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## 21st & 22nd Sundays in Ordinary Time - Aug. 25 & Sept. 1, 2019



As we celebrate Labour Day Weekend, let us give thanks for all the blessings we have received. May the Lord bless all who are employed. May all who seek employment find fruitful opportunities,

so that they may provide for their families and be given the privilege of the dignity of work. We pray that the Lord will bless our great nation of Canada, as we seek to ensure just wages are provided, and the safety of the workplace always respected.

## School Year 2019-20: And so the adventure begins!

### A PRAYER FOR SCHOOL YEAR

God of wisdom and might,  
we praise you for the wonder of our being,  
for mind, body and spirit.  
Be with our children as they begin  
a new school year.  
Bless them and their teachers and staff.  
Give the strength and grace as their bodies  
wisdom and knowledge to their minds  
as they search for understanding;  
and peace and zeal to their hearts.  
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



Please ensure that your child is registered for the sacraments of **First Eucharist, Penance and Confirmation**. We ask you to remind your neighbour to register if they have children seeking to participate. **Please bring a copy of the Baptismal certificate of your child for registration.**

### MASS SCHEDULE:

**Mon. - NO MASS**

**Tues. 7:00 PM - MQW**

**Wed. 9:30 AM - St. Peter's**

**Thurs. 7:00 PM - St. Peter's**

**Fri. 9:30 AM - MQW**

### SUNDAY LITURGY:

**Sat. 4:00 PM - MQW**

**Sat.: 5:30 PM - St. Peter's**

**Sun. 9:45 AM - MQW**

**Sun. 11:30 AM - St. Peter's**

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

**Sat. 3:15 PM - MQW**

**Sat. 5:15 PM - St. Peter's**

**SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL**  
St. Peter's Parish: 747-3320  
MQW: 364-7140

### OFFICE HOURS

#### MARY QUEEN OF WORLD:

**Monday-Thursday**

**9:00 AM - 4 PM**

**LUNCH 12:00 -1:00 PM**

**Friday**

**9:00 AM -12 NOON**

#### ST. PETER'S:

**Monday & Wednesday**

**8:30 AM - 12:00 NOON**

**Tues., Thurs. & Fri.**

**8:30 AM - 12:00 NOON**

**1:00 - 4:00 PM**

**MASS INTENTION**  
**August 27<sup>th</sup> – September 1<sup>st</sup> 2019**

Tuesday 7:00 pm	<b>MQW</b>	Bernard & Lillian Ryan / Gertrude Howell / Kevin Lewis / Gladys Ough / Mary Skinner
Wed. 9:30 am.	<b>St. Peter's Followed by Holy Hour</b>	Betty Cole / Bobby Mooney / Aiden & Christine Hawco
Thurs. 7:00 pm	<b>St. Peter's</b>	Joe Doyle / Pat & Madonna Doyle / Clara & Jack Lundrigan
Fri. 9:30 am.	<b>MQW Followed by Holy Hour</b>	Pius Collins / John Browne / Michael Delaney / Leo Puddister / Michelle Brace
Sat. 4:00 pm.	<b>MQW</b>	Bernard & Rose Stanley / Mary & Victor Fitzpatrick / Frank Lyver / Lloyd Smith / William & Mary Hearn
Sat. 5:30 pm.	<b>St. Peter's</b>	Corbett & Kavanagh Families / Edward White / Brian Sullivan
Sun. 9:45 am.	<b>MQW</b>	All Parishioners
Sun. 11:30 am	<b>St. Peter's</b>	All Parishioners

**MASS INTENTION**  
**September 3<sup>rd</sup> – September 8<sup>th</sup> 2019**

Tuesday 7:00pm	<b>MQW</b>	Dorothy Kenney / Frank Taylor / Mary & Bill Skinner / Brian Donahue / Anita Fox
Wed. 9:30am	<b>St. Peter's Followed by Holy Hour</b>	Lawrence & Madonna Whelan / Peter & Florence Doyle / Francis Lawton
Thurs 7:00pm	<b>St. Peter's</b>	Tobin & Critch Family / John & Margaret Royal and Royal & Short Families / Janet Holden
Fri. 9:30am	<b>MQW Followed by Holy Hour</b>	Mel Hong / Ray Power / Francis Hugh Brennan / <b>Spec. Int. Elaine Thomas &amp; Brenda Morris</b>
Sat. 4:00 pm	<b>MQW</b>	Ellen & Augustus Hennifent / Ellen Philpott / Mary Skinner / Peg Hamlyn & Marie Butler
Sat. 5:30 pm	<b>St. Peter's</b>	Paul, Kathleen & James Murphy / Kane & Hussey Families / John Murphy, Mary, George & David Briffett
Sun. 9:45am	<b>MQW</b>	All Parishioners
Sun. 11:30am	<b>St. Peter's</b>	All Parishioners

**STEWARDSHIP OFFERING**

**MARY QUEEN OF THE WORLD PARISH**

**August 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup>**

Sunday Offering: \$3,198.00  
 Cemetery Offering: \$45.00  
 St. Vincent de Paul: \$125.00

