

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHEDRAL BASILICA PARISH

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.

The Holy Rosary is recited 30 minutes before each weekday Mass.

Confession Times

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

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

Baptism Preparation

Takes place on the first Monday of each month on Zoom. Please register with the parish.

All Masses are live-streamed on www.basilicafoundation.ca, or on our parish website: www.thebasilica.church

Please, contact us at:

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Office hours are Mon. to Fri., 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (closed from noon to 1:00 p.m.)

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E-transfers are gratefully accepted at
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16th Sunday in Ordinary Time July 19, 2026

Prayers for the Sick:

Theresa Bruce, Madge McDonald, Patricia Quigley, Mary Rice, Donna Power, Charlie Conway, Florence Earle, Mary Ann Lewis, Isabella Dye, Catherine Butler, Madonna Wheeler, Isabel Goodridge, Patrick Redmond, Debbie Lucas, Rick Cooper, Faith Nuna, Christopher Anthony, Father Philip Melvin, John O'Dea, Sister Margie Taylor, Gerald Murphy, Rosemary Butt, Esther Lane, Yvonne Steiner, Denise Carter, Norma Saunders, Cathy Melee, Tony Skinner, Robert Redmond, Betty Redmond, Sister Roisin Gannon, Brenda Skanes, Malcolm & Mary White, Larry Whitten, Donald O'Neill, Agnes Hewitt, John & Edward, Margie Lawlor, Harold Saunders, Terry Williams, Margaret Ryan, Albert Williams, Gerard Quigley, Karen Bearns, Nicole Cutler, Sister Elizabeth Davis, Inez Marche, Glen Benson, Harold Hancock, Gary Daley, Martha Ward, Sister Lorraine Power, Bob Melee, Ed O'Leary, Don Rolfe, Jamie Halleran, Albert Rosariu, Rose Barrett, Judy Oliver, Julia Nash, Jenita Norman, Devin Johnson, Mary Margaret Hanrahan, Josephine Woodfine, A. Kenny, Rita Parsons, Nicolas Alacoque, Blanche Wells, Joe Baker, Robert Pitcher, Mary McCarthy, Bridget Hughes, Dean Abbott, Joseph Caule, Paula Squires, Gerald Tilley, Mary O'Neil, Hazel Crane, Karen Doyle, Gary & Donna Crocker, Edie Rose, Fr. Pomroy, Wren Hewlin, Frank O'Leary, Christian Squires, Susan Cooper, Robert Wayne Maloney, Lynda Squires

*** If you know anyone on the list of Prayers for the sick that should be removed, please email the office at basilica@rcsj.org***

Parish Team

Archbishop of St. John's
Most Reverend Peter J. Hundt
Rector, Parish Priest
Very Reverend Cecil Critch, P.P., V.G.
Office Administrator: Jill Devine
Music Director: Ms. Patty Fowler

THIS COMING WEEK IN OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

Monday – St. Apollinaris

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Joe Buckingham; Gordon Power; Aiden & Mary Craig

Tuesday – St. Lawrence of Brindisi

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Mary Royle; Angela Woods; Maureen Ryan

Wednesday – St. Mary Magdalene

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Martha Ward; Mary Ring; Patricia Greene

Thursday – St. Bridget

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Tom & Emma Linehan; Jamal Tracey; Terry Devine

Friday – St. Sharbel Makhluf

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Fr. Greg Hogan; Shannon Ryan; Dawn Sullivan

Saturday- St. James

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Leo Shute; Honorable James McGrath; Fr. John Hanton & deceased family members

5:00 p.m. Mass for: Sandra Conway; Gladys Matichuck & deceased members of the Conway & Barrington family; Kay & Philip Keough & deceased family members; Bill Hogan

Sunday – World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Ronald Grant; Francis Xavier Doyle; Darrin McGrath & deceased family members

11:00 a.m. Mass for: All deceased parishioners

7:00 p.m. Mass for: Michael Carew; Pat Hayward; Cecil & Mary Critch and deceased family members of the Critch family



PARISH EXPENSES		
	Per Year	Per Month
Rent (including utilities)	\$360,000.00	\$30,000.00
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	\$766,158.12	\$63,846.51
Total Needed Per Week	\$ 14,733.81	<u>Thank you for your continued support</u>
Collections This Week:	\$ 7,554.00	
Other Income This Week:	\$ 3,959.00	
Electronic Donations:	\$ 6,322.88	
Total This Week:	\$ 17,835.88	

Scan to go to the parish donation webpage to support our parish, our various ministries, and outreaches.



