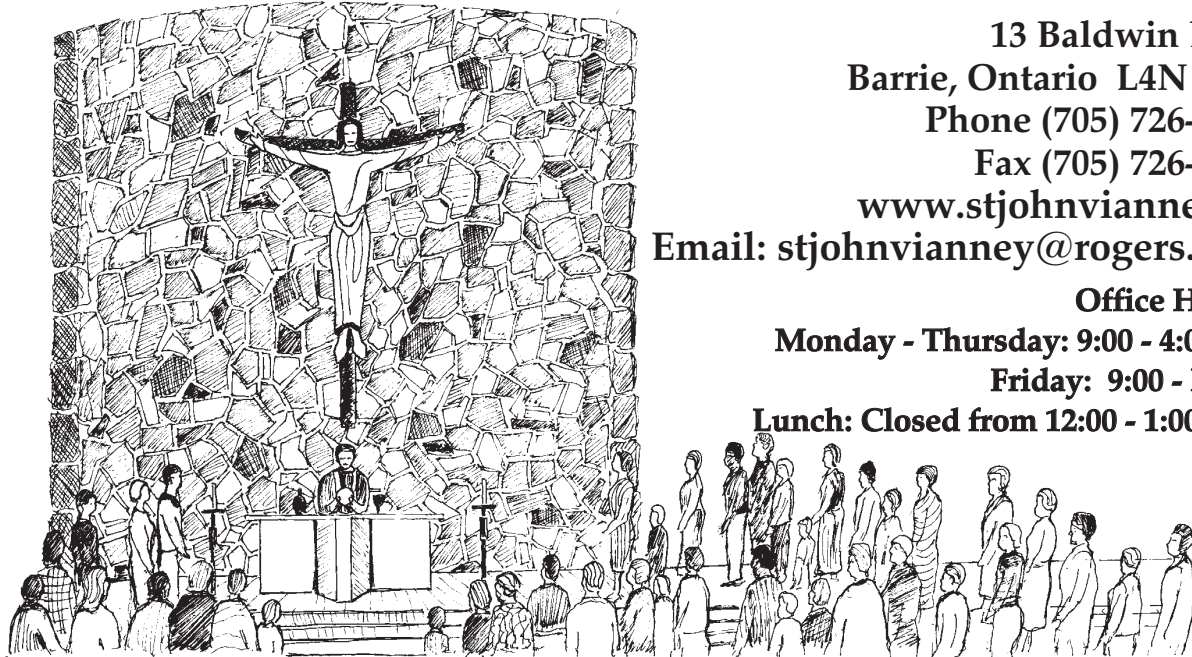


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As followers of Jesus Christ, and as full members of the Roman Catholic Church, we, the Parish Community of St. John Vianney, joyfully proclaim our Saviour risen. Through prayer and sacramental celebration of life in Jesus, we join as co-creators in 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. Jose Koluthara, C.M.I., Associate Pastor

Fr. Saji Thomas, C.M.I., Associate Pastor

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

Mass Times - Press 9

Baptismal Information - Press 7

St. Vincent de Paul - Press 8

Emergency due to death or serious illness - Press 6

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Karen Price, Parish Secretary - 101

Bernadette Brock, Youth Minister - 104

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Mass  for the
Intentions Week

Saturday May 14 th	5:00 † Marlene Hickling Requested by: Lynn & Tom Emmons
	5:00 pm † Ada McCabe Requested by : Jim & Phyl Taylor
Sunday May 15 th	8:00 am † Dennis Wright Requested by: Shelia Wright
	9:30 am † Arleen Mary Stephens Requested by: Rosary Aposolate
	11:30 am † Mary Catherine (Kate) Seager Requested by: Frank & Rosemary McCormick
Monday May 16 th	8:30 am † Marlene Hickling Requested by: Lynn & Tom Emmons
Tuesday May 17 th	8:30 am † Paula Kraly Requested by: The Family
Wednesday May 18 th	7:00 pm † Mary Finnigan and for the Special Intentions of Dolores Finnigan Requested by: Larry & Mary Jane White
Thursday May 19 th	8:30 am † Lanciro Del Mul Requested by: Family

“AMORIS LAETITIA” - Part V

(Continued from last week)

Chapter nine: “The spirituality of marriage and the family”

The ninth chapter is devoted to marital and family spirituality, which “is made up of thousands of small but real gestures”. The Pope clearly states that “those who have deep spiritual aspirations should not feel that the family detracts from their growth in the life of the Spirit, but rather see it as a path which the Lord is using to lead them to the heights of mystical union”. Everything, “moments of joy, relaxation, celebration, and even sexuality can be experienced as a sharing in the full life of the resurrection”.

