

May 14, 2023: 6th Sunday of Easter

“Jesus promises his disciples that he will send them another advocate, the Spirit of truth.”

John 14:15-21

The mystery of the Trinity can be difficult for us to grasp. Today’s Gospel invites us to consider how the three persons—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit— work together so that God’s salvation is made known to us. Jesus’ mission is continued through the activity of the Holy Spirit in the lives of his disciples. We have received this same Spirit through our Baptisms. The Spirit, living and working within us, reveals the mystery of God’s love for us. Just as the first disciples were not left orphaned, we are not orphaned; we remain in God’s embrace through the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful. And kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you will renew the face of the earth. Lord, by the light of the Holy Spirit you have taught the hearts of your faithful. In the same Spirit help us to relish what is right and always rejoice in your consolation. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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**SACRED HEART PARISH - CURLING
FINANCIAL REPORT SUMMARY
YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31 ,**

	DEC 31, 2021	DEC 31, 2022	REF
FINANCIAL POSITION			
FINANCIAL POSITION AT BEG OF THE YEAR	\$ 196,481.11	\$ 123,750.39	
NET INCOME (LOSS) FOR THE YEAR			
REVENUE	139,581.26	128,376.75	A
EXPENSES	212,311.98	194,936.29	A
NET INCOME (LOSS)	-72,730.72	-66,559.54	
FINANCIAL POSITION AT END OF THE YEAR	\$ 123,750.39	\$ 57,190.85	
FINANCIAL POSITION CONSISTS OF:			
PETTY CASH FLOATS.	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00	
TD BANK C/A	121,158.43	58,463.25	
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	0.00	1,000.00	
HST REBATES RECOVERABLE	8,871.49	8,132.71	
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	-66.54	-2,018.99	
ACCRUED LIABILITIES	-2,992.99	-2,955.12	
COLLECTIONS PAYABLE	-3,820.00	-6,031.00	
	\$ 123,750.39	\$ 57,190.85	

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Sacred Heart Parish

A Stewardship Parish in Union with Christ



Parish Information

Office Administrator: **Chelo Escalona**

Office Hours: **Monday to Friday 9am-12pm**

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www.sacredheartrcparish.ca
Diocesan website: rcchurch.com

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 4:30 pm, Sunday 11 am

Mass During Week:

Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7 pm.

Daily mass is cancelled any day schools are closed due to bad weather.

Lohnes Complex

First Fridays - 2 pm at the Lohnes Complex.

Bible Study:

Bible study will resume on Sundays at 7pm.

Holy Hour of Adoration:

Post-poned until further notice.

Reconciliation:

By request.

Marriages:

Six months’ notice required. A year’s notice is recommended.

Baptisms:

Please call the Parish Office to schedule preparation session.

Family Connections:

At www.rcchurch.com you will find a link to family connections.

St. Vincent de Paul:

To assist those in need. Call 638-9010.

RECEIVED WITH THANKS

May 6th – May 7th, 2023

Regular Sunday	\$1,374.00
Loose Offering	104.45
Building Fund	215.00
In Memorium (Late Daphne Brenda Brake) (Deceased Members of Buckle & Griffin Families)	100.00
Bingo Proceeds	490.00
Ecclesiastical Students	285.00
St. Vincent de Paul	90.00

MASS INTENTIONS

Wed. 7 pm	None
Thu. 7 pm	Dennis Moore
Fri. 7 pm	None
Sat. 4:30 pm	Bridget and Jordan Blackwood
Sun. 11 am	Parish Community

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

May 20	
Jerome Dicks	Elizabeth Carew
May 21	
Veronica Stone	Anna House
Communion to the sick – Tony Griffin	

Congratulations to Abigail Quilty and Walter Butler who will celebrate their *First Eucharist on Sunday, May 14*. Pray for them and their families that through the gift of the Eucharist they may grow in their faith.

Congratulations also to parents **Michael Hynes** and **Julia Bennett** for having their son **Cohen Trent Hynes** baptised last *Sunday, May 7th 2023*.

MOTHER’S DAY: Today, we remember, with gratitude, our mothers who have played such a big role, by their love and sacrifice, in seeing us on our way. We also remember those who have gone before us that they may know eternal happiness in the Kingdom of God. Happy Mothers’ Day.

COFFEE TIME: Our Parish Outreach Committee will continue coffee time after masses on Sunday mornings. Come join us for a cup of tea or coffee and maybe a little snack. This is the time to share with your brothers and sisters and also welcome new members.

PARISH OUTREACH: This committee, consisting of, Marie Pennell (709-388-5090), Gerard Deveaux (709-638-4411), Pat Moore (709-785-2440), and Tony Griffin (709-632-5755) are offering to bring communions and provide a pastoral visit to those who wish to have this ongoing contact. They are also exploring social activities for the parish as a whole. Please support them in their efforts. Please call them if you or a family member wish to avail of this service.

MARY’S KITCHEN: During the month of May our parish is asked to serve at Mary’s kitchen each Friday. We need 5 volunteers each week to serve a meal, and 5 people to provide desserts. This is a great way to get involved in helping those less fortunate. If you are willing to help in any way, please call Veronica [709 639 7216] to let her know which Friday you are available. Sign up sheets will be available at the back of the church. Thanks in advance for your kindness.

RENEWAL OF MARRIAGE VOWS: In celebration of the National Family & Life week in Canada: “Love One Another”, all couples and their families are invited for a renewal of marriage vows on **Saturday, May 13th** during **the 5:00 Mass at the Cathedral** with **celebrant Bishop Bart Van Roijen**.

