

Baptism Preparation: A Fee is applicable for a Baptism and **must** be paid at the Parish Office before the Baptism takes place. Parents and godparents are required to complete a baptism preparation course, which is offered on the third Sunday of each month at 1:00 pm in the Parish Church. For Baptism, at least **one** sponsor (godparent) must be a baptized, confirmed and practicing Roman Catholic. **Godparents must submit a copy of their Baptism Certificate at the Baptism Preparation Course.** Before your child can be baptized, the parish office **must** have a copy of your child's birth certificate. To register, contact the parish office at 279-1625.

GRAND IN THE HAND: Monthly Ticket Draw – Sacred Heart Church – WIN \$1,000.00 every month – Only 200 Tickets sold each month. Tickets are \$10.00 each. To purchase a ticket, contact the parish office, the religious articles store in the Church, Bern Farrell's Clover Farms or Fewer's Salon, Marystown Mall. Congratulations to Greg Rogers, winner of the December draw; ticket number 2252.

THE DIPLOMA IN THEOLOGY AND MINISTRY (Roman Catholic Studies) is offered by the Archdiocese of St. John's through Queen's College. Registrations are always being accepted, and you can apply by contacting Queen's College directly at queens@mun.ca. In this two-year program, participants are offered the opportunity to explore each of the areas of Roman Catholic Theology – foundations, Moral Theology, Scriptural Studies, Liturgy, Church History, Evangelization and Catechesis and Pastoral Studies and Ministry. For more information contact Anne Walsh at amfwalsh@gmail.com.

THANK YOU: Fr. Emmanuel, Fr. Jose and Fr. William, would like to thank you all for your cards, gifts and best wishes for Christmas and the New Year. God bless you all, and continue to keep us all in your prayers.

PARISH MINISTRIES: Would you please consider volunteering for one of the parish ministries. All ministry lists will be updated within the next month or so. Consider volunteering or speaking to a friend who you feel might be interested. Volunteering might be an inappropriate word, as our baptism invites all of us to be an active member of the community, sharing our gifts and talents. Please pray about how you might best respond to the needs of the parish. Contact someone already in ministry or the parish office!

Please advise the parish office as well if your name is on the list and you are no longer active in that ministry, or, if you have previously submitted your name for a particular ministry and have not been called upon to participate.

Please know that you are very much appreciated for all that you do for your parish, in all or any capacity!

God Bless you!

WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS AND HAVE A GREAT WEEK!

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Confessions ½ hour before Mass Thursday, Saturday, Sunday and any other time upon request

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Sunday, January 6th, 2019

Today we celebrate the Epiphany of the Lord. According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church, The Epiphany is the manifestation of Jesus as Messiah of Israel, Son of God, and Saviour of the world. "Epiphany" comes from two Greek words, meaning "to show, or to display." An epiphany is thus a time when something is shown, displayed, or manifested to an audience. In our Christian tradition, the Feast of the Epiphany celebrates the moment when Jesus, the Son of God, was revealed to all the nations.

The great feast of Epiphany celebrates the adoration of Jesus by the wise men (magi) from the East, together with his baptism in the Jordan and the wedding feast at Cana in Galilee. (CCC 528).

The celebration of the Epiphany varies from country to country. In some countries, Epiphany is a holy day of obligation. Where that is the case, it is celebrated on January 6th. In Canada, Epiphany is not a holy day of obligation, and its celebration is transferred to the first Sunday after January 1st.

*"Truth, by which the world is held together, has sprung from the earth,
in order to be carried in a woman's arms." (St. Augustine)*

THE ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. JOHN'S cordially invites you to a farewell Mass and Reception in honour of Archbishop Martin W. Currie on Monday, January 7th, 2019, at 7:00 p.m., Basilica Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, St. John's. Everyone is welcome!

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Holy Hour before Mass first Friday of each month.

Daily mass will be cancelled in case of a funeral until further notice.

Monday, January 7

No Mass - Farewell Mass & Reception in honour of Archbishop Currie in St. John's

Tuesday, January 8, 7:00 p.m.

Elam & Lydia King
Joseph Brake
Leo & Christina Brake

Wednesday, January 9, 12:10 p.m.

Lisa Drake Goncalves
Christina & Yvonne Vaters
Cornelius & Elizabeth Mitchell

Wednesday, January 9, 1:00 p.m.

