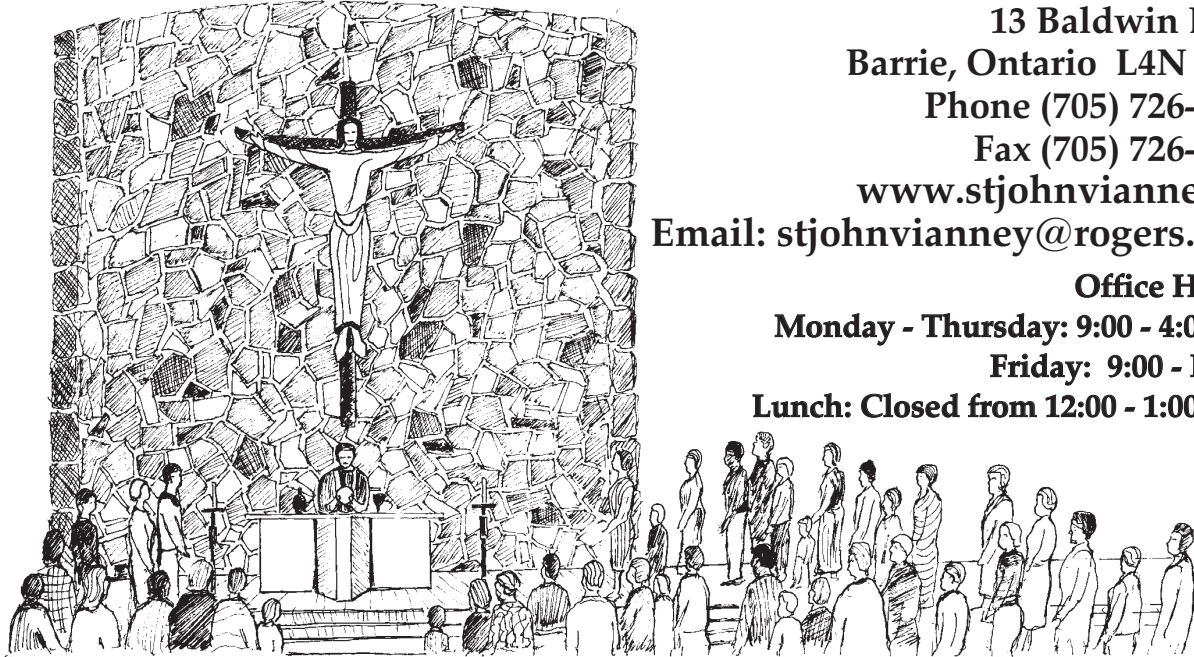


St. John Vianney Church



13 Baldwin Lane
Barrie, Ontario L4N 2W1
Phone (705) 726-8007
Fax (705) 726-4543
www.stjohnvianney.ca

Email: stjohnvianney@rogers.com

Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 - 4:00 pm

Friday: 9:00 - Noon

Lunch: Closed from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

As followers of Jesus Christ, and as full members of the Roman Catholic Church, we, the Parish Community of St. John Vianney, joyfully proclaim our Saviour risen. Through prayer and sacramental celebration of life in Jesus, we join as co-creators in his mission of justice and peace, through the power of the Holy Spirit for the glory of God.

Parish Priests:

Fr. Biju Kannampuzha, C.M.I., Pastor
Fr. Saji Thomas, C.M.I., Associate Pastor
Fr. Joshy George, In Residence

Celebration of the Eucharist

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday at 5:00 p.m. (Life Teen Mass)

Sunday at 8:00, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.

Weekday mass times

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday Adoration at 6:00 p.m., Mass at 7:00 p.m.

Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

Celebration of Reconciliation

Saturday from 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 11:00 - 11:30 a.m. or any time by appointment.

