

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The St. John the Apostle parish community, inspired by the Holy Spirit, strives to witness to the presence of Christ
(Parish established October 8, 1966)

Pastor: Rev. Lindsay Harrison
Deacons: Deacon Greg Vaughn
 Deacon Fred Jardine
Office Administrator: Debbie McSheffrey
Bookkeeping: Pearl Beausoleil
Maintenance: Steve Short

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday -Thursday, 9:00 - 12:00; 1:00 - 3:30

DEVOTIONS:

Rosary: Prayed before weekday Mass 8:30 am
Divine Mercy Chaplet: Following Tuesday morning Mass

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Baptismal preparation is required. Please call the Parish Office on 613-829-1760.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Preparation is required.
 Please call the Parish Office 613-829-1760 at least nine months in advance.

PASTORAL CARE: If you or a family member is sick at home or in hospital, please contact our Pastoral Care Team to have someone visit you and bring Communion. Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements for the Sacrament of the Sick.

FINANCE COUNCIL: Ray Kostuch (Chair) John Schembri
 Franca Morrison

Building Committee: Gino Brancatelli Paul Gillis Peter Garvey

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC):

Daniel Hogan (Chair) Divina Hogan (Sec.)
 Bill Roblin Rosemary Fikis
 Jeff Alquire

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday: 5:00 pm Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:30 am,
 Children's Liturgy generally at 10:30 am Mass (*Sept. to June*)

Weekday Liturgy

Eucharist: Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri at 9:00 am
 and 1st Saturday of month: 9:00 am

CONFESSIONS:

8:30 am Tuesday - Friday
 Saturdays 4:00 - 4:30 pm; and on request

ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE PARISH PARISH MINISTRIES AND GROUPS

BAPTISMAL INQUIRIES	Parish Office stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
BEREAVEMENT GROUP	Mary Ellen Henniger	613-224-0030
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE	Joan Doherty dohertybrian@rogers.com	613-828-9206
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Lynn Dal Farra dalfarra@rogers.com	613-721-8111
CHILDREN'S RELIGION PROGRAM	(for children attending a public or private school) Parish Office stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION	Parish Office stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
COUNTERS	Eileen Gallant eileen.gallant@sympatico.ca	613-828-0778
CURSILLO REPRESENTATIVE	Louise Hennessy lhennessy1976@gmail.com Patricia O'Regan patriciaoregan@yahoo.ca (Monthly Ultreya - first Saturday after 9:00 am mass)	613-820-4061
FUNERAL LITURGY TEAM	Parish Office stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS	Bob Williamson lilandbob@bell.net	613-829-1805
LEGION OF MARY	Angela Beimers redroseangela31@outlook.com	613-829-0320
LITURGY COMMITTEE	Divina Hogan SJALitCom@yahoo.ca	613-820-7852
MARRIAGE PREPARATION INQUIRIES	Parish Office stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Ming Leung Mingdee@gmail.com	613-721-3834
MUSIC MINISTRY	Parish Office stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC)	Daniel Hogan (Chair) daniel_hogan_sja@yahoo.ca	613-820-7852
PASTORAL CARE	Mary Ellen Henniger	613-224-0030
PRO-LIFE MINISTRY	Deborah La Riccia deborahlariccia@rogers.com Help Line for crisis pregnancy	613-820-3580 1-800-665-0570
READERS/COMMENTATORS	Laura Recoskie trecoskie@gmail.com	613-596-0905
RECEPTION (VOLUNTEERS)	Joan and Helene reception.sjap@gmail.com	613-829-1760
RESPONSIBLE MINISTRY	Theresa Verver theresa.verver@gmail.com	613-723-3157
SACRISTANS/ENVIRONMENT	Angela Beimers	613-829-0320
SOCIAL OUTREACH COMMITTEE	Call the parish office stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
USHERS	Gerry Fikis g.fikis@rogers.com	613-723-0728

FOOD BANKS	Morrison Gardens Food Bank Pinecrest Food Cupboard	613-596-6229 613-596-6703

AREA SCHOOLS		
Our Lady of Victory	613-828-5594	St. John XXIII 613-226-6223
St. John the Apostle	613-828-0644	St. Paul High School 613-820-9705

