

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHEDRAL BASILICA PARISH

YEAR OF OUR PARISH: NEW BEGINNINGS - JUNE 2023 TO JUNE 2024

Welcome to Our Parish!



Mass Times

Monday to Friday: 9 a.m.

Saturday: 9 a.m. & 5 p.m.

Sunday: 9 a.m., 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

Rosary 30 minutes before each weekday Mass.

Confession Times

Friday & Saturday: 11 a.m. to noon.

Confessions available Monday to Thursday by appointment.

Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament

Monday to Saturday: Immediately following 9 a.m. Mass until 12 noon in the Marian Chapel.

Vocations

Father James Fleming: jjfleming@gmail.com

**All Masses are live-streamed on basilica.net,
or on our parish website:
www.thebasilica.church**

Please, contact us at:

Telephone (709) 754-2170, or Fax (709) 754-5608
Office hours are Mon. to Fri., 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
(closed from noon to 1 p.m.)

Email: basilica@rcsj.org

www.thebasilica.church

200 Military Road, St. John's, NL Canada A1C 2E8

June 30, 2024



We welcome you to worship with us.
If you would like to register with our Parish,
please contact the Parish Office (754-2170), or pick-up
a registration form at the back of the Church.



THE HOLY ROSARY is prayed **30 minutes before each weekday Mass.** Please, come and pray for Our Heavenly Mother's intercession.

Prayers for the Sick

Prayers for the Sick: David Fleming, Theresa Bruce, Madge McDonald, Patricia Quigley, Mary Rice, Gerard Carey, Donna Power, Francis Xavier Doyle, Charlie Conway, Margaret Roach, Anita Flynn, Michael Doucette, Kimberly MacDonald, Keith Smith, Florence Earle, Mary Ann Lewis, Isabella Dye, Catherine Butler, Chelsie Coombs, Madonna Wheeler, Isabel Goodridge, Charlie Furey, John Abbott, Patrick Redmond, Debbie Lucas, Rick Cooper, Faith Nuna, Christopher Anthony, Father Philip Melvin, John O'Dea, Evan Murphy, Father Nelson Boren, Sister Margie Taylor, George Andrew Stillman, Gerald Murphy, Rosemary Butt, Joseph Dobbin, Esther Lane, Yvonne Steiner, Denise Carter, Norma Saunders, Cathy Melee, Ellen St. Croix, Tony Skinner, Robert Redmond, Betty Redmond, Anita Fagan, James Finn, Sister Roisin Gannon, Brenda Skanes, Malcolm White, Mary White, Debbie Hanlon, Emily Sullivan, Larry Whitten, Donald O'Neill, Florence Carroll, Catherine Cull, Agnes Hewitt, Anne Lilly

Parish Team

Archbishop of St. John's
Most Reverend Peter J. Hundt
Rector, Parish Priest
Father Cecil Critch, P.P., V.G.

Administrative Assistant

Ms. Geraldine Boland

Music Director

Ms. Patty Fowler

LET US KNOW YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS.

This Coming Week in Our Parish Community

Monday – Matthew 8.18-22 **HAPPY CANADA DAY, EVERYONE!**

(The Parish Office will be closed today.)

8:30 a.m. Mass for Walter & Jimmy Tobin, our War dead and deceased Veterans

Tuesday – Matthew 18.23-27

9:00 a.m. Mass for Marion **Counsel**, Barry **O’Keefe**, Paul **Duggan**

Wednesday – Feast of St. Thomas, Apostle

9:00 a.m. Mass for Joe **Browne**, Bernetta **Mooney**, Mike & Muriel **McHugh**

Thursday – Matthew 9.1-8

9:00 a.m. Mass for Barbara **Barbour**, Michael **Penney**, Margaret Rose **Coady**

Friday – St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest

9:00 a.m. Mass for Karen **Walsh**, Frank **Duff**, Edele **Quinn**

Saturday – St. Maria Goretti, Virgin, Martyr

9:00 a.m. Mass for James & Cherry **Greene**, Patricia **Hardy-Jamieson**, Nancy **Eddy**

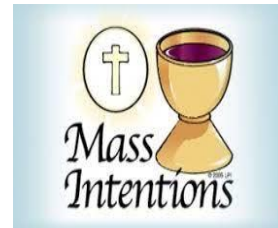
5:00 p.m. Mass for Pam **Smith**, Raymond **Caule**, Mary **Caule-Holliday**

Sunday – Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Mass for Eileen **Woodford**, Linda Marie **Corbett**, Tom **Kearsey**

11:00 a.m. Mass for **the intentions of all parishioners**

7:00 p.m. Mass for Father John **Hanton** & deceased family members, Avelino S. **Garcia**, Barbara Anne **Surrency**



PARISH FINANCIAL NEWS

All your weekly collections go directly to pay for parish operations – assessment (monthly contribution to the Archdiocese), insurance, rent, salaries, supplies, etc: Assessment \$60.00, BINGO \$2,494.00, Canada Helps \$543.43, Candles \$642.00, Collections \$5,684.00, Garden Party \$320.00, On-line \$1,302.53, Other \$245.00, Tap \$870.00, Wedding \$500.00 **Total: \$12,660.96**

