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April 26, 2026 ~ Fourth Sunday of Easter



Horizons of Hope
Horizons of Hope is a four week series that combines good video input from experts, helpful print resources and guided small group discussion. The series helps us to explore some of the questions that people often ask about care of people at the end of life's journey:


- How do we make good decisions when faced with life-limiting illnesses?
- How can we accompany and support those who are sick and dying?
- How might we make choices for compassionate care at the end of life?
- How does our faith in Christ help us to understand the human experience of dying and death?

Horizons of Hope will be offered on Thursday nights in May (May 7, 14, 21, & 28 from 7-9 pm) at St. Teresa's Church. Registration is free, but required. To register, contact rafftcssr@gmail.com

St. Teresa's Parish - Served By The Redemptorists
Since Sunday, October 21, 1956

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Parish Office Hours Monday to Friday 9:00 - 4:00 pm *Our bulletin is available online.*

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 9:00am, 11:00am
Spanish Mass - 3rd Sunday of month @1:00pm

Weekday Masses

Monday & Wednesday: 7:00pm
Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:00am
(*Weekday holidays* - Mass moves to 9:00am)
Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions included in Wednesday Mass.
Adoration follows Friday Mass.

Reconciliation

Wednesday 6:30 - 7:00pm & Saturday 3:00 - 4:00pm or call the parish office for an individual appointment with a priest.

Marriages

A minimum of six months advance notice is required. A marriage preparation program is required to be married in the church.

Baptisms

Please contact the Parish Office to schedule the pre-baptism course and for more information. A copy of the child's birth certificate must be provided before the baptism.

Collection April 18/19, 2026

Regular Collection	\$5,973.00
Loose Collection	1,935.50
E-Transfers	95.00
Total of above	\$8,003.50
Redemptorist Parish Mission	\$2,897.00
Good Friday	\$75.00 (Total \$5,590.00)
Dev. and Peace	\$30.00 (Total \$3,041.50)
Easter Sunday	\$235.00 (Total \$12,968.00)
Initial Offering	\$15.00 (Total \$3,132.00)
Pope's Pastoral Works	\$100.00 (Total \$110.00)
Archbishop's Appeal	\$100.00
New Year's Day	\$5.00 (Total \$4,425.00)

Acknowledged with gratitude.

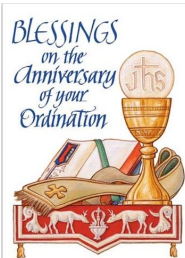


2026 Trout's Special - STMPC
Congratulations to our 7th winner of \$1,000 – Michael Hickey, Ticket #0867

There are 93 tickets remaining to be sold. Please help us reach our goal and buy your tickets today!

Don't miss out on your chance to win one (or more) of our remaining two weekly prizes of \$1,000 and the Grand Prize of \$10,000 plus five additional prizes of \$1,000 to be drawn on May 13, 2026. That is, 8 chances left to win on one ticket!

Tickets will be available after weekend masses and at the Parish Office until they are all sold. The St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation thanks you for your ongoing support!



40TH Anniversary of Ordination

Father Ray Earle will celebrate his 40th Anniversary of Priesthood at the 11 am Mass, on Sunday, May 3rd, 2026, at St. Teresa's Parish. St. Teresa's is Fr. Ray's home parish and where he was ordained. There

will be an open reception at Columbus Hall, St. Clare Ave., following the Mass. All are welcome to attend. The Mass will be livestreamed on St. Teresa's Parish YouTube Channel.

The Provincial Chapter Meeting is scheduled from April 27 - May 1. Fr. Ciro, Fr. Tony, Fr. David and Noel will be attending this meeting. **Due to this there will be no weekday masses celebrated in the parish that week.** The office will remain open for regular hours and all previously scheduled meetings will proceed as usual. There will be someone staying in the rectory during the week for reasons of safety and security. Please keep the Redemptorists in your prayers, as we gather together.

Donation information

Please do not send E-Transfers for St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation or St. Vincent de Paul to St. Teresa's Parish email. We are three separate entities with our own accounts.

To donate to the Parish:

Make your cheques payable to St. Teresa's Parish
[Email transfer to stteresasparish@rcsj.org](mailto:stteresasparish@rcsj.org)

To donate to St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation:

1. Make your cheques payable to St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation
2. Email transfer to: stteresascampaign@gmail.com

To donate to St. Vincent de Paul: You are now able to e-transfer your donation to us, SSVP St. Teresa's, by using the following email address: ssvpstteresasparish@gmail.com

St. Teresa's Mundy Pond Corporation AGM, Tues., May 5/26, 7:00 p.m. at the church

Our Annual General Meeting (AGM) will be held on Tuesday, May 5, at 7:00 p.m. at St. Teresa's Church. Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to seeing you at the AGM!