The continuing operation of the Cathedral Basilica Parish is dependent on all of our parishioners remembering to donate towards the daily operations of our Parish. The MAIN source of revenue is from the collections/donations of **EVERYONE** who attends Masses, *as well as our online viewers*. All collections for the Parish go **directly to our daily operating costs**. We have tap machines, parish envelopes, on-line donations, automatic deposits, as well as collection baskets.

Another very convenient option for your donation is by E-TRANSFER (basilicafinance@rcsj.org). If you would like to receive a box of offertory envelopes, please feel free to drop in to the Parish Office. Also, please know that your donation (*large or small*) makes a significant difference to us. **lease support our Advertisers (listed on the last page of this bulletin).** Also, please support Cowan Plaza BINGO. They regularly support our Parish, as well as the following: **Emmaus House Food Bank, Cystic Fibrosis Canada, Our Lady Queen of Families Parish, Health Care Foundation, Cancer Care Foundation, and Holy Trinity Parish.**

PARISH NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Basilica Garden Party Coming this Weekend!!

Please join us on the Basilica parking lot for a joyful afternoon of community, fun, entertainment, delicious food, and games for all ages. There will be face painting, a fish pond, a cash wheel, pre-ordered cold plates, hot dogs, and international food to enjoy. We warmly invite parishioners, families, friends, and visitors to come together for this special day of fellowship on **July 19 from 12:00 to 2:30 p.m.**

Afternoon Teas at the Basilica-Thank you!

We are delighted to share that tickets for our upcoming Afternoon Teas have sold out! Thank you to everyone who purchased tickets and showed such wonderful support for this special gathering. We are looking forward to a lovely afternoon of tea, conversation, and community. A special thank you to the Basilica Community Builders for hosting this event once again and helping make these gatherings so welcoming and enjoyable. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

Our Lady of Lourdes

The Legion of Mary would like to invite everyone to Our Lady of Lourdes Flatrock Grotto for the outdoor rosary and sermon. This service will take place on **Sunday August 9th, 2026 at 3:00 p.m.**

Come Celebrate 150 Years of Keeping the Faith

In August of 2026, Holy Apostles Church in Renewals will be celebrating the 150th year of the laying of the cornerstone to the church. At this time, they will also be celebrating the 99th year of Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto. It is the oldest Grotto in Newfoundland, and the only place to have a Mass Rock. To honour these special occasions, they have a wonderful celebration planned from August 11-16th. The week's events will include a special Mass in the church, a Grotto Mass on August 15th followed by dinner, local entertainment, and community gatherings for all to enjoy. You can find more information by email (townofrenewscappahayden@nf.aibn.com) or by calling the office at 709-363-2500.



Marriage Preparation Course

The next Marriage Preparation Course will be held on **November 7, 2026**, with a registration deadline of **October 23, 2026**. Couples are encouraged to complete the course at least **six months before** their wedding date. Further information will be provided upon registration, and the subsequent course is expected to be offered in **May 2027**.

Cemetery Liturgy Services - 2026

Cemetery Liturgy Services 2026: Belvedere—Tues., July 21; Holy Sepulchre—Tues., July 28. All services begin at **7:00 p.m.**

Rain locations: Belvedere—Cathedral Basilica; Holy Sepulchre—St. Teresa's, Our Lady Queen of Families, or Cathedral Basilica.

Basilica Summer Hours

Weekdays

- Open: 8:15 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
- Mass: 9:00 a.m.
- Adoration: 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.
- Tours: 10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Weekend Schedule

Saturday

- Masses: 9:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
- Tours: 10:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

Sunday

- Tours: 12:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m.
- Masses: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

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