



Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of St. John's

BULLETIN FOR August 06, 2017

VOCATIONS BULLETIN REFLECTION

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 06, 2017

“This is my Son, the Beloved: listen to Him.” Do you approach the Lord in prayer, confident that He will make known your vocation if you listen to Him?

If God may be inviting you to the priesthood or consecrated life, contact the Vocation Office at:

Fr. Ken Walsh (709) 781 – 1696, Fr. Jeff Kolonel (709) 745 – 8183,
Fr. Ray Earle (709) 488 – 2525 or email: vocations@rcsj.org

VOCATION GENERAL INTERCESSION

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For all those called to priesthood and consecrated life that they will have no fear in responding to Jesus as He calls them to trust in Him and His choice of them, we pray to the Lord.

CURRENT EVENTS

1. SUMMER AT THE BASILICA

TWO WAYS TO ENJOY A TREASURED LANDMARK!

FLEMING is back for a 4th Season! One man's quest to build a cathedral and unite a nation. The Basilica Heritage Foundation presents an unforgettable play and guided tour of the Basilica of St. John the Baptist. Journey back in time to the late 1840s with Bishop Michael Anthony Fleming, interpreted by award-winning St. John's actor and writer Paul Rowe, as he guides you in and around the construction site of the new cathedral.

Date: Tuesday – Friday = July 4 – September 2, 2017

Time: 12:00 Noon and Saturdays at 11:00am.

Tickets: \$12.00 – General, \$10.00 – Seniors/Students. (Free for children 12 and under)

Tickets available 30 minutes before show. Cash only Please.



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Weaving the Wind - A Celtic Harp Concert

The Basilica Museum Committee is pleased to present Weaving the Wind. In this hour-long concert, award-winning artist Ed Kavanagh plays beautiful Newfoundland, Irish and Scottish melodies on one of the worlds most ancient and enchanting instruments: the Celtic harp. The concert offers a lovely opportunity to also explore the Basilica Museum and Archives, recognized as one of the most valuable collections in the country.

Date: Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays = July 4 – August 17 2017

Time: 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Location: The Basilica Museum – Pastoral Centre
(Just west of the Basilica on Bonaventure Avenue)

Tickets: \$12.00 – General, \$10.00 – Seniors/Students

Cash only Please

2. JOB POSTING – THE PRESENTATION SISTERS

Are currently accepting applications for one **Domestic Support** role.

In this role, the successful candidate will have opportunity to work in Housekeeping, in Laundry, as Dining Room Attendant and as Kitchen Support.

Reporting to the Team Lead-Support Services, our team of employees work together to provide support to the Sisters in their home. Employee responsibilities are performed in keeping with the philosophy and belief that the Sisters and their families are the focus of all care and activities.

If you have related work experience, ability to work a flexible schedule and interest in being a member of our Team, we'd like to hear from you!

Interested candidates please email cover letter and resume to ltaylor@nf.aibn.com



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3. ST. PATRICK'S PARISH – 6 PATRICK STREET, ST. JOHN'S

- **Bridge & Luncheon** = Will be hosted at St. Pius X Parish Hall, 16 Smithville Crescent

Date: August 9th, 2017 at 12:00 p.m.

Tickets: \$17.00 per person and can be purchased by contacting the parish office at: (709) 754 – 1195 or Kevin Breen at (709) 351 – 7256 or (709) 753 – 2043

Please help support our parish!

COUNSELLING AND PASTORAL SERVICES

4. RUAH COUNSELLING CENTRE

Located at The Lantern – 35 Barnes Road, St. John's, NL

Fall Group Offerings:

- **Co-Parenting for Separated Parents**
Facilitator: Nicole Cooper, MSW, RSW
Dates: September 12 – October 17, 2017 (6 Weeks)
Tuesday = 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Fee: \$90.00
- **Effective Communication**
Facilitator: Robyn Hamlyn, MC, CCC
Dates: September 13 – November 1, 2017 (8 Weeks)
Wednesday = 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Fee: \$120.00
- **Stress Management**
Facilitator: Jeff Pardy, M.A., M.Ed. (Couns. Psych), CCC
Dates: September 14 – November 2, 2017 (8 Weeks)
Thursday = 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Fee: \$120.00



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- **Bereavement Information and Support Program for Loss of Partner/Spouse**
Facilitator: Robyn Hamlyn, MC, CCC
Dates: September 18 – November 20, 2017 (8 Weeks)
Monday = 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Please note there will be no session on Thanksgiving Day Holiday, October 9th
and Remembrance Day Holiday, November 13th
Fee: \$120.00