Parish Information

Baptismal Information - Press 7

Parish Outreach for Seniors - Press 103

Emergency due to death or serious illness - Press 6

Fr. Biju Kannampuzha, C.M.I., Pastor - 102
Fr. Saji Thomas, C.M.I., Associate Pastor - 108
Fr. Joshy George - 106
Karen Price, Parish Secretary - 101
Bernadette Brock, Youth Minister - 104
Marilyn Reesor, Music Director - 121



Saturday March 11 th	5:00 pm For the special intentions of Fila Galic Requested by: The Galic Family
	5:00 pm † Shauna Carty Requested by: Donna & Rick Madeley
Sunday March 12 th	9:30 am † Steve Perkić Requested by: Agnes
	9:30 am † Billy Steele Jr. Requested by: Fichera Family
	9:30 am For the special intentions of Marjorie Oliveira Requested by: Family
	9:30 am † Nandor Eschenbach Requested by: His wife
	9:30 am † Basil Mellon Requested by: Frank & Joan Family
Tuesday March 14 th	8:30 am † Regina Sim Requested by: Kyu & Soo Lim Family

Good To Be Here

The Transfiguration account invites us to reflect on what this can mean for us during this lent. This event on the Mountain was meant to strengthen the faith of those three disciples who were with the Lord. They were about to witness the events that would lead their Lord and Master along what would appear to be an ignominious path, up Golgotha's lonely hill, to be crucified, a fate reserved for common criminals. Their own faith would be shaken, tested and tried. The Lord wanted to encourage them - and He wants to encourage us.

However, this One who came from eternity and took upon Himself the limitations of time, was about to open the portal of eternity to all of us who are being re-created in Him. He would reveal to Peter, James and John the eternal NOW of His own glory.

Jesus was doing so much more than simply encouraging the disciples. He was showing them who He was - and who they would become in Him. He was revealing to them what had already

begun; and giving them a vision that would forever change the way they viewed themselves, their daily lives and their mission, after He would return to the Father.

As they lived their lives no longer for themselves but for Him they began to undergo their own trials and walked the way to their own transfiguration. This is meant to become the path for all of us who bear His name.

We entered through the waters of the womb of Holy Baptism into the life of the Church which is His Body. We are members of His Body now and through the Sacraments and our participation in the life of grace, he communicates His energy, His Divine Life to us.

We who bear the name Christian are in process, works in progress, being re-created and transfigured in Him as we cooperate with grace. He has brought heaven to earth and earth to heaven, through the Paschal mystery.

On this day we are invited to consider whether the truth which it reveals is being embraced and experienced in our own daily lives. The path up that mountain proceeds through prayer and encounter.

The Christian life is a meant to be a real participation in the Divine Nature, every day. We are being transfigured in Christ, even now, as actively we follow Him. The followers of Jesus, the Transfigured One - you and me - now walk in His Way and are being transformed into His likeness.

As we reflect on the Transfiguration of Jesus today, and in the days to come, let us enter more deeply into the mystery it reveals by living in the Transfiguration now. It truly is good for us to be here.

Let us draw encouragement and inspiration from the account of the Transfiguration of Jesus Christ and respond to the invitations of grace in our daily lives in order to grow more fully into the Image and likeness of Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord revealing His Transfigured glory to a world waiting to be born anew.

We are being called into an ongoing transformation in Jesus Christ, beginning right now

Lenten Reflection by Rev. Paul Acton



Lent is a season of reflection and preparation leading us to Good Friday and Easter. Please join us on **Friday April 7th at 7:00 pm** as we welcome our guest speaker, Fr. Paul Acton who

will lead a reflection followed by Confessions. **The evening will begin with a poverty meal at 5:00 pm followed by the Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m.**



Join us for **The Stations of the Cross** devotion on Friday evenings at 7:00 pm. during Lent. On **March 17th** stations will be led by the Lectors.

Simple Lenten Meals will be served in the hall before the Stations of the Cross from 5:00 – 7:00 pm. This week the Lenten meal will be provided by the Lectors. Join us for the sustenance of food and fellowship!

CANTOR WORKSHOP



CANTORS

Have you been blessed with the gift of singing? Please consider using this gift to present the Word of God to our church community in a way that can move the

hearts that hear it. The role of Cantor is a specialized ministry which engages and leads the assembly in the singing of the Responsorial Psalm, Gospel Acclamation and other refrains. St. John Vianney Church will be holding a **Cantor Workshop** led by our music director, Marilyn Reesor, on the evening of **Tuesday, March 21st from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.** in the Fr. Blackwell Room. This workshop is intended for all and will be equally beneficial to the novice and the experienced. Topics will begin with the fundamental aspects of canting, training and apprenticeship, and lead to in-depth discussion of role, spiritual devotion and canting technique. Those who are interested please sign-up at the welcome table or email Marilyn at sjvmusic@rogers.com

Supporting Your Parish Community?