**August 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup>**

Sunday Offering: \$2,692.00  
 St. Vincent de Paul: \$1,316.00  
 Cemetery Offering: \$50.00

**ST. PETER'S PARISH**

**August 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup>**

Sunday Offering: \$2,625.00  
 Church Main: \$235.00

**August 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup>**

Sunday Offering: \$2,796.00  
 Church Main: \$35.00

**BAPTISM PREPARATION FOR MQW AND ST. PETER'S PARISHES:**

This course is mandatory for Parents and Godparents. Next course is Wednesday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm at St. Peter's. Please call your parish to register

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE:**

Course takes on September, 27/28 at St. Peter's Parish, Mount Pearl. Registration for this course is online, rcsj.org or call Theresa Whiffen 709 726-3660 Ext. 236.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (MQW):**

Meetings 1<sup>st</sup> Sun of month. Next meeting will be held September 8, 2019 @ 2:00pm. Have a safe summer.

**SACRAMENT REGISTRATION DATES:**

**St. Peter's Parish**

Saturday, Sept. 7 -- 4:00 p.m. -- 5:15 p.m.  
Sunday, Sept. 8 -- 10:00 a.m. -- 11:15 a.m.  
Saturday, Sept. 14 -- 4:00 p.m. -- 5:15 p.m.  
Sunday, Sept. 15 -- 10:00 a.m. -- 11:15 a.m.

**Mary Queen of the World Parish**

Saturday, Sept. 7 -- 10:00 a.m. -- 12:00 p.m.  
Sunday, Sept. 8 -- 10:30 a.m. -- 12:00 p.m.  
Wednesday, Sept 11 -- 5:00 p.m. -- 7:00 p.m.  
Saturday, Sept. 14 -- 10:00 a.m. -- 12:00 p.m.  
Sunday, Sept. 15 -- 10:30 a.m. -- 12:00 p.m.

**SEPTEMBER 29 - BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS:**

At Mary Queen of the World Parish *and* St. Peter's Parish Children are invited to bring their school bags to Mass on Sunday, September 29. During Mass, Father Wayne will bless the backpacks (or other school-related item of a child's choice) and we can all begin the new school year from a place of grace with God's blessing upon us. Questions? Contact Heather or call the Parish offices.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: (MOW)**

Thank you for your continued support. Meetings are 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs of the month. **DO NOT DROP ITEMS OFF WITHOUT CALLING 364-7140.** A huge demand is placed on our Food Banks. Please donate one food item per week. Your donation is appreciated.

**NIGHT FEVER AT THE BASILICA:**


Saturday, August 31, from 6:00 -- 9:00 p.m., there will be a "night fever" held at the Basilica. Everyone is invited to attend. There will be Eucharistic Adoration, reflections, and music. Night fever is an invitation to everyone to come and spend some time with Jesus. Everyone is welcome. Bring a friend!

**15<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL FLATROCK PILGRIMAGE:**

On Friday evening Sept 6<sup>th</sup> and Saturday Sept 7<sup>th</sup>, the annual Flatrock pilgrimage will take place. Due to this year's 15<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the traditional event, there will be added devotions taking place on Friday evening Sept 6<sup>th</sup> starting at 7:00 pm. Adoration of the blessed Sacrament, Eucharistic procession and Benediction. Devotions will take place in St. Michael's Church or Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto (weather permitting). On Saturday Sept 7<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am, the traditional pilgrimage walk will begin at the junction of Windgap and Torbay Roads (Duffet's parking lot) and end at Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto at approximately 12:30pm. Light refreshments will be available at the adjacent community hall. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will begin at 2:30pm, preceded by Confessions. For more information please contact Suzanne Rowe at (709)727-5809.

**FIRST FRIDAY MASS:**

St. Pius X Parish at 7:30 pm each First Friday. Sacrament of Reconciliation is available before Mass.

 Remember this: whoever sows sparingly will reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will reap generously. ~2 Corinthians 9:6

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP???**

If anyone is interested in helping with the Sacramental Preparation Program at St. Peter's Parish in the upcoming year, please join us for an information meeting on Wed, August 28<sup>th</sup>. A light supper will be provided at 5:30, and the meeting will begin at 6:00pm in the Kelly Center. Please contact Heather if you are interested in attending ([youthsaintppmaryqueen@gmail.com](mailto:youthsaintppmaryqueen@gmail.com) or 364-8606).

**CELEBRATION OF THE INVESTITURE WITH THE PALLIUM OF ARCHBISHOP HUNDT:**

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**MOW OFFICE HOURS:**

Mary Queen of the World Office will be open 8:30am – 12:30pm each morning due to staff vacation from Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup>.

**CENTRE FOR LIFE:**

The Centre offers free, confidential professional pregnancy and post abortion counselling. Please email [counsellors@centreforlife.ca](mailto:counsellors@centreforlife.ca) or call (709) 579-3818 Linda Holden (709) 579-1500 for more information

# MARY QUEEN OF THE WORLD PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: "A STEWARDSHIP PARISH"

Our Parish Community is dedicated to:

\*Living the Word \*Universally Sharing the Word \*And Welcoming All in the Spirit of the Gospel

## ST. PETER'S PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Jesus entrusted the mission of the Church to Saint Peter. Rooted in scripture, prayer and sacraments, we, the community of St. Peter's Parish, embrace the mission in today's world. Through proclamation of the Word, the celebration of the Eucharist, Stewardship, ongoing faith development, and the nurturing of a sense of belonging, we will foster an all-inclusive community of love.