PARISH EXPENSES		
	Per Year	Per Month
Rent (including utilities)	\$387,000.00 (incl. 50% HST)	\$32,250.00
Salaries & Benefits, Staff	\$180,000.00	\$15,000.00
Archdiocese Assessment	\$102,195.72	\$ 8,516.31
Insurance (tenants, liabilities)	\$ 63,962.40	\$ 5,330.20
Office & Church Supplies	\$ 60,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Total	\$793,158.12	\$66,096.51
Total Needed Per Week	\$ 15,263.04	
Collections This Week	\$ 5,684.00	
Other Income This Week	\$ 6,976.96	
Total Income This Week	\$ 12,660.96	
Deficit This Week	\$ 2,602.08	

BINGO: PLEASE SUPPORT THE *COWAN AVENUE PLAZA BINGO* THAT **DIRECTLY SUPPORTS** THE BASILICA.

Also, at 7:45 p.m. on Sunday nights, BINGO is held at the Terra Nova Council, K. of C. (49 St. Clare Avenue).

**We welcome over 40 choirs from around the world for Harbour Voices Choral Festival.
A schedule of the Concerts is available at <https://harbourvoices.ca/>**



DEARLY DEPARTED: Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Irene Margaret Baird, Sister Elizabeth Quinlan and Gertrude McGrath**. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in God's holy peace. Our most sincere condolences to their families.

ADULT FAITH DEVELOPMENT AT THE BASILICA

THE SEARCH: Future program dates coming soon.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA): If you are an adult and wish to become fully initiated (a Baptized/Confirmed member of the Catholic Church), or, as a Catholic, you would like to learn more about your faith, please join our RCIA Program on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. Please contact the Parish Office to register **(709-754-2170)**, or visit basilica@rcsj.org

2024 CEMETERY LITURGY SERVICES

Date	Cemetery	If there is poor weather, the service will be held at the same time & date in the following place (places).
June 25, 7 p.m.	Gate of Heaven	Our Lady Queen of Families
July 2, 7 p.m.	Kilbride	St. Teresa's
July 9, 7 p.m.	Mt. Carmel	Basilica
July 16, 7 p.m.	Belvedere	Basilica
July 23, 7 p.m.	Holy Sepulchre	St. Teresa's & Basilica

COMING SOON: *We are in the process of gathering inventory to sell in the lobby of the Parish Office. Currently, we have: Crucifixes, Bibles, rosaries, statues, gifts for Baptism & Confirmation, and more. Stay tuned for the date when it will officially open.*

THANK YOU: I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your kindness and generosity in celebrating my 25th Anniversary Ordination to the Priesthood at the Basilica. To all who helped in planning & organizing for our Thanksgiving Mass & reception, I thank you for your love, time & support. I will always remember this occasion with fondness for your many gifts, cards, blessings & prayers for me. (Father John Costello)

Development and Peace – Caritas Canada Regional Assembly, September 13 – 15, 2024: Peace for all Creation. Registration is now open! Taking place at The Lantern on Barnes Road. Join members and those interested in learning more about the work carried out by the International Development Organization of the Catholic Church in Canada. A full day Youth Retreat will be taking place in advance of the Assembly. There will be presentations from our Latin America Programs Officer, as well as opportunities to engage in local community development. Registration is \$20 and includes refreshment breaks, lunch and dinner on Saturday. For information and to register, please contact Patricia Walsh Warren - pwalsh@devp.org.

FILL THE CRIB PROJECT: In partnership with the Centre for Life, we were collecting items for the entire month of June. GREAT RESPONSE! Thank you very much, everyone.

WE NEED YOUR HELP: In order to continue our on-line subscription of **FORMED**, we are looking for a donation of **\$1,725.00** to cover a year's subscription. If you can help us in ANY way, it would certainly be appreciated. Thank you for your consideration.

AFTERNOON TEA: The Basilica Community Builders are excited to announce the following dates for Afternoon Teas at the Basilica, **2-3:30 pm: July 11, July 18 and July 25**, as well as **August 1, August 15 and August 22**. It's a **one-of-a-kind atmosphere** where you can sit and relax while admiring the **magnificent** architecture of the **Basilica**. In addition to delicious homemade **sweets**, this year we will be featuring an assortment of **sandwiches**. **Admission is only \$20 per person (cash only)**. Once again, we will be using our **BEST** chinaware, teapots and hand tailored napkins. Come join us!

OUR GARDEN PARTY IS SUNDAY, JULY 21, NOON TO 3:00. TICKETS FOR TAKE-OUT COLD PLATES AVAILABLE IN PARISH OFFICE (\$15.00, 75 PLATES ONLY, NO PHONE RESERVATIONS).



**BEAUMONT HAMEL
MEMORIAL,
FRANCE**

We gather this Memorial Day (July 1st) to remember the **MANY** Newfoundlanders and Labradorians who died in the defense of our peace and freedom. We especially remember today all those represented by our repatriated **Unknown Soldier** whose final resting places are known only to God.

May we ALWAYS remember them at the going down of the sun and in the morning.

We celebrate the 100th Anniversary of our National War Memorial and the legacy of Padre Thomas Nangle, Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Padre Thomas Nangle



National War Memorial
St. John's, Newfoundland