- **When You See RED For Women**
Facilitator: Kim Oldford-Walters, M.Ed. (Couns. Psych), CCC
Dates: September 20, 2017 – November 08, 2017 (8 Weeks)
Wednesday = 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm
Fee: \$150.00 (price includes course materials)

- **Parenting Children Course**
Facilitators: Susan Smart, M.Ed. (Couns. Psych), CCC
Dates: October 24 – December 5, 2017 (8 Weeks)
Monday = 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Please note there will be no session on Halloween Night, October 31st
Fee: \$100.00 (price includes course manual)

- **Special Topic Series for Single Moms (6 weeks)**
Facilitators: TBA
Dates: October 16 – November 27, 2017
Monday = 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Please note there will be no session on Remembrance Day Holiday, November
13th
Fee: No Fee

To register, visit: <http://rcsj.org/ruah-counselling-centre/group-registration>

For further details, visit <http://rcsj.org/ruah-counselling-centre> or call
(709) 579 – 0168 or email: ruah@rcsj.org

Individual, couple and family counselling available also



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5. 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

Registration for the fall senior's computer classes is ongoing over the summer. Please call (709) 579 –1500 for more information.

The Centre for Life wishes everyone a Safe and Happy Summer!

6. MOM 'N TOTS AND NFP SUPPORT GROUP

Please come and join other Catholic mothers, our children, and those interested in practicing NFP for fellowship and support!

We meet every Thursday in the St. John's area. For more information, please contact Eleri Moore at Nlrcmom@outlook.com

RELIGIOUS CELEBRATIONS AND EVENTS

7. MISSA CANTATA

Missa Cantata (sung Traditional Latin Mass) will be celebrated on the Feast of the Transfiguration. The congregation is invited to participate in the singing of the *Missa de Angelis*. This Mass is available on several YouTube™ sites.

Date: Sunday, August 06, 2017 at 5:15 p.m.

Location: St. Pius X Chapel, 16 Smithville Crescent

8. LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is having its Annual Rosary and talk at Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto, Flatrock. This event is scheduled for **Sunday, August 13th, 2017, 3:00 p.m.**



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9. ANNUAL FLATROCK PILGRIMAGE

We will be celebrating The 100th Anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima with a special walk with the statue of The Blessed Virgin, Devotion, Mass and Eucharistic Procession. The Flatrock Pilgrimage has always been a "Penitential Pilgrimage"

Please join us this year on **September 30th** as we hear Our Lady of Fatima's plea to pray for sinners and make reparation for the sins of the world.

For further information please call Suzanne at (709) 727 – 5809

10. COUPLES FOR CHRIST – CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM

"You are loved more than you will ever know". Do you want more? Join the Christian Life Program.

Date: October 13 –15, 2017.

Time: Friday, October 13, 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 14, 8:30 a.m.
Sunday, October 15, 8:30 a.m.

Location: St. Teresa's Parish, 120 Mundy Pond Road, St. John's

For more information, please contact: Arman (709) 325 – 2059

11. EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY

Diploma in Theology and Ministry at Queen's College

- Do you thirst to know more about your faith?
- Are you searching for help in your prayer life?
- Do you hear a call to deepen your faith and do you have what it takes to answer?
- Do you seek a sound theological foundation for the ministry you offer in the Church?

The Diploma in Theology and Ministry is a lay formation program offered by the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of St. John's and Queen's College.

For more information, talk to your parish priest or contact Anne Walsh at awalsh@rcsj.org



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12. CATECHETICAL SESSIONS FOR ADULTS – GROWING IN FAITH SERIES

Do you want to know more about your faith. Would you like to meet with other adults who seek to learn, explore and grow as disciples of Jesus Christ?

The Archdiocese of St. John's offers monthly sessions, usually on the third Saturday of the month.

All are welcome to the sessions, and people can avail of just one session, or a number of them, or all of them, if they wish.

To register call MaryLou Sweetapple at 726-3660, ext. 280, or
Email: mlsweetapple@rcsj.org

To cover expenses, a nominal fee of \$5 is suggested.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

13. YOUTH MINISTRY UPDATES

There are many opportunities in our Archdiocese for youth to get involved with the church, learn more about their faith and meet other young people. Youth groups, youth conferences, evenings of prayer, bible studies, catechesis, social events like movies, bowling, games, and opportunities to volunteer - just to name a few!

There are currently activities for youth from grade 6-12, and this year we will be adding some events specifically for youth in grades 4-6, as well as adults who are interested in getting involved with youth ministry.

If you would like to be added to our upcoming event mailing list, or if you would like to get involved, please contact Sara at sbroderick@rcsj.org