Pro-Life Holy Hour

Thursday, January 10, 12:10 p.m.

Charlie Lewis
Leslie Hayden
Peter Ledwith & DFM

Friday, January 11, 7:00 p.m.

Frederick & Ellen Stacey
Thomas, Bride & Lawrence Walsh &
Michael Dober
Garrett McCarthy

Sanctuary Candle: John Molloy

Saturday, January 12, 4:00 p.m.

Confessions 3:15 p.m.

Theresa Ward
George, Elizabeth & Mary Kent
Tom Hannam

Sunday, January 13, 9:00 a.m.

St. Joan of Arc, Frenchman's Cove

Donnie Deveau
John & Bertha Nolan
Arch Rideout

Sunday, January 13, 11:00 a.m.

Confessions 10:15 a.m.

Intention of Parishioners

Sunday, January 13, 2:30 p.m.

Our Lady of Lourdes, Fortune

Gilbert & Adele Edwards
Charlie Parsons & Wade Drake
Iris Bonnell

Burin Liturgy Schedule

January 8	7:00 p.m.
January 9	7:00 p.m.
January 10	7:00 p.m.
January 12	6:00 p.m.

Vocations Bulletin Reflection:

"Opening their treasure chests, they offered Him gifts." Are you beginning to see your life as a gift to be given to the Lord as a priest, deacon, religious sister or brother? Call Father Jeff Kolonel at (709) 745-8183 or Father Ray Earle at (709) 781-1696 or Father Philip Melvin at (709) 754-1195 or email: vocations@rcsj.org.

MINISTRIES:

Saturday, January 12 , 4:00 p.m., Marystown

Hospitality / Collectors: Patrick Power, Gerald Power, Rick Kavanagh, Alphonsus Ward,
John J. Hanrahan, Dean Kelly, Terry Mallay Jr., Peter Murphy

1st Reader: Mary Spencer

2nd Reader: Anne Marie O'Leary Barry

Eucharistic Ministers: Ray Baker, Ron Broderick, Mary Curtis, Peter Fitzpatrick,
Arch Spencer

Gifts: Anna & Charlie Hannam

Sunday, January 13, 9:00 a.m., Frenchman's Cove

Collection: John Power

Readers: Nancy Drake & Phonse Stacey

Gifts Hannah Mullins & Sarah Walters

Sunday, January 13, 11:00 a.m., Marystown

Hospitality / Collectors: Ed Russell, Mary Russell, Vince Antle, Lou Ryan, Jim Power,
John McCarthy, Vince Power, Ian, Charlene & Ava Smith, Jack & Ben Baril, Liam Hunt

1st Reader: Joanie Farrell

2nd Reader: Eric Short

Eucharistic Ministers: Sister Dorothy Willcott, Rick Hunt, Bernice Baker, George Farrell,
Margie Hynes

Gifts: Brenda & Ella Peddle

The totals stated here represent collections for December 30th, 2018 to January 1st, 2019:

OFFERTORY (M):	2531.75	OFFERTORY (FC):	163.00
OFFERTORY (F):	163.00	ADVENT FOLDERS (M):	20.00
CHRISTMAS DAY (M):	275.00	CHRISTMAS DAY (F):	5.00
CEMETERY FUND (M):	10.00	DUES (M):	150.00
NEW YEAR'S DAY (M):	1635.80	NEW YEAR'S DAY (F):	10.00
GARDEN PARTY (M):	20.00	FLOWERS FOR CHURCH (M):	60.00
INITIAL OFFERING (M):	552.00	INITIAL OFFERING (FC):	5.00
INITIAL OFFERING (F):	10.00	VIGIL LIGHTS (M):	317.65
VIGIL LIGHTS (FC):	10.00		

Thank you for your generosity and continued support to the parish

CHRISTMAS CONCERT: A sincere thank you to the organizers, the performers, and all who participated in making this year's Sounds of the Season Concert such a wonderful event. Thank you for your freewill offerings in the amount of \$836, which will be given to the Family Aid Committee. God Bless you all for your continued support of our parish activities.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 10599 MARYSTOWN - JANUARY 2019 MEETING SCHEDULE:

The Executive Meeting will take place on Monday, January 7th, at 7:00 p.m., in the downstairs meeting room. The General Membership meeting will take place on Thursday, January 17th, at 7:30 p.m. in the downstairs meeting room.