

## 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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Pastor Res: 519-738-2556

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

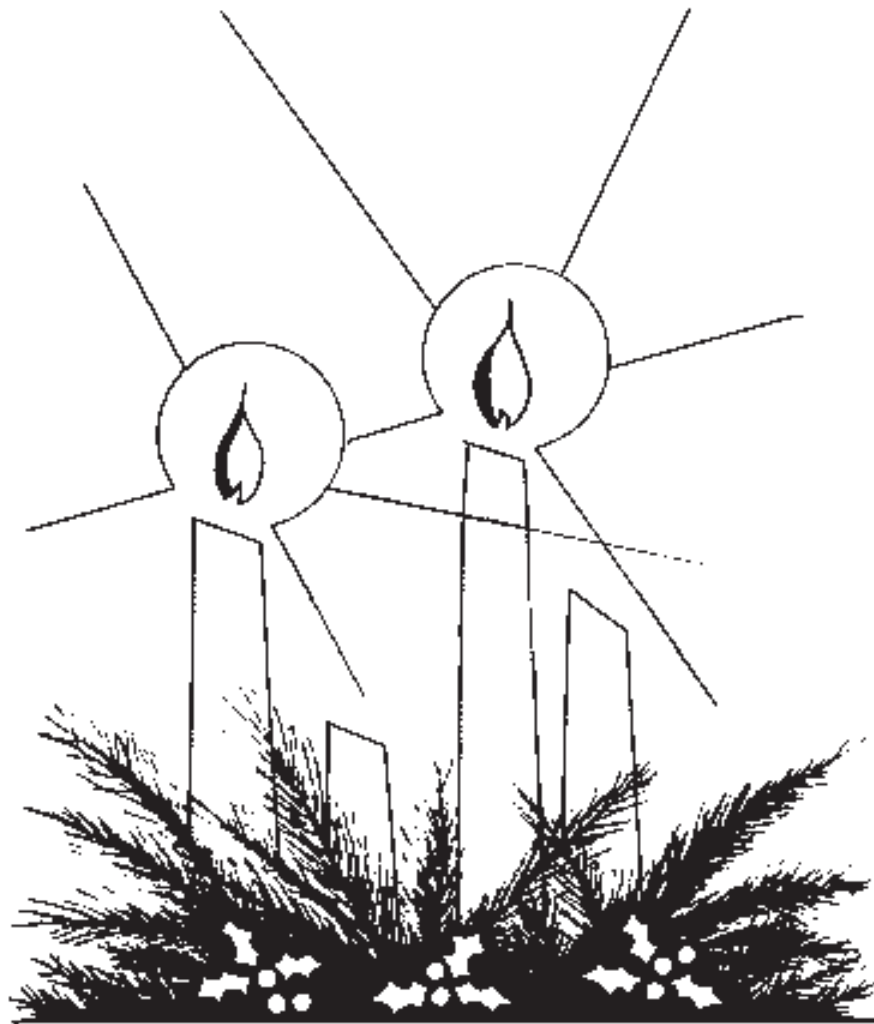
### Star of the Sea (Mission)

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Mass once a month weather permitting. Call office for time

e-mail: [johnanthony@dol.ca](mailto:johnanthony@dol.ca) [www.johnanthony.dol.ca](http://www.johnanthony.dol.ca)

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# Advent

## SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

DECEMBER 7, 2014


**DAILY MASS INTENTIONS**  
 December 9th-December 12th

Tuesday 7pm St. Anthony	Margaret Silva Antonio Rocha Pereira (4th Ann.) Lottie Gorski
Wednesday 7pm St. John's	Antonio Santos Robert McCall <b>**ADORATION**</b> Marilyn Rivest
Thursday 10am Royal Oak	Jerry Burger Cecil M. & Bernard R. Roy Mary Loughran <b>**SENIORS LUNCH**</b>
Friday 9:30am St. Anthony	Len Lovell (3rd Ann) Jose Pedro (B'day Rem) Ann Armstrong (ADVENT SCHOOL MASS)
*Weekday Mass times subject to change due to Funerals & Meetings*	

For everything there is a season.....  
 A time to die..... Maria D'Angelo  
*May she rest in peace*



**NEW 2015 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES  
 ARE READY FOR PICK UP THIS WEEKEND**  
*at the back of the Church at St. Anthony's and  
 in Church hall at St. John's. Please pick up ASAP.*

**PURE HEARTS**

*Those whose hearts are pure are the temples of  
 the Holy Spirit.*

—St. Lucy

**WORLD MISSION  
 SUNDAY COLLECTION**

To date:  
 St. Anthony's:  
 \$345.00  
 St. John's: \$467.00  
**Thanks for your  
 generosity.**



**Catholic  
 Women's League  
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**Is Hosting: SENIOR'S  
 CHRISTMAS LUNCH  
 THURSDAY, DEC. 11TH**



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 Full turkey dinner** with all  
 the trimmings plus an assort-  
 ment of *home made* pies!  
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**KNIGHTS  
 OF  
 COLUMBUS  
 Harrow 5350**

**Tuesday, Dec. 9-**Dinner  
 Mtg 6:30pm.  
**Sunday, Dec. 14-NEW  
 DATE for 3rd Sunday  
 Breakfast** (Dec. only) *visit  
 from Santa*, by donation.