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

The people of St. John the Apostle Parish Community extend a warm welcome to our parish family! Kindly introduce yourself to the priest and register your family with our community. Please call the parish office if you have any questions. (Please complete the information below and place in the collection basket)

NAME: _____ TEL: _____ ADDRESS: _____ Postal Code: _____

PARISH INTEREST: _____ WOULD YOU LIKE TO USE SUNDAY COLLECTION ENVELOPES? Yes ___ No ___

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
April 8th & 9th Palm Sunday		
5:00 pm.	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Judy Mears #2 Dee Simons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teresa Wong • Bill Roblin
8:00 am.	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Mary Jean Thompson #2 Deborah La Riccia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jeff Hill • Angela Beimers • Joe Fortier
10:30 am.	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Chris Pereira #2 Harrison Peiris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catherine Leung • Dan Beausoleil • Adel Iskander • Denise Iskander • Ming Leung

*you are unable to serve as scheduled,
please ensure that you have found a replacement.*



FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Lent is about Easter, and Easter is about life after death. As we draw closer to Easter, the Sunday readings become more and more explicit about this. In a rather dry, matter-of-fact way, today's reading from St. Paul's letter to the Romans teaches that our 'mortal bodies' will be raised to life. But in a far more gripping way, the Lord shouts at us through the prophet Ezekiel, "O my people, I will open your graves ... I will put my spirit in you... I have promised, and I will do it." When Jesus saw the people weeping over the death of Lazarus, he was troubled in spirit and moved by the deepest emotions. Approaching the tomb, Jesus himself began to weep. He loved Lazarus. In fact, Jesus loved Lazarus so much that he snatched him out of his tomb, back to life. That's how God loves us.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS NEEDED

The parish is in need of volunteers to come forward and help with distributing Holy Communion at the 5 pm. Mass. Please notify the Parish Office. **(613) 829-1760**

Intentions of the Holy Father – April

That young people may respond generously to their vocations and seriously consider offering themselves to God in the priesthood or consecrated life.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tuesdays : Legion of Mary - 9:30am Small Assembly Room
Wednesdays: Euchre - 12.30 pm in Small Assembly Room
 Liturgy of the Word or Mass at Redwoods - 2:00 pm
 RCIA – 7 pm. Board Room
Fridays: Liturgy of the Word or Mass at West End Villa - 2:15 pm
Sundays: Children's Liturgy - at 10:30 am Mass
 Mass at Valley Stream Manor - 11:00 am
Mon. to Fri. After School Group - 3 – 6 pm. in SAR

Tues. Apr. 4	Bldg.&Grounds Com.	7 pm. Bd. Rm.
Wed. Apr. 5	Dioc.Pro -Life AGM	7 pm. Mn. Hall

Dates to Remember

Stations of the Cross – Fridays – 7 pm.

PARISH FOOD DRIVE – 40 CANS FOR LENT

The Knights of Columbus will be conducting their "40 Cans for Lent" food drive during Lent through until **Holy Saturday, April 15th**. Your support through food and monetary contributions will be very much appreciated. Please see the posters in the glass house and at the side entrance for further details.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – FISH FRY

Thank you to all parishioners, family, friends and Knights of other Councils for supporting our Fish Fry on Friday, March 24th. Net Proceeds of the event will be handed over to the Father Lindsay and the Church this coming weekend and in this regard, it will take the form of a cheque in the amount of \$1,500.00. Without your support, this would not have been possible. Again, thank you.

EVA OLSSON: HOLOCAUST SURVIVOR

Dr. Olsson was 19 years old when in 1944, her Jewish family was taken from their home in Hungary to Auschwitz-Birkenau camp. She managed to survive and travels Canada telling her story and speaking out against hatred and intolerance. She will be speaking at our church on **Monday, April 10 at 7:00pm** in the Main Hall. Cost is free. Not to be missed.



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS
IN LENT**

This prayer commemorates Our Lord's passion and death on the cross and will be held in the church on all Friday evenings during Lent, at 7 pm. Various ministries lead

each evening's prayer. All are welcome to attend. It is a great Lenten prayer to help appreciate the sacrifice that Jesus made for us.

