Parish Pastoral Council

The role of the Parish Pastoral council is to advise and assist the parish priest in determining and addressing the pastoral and spiritual needs of the Parish. The Parish Pastoral Council brings together lay people, as representatives of the parishioners, who work together with the pastor to build the parish as a living Christian community.

The parishes of Mary Queen of the World and St. Peter’s share many of the same goals and needs. During the past year we have worked jointly on several issues and also cooperated in sharing resources and efforts in a number of areas such as Baptism preparation, Catechesis and Sacramental preparation and our youth programs.

Beginning in January 2019 we will have one Parish Pastoral Council which will work with our pastor, Fr. Dohey, to serve the pastoral needs of both parishes. Both Mary Queen of the World and St. Peter’s will continue as separate and independent parishes. This in no way means an amalgamation of the parishes. Each parish will continue to have its own Finance Committee, Liturgy Committee and will operate as it does at present. This is a means for us to share experiences and work together on our common goals.

The new joint council would have equal representation from both parishes. We shall hold elections later this fall to seek parish representatives to serve on the council. There will be 10 positions on the new council. Each parish will elect 3 at-large representatives, there will be a representative from each parish’s Liturgy Committee. There will be 1 person elected at-large to represent the seniors of both parishes and finally there will be 1 representative from our youth group to represent the youth and young adults in our parishes.

The roles of chair and vice-chair will be shared between both parishes. If the chair is from one parish the vice-chair would be from the other and in the following years the positions would alternate annually.

In October we shall seek nominations for parishioners to fill the roles as representatives for their parish on the Parish Pastoral Council. We shall hold the election for the Parish Pastoral Council in mid November. The new Council would begin to fulfill its mandate in January 2019.

We ask all parishioners to consider offering themselves to serve on the council and to work for the goals of our parishes.
MASS INTENTION
October 16th – 21st, 2018

Tues. 7:00 pm.  MQW  Jean O’Brien / Patrick O’ Flaherty / Geraldine Hartery

Wed. 9:30 am.  St. Peter’s Followed by Holy Hour  Lawrence & Madonna Whelan & Peter & Florence Doyle / Monty Buckle / Sandy Roche

Thurs. 7:00 pm.  St. Peter’s  Corbett & Kavanagh Families / Joe Doyle / Clem Dohey Special Health Intention

Fri. 9:30 am.  MQW  Followed by Holy Hour  (Spec. Intention) Mary Pike Paddy Fitzgerald / Mercedes Power

Sat. 4:00 pm.  MQW  Brendan Broderick / Mary & Victor Fitzpatrick / Bernard & Rose Slaney / Rosalie Power

Sat. 5:30 pm.  St. Peter’s  Helen Wrice / Rose Clift Fred Raynes / Special Health Intention

“NOTE CHANGE IN TIME”

Sun. 9:45 am.  MQW  All Parishioners

Sun. 11:30 am.  St. Peter’s  All Parishioners

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING:
(MQW):
September 29th / 30th -
Sunday Offering - $2,380.00
Archbishop’s Appeal - $5.00
St. Vincent de Paul - $120.00
Needs of the Church-$ 1240.00
Parish Dues $50.00
October 6th / 7th -
Sunday Offering - $4058.00
Needs of the Canadian Church – $55.00
Eccl Students to priesthood - $484.00
Centre for Life – $435.00
St. Vincent de Paul Society- $235.00

(ST. PETER’S):
September 29th /30th -
Sunday Offering – $2,407.00
Church Maintenance – $175.00
Parish Dues - $150.00
Needs of Canadian Church - $243.00
October 6th /7th -
Sunday Offering - $2,272.00
Church Maintenance – $210.00
Parish Dues - $445.00
Students to Priesthood - $266.00
Needs of Can. Church - $37.00

MASS INTENTION
October 23rd – 28th, 2018

Tues. 7:00 pm.  MQW  Gordon Brennan / David Fitzgerald / Michelle Brace

Wed. 9:30 am  St. Peter’s Followed by Holy Hour  Mary Hickey / George O’Brien / Bren Broderick

Thurs. 7:00 pm  St. Peter’s  Fr. Joseph Barbour / Mary & George Briffett / Mary (Sis) Flaherty

