

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, June 9	7:00 p.m.	Catherine Doyle, Laura Murphy James Pendergast, William (Bill) Doyle
Wednesday, June 10	9:30 a.m.	Mary Conway, Ann Reid, Shirley Jackman
Thursday, June 11	7:00 p.m.	Dan, Vera & Colleen Dwyer; Mary Cobb Kareem & Mary Farhat
Friday, June 12	9:00 a.m.	Dick O'Brien & Dawn Cahill; Gordon Jewer Margaret Kent
Saturday, June 13	4:00 p.m.	Confessions
Saturday, June 13	5:00 p.m.	Special Intention; Genevieve Holden Bridget Walsh; Albert Lewis John & Marion Basha & Family Joseph & Zala Basha & Family Tom Brazil & Family
Sunday, June 14	10:30 a.m.	Parishoners Living and Deceased St. Michael's Parish

MINI WORKSHOP ON HUMAN TRAFFICKING: WHAT IS HUMAN TRAFFICKING? HOW DOES IT AFFECT US IN NEWFOUNDLAND? WHAT CAN GOOD PEOPLE DO TO HELP? Where? Littledale, 250 Waterford Bridge Road. **When?** Saturday, June 13, 2009, 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. **Cost?** None. **To Register:** Contact the Archdiocese at 726-3660. (We simply need to know an approximate number.) **Sponsored by:** The Archdiocesan Office of Adult Faith Formation and The Mercy Centre for Ecology and Justice.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

MAY 31, 2009

Offertory (99 Envelopes)	\$1,187.50
Dues (29 Envelopes)	397.00
Archbishop's Appeal (10 Envelope)	96.00
Initial Offering (1 Envelope)	20.00
Papal Charities (1 Envelope)	5.00

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS

	SATURDAY, JUNE 13--5.00 P.M.	SUNDAY, JUNE 14--10:30 A.M.
READERS:	Christine Tulk, Pat Craig	Ros Hurley, Sid Rees
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:	Tom Spracklin, Art Whelan Jasmine Brazil, Fred Carroll	Rosanne Grant, Keith Kent Christine Quinlan, Shirley Murphy
PRESENTATION OF GIFTS:	Irene & Kevin Delahunty	Valerie Gorman Family
USHERS:	Leo Byrne, Brian Tulk Chris Murphy, Jason Hickey	Ray Kennedy, Alex Newell Ray Whalen, Charlie O'Brien
CHILDREN'S LITURGY:	Karen Seward	

MONSIGNOR WALSH'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION: Monsignor Denis Walsh was ordained to the priesthood on June 13, 1959. At the 4:45 p.m. Mass on Saturday, June 13, 2009, St. Paul's Parish on Newfoundland Drive will join with him in celebrating this very special occasion. The celebration will continue on Sunday, June 14, at the 11:00 a.m. Mass, followed that afternoon by a reception at Bally Haly Golf and Curling Club, Logy Bay Road, from 3 - 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome!

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH ANNUAL DINNER THEATRE: The date for the Annual Dinner Theatre is **July 18, 2009**. Come and have a **"Shockin' Good Time"** featuring **The Wabana Drama Players** plus a **3-course meal with a complimentary glass of wine** followed by a **dance**. Cost is **\$25 per person**. For tickets contact Rosanne Grant at 488-2190, Christine Quinlan at 488-3342, Ursula Lahey at 488-3015, or the Parish Office at 488-2525.

ST. MICHAEL'S REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL ANNUAL DINNER THEATRE & SILENT AUCTION HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED: It will now be held at **St. Michael's Parish Hall** on **Friday, June 12, 2009**, starting at **6:00 p.m.** with viewing of auction items. **Featuring:** Junior & Senior Load 'n Go Players Student Musical Performers. **Tickets:** \$15 Single or \$25 double. Bar and Auction Bids – Cash only. Phone St. Michaels at 488-2828 ASAP to book a table.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING: There will be a meeting and election of officers of the Knights of Columbus Conception Council 1930 on June 12, 2009, at 7:30. All members are requested to attend. Conception Council members are also asked to think and pray about elections to Council Executive.

