

# SAINT JOHN BREBEUF ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

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# ST.JOHN BREBEUF CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Masses on the Lord's Day:

Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 10:00am

# WEEKDAY MASS

Tuesday to Friday 9:15am

## CHILDREN'S CATECHISM

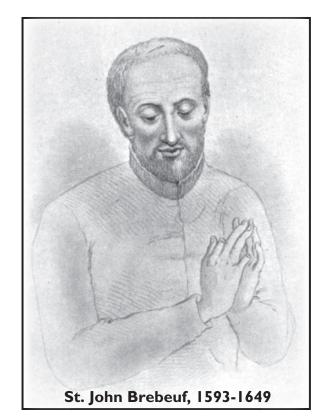
(Sundays, September to May) Grades I-8: Weekly II:05am

## **PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF**

Father Wayne Morrissey, Pastor	ext 213
Deacon Michael Thibert	
Claudia Moreta, Pastoral Assistant	ext 217
Debbie Dusanek, Administrative Coordinator	ext 210
Michael Tanasychuk, Finance	ext 211
Eddy Melo, Building Operations	ext 220

# Parish Office Hours Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4:00pm Closed for Lunch 12:00pm to 12:30pm

**Please note that office hours are subject to change** At this time we ask that all non-essential conversations with parish office staff be conducted by phone or email.



**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** By appointment only. Please contact the Parish Office.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** At home or in the hospital. Please call the Parish Office.

**Baptism of Infants:** We encourage parents to participate in the preparation process as early as possible. Please call the Parish Office.

**Initiation of Adults/ Children:** Please call Parish Office for more information.

#### Sacramental Preparation for School-aged

**Children:** Preparation for First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation is provided through our Parish Community. Information is available through the parish office, on line or in the bulletin.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Couples planning to get married at St. John Brebeuf must contact Father Wayne (ext 213) at least six months in advance. Marriage preparation and Church attendance is expected and required.

**Catholic Women's League:** Information will be shared through emails and calls.

Knights of Columbus Council 1107: Meetings will be held virtually at 7:30pm, 2nd Wednesday of each month until further notice.

Saturday,	<b>Vigil: 4th Sunday of Advent</b>
Dec. 18	5pm: +Evelyn Wach
Sunday,	<b>4th Sunday of Advent</b>
Dec. 19	10am: For the People
Monday,	Weekday Ferial
Dec. 20	No Mass
Tuesday	<b>Weekday Ferial</b>
Dec. 21	9:15am: +Mark Muer
Wed.,	<b>Weekday Ferial</b>
Dec. 22	9:15am: +Herman & +Nancy Dombroski
Thurs., Dec. 23	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 9:15am: +Mary & +Harry Lane 10:30am: Virtual Rosary
Friday, Dec. 24	<b>Vigil: The Nativity of the Lord</b> 5pm: +Bernard & +Ita Egan 9pm: +Marcel Desrosiers
Saturday,	Solemnity: The Nativity of the Lord
Dec. 25	10am: For the People
Sunday, Dec. 26	Feast: Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph 10am: +Roman Roth

#### Sharing Your Gifts:

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all who have donated to the parish as the pandemic continues. As the costs of running the parish continue during this challenging time, we ask that you consider sharing your gifts through one of our convenient **pre-authorized giving options**. Your offering will be deducted from your bank account or credit card once per month.

Forms and further information are available at **www.sjbcommunity.ca**.

The 2022 Offertory Envelope packets are now available for pick-up at the main church entrance. If you would prefer to pick them up during the week, please call the Parish Office to make arrangements. As we are switching to a new envelope company, and will be re-ordering envelope numbers, we ask that you recycle any you may have from previous years.

#### For those still wishing to donate in 2021:

We would appreciate receipt of all donations at the church no later than Wednesday, December 30 at noon if you would like them applied to your 2021 tax receipt. If you wish to make a donation by phone, or e-transfer, or arrange for a cheque drop-off, please call 204-488-4467 and leave a message at Ext. 211. *Please note that the office will close December 24 at noon and re-open January 3.* 

#### Attending In-Person Masses at St. John Brebeuf:

Reservations are not currently needed to attend Masses, with the exception of Christmas Masses (see below).