Are you using donation envelopes to contribute to parish offertory? The tax receipt you receive each year will result in charitable income tax credits.

Unfortunately many individuals and families do not use this annual tax credit which could result in a larger tax return. Offertory envelopes or Pre-Authorized Giving forms can be picked up at the Welcome Table in the church hall after Mass. Thank you for your support!

YOUTH MINISTRY



Check out our website for more information on the following Youth events.

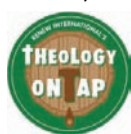
www.stjohnvianney.ca

Steubenville Toronto (grades 8-12)

July 28-30, 2017 Over 40,000 high school youth go to Steubenville Conferences every year. Learn more at www.steubenvilletoronto.com. Join us in Oshawa! St. John Vianney lifeteen will be attending. To get your ticket or to get details on our group attending visit www.stjohnvianney.ca. Initial sign up forms also available next to the Youth Bulletin Board.

St John Vianney Summer Day Camp (grades 1-8) July 10-14, 2017

EDGE Adventure Camp (grades 5-8) August 19-23, 2017



THEOLOGY ON TAP: Wed. March 29; 7:00 pm. Donaleigh's Irish Pub, 28 Dunlop St E. Retired Educator Pat Bullock will discuss "**Why do Good**

People Suffer?"—a relevant topic in these times as many ask where God is when bad things happen. Mr. Bullock has been a Faith Animator, Retreat Facilitator for students & staff and Chaplain with the SMCDSB and beyond. This event is open to anyone 19+. Contact Al MacLeod—esl2@rogers.com or Sarah Rodrigues srodrigues@archtoronto.org



Please pray for those who are sick:

Phyllis Visschedyk, Richard Benoit, Patricia Parent Johnston, Ian Baker, Chris Kryzaniak, Joanne Ransome, Anthony Sacco, Marjorie

Oliveira, Sherry Wyman, and Lillian Pottage.
And for those who have died recently:
William Daverveld

Knights of Columbus Council 10370
The #1 Organization for Catholic Men
For Info Call David Ross - Grand Knight
705-735-9719

Bayfield Dental
Dr. Annie Bolland, D.D.S.
I Speak French
331 Bayfield St. (above Baskin Robbins)
(705) 728-2601

A MAN'S ZONE BARBER SHOP
649 Yonge St. 705-733-1010
Big Bay Point & Yonge St.
Shoppers Drug Mart Plaza
"Barrie's Best Barber"

STECKLEY-GOODERHAM
funeral homes
30 Worsley Street | 201 Minet's Point
705-721-9921 | 705-721-1211
Traditional Burial & Cremation Services
Advance Planning with Alice Holmes

KoHyang House
Korean & Asian Cuisine
33 Bayfield St.
705-726-8989

WALLWIN
ELECTRIC SERVICES LTD.
Electrical Work?
Call Us - We Do It All!
50 Innisfil St. 705-726-1859

Bradford Greenhouses
GARDEN GALLERY
Barrie 705-725-9913 Bradford 905-775-2942

Mill Creek Care Centre
Volunteer Opportunities Available!
286 Hurst Drive 705-719-6222
www.millcreekcarecentre.ca

SAM'S CARPET & UPHOLSTERY
CLEANING SERVICES
705-737-9045
www.samscarpetcleaning.com

Enjoy Sunday Brunch in The
Riverview
11:00 am - 1:30 pm
705-435-5501
Highway 89, Alliston

ONTARIO HOME ESSENTIALS INC.
Heating & Cooling
Furnaces • Fireplaces • Gas Line
Tankless Hot Water Heaters
705-627-5875

Allandale Home Hardware Building Centre
WE'VE GOT YOUR LUMBER.®
200 Minet's Point Rd. 705 721 5111

Master MECHANIC
PROFESSIONAL AUTO SERVICE
320 Yonge St. 705-735-9992

WALL-ARMSTRONG & GREEN
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS & NOTARIES
Deborah L. Wall-Armstrong
Cesia E. Green
375B Yonge St., Barrie (705) 722-7272 www.wall-arm.ca

COFFEE CULTURE
CAFÉ & EATERY
Open 6 am every morning • Catering Available • 494 Big Bay Point Rd.

