

Cluster Parishes of

St. John de Brebeuf

Cluster Office

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Mass: Sunday 11:00 a.m.

St. Anthony of Padua

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Masses: Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 8:30 a.m.

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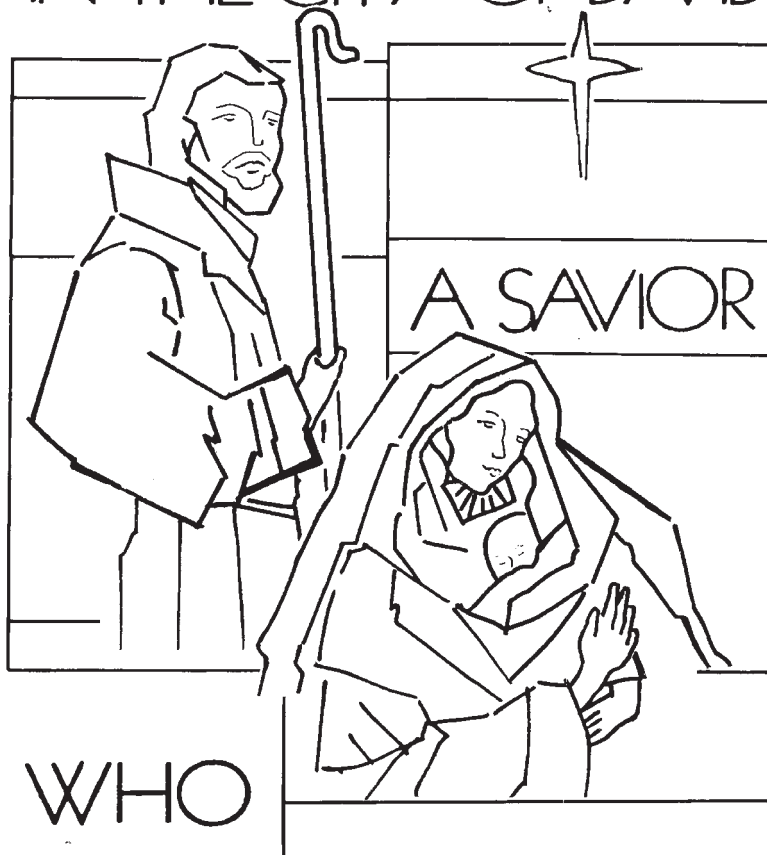
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Father Rick Janisse, Pastor

Permanent Deacons: Deacon Dennis Kosokowsky Deacon Anthony Rebkowec
Dianne O'Neill-Pastoral Minister Janet Barraco-Bookkeeper Nita Kosokowsky-Receptionist

BORN THIS DAY

IN THE CITY OF DAVID



A SAVIOR

WHO

IS CHRIST THE LORD

**4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT &
FEAST OF CHRISTMAS**



**DECEMBER 24-
DECEMBER 25, 2017**

**NO DAILY MASS INTENTIONS
December 26-December 29**

Tuesday 7pm St. Anthony	NO WEEKDAY OR EVENING MASSES THIS WEEK
Wednesday 7pm St. John	
Thursday 10am	
Friday 9:30am	
	<i>Masses subject to change due to funerals and meetings.</i>

“RETROUVAILLE” (SAVING MARRIAGES)

In marriage, communication is more than just talking. At some point, did you stop sharing about the things that were important to you? Did your spouse? Improving a marriage takes time and a conscious effort to learn about your spouse. This doesn't happen automatically. Retrouvaille is a marriage program dedicated to helping couples grow closer and develop a stronger bond. You give your heart and soul to everything you do, between your work and your family. Are you giving your heart and soul to your marriage? Sometimes the distance between a husband and wife can seem so wide that it can't be repaired. *Retrouvaille is a marriage program that has worked for thousands of couples and it can work for your marriage.* For more information about the upcoming weekend: **FEBRUARY 16-18, 2018**, contact registration team: Debbie or Darcy @ **1-800-705-6356** or visit our website: SaveOurMarriage.ca. *All calls are strictly confidential.*

CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS AND THANKS!

Dear Parishioners,

I take this opportunity to express my thanks, and that of the pastoral team, for your many expressions of kindness shown us over the Christmas season. Everything from your Christmas cards, personal and monetary gifts as well your verbal and spiritual offerings- all are greatly appreciated.

I also extend thanks and gratitude to all those who support our parish cluster by means of your financial donations and through your response to the many out reach programs of the parish (i.e. the Society of St .Vincent de Paul , the Christmas Giving Appeal, the numerous special collections for crisis's that come up throughout the year, support of our refugee families). Your generosity of service and your gifts are greatly noticed and appreciated . Thank you!