While in the church, Physical Distancing and the Use of Masks Is Required.

Please note that restrictions are subject to change and all updates will be posted at www.sjbcommunity.ca

#### A Reminder that all protocols are still in place!

**Do not come to Mass if you are feeling ill**, particularly if you are experiencing a cough, fever or respiratory symptoms.

Please sanitize your hands as you enter for Mass.

Please maintain **physical distancing of six feet** (2 meters) between people while in the building. **The Use of Masks is required in the church.** 

Please **leave your offering in the designated basket** at the main church aisle when you enter the worship space.

**Please limit seating to designated 'angel' pews**. Unless you have come as a family unit, individual distancing of six feet (2 meters) within pews is required.

Once you have selected seating, please remain in your seat, except for the receipt of Communion. Parents, please keep your children with you.

Please **exit as soon as Mass ends** without pausing inside to chat.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding as we navigate the changing rules and regulations in place for the safety and well-being of all.

#### Christmas Masses at St. John Brebeuf:

We are planning to resume in-person Christmas Masses:

# Friday, December 24: 5pm and 9pm Saturday, December 25: 10 am

Please note that:

**Reservations are required for all Christmas Masses** by contacting parishoffice@sjbcommunity.ca and 204-488-4467 during office hours. Please note that **there are no more seats available for the December 24 5pm Mass**.

Parishioners may book seats for those living in their household. We appreciate your understanding as we try to accommodate as many parishioners as possible.

Our currently allowable capacity is 200 attendees.

All Mass attendance protocols, as listed above, including the requirement to wear masks while in the building, apply. All restrictions are subject to change, and we cannot exceed capacity.

#### Let us Pray for our sick, homebound and those who need our prayers:

Therefore...pray for one another, so that you may be healed (James 5:15)

Marcel Belanger, Marie M., Stephanie Blair, Cathy Burke, John Derrick, Kathleen Foster, Irene Glass,

Janice Harvey, J.D., Sr. Cathy Laviolette, René Lachance, Marvin Lavitt, Robert Lee, Romulo Magsino, Elton Malacaman, Trisha Magnus, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Tiago Miranda,

Evie Tanner, Brenda T., Lourdes Troncillo-Scott, Henk Vis

If someone in your family is ill and requests the prayers of the parish community, please contact the Parish Office.

#### Faith Formation:

Online registration for children's faith formation programs at St. John Brebeuf will be accepted until the end of 2021.

**Children's Catechism:** Offered as a Take-Home program, with resources provided by the parish.

Parents are asked to pick up the resources in the church mailbox, and must pre-arrange the time/day with Claudia.

**Sacrament of 1st Reconciliation/1st Eucharist:** Celebrated in Grade 2. Parents prepare their children for these sacraments using resources provided by the parish.

**Sacrament of Confirmation:** Conferred in Gr. 8 for baptized children who are in full communion (receiving Eucharist) at St. John Brebeuf. A list of important dates is posted at www.sjbcommunity.ca.

For further information, please contact Claudia Moreta, Pastoral Assistant, at 204-488-4467 (Ext. 217) or email cmoreta@sjbcommunity.ca. Your call or email will be returned within two business days.



*Visiting us today*? **Welcome!** If you wish to join us, registration forms can be found on the main entrance bulletin boards or at www.sjbcommunity.ca. Please return completed form via offertory collection or forward to the Parish Office.

## From the Parish Office:

The Parish Office remains closed to the public. Parish staff is available to receive/return your calls and messages during regular business hours: Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4pm (closed 12-12:30pm for lunch). Office hours are subject to change.

#### Virtual Rosary:

Virtual Rosary is offered Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:30 am via Zoom: https://zoom.us/j/92189815713?



SUNDAY

MISSAL

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Once you have accessed the link, please enter the meeting ID, followed by the pass code, if required.

Meeting ID: 921 8981 5713 / Passcode: 91Rx7F

#### Sunday Missals:

The 2021-2022 Living with Christ Sunday Missals are now available for purchase through the Parish Office during weekday business hours for \$5 per copy. Please call 204-488-4467 to arrange for pick-up from the front church mailbox. Liturgical Publications 3171 LENWORTH DR. #12 MISSISSAUGA, ON L4X 2G6 1-800-268-2637



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