CONCERT: "SPRING INTO SONG": With Holy Heart of Mary Alumnae Choir, under direction of Dr. Valerie Long. Special Guest, Ian Sutherland. St. Andrew's Church (The Kirk), Sunday, June 14th at 7:30 p.m. Tickets: \$10.00. Available from hhmacwebmaster@heartnotes.net, through choir members, or at the door.

THE ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. JOHN'S invites you to attend the ordination of **Reverend Mr. Philip Melvin** to the Ministerial Priesthood **on June 24th, 7:30 p.m.**, at the Basilica of St. John the Baptist. A reception will follow. Please remember to pray for Philip and for all those considering a vocation to the priesthood.

ST. PATRICK'S MERCY HOME FOUNDATION and Spirit of Newfoundland Productions are hosting their **10th Annual Dinner Theatre** in support of St. Patrick's Mercy Home. Join us for Spirit of Newfoundland's production of Celtic Spirit, Wednesday, July 8, 2009, at the Masonic Temple, 6 Cathedral Street. **Cost \$65.00 (tax in)**. Call Jim at 726 - 2687 ext. 229 for tickets or information.

DID YOU KNOW?: The FAMILY LIFE BUREAU offers individual, couple and family counseling. The waitlist is minimal at present. One call to (709) 579-0168 brings help.

DO YOU KNOW WHAT YOUR CHILDREN ARE DOING IN CYBERSPACE? **Topic: FaceBook, YouTube, MySpace** – a presentation & conversation about keeping our children safe in cyberspace. Thursday, June 11th from 7 – 9 pm., MacDonald Drive Elementary, 100 MacDonald Drive. **Presenter:** Cst. Kevin Foley, RNC & the Coalition Against Violence – Avalon East. For more information contact the Coalition at 757-0137 or cavae@coalitionagainstviolence.ca.

SACRED HEART MONTH: June is Sacred Heart Month. Please be faithful to the Sacred Heart Devotions.

MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY: CALL TO VOCATIONS: "We suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with Him." How are you being called to glorify the Lord in response to His love? Could God be inviting you to the priesthood or consecrated life? Contact the vocations office: stjohnsvocations@gmail.com.

CEMETERY MASS TIMES:

Bell Island, The Front	July 19, 2009	2:30 p.m.
Bell Island, Lance Cove	August 9, 2009	2:30 p.m.
Kilbride, St. John's	July 7, 2009	7:00 p.m.
Mt. Carmel, St. John's	July 14, 2009`	7:00 p.m.
Belvedere, St. John's	July 21, 2009	7:00 p.m.
Holy Sepulchre, St. John's	July 28, 2009	7:00 p.m.



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MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY JUNE 7, 2009

REFLECTION:

FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

The Lord is God in heaven above and on earth beneath; there is no other.

Moses has just reminded the Israelites of all that has happened since they left Horeb; then he exclaims, "Did anything so great ever happen before?" All the wonders God has worked for his chosen people lead him to one conclusion: the Lord *is* God, and God is one.

SECOND READING: Romans 8:14-17

You have received a spirit of adoption, in which we cry, "Abba! Father!"

We are not slaves but children of God, because the Holy Spirit we have received is a Spirit of "adoption" giving us the right to call God *Abba*—Father. We are God's adopted children. So is Jesus; and we therefore become "joint heirs" with Christ. It is the Holy Spirit that draws us into this family relationship with God and his Son.

GOSPEL: Matthew 28:16-20

Baptize them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Jesus sends the Eleven forth to the whole world, to make disciples, to teach, and to baptize "in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." The words are so familiar that we can easily miss how mysterious they really are. Notice that while three persons are indicated, the word *name* is singular: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are truly one God.

SANCTUARY CANDLE: IN MEMORY OF GORD JEWER