's)
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OFFICE HOURS:
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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.

HOLY WEEK

Holy Week is the week which precedes the great feast of the Resurrection of the Lord on Easter Sunday. The week begins with Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, includes the last days of Lent, and ends on Holy Saturday with the beginning of the Easter Vigil. During Holy Week, the Church celebrates the mysteries of salvation accomplished by Christ in the last days of his life on earth, beginning with his messianic entrance into Jerusalem and culminating with his Passion and Death on the Cross. Though Holy Week is solemn and sorrowful, it anticipates the Easter joy of Christ's resurrection which brings new life to all who believe.

Sunday Theme

The beginning of today's Mass recalls the messianic entrance of the Lord Jesus into Jerusalem, coming to complete his Paschal Mystery. In the Passion Narrative we see the model for all love – the sacrificial love of Jesus which continues to be available for each of us. This love is made manifest as Jesus, the Suffering Servant, heals the injured slave in the Garden of Gethsamene, comforts the weeping women, forgives his executioners, and welcomes the repentant thief. Jesus' love culminates in his death on the cross for our salvation. Such great love ought to guide our personal and communal life as Christians and as Church.



GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

The annual Good Friday Collection was first taken up by Pope Paul V1 fifty years ago. It is the only yearly request asked by the Holy See of dioceses and parishioners throughout the world to assist the Church in the Holy Land. The monies collected support its pastoral, educational and social works and help to maintain the Holy Places so important for the faith of Christians everywhere. For the sake of our brothers and sisters enduring hardships, please give generously during your parish's Good Friday celebrations on April 18th. You may contribute by E-transfer if you are unable to attend the service.



ECUMENICAL LENTEN SERVICE

St. Joseph's Church - Monday, Monday, April 14th at 7 p.m.
Speaker: Pastor Daniel A. Garland, Gander Victory Church
There will be collection/offering.

WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

Passion (Palm Sunday)

"Hosanna in the Highest. Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy."



PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

"Six days before the solemn Passover, the Lord came to Jerusalem, and children waving palm branches ran out to welcome him.

They loudly praised the Lord:

Blessed are you who have come to us, so rich in love and mercy.

Open wide the doors and gates, lift high the ancient portals.

The King of glory enters. Who is the King of glory?

He is God the mighty Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM

Through his Paschal Mystery, the Lord Jesus redeemed the human race and gave perfect glory to the Father. By dying, Christ destroyed our death; by rising, he restored our life. For this reason, the Easter Triduum, when we celebrate the suffering, death and resurrection of our Lord, is the high point of the Liturgical Year. The Easter Solemnity is to the year what Sunday is to the week.

The celebration of the **Triduum** (Latin word for 'three days') opens with the evening Mass of the Lord's Supper, continues through Good Friday and Holy Saturday, reaching its climax in the Easter Vigil, and closes with Evening Prayer II on Easter Sunday. During these days, we gather a number of times and we hear some of the Church's most beautiful prayers and Scripture readings. There are two important points to keep in mind regarding the Triduum:

- First, it is the highpoint of the liturgical year, an event which, though it spans three days, is really **one** major unified celebration.
- Secondly, the focus from start to finish is on "the glory of the Cross". This defining theme, inherent throughout the Triduum, is first expressed in the entrance antiphon of Holy Thursday's Mass: "We should glory in the Cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, in whom is our salvation, life and resurrection, through whom we are saved and delivered." These words set the tone for the whole Triduum event – we gather "to glory in the Cross of Christ".

Day 1 (Holy Thursday evening to Good Friday evening): The Church celebrates "Christ as Sacrifice" as Christ offers his Body and Blood at the Last Supper on Holy Thursday and then on the Cross of Calvary on Good Friday.

Day 2 (Good Friday evening to Holy Saturday evening): The Church is united with "Christ in the Tomb". There is no principal liturgical celebration. On this day the Lord sleeps; on this day we wait at the Lord's tomb and make every effort to enter into God's rest. Prayer, fasting, and silence are the order of the day.

Day 3 (Holy Saturday evening to Easter Sunday evening): The Church celebrates "Christ Being Raised Up". "Alleluias" ring out in welcome to our Risen Saviour. There is joy in Christ's journey from death to life, a journey we hope to share with Him.



TRIDUUM

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GOOD FRIDAY Paschal Fast

Parishioners are reminded of the Paschal Fast which should be observed everywhere on Good Friday and continued, where possible, on Holy Saturday. The Fast honors the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus. In this way the people of God will receive the joys of the Lord's Resurrection with uplifted and responsive hearts.

Services and Activities during Holy Week & Easter

Monday, April 14 Ecumenical Holy Week Service - hosted by St. Joseph's at 7 p.m.

Tuesday, April 15 Stations of the Cross led by the Knights of Columbus at 6:30 p.m.

THE TRIDUUM

April 17 Holy Thursday - Mass at 7 p.m.

April 18 Good Friday - Stations of the Cross at 10 a.m. (Outdoors weather permitting) followed by hot drinks at the McCarthy Centre.

Good Friday Service (Passion and Death of Our Lord) at 3 p.m.

Good Friday Service at St. Anne's at 6 p.m.

April 19 Easter Vigil at 8:30 p.m.

April 20 Easter Sunday

Celebration of the Resurrection at 9:30 a.m. at St. Anne's in Glenwood

Celebration of the Resurrection 11 a.m. at St. Joseph's

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

April 6, 2025	St. Joseph's	St. Anne's
Sunday Offering	\$2,346.00	\$530.00
Loose	125.65	
Heat/Fuel	265.00	72.00
Flowers for Easter	35.00	
Candles		12.00
Easter Offering	5.00	
Development/Peace	175.00	
E-Transfers	705.00	
Direct Deposit	550.00	
Total Deposit	\$4,206.65	\$614.00

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Nash Vey, Jocelyn Downer, Michael McNiven, Pope Francis, 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.**



COFFEE MORNING
after the 10 a.m. Mass
on Friday, April 25th
Everyone is Welcome!



"When Jesus gazes within us and loves us, what does he see despite our distractions and sins? Jesus sees our fragility, as well as our desire to be loved just as we are."

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ST. ANNE'S CHURCH, GLENWOOD Liturgical & Ministries' Schedule for April 18-20, 2025

Date	Day	Time	Mass Intention	Requested By
April 18	Good Friday	6:00 p.m.	Good Friday Service	
April 20	Easter Sunday	9:30 a.m.		
	Ministries:	Good Friday	Robert Chapman	Cheryl White
	Readers:	Lonz Bryan, Helen Oake, Remi Truchon, Albert Oake	Sister Betty Quinlan	Michael English
	Gifts:		Mary Ballard	The O'Rielly family
	Hospitality:	Irene Broderick		Easter Sunday Bridget Doyle & Helen Oake
				Mary & Sean Donahue

