

CONTRIBUTIONS May 31st & June 1st
Offertory \$2892.75
Building Fund \$ 55.00
Development & Peace \$ 10.00
Pope's Pastoral Work \$ 370.00
Parish Dues \$ 50.00
Initial Offering \$ 4.00
Shepherds' Fund \$ 80.00
Good Friday \$ 15.00
New Years Day \$ 10.00
Total \$3486.75

E-TRANSFERS
If you wish to e-transfer your donations, please use the following email address: stephensparish@gmail.com. For tax receipt purposes, please include your envelope number (if applicable) or mailing address. Tax receipts are issued in the new year.

ESTATE PLANNING & MEMORIAM REQUEST
We encourage Parishioners in their Estate and Funeral Planning to consider donations to their Parish or the Shepherd's Fund Foundation in memory of a loved one. St. Stephen's In Memoriam cards are available at the back of the church, the Parish Office, or Russell's Funeral Home upon request.

FRAGRANT-FREE PLACE OF WORSHIP
Please note that our Parish is a fragrant-free place of worship as we have many parishioners who are asthmatic and/or have severe scent allergies. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS
Tuesday, June 10th at 7:00 pm
Int. John Dawson req. by Donor
Late Marian Mayo req. by Lucy Tourout
Wednesday, June 11th at 10:00 am
Funeral for Mary Bourgeois
Thursday, June 12th 9:30 am
Int. Doreen Gale req. by Donor
Int. Danny Blanchard req. by Joan White
Late Michael White & the Blanchard & White Families req. by Joan White
Friday, June 13th at 9:30 am
Late Jim Hogan req. by Donor

Deceased members of the Johnson Family req. by Johnson
DAILY READINGS, RESPONSORIAL PSALM & GOSPEL: June 8th to 14th
Sunday, June 8th
1st Reading: Acts 2.1-11
Responsorial Psalm: Ps 104.1ab+24ac, 29b-30, 31+38 (R.30)
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 12.3b-7, 12-13
Gospel: John 20.19-23
Monday, June 9th
1st Reading: Genesis 3.9-15, 20 OR Acts 1.12-14
Responsorial Psalm: Judith 13.18bc, 19-20ab (R.15.9d)
Gospel: John 19.25-27
Tuesday, June 10th
1st Reading: 2 Corinthians 1.18-22
Responsorial Psalm: Ps 119.129-130, 131-132, 133+135 (R.135a)
Gospel: Matthew 5.13-16
Wednesday, June 11th
1st Reading: Acts 11.21b-26;13.1-3
Responsorial Psalm: Ps 98.1, 2-3ab, 3c-4, 5-6 (R.2b)
Gospel: Matthew 10.7-13
Thursday, June 12th
1st Reading: 2 Corinthians 3.15—4.1, 3-6
Responsorial Psalm: Ps 85.8ab-9, 10-11, 12-13 (R. see 9b)
Gospel: Matthew 5.20-26
Friday, June 13th
1st Reading: 2 Corinthians 4.7-15
Responsorial Psalm: Ps 116.10-11, 15-16, 17-18 (R.17a)
Gospel: Matthew 5.27-32
Saturday, June 14th
1st Reading: 2 Corinthians 5.14-21
Responsorial Psalm: Ps 103.1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12 (R.8a)
Gospel: Matthew 5.33-37
STEWARDSHIP Stewardship Advocate
"The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you." (JOHN 14:26)

The materialism of our society lures us to concentrate more on what we want than on what God wants for us. The relativism of our world tells us that we should be tolerant of all things, that there is no absolute truth. Pray to the Holy Spirit to transform our lives and to guide our thoughts, words and actions. What Stewards put in their mind, heart, and soul affects actions. Put good things in and good things will come out.
HUMOUR Three golf clubs walk into a bar. The putter ordered a beer, the pitching wedge ordered a gin & tonic. The barman asked the third one if he wanted anything, He replied "No thanks, I'm the driver".
ANNOUNCEMENTS
Please join us for the Stations of the Cross in Our Lady of Mercy Heritage Church on June 9th, July 7th and August 11th at 6:30 pm. Please note that on June 9th the Jubilee Pilgrim Cross will be on site.
Our Lady of Mercy Heritage Church will present "The Way of the Cross" exhibit from June 15th to September 12th, 2025 by renowned artist Gerald Squires.
The Jubilee Pilgrim Cross will arrive in St, Stephen's Parish on June 11th and remain until June 22nd. On Wednesday, June 18th there will be a motorcade of six vehicles travelling throughout Stephenville and Kippens displaying the Jubilee Cross for our communities to enjoy. The motorcade will begin at St. Stephen's Parish at 6:30 pm.
Emergency Food Requests: Reminder that your donation of emergency food items are welcome and may be dropped off at the Church Entrance at any time. Thank you.
Religious Articles are available for purchase in the Parish Office.
Welcome to Celeste Monique Pinsent-Beanland who was Baptized on Sunday, June 1st.
Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to Wayne & Maureen Simon, celebrating on June 14th. Best Wishes from family & Friends.
*COMMUNITY CAFE MONTHLY SCHEDULE Thursday's 11:00 am-1:00 pm