**SACRAMENTS**

St. John de Brebeuf

*Ian Curtis Coulter*, son of Greg &  
 Michelle, Baptismal Ceremonies sup-  
 plied



*Alyssa Grace Curtis*, daughter of  
 Jason & Laurie, received the Sacraments of  
 Baptism, First Communion & Confirmation

*Welcome to our Catholic Family*

**BULLETIN DEADLINES**

*Deadline for Christmas submissions*

*December 10th.* After December 14th  
 the next bulletin is a 2 week bulletin-

*Dec. 21-28th.* Thanks for you cooperation.

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Our Advent Journey .....

**Does God Love the Others Too?  
 Catholic Teaching on Christian  
 and Other Religions**

**A Discussion with Murray Watson**

**THIS Wednesday, December 10, 2014 at 7:30**

In the Parish Hall of St. John de Brebeuf Parish  
*Refreshments will be served*

Born in St. John's, Newfoundland, and a resident of the  
 small town of Forest (near Sarnia), Murray Watson is a  
 Catholic theologian and Biblical scholar with a passion for  
 Christian unity and interreligious dialogue. After his theol-  
 ogy studies in London, his graduate studies took him to  
 Rome, Jerusalem and Dublin, where he received his Ph.D.  
 in Biblical studies in 2010 from Trinity College. He has  
 worked extensively in Jewish-Christian and Jewish-  
 Christian-Muslim relations, and currently represents the  
 Catholic bishops of Canada on our national Jewish-  
 Christian dialogue. Murray has written and spoken widely  
 on theological, Biblical and interfaith topics, and he cur-  
 rently spends a large part of each year teaching in Jerusa-  
 lem, where he works with the Sisters of Sion, a religious  
 order dedicated to promoting interreligious understanding  
 and respect.

**HELP WANTED FOR SSVF  
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For our 3rd year we are preparing tax returns for people with low  
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 March to help. Training is provided and can be done online. We  
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 neighbours.

If you are interested in helping call: **Catherine @519-980-3230**  
 or email: **Carol@carollabutte@gmail.com**



**Christmas & New Year's Masses (2014-2015)**

**St. Anthony's: Christmas Eve:** Wednesday, December 24th, 5:00pm & 9pm

**Christmas Day:** Thursday, December 25th, 10:00am

**New Year's Eve:** Wednesday, December 31st, 5:00pm

**St. John's: Christmas Eve:** Wednesday, December 24th, 5:00pm & 9pm

**Christmas Day:** Thursday, December 25th, 10:00am

**New Year's Day:** Thursday, January 1st, 10:00am

**Confessions: St. Anthony's:** Tuesday, December 16th after Mass, 7:30-9pm

**St. John's:** Wednesday, December 17th after Mass, 7:30-9pm

(no confessions before Mass today)

**FAMILY PRAYER FOR LIGHTING OF ADVENT WREATH**  
**Second Sunday of Advent**

Advent is a time of waiting for Christ to grow in our lives. Focus on Jesus' final coming as Lord and Judge. **The first and second purple candles are lit** to represent our steady movement through this season of waiting.

**Reflection:** Filled with God's Spirit, Jesus comes to help the good and judge the wicked. His kingdom will be one of peace and justice. God our Father helps us to follow the example of Jesus by loving other people.

**Let us ask our heavenly Father to bless us. Lord Jesus, our brother and our savior, fill us with your Spirit and overcome evil in our lives. Build a straight Road for you in our desert, so we may give glory with you to our heavenly Father. Amen.**



**Confirmation**

On **Wednesday, December 3, 2014** there was a **Registration and Information meeting.** If you

were unable to attend this meeting there is still time to register (till December 19), please contact our Pastoral Minister, Betty.

Registration packages were sent home and are available at the church or on our website: (www.johnanthony@dol.ca) Please include a copy of your child's baptismal certificate and completed forms along with the program fee of \$35. If you have any questions please contact Betty, our pastoral minister: 519-733-6591 or bhompoth@dol.ca

**Just a Reminder:**

Over the last number of weeks, a number of young families with children and /or babies in arm have not been able to find a seat in the CRY ROOM at St. John's. It seems as though many latecomers and elderly are taking up the seats that are reserved for these parents and their little ones.

There are plenty of seats available in the main body of the church and the ushers are happy to direct you to a seat. Please take their lead when they ask you to sit in the body of the church.

I am sure you can appreciate the fact that the little ones do not have a great attention span and this helps eliminate some of the noise. Thanks for your cooperation

*Fr. Rick*

**Cancelled Stamps:**

The Christmas Season is soon to be upon us and although the volume of "snail mail" has decreased there are still those who send Christmas cards and letters. Once again, we ask that you save your cancelled postage stamps which, when weighed, are purchased and the money earned is sent to the missions. Perhaps your 25-50 cards will not generate that many stamps but if everyone the nation over saved them, we could send a good cheque to the missions! What is garbage to one is gold to another!



**St. John de Brebeuf Christmas Appeal**

Please help us help those in need.

Your financial assistance provides dinner, clothing, gifts and toys for families in need. This year, we have provided labeled envelopes for your ease in donating either cash or cheque, enabling us to offer you a tax receipt for your donation. We thank you for your generosity. If you or someone you know could use assistance this Christmas, feel free to contact us confidentially at:

[stjchristmasgiving@gmail.com](mailto:stjchristmasgiving@gmail.com)

**DEADLINE TODAY: DECEMBER 7TH**  
**CHRISTMAS FLOWER FORM**

In memory of: *(Please Print)*

Name of Contributor \_\_\_\_\_ Env. # \_\_\_\_\_  
Please indicate your parish

*St. John's* \_\_\_\_\_ *St. Anthony's* \_\_\_\_\_ *The memorial names will be published in our Christmas Day Bulletin.*

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