KEMPENFELT OVERHEAD DOORS
John Keates
705-737-7478

PHARMASAVE
21 Essa Road 705-728-2823
301 Blake Street 705-728-2429

ESSA VETERINARY SERVICES
62 Hooper Rd. 705-722-4866
Dr. June D'Souza
essavetservices.com
We Welcome New Clients

ChemDry®
Simcoe County
EXPERT CARPET & UPHOLSTERY CARE
Serving Simcoe County Since 1987
705-721-8866
Independently Owned & Operated By:
Kevin & Laurie Brown

Dr. Mingming Yan DENTAL CARE
FAMILY + COSMETIC DENTISTRY
Complimentary Braun Rechargeable
Toothbrush with Complete
New Patient Appointment
705-726-2352
Royal Court Medical Centre
1 Quarry Ridge, Ste. 308

VIN & BON BARRIE
411 Huronia Road
(Corner Big Bay Point and Huronia)
705-737-9463
Personalized Wine for all occasions
Starting at \$109 for 25 bottles
Great for Family Gatherings, Weddings,
Anniversaries, Birthdays, Dinners with Friends
Make AWARD Winning Wine for
less than 1/2 the price of the LCBO

White Cedar DENTAL CARE
family & cosmetic dentistry
New Patients, ask about ...
FREE Whitening for Life OR
Rechargeable Spinbrush OR
New Patient Consult with 2 Xrays
705.737.1151 • 610 Huronia at Mapleview • whitecedardental.com

CHARTWELL
BARRINGTON
retirement residence
450 Yonge St., Barrie
705-881-9883

BCC
Barrie Cremation Centre
Simple & Affordable
The Funeral Home
Alternative
barriecremationcentre.com
705-727-9080 24 hrs

resolution
PHYSIOTHERAPY & IMS CLINIC
Proudly offering only top qualified, experienced
physiotherapists who will get you better faster.
705.252.5200 resolutionclinic.com

C.W.L.
Welcomes New Members
Meets 3rd Mon. of the Month
Contact Sue Gibbons Shrubsole
705-915-0276

KAREN E. JOKINEN LL.B.
Certified Specialist in Criminal Law
35 Clapperton St.
barriecriminallaw.com (705) 720-1115

plumbtech
PLUMBING INC
(705) **722-7209**
• RESIDENTIAL • COMMERCIAL • INDUSTRIAL •

ADAMS
FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATION SERVICES LTD.
445 St. Vincent St., Barrie, Ontario L4M 6T5
(705) 728-4344

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CEMETERY
208 Sunnidale Rd., Barrie 705-726-3931
www.catholic-cemeteries.com
In keeping with your Catholic Faith

Bolland Associates
ACCOUNTING AND TAX SERVICES
Thomas Bolland, C.A.
680 Bayview St. Ste. 5 705-727-1934
www.bollandassociates.com

Lakeside Retirement
AT INNISFIL
Respite stays available
985 Innisfil Beach Rd. Innisfil, ON
Call today for a
Complimentary Lunch and Tour
705-431-8105

VILLANOVA COLLEGE
An Independent Catholic School
in the Augustinian Tradition
Grades 4 through 12
Contact Admissions
admissions@villanovacollege.org
905-833-1909
www.villanovacollege.org
2480 15th Sideroad - King City

Remember...
Let our advertisers know you saw their ad here.

BIRTHRIGHT
"It is the right of every pregnant woman to give birth and the right of every child to be born."
109 Bayfield St., Ste. 9 **705-737-3550**

THE PERFECT SPOT TO ADVERTISE
TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE
PLEASE CALL 1-800-268-2637

P. J. FAULKNER INSURANCE LTD.
AUTO • HOME • COMMERCIAL
Jim Faulkner
Registered Insurance Brokers
85 Ferris Lane **705-726-1741**

Bill Le Boeuf
JEWELLERS
EST. 1958
52 Dunlop St. W.
705-728-3343
BillLeBoeufJewellers.com