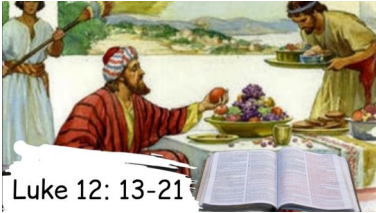


MASS INTENTIONS FOR ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH – August 7 - 10, 2025				
Date	Day	Time	Mass intention	Requested By
August 7	Thu	10:00 a.m.	Pat & Gloria Penney Bernice Mercer Kevin Donahue	Marie Kelly Derm & Margaret Coady Clara Donahue
August 8	Fri	10:00 a.m.	Glenn McGrath Rivlyn Galway Donald Blackmore	Jerome & Bridget Bowen Alice & Gary Bowering Ed & Betty Blackmore
SUNDAY LITURGY - Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time				
August 9	Sat	5:00 p.m.	Lindsay Murphy (B) Mary Elizabeth Dooley John Ducey	Margaret Murphy George & Hilda Strickland & family Richard & Janet Carroll
August 10	Sun	9:30 a.m.	St. Anne's Church, Glenwood	
August 10	Sun	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!				
July 27, 2025		St. Joseph's	St. Anne's	The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, August 4th for Gander Day.  Parishioners would like to thank Father JohnPaul Obioma who has served our parish for the months of June and July while Father Hearn was on medical leave. As we say goodbye to Father John Paul, we wish him success in his studies and ministry. Thanks to parishioners for the many ways they have assisted Father JohnPaul during his time with us. We welcome back Father Hearn and wish him good health and strength as he resumes his ministry work in our parish.
Sunday Offering	\$1,435.00	\$260.00		
Loose	230.60	10.00		
Maintenance	30.00	10.00		
Cemetery Assessment	15.00			
Heat/Light Candles		15.00		
E-Transfers	670.00	11.50		
Direct Deposit	450.00			
Total Deposit	\$2,830.60	\$306.50		
		The annual cemetery Mass at All Saints Cemetery will take place on Thursday, August 14th at 6:30 p.m. (Weather permitting)		
MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE - August 9 & 10, 2025				
Ministry:	Saturday at 5 p.m.		Sunday at 11 a.m.	
Readers:	Maureen Saunders		Daniya Sejin	
Eucharistic Ministers:	Jeanne Dillon & Joan Kieley		Bill Dumais & Rita Pearce	
Presenters of Gifts:	Sid & Monica Holloway		Michael & Maria Oliva & family	
Altar Servers:	Don Farrell		Alex Bracci & Don Sejin	
Candle Bearers:	Renata Oman & Elizabeth Blake		Volunteers	
Hospitality (Ushers):	Rene & Edwina Cashin		Ed Blackmore & Alice McCarthy	
Music:	Volunteers		Volunteers	
Sacristans:	Doris Scharpegge, Kay MacArthur		Rita Pearce	
Treasury:	Team 3: Dan Mahoney, Maureen Hiscock			
Dan Turner, Mary Turner, Myrtle Mahoney				
The SUNDAY AM CHOIR will resume practice in the Fall.				

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH BULLETIN		
 St. Joseph's Church Gander	10 Bishop Street Gander, NL A1V 1V3 August 3, 2025 admin@stjosephsparishgander.ca	 St. Anne's Church Glenwood
EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year C)		
Check out our bulletin on-line at www.stjosephsparishgander.ca <u>Parish Priest</u> Father William Hearn Cell: 486-9492 <u>Parish Pastoral Council</u> Chair: Vacant <u>Finance Committee</u> Chair: Dan Mahoney <u>St. Anne's Parish Council</u> Vice Chair: Irene Broderick <u>Catechetical Coordinator</u> Alice McCarthy (St. Joseph's) sjp-homestudyprogram@bellaliant.com <u>Parish Secretary</u> - Elizabeth Blake OFFICE HOURS: 9 a.m. - 12 noon 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. Phone: (709) 256-3151 Fax: (709) 256-3152 <u>Reconciliation</u> Saturdays at 4:30 p.m. or by appointment <u>Sacrament of Baptism</u> Baptism Preparation (2 hours) & Baptisms by Appointment <u>Weekend Mass Schedule</u> <u>St. Joseph's, Gander</u> Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 11:00 a.m. <u>St. Anne's, Glenwood</u> Sunday 9:30 a.m. Weekday Masses are celebrated usually at 10 a.m. Please check the schedule in the bulletin.	In today's Gospel, Jesus exhorts us about the danger of relying solely on material goods, especially to the point of allowing such 'wealth' to control our existence, resulting in greed and possessiveness. Such stored up treasures will not last. Instead, Jesus invites us to reflect on the true riches of human life. He reminds us that such wealth lies in being rich in matters pertaining to God. This week, let us take time to examine our lives to see where our treasure lies – in material goods that will not last or in God who fills us with wealth of the 'richest kind', a wealth that will last forever.  Luke 12: 13-21 <u>FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD - August 6:</u> This Feast has been observed on this day by the universal Church since the 15th century. Today we are encouraged to pray and reflect on the biblical account of the Transfiguration (<i>Mark 9.2-10</i>).  The account of the Transfiguration is an awe-inspiring indication of the resplendent glory that belongs to Jesus as God's unique Son. However, following his transfiguration, Jesus moves steadily toward his death. Thus, we must not lose sight of the broader message: Whoever follows Jesus must be willing to do what he did and so renounce glory in exchange for suffering.	
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.)		

WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH’S PARISH

“O God, come to my assistance; O Lord, make haste to help me!
You are my rescuer, my help; O Lord, do not delay.”



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

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (Fr. McCormack Council)
“The Knights of Columbus is multigenerational and international.” For membership information please contact Grand Knight Pat Woodford at pat.glenda@nl.rogers.com ”
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.

SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS ARE EXTENDED TO THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF:



Mary Elizabeth DOOLEY who died on Friday, July 25, 2025 at the Gander Long Term Care Home. She is the mother of Barry, Ron, Dan and Ruby (Eric) and the sister of Jane Dooley.
May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

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.



“All of us need to ask the Lord to heal our way of communicating, not only so that we may be more effective, but also so that we may avoid wounding others with our words.”

Pope Leo XIV at Pontifex

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 4 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT JEAN-MARIE VIANNEY, PRIEST: John, ordained in 1815, is known by a more familiar title, Curé d’Ars. He became the parish priest of a French village where most of the people were not interested in religion or God. His devotion to prayer and fasting obtained unimaginable results and he became renowned as a confessor, hearing confessions for 12 to 16 hours a day. He died in 1859, was canonized in 1925, and is a patron of parish priests.

AUGUST 5 - MEMORIAL OF THE DEDICATION OF THE BASILICA OF SAINT MARY MAJOR: This basilica, built in the 4th century under Pope Liberius, was first called the Liberian Basilica. However, after the Council of Ephesus (431) proclaimed Mary the Mother of God, the Church was repaired and reconsecrated about the year 435 as the Basilica of the Virgin Mary. It is called Saint Mary Major (Great Saint Mary’s) because it is older and larger than other Roman Churches also dedicated to Our Lady.

AUGUST 8 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT DOMINIC, PRIEST: Dominic founded the Order of Preachers (Dominicans) in 1216. Priests of this Order were highly educated and could be sent where the need was greatest, fighting heresy and preaching the importance of the Sacraments. Dominic died in 1221, was canonized in 1234, and is a patron saint of the Dominican Republic (named after the Latin word for Sunday), astronomers, scientists, and falsely accused persons.

AUGUST 9 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS, VIRGIN AND MARTYR: In 1891, Edith Stein was born into a large Jewish family in Breslau, Germany (present-day Poland). A remarkable student, she received her doctorate at age 25. She was drawn to Catholicism and was baptized in 1922, spending the next 12 years teaching at Catholic institutions. Although she was a convert to Catholicism, Edith always acknowledged her Jewish heritage and saw the Cross as her destiny. In 1934 she joined the Carmelites in Cologne, taking the name Teresa Benedicta of the Cross. However, by 1938, Nazi antisemitism was widespread, and in 1942 Edith was arrested by the Gestapo and deported to Auschwitz where she died in a gas chamber. She was canonized in 1998 and is co-patron of Europe.

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.**

ST. ANNE’S CHURCH, GLENWOOD Liturgical & Ministries’ Schedule for August 10, 2025

	Date August 10	Day Sun	Time 9:30 a.m.	Mass Intention Donal Foley & Janet Shaw Christine Penney David Mallan	Requested By Bridget Foley Mabel Foran Mabel Foran
	Ministries: Readers: Gifts: Hospitality:	NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Erica Bryan & Lonz Bryan Bridget Miles & Barbara Harding Irene Broderick			