He then speaks of prayer in the light of Easter, of the spirituality of exclusive and free love in the challenge and the yearning to grow old together, reflecting God’s fidelity. And finally the spirituality of care, consolation and incentive: the Pope teaches that “all family life is a ‘shepherding’ in mercy. Each of us, by our love and care, leaves a mark on the life of others”. It is a profound “spiritual experience to contemplate

our loved ones with the eyes of God and to see Christ in them”.

In the final paragraph the Pope affirms: “No family drops down from heaven perfectly formed; families need constantly to grow and mature in the ability to love. All of us are called to keep striving towards something greater than ourselves and our families, and every family must feel this constant impulse. Let us make this journey as families, let us keep walking together. May we never lose heart because of our limitations, or ever stop seeking that fullness of love and communion which God holds out before us”.

Conclusion

The Apostolic Exhortation concludes with a Prayer to the Holy Family. As can readily be understood from a quick review of its contents, the Apostolic Exhortation *Amoris laetitia* seeks emphatically to affirm not the “ideal family” but the very rich and complex reality of family life. Its pages provide an openhearted look, profoundly positive, which is nourished not with abstractions or ideal projections, but with pastoral attention to reality. The text is a close reading of family life, with spiritual insights and practical wisdom useful for every human couple or persons who want to build a family. Above all, it is patently the result of attention to what people have lived over



VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION

May 29th 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Please let us honor you, our many volunteers, who serve on our various Ministries to join us for a Volunteer Appreciation luncheon featuring all you can eat chicken wings courtesy of **South Barrie Wild Wing** situated on Maplevue East. Lunch will be served from 12:30 – 2:00 pm in the parish hall. Invitations will be distributed by your Ministry leader. If you wish to contribute a favorite salad or dessert for our luncheon, that would also be most welcome. Attendees are asked to please sign up at the Welcome Table on or before May 22nd or respond to your Ministry Leader. There will be music, children’s entertainment, plenty to eat and fun for the whole family! We hope to see you there!

Fr. Biju Kannampuzha, Pastor



Welcome to St. John Vianney church. If you are new to the parish or have not yet completed a registration form, please take one from the table in the church vestibule. Completed forms can be brought to the office or put in the collection basket.



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Theology on Tap North event is on Monday, May 25th @ 7 p.m.

WHO? Young Adults 19+....bring a friend!

TOPIC? Every Life Matters

WHAT? An evening of thought-provoking discussions and presentations in a comfortable and relaxed setting.

WHERE? Donaleighs Irish Public House – 28 Dunlop St. East, Barrie

Come out to hear **Deacon Pedro Guevara-Mann, Producer of Salt and Light Television**, as he speaks about the legalization of euthanasia & assisted suicide.

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50/50 DRAW



The Knights of Columbus #10370 and the C.W.L. are once again having a 50-50 draw. Tickets are \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00. Only 3750 tickets printed and should all be sold at 3-\$10.00, the winning ticket could be worth \$6250.00. Whatever the final tally, the winner will receive 50% of the funds from the tickets sold. The draw will be held in the church hall on June 26th 2016 at 11:00 a.m.



Please pray for our young parishioners who will be receiving the gift of the Holy Spirit at 3:00 pm on Sunday May 15th. May God richly bless them and their families as we journey together in faith.



Baptismal Preparation Kits (Registration Forms) are available at the Welcome Table in the Parish Hall or on the

table in the church vestibule. Baptisms take place the first Sunday of the month (unless otherwise indicated). Attendance at a baptism preparation class is mandatory before baptism takes place. Please fill in the applicable form(s) and submit them to the parish office. A meeting with the Pastor will then be scheduled prior to attending the preparation class.

CATHOLIC REGISTER

Anyone wishing to receive a free subscription to The Catholic Register, please sign your name to the list (pink signup sheets are available on the table in the vestibule when you enter the church). There are a limited number of subscriptions available. Sign up will be on a first come basis.



Come join us, to pray the rosary each Wednesday morning at 10:00 a.m. in the church

The C.W.L General meeting will be held Monday May 16th at 7:00 pm in the hall. We will be installing our 12 new members and recognizing 11 years of service awards.

XL=Exalt the Lord



St. John Vianney Youth Ministry invite all to an evening of food, fellowship, praise and worship to exalt the name of Jesus Christ. Please join us **Saturday May 28th after the 5pm Mass** as our youth and families prepare a potluck to share as we welcome Catholic Worship Artist and Speaker, J.P. Sunseri who will lead us into a time of worship before the Blessed Sacrament. No need to register, just come with a joyful heart.



Please pray for those who are sick in our community especially: **Ray Stone, Sherry Wyman, Herman Jacobs, Sylvia Burch, Mary Dickson, Gina Racco, Lillian Pottage, Baby**

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