A special note of thanks to all our ministers of the altar and music. If you are a regular attender, a visitor or a few times a year visitor, remember you are one of us and you are always welcome in the Lord's house. Christ came for all and your presence in His house brings Him great joy. Come again, come often.

May Christ who came to bring peace on earth bring that peace into your hearts and homes and those of all your family members. You and all your loved ones, living and deceased will be remembered in our celebrations of the Eucharist throughout this Christmas season.

Christmas Blessings, now and in the New Year.

Father Rick Janisse, Deacon Dennis Kosokowsky, Deacon Anthony Rebkowec, Dianne O'Neill, and Staff



S.S.V.P. (KINGSVILLE) NOTICE OF FINAL BIN DONATIONS
The donation bins at St. John's parking lot will be removed on January 15, 2018 due to health and safety concerns. Please consider making any final donations at this location prior to that date. After that donations are being accepted at the drop-off store locations in Harrow or Leamington.

Home pick-up of large items can be scheduled by calling 519-253-7481, ext. 2.

**4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT &
FEAST OF CHRISTMAS**



**DECEMBER 24-
DECEMBER 25, 2017**



**FOURTH SUNDAY
OF ADVENT**

Let us pray: Come, Holy Spirit, fill our hearts with faith, remove the clouds from our eyes, and allow us to hear and answer God's call.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year
Our parish office will be closed for the Christmas holidays on **Tuesday, December 26 and Wednesday, December 27th**. We are also closed **Tuesday, January 2nd, 2018** for the New Year's holiday. Wishing you and yours a safe & blessed Christmas & New Year.

CHRISTMAS/NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE 2017-2018

ST. ANTHONY (CHRISTMAS)

Sunday, Dec. 24/17 5:00 pm only
Monday, Dec. 25/17 10:00 am

ST. JOHN (CHRISTMAS)

Sunday, Dec. 24/17 5:00 pm & 9:00 pm
Monday, Dec. 25/17 10:00 am

PLEASE NOTE: REGULAR MASS TIMES-SAT. DEC. 30-ST. ANTHONY'S-5:30PM, AND SUNDAY DEC. 31, 8:30AM. SUNDAY, DEC. 31-ST. JOHN'S 11AM.

NEW YEAR'S EVE & DAY-ST. ANTHONY

Sunday, Dec. 31/17 5:00 pm
Monday, Jan. 1/18 **NO MASS**

NEW YEAR'S EVE & DAY-ST. JOHN

Sunday, Dec. 31/17 5:00 pm
Monday, Jan. 1/18 10:00 am

HEADS UP! SMILE AND SAY CHEESE

We are planning on doing another **Parish Photo Directory** in the New Year. The last one was done in 2005, so we were thinking it would be a great way to start off the new year-13 years later!

The parish photo album helps us to get to know each other by name and helps to eliminate asking, "who's that that sits over to the left of us or beside us?"

Everyone is invited to participate: families with kids (or without) singles, couples, seniors.

IPC Canada Photo Services Inc. will be here to take the photos

at **St. John's Parish, January 29 - Feb.3/18** and

at **St. Anthony's Parish at the K of C Hall in Harrow, Feb 26-Mar.3/18.**

Everyone will receive a **free copy** of the parish photo directory and **one free 8X10** for participating.

The portraits make a wonderful Mother's or Father's Day gift and a family photo you have been meaning to have taken for years! Appointment times will be on a first come first served basis.

Help make this a historical record and a lasting beautiful keepsake.

Sign up following Mass : St. John's: January 14, 20 & 28, 2018.

St. Anthony's: January 13-14, January 20-21, Mar. 3-4, 2018.



**COMING TO OUR
CLUSTER PARISHES-2018
"ALPHA"**

What is Alpha? It's a series of interactive sessions exploring the basics of the Christian faith. It will be held at St. John's in the church hall and open to all parishioners. There's no pressure, no follow-up and no charge. More information to follow in the New Year. You can google it for more info.

FOR EVERYTHING THERE IS A SEASON
A time to die.....Lucille Berthiaume, Vince Garant

May they rest in peace



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DIOCESAN FAMILY

- 24. Rev. Albert Williams
- 25. All victims of abuse
- 26. Rev. Seejo John
- 27. Rev. Lawrence Mousseau
- 28. Rev. Sam Johnston
- 29. Ministers to the Deaf & Hard of Hearing
- 30. Rev. James Roche

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