VOLUNTEER DIOCESAN ARCHIVIST NEEDED:

The Diocese of Corner Brook and Labrador is looking for someone who is interested in working with archival records. Some experience with archival or library records would be helpful. Please respond to: diocese@nf.aibn.com or by phone (709) 639-7073 ext. 221. Thank you.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDED

DECEMBER 31, 2022: See reverse of Bulletin for financial summary. See Bulletin insert for Income & Expense details. For any questions contact Ken Hynes @709-785-2944 or John Carroll @709-785-2944.

YARD SALE: Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish will be holding a Yard Sale on June 3, from 9:00 - 12:00 pm in the Church basement (366 Main Road, Benoit's Cove). We appreciate your support and generosity.

SUMMER JOB: Holy Redeemer Parish is looking for a youth 30 years of age & under for the months of June, July and August to work in the Parish Office. The office position involves typing etc. knowledge of computers and Simply Accounting would be an asset. Please send your resume to info.hrp@nl.rogers.com

BAPTISM PREPARATION: will take place on Wednesday, **May 24th at 7:00 pm** at the Cathedral. This is for parents and godparents. We offer an update on what it means to have a child baptized together with the understanding that there will be a well-founded hope that the child will be raised in the practice of the faith. We offer a walk through of the liturgy with an opportunity for question and discussion. Call Holy Redeemer Cathedral office at 634-5161 to register.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: The mission of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is "To live the Gospel message by serving Christ in the poor with Love, Respect, Justice and Joy." With this as our mandate, the Society continues to be very active in the Corner Brook area, serving the poor and disadvantaged in our community. In 2022, we visited 260 homes, providing emergency food to 362 adults and 136 children at a cost of \$13,237.25. As well, at Mary's Kitchen we served 1,050 adults and 109 children at a cost of \$6,402.02. At Christmas, we distributed 93 hampers at a cost of \$9,723.91. And from our warehouse we made 346 deliveries of furniture and picked up 384 furniture donations at a cost of \$4,750.80. None of this would have been possible without the ongoing financial and hands-on support of our parishioners and other benefactors. Thank you!

There will be a meeting on Wednesday, May 24th at 7:00 pm in the lower level of the Cathedral.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE: the executive will meet on Monday, May 15th and the regular meeting is on Thursday, May 18th. Both after morning mass in the lower level of the Cathedral.

ADVANCE NOTICE: May 20th/May 21st and May 27th/May 28th Father Lainey is the only priest available and will also be serving the hospital and Long-Term Care. Bishop Bart and Father Terry will be away. Provisional arrangements have been made.

ST. BRENDANS

There will be NO weekend mass celebration

ALL HALLOWS

May 21st - Mass at the regular time

May 28th - Liturgy of the Word

SACRED HEART

Liturgy of the Word

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

Liturgy of the Word

HOLY REDEEMER CATHEDRAL

No change - Weekend Masses with be celebrated at the regular time.

ADVANCE NOTICE:

Cemetery Masses:

Mt. Patricia Cemetery - Monday, July 24th at 7:00 pm

Townsite Cemetery - Tuesday, July 25th at 7:00 pm In the event of rain - the mass will be held at Holy Redeemer Cathedral

Mount Cecilia Cemetery (Sacred Heart Parish) - Monday, July 31st at 7:00 pm.

Old RC Cemetery - Benoit's Cove - August 1st at 7:00 pm

In the event of rain, the mass will be held at the respective churches.

HUMOUR:

A friend was in front of me coming out of church one day, and the preacher was standing at the door as he always is to shake hands. He grabbed my friend by the hand and pulled him aside. The Pastor said to him, "You need to join the Army of the Lord!" My friend replied, "I'm already in the Army of the Lord, Pastor." Pastor questioned, "How come I don't see you except Christmas and Easter?" He whispered back, "I'm in the secret service."

**SACRED HEART PARISH - CURLING
STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENSES
YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31 ,**

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	DEC 31, 2021	DEC 31, 2022	REF
INCOME			
DONATIONS	\$ 105,310.55	103,364.15	A - I
MASS STIPENDS & FEES	2,295.00	5,015.00	A - I
LADIES GROUP -BINGO & DONATIONS	4,759.00	6,215.75	A - I
PASTORAL SERVICE - BENOIT'S COVE	12,000.00	12,000.00	
FEDERAL WAGE SUBSIDIES	14,242.97	0.00	
RELIGIOUS LITERATURE	143.09	570.70	
VOTIVE CANDLES	596.00	1,211.15	
INTEREST INCOME	234.65	0.00	
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS RECEIVED	8,573.00	6,916.00	A - 2
SPECIAL COLLECTION PAID OR PAYABLE	-8,573.00	-6,916.00	A - 2
	<u>139,581.26</u>	<u>128,376.75</u>	
EXPENSES			
BANK CHARGES	287.92	180.66	
FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	4.59	0.00	
CHURCH SUPPLIES & EXPENSES	2,696.60	3,230.79	A - 3
DIOCESAN ASSESSMENTS	11,452.65	12,250.52	
ELECTRICITY (CHURCH & HOUSE)	6,057.09	4,604.91	
HEATING COST (OIL) - CHURCH	12,547.55	20,259.65	
VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION GIFTS	312.60	0.00	
OFFICE SUPPLIES	4,011.14	2,849.28	
PASTORAL SERVICES & NET MINISTRY	490.00	530.00	
PROPERTY INSURANCE	8,923.81	9,372.00	
PROPERTY TAXES	1,551.38	1,581.28	
REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE	98,652.26	81,308.70	A - 3
SALARIES , WAGES & EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	56,684.46	50,421.47	A - 3
TELEPHONE , INTERNET & CABLE	2,469.49	2,582.54	
CLERGY - LIVING & TRAVEL EXPENSES	5,504.41	5,764.49	A - 3
FURNISHINGS - CHURCH	666.03	0.00	
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