MARYVALE ACADEMY OF OTTAWA

is holding a SCHOOL-DAY OPEN HOUSE, **8:30 am to 3 pm on Thurs. April 6, 2017. Mass at 2 pm.** Please call the principal to register for part or all of the day. [\(613\) 321-2186 Ext. 2](tel:6133212186) . School info: maryvaleacademy.ca | [facebook.com/MaryvaleAcademyOttawa](https://www.facebook.com/MaryvaleAcademyOttawa) . Come and discover the beauty of a Maryvale education!

LOST AND FOUND

If you have misplaced anything in the church, you may check our lost and found bins at the entrance of the church. Items in the lost and found will be given to St. Vincent de Paul by **April 10th 2017.**

Chrism Mass

The Chrism Mass will take place on April 11th at 7.30 pm. at Notre Dame Cathedral. A reception with Archbishop Prendergast and Bishop Riesbeck will follow after the Mass. All are welcome.

Wedding Anniversary Mass presided by Archbishop Prendergast will be held at Notre Dame Cathedral on Sun., May 14 at 2:30pm. For couples celebrating their 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 or more years of marriage. Deadline to register: May 3. Forms available on bulletin board.

CWL MILK BAG MATS

The CWL will be making Milk Bag Mats on **Sat. April 8th from 1 – 4** in the Small Assembly Hall. Please enter from the back of the Church. All are welcome.

Mass Intentions

Sat. Apr. 1st, 2017 9:00 am.

For the intentions of Jerome Mourits by Doreen Mourits

Sat. Apr. 1st, 2017 5:00 pm.

✠ Andrew Moffat by Dave/Lynn, Jeff, Bill, John & Teresa
✠ Marie Quinn by Connie Darwin

Sun. Apr. 2nd, 2017 8:00 am.

✠ Onesimus Bander by Maria Kalva
✠ Connell/O'Grady families by Elaine & Lawrence O'Grady
✠ Ron Harrison by Paul/Lenora, Lynn/Dave, Heather/Richard, Derek/Dorota and Teresa

Sun. Apr. 2nd, 2017 10:30 am.

For the intentions of our Parishioners

Sun. Apr. 2nd, 2017 – 11 am. Valley Stream

✠ Eileen Slobodian by her son & daughter

Tues. Apr. 4th, 2017 – 9:00 am.

✠ Casamiro Calizo by Wilhemina Calizo

Wed. Apr. 5th, 2017 – 9:00 am.

Thanksgiving Mass for the 20th Anniversary of Deacon Greg and Elaine

Fri., Apr. 7th, 2017 – 9:00 am.

✠ Marie Quinn by Irene Bonner

Sat. Apr. 8th, 2017 5:00 pm.

✠ Gene Lalonde by Marjorie & family
✠ Andrew Moffat by Lenora/Paul, Heather/Richard, Marie/Jodi, Ming/Catherine & Teresa
✠ Stuart Armstrong by Eileen O'Leary

Sun. Apr. 9th, 2017 8:00 am.

✠ Bert Randall by Betty Randall
Health of Bridget Kalva by Maria Kalva
For more vocations to the priesthood and religious life by Angela Beimers

Sun. Apr. 9th, 2017 10:30 am.

✠ Ron Harrison (uncle of Fr. Lindsay) by Alem/Genet/Noah, George/ Lenora, John & Teresa
✠ Deceased family members of the Kemp & Steeves family by Elizabeth & Hart Steeves

✠ indicates deceased

Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them, especially Joan MacDonald.

COLLECTIONS Mar. 26 th , 2017		
	2017	2016
Mar. 26/17	\$ 4,415.00	\$ 7,884.50 (Easter)
Bldg/Mrtg Fund	\$ 175.00	\$ 283.00
Down by \$3,577.50	\$ 4,590.00	\$ 8,167.50
March c/c	\$ 2,965.00	\$ 2,800.00
Bldg Mrtg. Fund	\$ 815.00	\$ 765.00
Up by \$215.00	\$ 3,780.00	\$ 3,565.00
Roof Repairs	\$ 3,042.00	
Dioc./Missionary Down by \$487.00	\$ 1,175.00	\$ 1,462.00



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