1st Thursday Legion
2nd Thursday Lions Club
3rd Thursday Knights of Columbus
4th Thursday Pentecostal Church
5th Thursday NAWN (Lions Club)
PLEASE JOIN US ON SUNDAY, SUNDAY, JUNE 15th FOR FAMILY DAY. Family Day will start at the 10:30 am Mass with a slideshow, showcasing the events that took place last year at our Parish. After Mass, behind St. Stephen's Parish House, there will be games, hotdogs, cotton candy, popcorn, and more. (Compliments of St. Stephen's Parish and the Knights of Columbus.)
PLEASE JOIN US ON MONDAY, JUNE 16th FOR VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION EVENING. Volunteer Appreciation Evening will begin with Mass at 6:00 pm in St. Stephen's Parish and will continue at the Knights of Columbus. Music will be provided by Back Track. There will be dancing, munchies and a cash bar. (Volunteers, past and present, along with their spouses /significant other are welcome.)

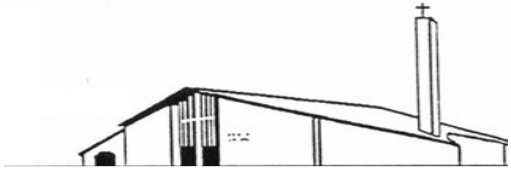


“It’s impossible to see the wind per se. What we see is the movement of things it blows, like trees or flags, and feel the movement of air on our skin. It’s equally impossible to see the movement of the Holy Spirit. But we can sense that movement by the effect on those through whom the Spirit is flowing. Interestingly, in Acts, Luke twice uses the word *glossa*, meaning “tongue,” to describe the movement of the Holy Spirit on that first Pentecost. He writes that “tongues as of fire” appeared on each of the Twelve (Acts 2:3). Then he writes that the Holy Spirit enabled them to proclaim God’s mighty acts in different tongues. All of Jerusalem sensed something special, for they realized that no matter their tongue, they could understand the apostles’ words. Here in this place, we can see the movement of the Holy Spirit no more than we can see the wind, but we can perceive it through the ways the Spirit acts upon us.

PASTORAL PATTERNS
SUMMER 2025April 27 to July



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June 8th, 2025

Pentecost Sunday

Bishop of Corner Brook & Labrador.....	Most Rev. Bart van Roijen
Pastor.....	Fr. Joseph Kizhakkekuruvithadathil CST
Associate Pastor.....	Fr. George Attuchalil CST
Parish Council Chair.....	Debbie Wilton
Finance Chair.....	Rosa Dollard
Administrative Assistant.....	Kim Ryan
St. Anne’s Guild President.....	Hilda Short
Religious Education Coordinator.....	Michelle Hawco
Liturgy Coordinator.....	Bernice Maddock
Responsible Ministry Coordinator.....	Theresa Dollimont
Knights of Columbus Grand Knight.....	Conrad Benoit
4th degree Assembly Faithful Navigator.....	Clyde Russell
District Master 4th degree.....	Bob Miller

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Evenings at 6:00 pm
Sunday Mornings at 10:30 am

REGULAR WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday and Wednesday at 7:00 pm
Thursday and Friday at 9:30 am

OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday:
8:30 am to 4:30 pm
Wednesday: 8:30 am to 12 noon
Friday: 8:30 am to 4:00 pm
*Closed daily from 12 noon to 1:00 pm

MARRIAGES

Six months required; One year recommended.

BAPTISM PRERARATION

Please call Parish office to register.

RECONCILIATION

1st Saturday of each month at 2:15 pm or the Priest is available 30 minutes before Masses is recommended.

MASS TIMES

**Maria Regina, Port au Port East:*
Saturday at 4:30 pm & Sunday at 9:00 am
**Our Lady of Fatima, Piccadilly:*
1st, 3rd, & 4th Sunday of each month at 10:30 am
**St. Vincent de Paul, Point au Mal:*
2nd Sunday of each month at 10:30 am
**St. Columcille, St. Fintans:*
1st & 4th Sunday of each month at 3:00 pm

ROSARY GROUP

Saturday at 11:00 am

ST. STEPHEN’S PRAYER GROUP

Tuesday at 1:30 pm in the downstairs meeting room.

WELCOME!

If you are new to the area, welcome to St. Stephen’s Parish. If you would like to register as a new parishioner please reach out to the main office.

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