Fri. 9:30 am  MQW  Followed by Holy Hour  Donald Kielly / Elias Foley / Robert Lewis John Shaw

Sat. 4:00 pm  MQW  Michael &Mary Ann Mathews / Thomas & Anna Ricketts / Margaret Patrick & Gordon Ryan Douglas & Catherine Wadman / Hussey & Kane Families & John Murphy / Michael Augot / Special Health Int (Smith Family)

Sun. 9:45 am  MQW  All Parishioners

Sun. 11:30 am  St. Peter’s  All Parishioners

CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE (MQW):
Meetings 1st Sun of month. “Note date change” Next meeting is November 4th at 2:00 pm.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: (MQW)
Thank-you for your continued support. Next Meeting, October 18, 2018. Meetings are 3rd 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 much appreciated.

BAPTISM PREPARATION FOR MQW AND ST. PETER’S PARISHES:
This course is mandatory for Parents and Godparents. Next course is Wednesday, November 14, 7:00 pm at St. Peter’s Parish. Please call your parish to register.

ST. PETER’S YOUTH CHOIR:
Choir Rehearsals begin Monday evenings at 6:30 pm in the Church. Anyone interested in joining the choir are encouraged to attend.
FAMILY CATECHESIS & SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:

To register for the 2018-2019 Programs contact your Parish Office. Mary Queen of the World Parish - 368-5371 or email mcw@nf.aibn.com. St. Peter’s Parish – 364-8606 or email parishoffice@saintpp.com.

“IMPORTANT NOTICE”

ST. PETER’S:
Sacramental Preparation meeting for parents and or guardians only: October 22nd at 7:00 pm in the church.

MARY QUEEN OF THE WORLD:
Sacramental Preparation meeting for parents and or guardians only: October 24th at 7:00 pm in the church.

REGISTRATION: FOR THE PROGRAM WILL BE AVAILABLE AFTER MEETING.

CELEBRATION OF HOPE:
This will be a weekend of great events for youth and adults on November 2 -4th at the Mile One Centre. Will Graham, grandson of Billy Graham will be the keynote speaker. Archbishop Currie, Fr. Critch and Fr. Cole have been supporting the planning of this event. On September 28th, 7:00 pm there will be an ecumenical prayer service at the Basilica in preparation for this event. For more information e-mail celebrationofhope.ca

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY – OCTOBER 21, 2018:
Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday. Every parish across the globe will celebrate this event. It is a global sign of the Universal Church and mission. On this day, Pope Francis invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection for the Propagation of the Faith. Your support will help missionaries in proclaiming the Gospel of joy and peace around the world. Please join in this special day that unites Catholics from all over the world through prayer and care for the Church’s mission. Your donations will support churches, hospitals, schools and train seminarians and religious Brothers and Sisters in Asia, Africa, Latin America, Pacific Island and some of our Canadian dioceses.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES AVAILABLE:
Contact: St. Peter’s - 364-8606 or e-mail parishoffice@saintpp.com or Mary Queen of the World - 368-5371 or mqw@nf.aibn.com. Tax Receipts are issued at year end for your contributions.

ST. PETER’S – ST. VINCENT DE PAUL:
Thank you to all who supported our draw on the Framed Print. Winning number was 0268 and claimed by Baxter Vincent.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:
Fr. John B. Kent Council will be holding their monthly dinner and a bingo at St. Peters Parish Hall on October 17th, doors open 6:00 pm dinner is served 7:00 pm. Bingo starts 8:00 pm. Tickets are $20.00, bingo only $10.00. For tickets call Joanne at 749-3945 between 10:00 am and 9:00 pm.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF MARY QUEEN OF THE WORLD PARISH ON THEIR 40TH ANNIVERSARY:
Their contribution to our parish in both a spiritual and physical presence since 1978 has been important to the growth of our parish. They will be celebrating this milestone on Saturday, November 3rd at 5:30 pm when Mass will be offered in Thanksgiving as they continue their good works in living out their Mission Statement for God and Canada.

MINISTRY MONTH – OCTOBER:
Please consider signing up for a new ministry this year. Some choices to consider may be: Communion Minister, Reader, Presentation of the Gifts, Choir Member and others. Sign Up Sheets are available in the foyer. Please take one and see which area you would like to share your talents with your Parish community.