Catholic Charismatic Renewal ~

St. Teresa's ~ Prayer Meeting ~ every Saturday at 6:15 p.m. in the church following the 5:00 p.m. mass. For information contact Francis Adjei at 709-853-8738 or the parish office.

Msgr. Rawlins Assembly monthly meeting will be held April 26th at St. Teresa's Parish at 2 PM. Please make sure to bring any sold tickets for the early bird draw on May 5th. Hope to see everyone there.

Visit us on the web at www.stteresa.ca



Attention!!! New Date

Summer Social ~
Saturday, June 13,
12:00pm - 3:00pm
Our parish is excited to announce plans for a

Summer Social. This is a wonderful opportunity to bring our community together in faith, fellowship, and fun! To make this event a success, we are seeking enthusiastic individuals to form the organizing committee. If you have ideas, energy, or simply a desire to help, we invite you to be part of this joyful occasion. Committee members will assist with coordinating activities, and ensuring a memorable event for all. If you are interested in helping please call the parish office or speak with Fr. Ciro or Patrick Dobbin, Chair of St. Teresa's Parish Pastoral Council.

The St. John's Area Catholic African

Community will host a Mass on Sunday, April 26th at 2PM, at the Basilica. All are welcome. There is a choir preparing for the Mass and it practices at 6:30 each Friday evening. New singers are welcome. There will a reception after the Mass and a taste of various African dishes. To help. please call
Music: Kingsley at kingsleyaloziel@gmail.com
Food/Organization: Marie at marienassuna@gmail.com

A Word from Pope Leo XIV

Our faith is authentic when it embraces our whole life, when it becomes a criterion for our decisions, when it makes us women and men committed to doing what is right and who take risks out of love, even as Jesus did.... Jesus is the true measure of our faith; he is the gate through which we must pass in order to be saved. Angelus, Rome, August 24, 2025

Come "Awaken the Energy Within". with T'ai Chi Chih and Wisdom Healing Qigong.

These gentle Mindfulness practices offer more energy, wellness, peace, and joy. Tuesdays (TCC) and Thursdays (WHQ). A set of 8-week daytime and evening sessions from April 21st - June 11th at The Lantern, 35 Barnes Road, St. John's. All welcome! Easy to learn, easy to do, whether seated or standing. For more details, please contact Sheila at 709-727-7863
sheilaleonard67@gmail.com or visit her website at www.sheilaleonard.ca

May 3, 2026 - Fifth Sunday of Easter

First Reading - Acts 6.1-7
Second Reading - 1 Peter 2.4-9
Gospel - John 14.1-12

Mass Intentions April 27 - May 3

Monday 7:00pm No Mass
Tuesday 8:00am No Mass
Wednesday 7:00pm No Mass
Thursday 8:00am No Mass
Friday 8:00am No Mass
Saturday 5:00pm John Bidgood, Edward Moore
Rita and Donald Shivers
Francesca Pietro DeMarco
Sunday 9:00am The Parishioners
11:00am Regina Armstrong
Leo and Francis Halleran
Laura and William Aylward



Open Door

It is "Good Shepherd Sunday," and the gospel quotes Jesus: "I am the gate for the sheep." It seems the oddest of Jesus' "I am" identities,

until you realize that the shepherd himself was often the literal gate of the sheep's pen, as he would lay his own body across the entrance to keep the sheep secure and safe from any predators. Actually, the predators that worry Jesus the most are other shepherds — "strangers" who came before him, all of whom Jesus flatly denounces as "thieves and robbers."

Does that scare us today? Are we vulnerable to attacks, even from those supposedly in charge of our care? When Jesus opens the gate, we go in and out through him, through Jesus, to find pasture. We follow him because we recognize "his voice." In the synodal Church that Pope Francis called us to, and to which we continue to be called by Pope Leo XIV, every voice is welcome and needed so that the Holy Spirit will fill the whole Church with truth.

Here in Honduras, where I live, folks with little education can offer profound witness to the love of God. It comes from their own intimacy with Jesus, recognizing his voice in their daily life. They are often the poor victims of widespread corruption, like "a thief [who] comes only to steal and slaughter and destroy." Here in Honduras, we take refuge in Jesus, that we "might have life and have it more abundantly" (John 10:10).

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