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# God Bless Our New School Year

Bring your School backpack for the  
(Be sure to have your name on your backpack)

## **BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS**

MARY QUEEN OF THE WORLD • SEPTEMBER 29 • 9:45AM MASS



## **Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of St. John's Bulletin Announcements 25 August 2019**

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### **VOCATION GENERAL INTERCESSIONS**

#### **Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time - August 25, 2019**

That all those striving to enter heaven through the narrow gate of celibacy for the sake of Christ's kingdom will find strength and peace in their freely chosen discipline, we pray to the Lord.

### **VOCATION BULLETIN REFLECTION**

#### **Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time -- August 25, 2019**

"Make straight paths for your feet." Will your path of holiness be as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Call Father Jeff Kolonel at (709)745-8183, Father Ray Earle (709)781-1696 or Father Philip Melvin at (709)754-1195 or **email:** [vocations@rcsj.org](mailto:vocations@rcsj.org)

## **RELIGIOUS CELEBRATIONS AND EVENTS**

### **1. Celebration of the Investiture with the Pallium of Archbishop Hundt**

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### **3. CATHOLIC ALPHA RETURNS IN SEPTEMBER 2019.**

CONSIDER JOINING THE ALPHA EXPERIENCE. Alpha is an opportunity to explore life, faith and God in a friendly, open and informal environment. It is a series of interactive sessions exploring the basics of Christian faith. Each session looks at different questions and is designed to create conversation. TUESDAY EVENINGS - SEPTEMBER 17 TO NOVEMBER 19 @ 6:00 PM., 2nd Floor Conference Room, Basilica of St. John the Baptist. Register online <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/catholic-alpha-registration-64546638734>. Registration is free. Invite a friend and try ALPHA!

Night Fever at the Basilica, Saturday, August 31, 6:00 – 9:00 (sponsored by ALPHA)

Join us for an open house night of Eucharistic Adoration, reflection, music, and refreshments

### **4. BOOK STUDY - THE REBIRTHING OF GOD: CHRISTIANITY'S STRUGGLE FOR NEW BEGINNINGS**

Virginia Waters Retreat House, 47 Parsonage Drive, St. John's is hosting a five week book study exploring John Philip Newell's book "The Rebirthing of God: Christianity's Struggle for New Beginnings". Starting on September 17<sup>th</sup>, the group will meet on Tuesday evenings 7:00 – 8:30 pm. This study will be led by Gerard Whitty and Phil Lewis. Space is limited. Please RSVP to Robyn or Holly at [virginiawatersretreat@gmail.com](mailto:virginiawatersretreat@gmail.com) or by phone 709-754-1582.



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### **CURRENT AND UPCOMING EVENTS AND OPPORTUNITIES**

#### **1. DIPLOMA IN THEOLOGY AND MINISTRY**

OFFERED BY THE ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. JOHN'S AT QUEEN'S COLLEGE

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**2. CHASE THE ACE** – St. Thomas of Villanova Parish, Manuels has once again begun a Chase the Ace fundraiser, Sunday evenings **5:30 – 7:00 pm** in the Parish Hall. Cost – Chase the Ace – 3 - \$5.00, 50/50 - \$1 each. Draw takes place at 7:15. Come out and support the parish.

#### **3. CENTRE FOR LIFE**

The Centre offers free, confidential professional pregnancy and post-abortion counselling. Please email [counsellors@centreforlife.ca](mailto:counsellors@centreforlife.ca) or call (709) 579 – 3818. Linda Holden (709) 579 –1500 for more information.

#### **4. CAFE OF MEMORIES 2019**

An afternoon of entertainment and refreshments for those with dementia and their caregivers. Events will be held on September 12, October 1 and November 5, 2019 from 2:00 – 4:00 pm at Freemason's Hall, 115 Carson Avenue, Mount Pearl. Please register by calling Alzheimer Society at 709-576-0608 or email [events@alzheimernl.ca](mailto:events@alzheimernl.ca)

#### **5. MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE**

The next Marriage Preparation Course is scheduled for September 27/28, 2019 at St. Peter's Parish, Mount Pearl. Registration for this course is via the Archdiocesan website – [rscj.org](http://rscj.org). Please check with your parish for registration details. If you have any questions regarding the course, please call Theresa Whiffen at 709-726- 3660 ext. 236 or email at [twwhiffen@rscj.org](mailto:twwhiffen@rscj.org)

#### **6. BASILICA HERITAGE FOUNDATION**

The Basilica Heritage Foundation sponsors a Recital of Classical Music by Fauré, Chopin and Debussy for Piano by Kong Sun Nicholas Lim, Pianist, at the Basilica-Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, on Sunday 1 September 2019 from 1:00 to 2:00 pm. Admission is by freewill offering. In aid of the restoration of the Basilica's stained glass windows.