VISIT ST. PETER’S AND MARY QUEEN OF THE WORLD WEBSITES:
Our website has recently been updated. Drop by the Links: for updated Funeral Preparation Forms, etc. St. Peter’s Parish: www.saintpp.com Mary Queen of the World: www.mqw.org.

THE GATHERING PLACE - FALL FAIR:
Saturday November 3rd 2018, 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 pm the Gathering Place will host a tea party with sandwiches, sweets tea and coffee for $8.00. Sale of work 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Featuring items created by our guests, handmade crafts, homemade baked goods, gift boutique with new items, tickets raffles, door prizes. Price of admission is $2.00. All Welcome
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.
Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of St. John’s
BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS October 14, 2018

VOCATION GENERAL INTERCESSION
Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time: October 14, 2018
That in the look of love Jesus gives to each of us, we may be inspired to do more than lip service to the Gospel and by God’s grace become committed disciples open to the call of God, we pray to the Lord.

VOCATION BULLETIN REFLECTION
Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time: October 14, 2018
“Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life? If you ask the Lord this question in prayer, are you ready to respond with a joyful “yes” or will you turn from Him with a heavy, unyielding heart. Consider following Christ more closely as a priest or in the consecrated life. Call Father Jeff Kolonel at (709)745-8183 or Father Ray Earle (709)781-1696 or Father Philip Melvin at (709)754-1195 or email: vocations@rcsj.org

CURRENT EVENTS

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2. LEARNING OPPORTUNITY
DIPLOMA IN THEOLOGY AND MINISTRY (ROMAN CATHOLIC STREAM)
The Archdiocese of St. John’s, in partnership with Queen’s College, offers a two-year Diploma in Theology and Ministry. Do you wish to grow in Faith? Do you want to deepen your knowledge? For more information, go to www.queenscollegenl.ca, or contact Anne Walsh at amfwalsh@gmail.com

3. EASTERN HEALTH’S PASTORAL CARE & ETHICS DEPARTMENT invites people grieving the loss of a loved one to join an 8-week Bereavement Information & Support Group beginning September 20, 2018. Sessions are held Thursday afternoons from 1:30 – 3:30 p.m. Location: Health Sciences Centre. For more information, or to register, please contact the Pastoral Care Office at 777-6959 or Scott Parsons at 777-7611.

4. As part of the Hearts Afire Program “33 days to Morning Glory Retreat” for men, women and young adults will be offered at St. Peter’s Church, Mount Pearl, starting Oct. 13th, 10:30AM – 12 noon, for six consecutive Saturdays (excluding Remembrance Day Weekend). Registration for the retreat begins August 25th. As space is limited please register early. Contact persons are: Anna-Marie Kean 781-2984, Margarite Greene 773-1237 and Grace Pike 368-9336.
5. **The GATHERING PLACE - FALL FAIR**
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 3RD. TEA PARTY @ 10:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. WITH SANDWICHES/SWEETS. TEA/COFFEE FOR $8.00. SALE OF WORK 9:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M. FEATURING ITEMS CREATED BY OUR GUESTS, HANDMADE CRAFTS, HOMEMADE BAKED GOODS, GIFT BOUTIQUE WITH NEW ITEMS, TICKET RAFFLES, DOOR PRIZES. ADMISSION $2.00.

6. **TRUMPET AND PIPES RECITAL AT BASILICA**
Join Trumpeter Alan Klaus and Organist Stephen Candow for Trumpet and Pipes, a trumpet and pipe organ recital at the Basilica of St. John the Baptist on **Friday, 19 October at 7:30 pm**. With works by Bach, Torelli, Hovhaness, Persichetti, and others. Sponsored by ArtsNL, MUN Music, and the Basilica Heritage Foundation. Admission is by free-will offering (pay what you can) and will support the restoration of the historic stained glass windows of the Basilica-Cathedral. Please come and enjoy the music of these two very fine artists and support this important project.

7. **THE 20TH ST. PATRICK’S HALL EX-PUPILS RECEPTION & DINNER** will be held on: **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2018, @ 6PM - K of C Hall, St. Clare Ave.**
Tickets $40 dinner only or $50 for dinner and jacket. Available in advance from Jackman & Green. Please come and share the memories.

8. **Come “Awaken the Energy Within”** - Regular 8-week classes begin October 16th until December 6th. For more details please contact Sheila at 727-7863 or sheilaleonard@nf.sympatico.ca or visit the News menu bar at www.sheilaleonard.ca - can also call The Lantern at 753-8760.

9. **ST. PATRICK’S MERCY HOME FOUNDATION** is having its **18th Annual Dinner Theatre** in support of the residents of **St. Patrick’s Mercy Home**. Join us with your family, visitors and friends on **Thursday, November 1st at the Masonic Temple, 6 Cathedral Street** for Spirit of Newfoundland’s “Stand By Your Nan” **Tickets $75 (tax-in)**. Call 752-8745 for tickets or information.

10. **The Irish Messenger of the Sacred Heart** is a little magazine that’s read all over the world. It’s a wonderful, inspirational Christmas gift that keeps giving until next Christmas. If you would like to give someone this gift, or get it for yourself, please call 738-3236 for further information.

11. **Leadership Applications 2019 - 20**
Application Forms are now available for the Catholic Women’s Leadership Foundation Program for 2019 -20. The Certificate program runs from May 2019 to June 2020, and is both face to face and online. For more information visit www://cwlfcanada.ca. You may also call Rita Janes, 709 722-3860.

**RELIGIOUS CELEBRATIONS AND EVENTS**
1. **ISRAEL - Pilgrimage to the Holy Land** next year with Fr. Cecil Critch- October 21-29, 2019
Please join us for a special public information presentation about the trip with Shane Coupland of Collette Tours on **Thursday, October 25th, 2018, at 7PM in the Basilica Museum, Military Road. RSVP Colleen Williams 747-5018, cwilliams@harveystravel-cwt.com**
2. **CELEBRATION OF HOPE - MILE ONE CENTRE NOVEMBER 2-4**

CelebrationofHope.ca

Preparations are underway for the Celebration of Hope which will take place on Friday, November 2-4, 2018 at MILE ONE CENTRE. This will be a weekend of great events for youth and adults. There will be Christian contemporary music from some of the best international music groups in that genre. Will Graham, the grandson of Billy Graham will be the keynote speaker. We will proclaim the Gospel so lives can be transformed and people can face their future with new purpose and identity as children of God. Churches from all denominations are preparing for this. Archbishop Currie, Fr. Cecil Critch, Father John Cole and Ed Connolly have been supporting the planning of this event. For more information: CelebrationofHope.ca

3. **LATIN MASS**

The Latin Mass will be held at 5:15 p.m. at St. Pius X Chapel, Smithville Crescent.

**COUNSELLING AND PASTORAL SERVICES**

1. **RUAH COUNSELLING CENTRE** – We provide individual, couple and family counselling. Fall 2018 Group Offerings. Please call 579-0168, or go to www.rcsj.org for more information: Special Topic Series for Single Moms (Wednesdays 9:30am-11:30am, Oct.17-Nov. 28); Parenting Teenagers Group (Thursdays 7-9pm, Oct.18-Nov 22).

2. **THE CENTRE FOR LIFE**

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

**YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY**

1. **WORLD YOUTH DAY – PANAMA**

The next World Youth Day will be held in **January 2019 in Panama**. This pilgrimage is for young adults, aged 18-35 and the theme will be “I am the servant of the Lord. May it be done to me according to your word?” (Lk 1:38). If you would like more information on this pilgrimage, please contact Sara at sbroderick@rcsj.org

2. Mass is offered daily at MUN (M-F) at 12 noon in UC3016. All are welcome!

"**Only Theology Can Save a Secular University**" Dr. Paul Allen, prof. of Theology at Concordia University in Montreal, will speak on this topic on Thurs. Oct. 18, 7 pm, at MUN (Bruneau Centre 2000). All are invited. No admission charge. This is part of the MUN Catholic Chaplaincy Speaker's Series. For more information contact Fr Joe Mroz SJ, jmroz@mun.ca

3. **QUEEN'S COLLEGE FALL 2018 COURSE AND PROGRAMS**: This is a good time to consider opportunities for theological, pastoral and spiritual programs for the fall. Queen's has lots to offer. Programs are part-time and full-time available on-line and on-campus as credit and non-credit courses. More information is available at our website http://queenscollegenl.ca/?page_id=406 For more information contact queens@mun.ca or call (709)753-0116.