

# 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)

### 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

### 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) Deborah Kealey  
John Pedari 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 Alguire

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

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## ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE PARISH PARISH MINISTRIES AND GROUPS

BAPTISMAL INQUIRIES	Parish Office <a href="mailto:stjohnap@magma.ca">stjohnap@magma.ca</a>	613-829-1760
BEREAVEMENT GROUP	Mary Ellen Henniger	613-224-0030
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE	Joan Doherty <a href="mailto:dohertybrian@rogers.com">dohertybrian@rogers.com</a>	613-828-9206
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Lynn Dal Farra <a href="mailto:dallarra@rogers.com">dallarra@rogers.com</a>	613-721-8111
CHILDREN'S RELIGION PROGRAM	(for children attending a public or private school) Parish Office <a href="mailto:stjohnap@magma.ca">stjohnap@magma.ca</a>	613-829-1760
CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION	Parish Office <a href="mailto:stjohnap@magma.ca">stjohnap@magma.ca</a>	613-829-1760
COUNTERS	Eileen Gallant <a href="mailto:eileen.gallant@sympatico.ca">eileen.gallant@sympatico.ca</a>	613-828-0778
CURSILLO REPRESENTATIVE	Patricia O'Regan <a href="mailto:patriciaoregan@yahoo.ca">patriciaoregan@yahoo.ca</a> (Monthly Ultreya - first Saturday after 9:00 am mass)	613-820-4061
FUNERAL LITURGY TEAM	Parish Office <a href="mailto:stjohnap@magma.ca">stjohnap@magma.ca</a>	613-829-1760
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS	<a href="http://www.kofc-10470.org">www.kofc-10470.org</a> Bob McGaraughy <a href="mailto:rmcgar1635@bell.net">rmcgar1635@bell.net</a>	613-820-2666
LEGION OF MARY	Angela Beimers <a href="mailto:redroseangela31@outlook.com">redroseangela31@outlook.com</a>	613-829-0320
LITURGY COMMITTEE	Divina Hogan <a href="mailto:SJALiCom@yahoo.ca">SJALiCom@yahoo.ca</a>	613-820-7852
MARRIAGE PREPARATION INQUIRIES	Parish Office <a href="mailto:stjohnap@magma.ca">stjohnap@magma.ca</a>	613-829-1760
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Ming Leung <a href="mailto:Mingdee@gmail.com">Mingdee@gmail.com</a>	613-721-3834
MUSIC MINISTRY	Parish Office <a href="mailto:stjohnap@magma.ca">stjohnap@magma.ca</a>	613-829-1760
PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC)	Daniel Hogan (Chair) <a href="mailto:daniel_hogan_sja@yahoo.ca">daniel_hogan_sja@yahoo.ca</a>	613-824-7852
PASTORAL CARE	Mary Ellen Henniger	613-224-0030
PRO-LIFE MINISTRY	Deborah La Riccia <a href="mailto:deborahlariccia@rogers.com">deborahlariccia@rogers.com</a> Help Line for crisis pregnancy	613-820-3580 1-800-665-0570
READERS/COMMENTATORS	Laura Recoskie <a href="mailto:lrecoskie@gmail.com">lrecoskie@gmail.com</a>	613 596-0905
RECEPTION (VOLUNTEERS)	Joan and Helene <a href="mailto:reception.sjap@gmail.com">reception.sjap@gmail.com</a>	613-829-1760
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SOCIAL OUTREACH COMMITTEE	Call the parish office <a href="mailto:stjohnap@magma.ca">stjohnap@magma.ca</a>	613-829-1760
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## 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 EASTER

April 30 <sup>th</sup> and May 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2016 6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter		
	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
April 30 <sup>th</sup> – 6th Sunday of Easter		
5:00 pm.	#1. Yvonne Munro #2. John Dunphy	Bill Roblin Ian Moffat Marjorie Moore
May 1 <sup>st</sup> – 6th Sunday of Easter		
8:00 am.	#1. Ted Stephen #2. Jeff Hill	Judie Beazley Peter Garvey Eileen Garvey
10:30 am.	#1 Laura Recoskie #2 Gino Brancatelli	Fran Herman Joan Doherty Judy Mears Ray McCloskey John Schembri

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



### CONDOLENCES

Parishioners extend their heartfelt sympathy to the family members and friends of Mr. Larry Slatter. May God grant him eternal rest and welcome him into His kingdom.

### SJA LIVING ROSARY II

May is a month dedicated to Mary. Come celebrate the upcoming month of May by joining us in doing our Parish Living Rosary – **Sunday, May 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:45 am** in the church. Coffee Sunday Social to follow in the church hall. Please sign up at the entrances of the church. All are welcome to attend.



### HOMELANDS MASS

Our annual SJA Homelands Mass will take place on **Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at the 10:30 am** Mass. If you are interested and able to participate in our liturgy by proclaiming or reading in a different language, contact **Divina Hogan (613) 820-7852**. International potluck in the church hall after mass. Come out in your homeland costume and celebrate the people of God.

### K OF C – ROAST BEEF DINNER

The Knights of Columbus are holding their annual Hip of Beef dinner **on Saturday May 14**. Tickets are available at each entrance after all masses this weekend and through the Parish Office or by contacting Jamie Burnett **(613 - 224-8081, jamie.burnett@sympatico.ca)** Tickets are: **\$20 for adults, \$10 for children 16 and under, and \$50 for a family.**

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

***Tuesdays:*** Legion of Mary - 9:30am Mass in Small Assembly Room

***Wednesdays:*** Euchre - 12.30 pm in Small Assembly Room

***Liturgy of the Word or Mass at Redwoods - 2:00 pm***

***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***

Mon. Apr. 25	K of C Executive	7 pm. SAR
Tues. Apr. 26	New Evangelization Group	7pm. Bd. Rm.
Wed. Apr. 28	Social Outreach	7 pm. Bd. Rm
Wed. Apr. 28	Trivia Meeting	7pm Mn. Hall.



### HIKE for LIFE

The Hike for Life, sponsored by Action Life Ottawa, takes place **Saturday, April 30**, departing from St. Patrick's Basilica at 9:00

a.m. Registration starts at 8:00 a.m.

If you are unable to hike yourself, **please sponsor Father Lindsay, our designated Hiker**. Registration and sponsor forms are available in the glass house and at the side entrance of the Church. Help *Action Life* continue its educational work as our Catholic Pro-Life values are under attack

### PALLIATIVE CARE

The CWL calls all people of faith to join nationwide in 12 hours of Prayer for Palliative Care on May 4, 2016. All Parishioners, Family & Friends are invited to join in prayer on May 4<sup>th</sup> from 8 am. until 8 pm. at St. John the Apostle Church. There is a sign up sheet on the back table of the church. For more information, please contact Joan Doherty at **613 828-9206**. Thank you.

### Intentions of the Holy Father

*That Christians in Africa may give witness to love and faith in Jesus Christ amid political-religious conflicts*

**SUNDAY SMILE**

*Dating Ads for Seniors.....*

**“SERENITY NOW”**

I am into solitude, long walks, sunrises, the ocean, yoga and Meditation. If you are the silent type, let's get together, take our hearing aids out and enjoy quiet times!

**SJA 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Corner**

Could you or someone you know help us out? The 50th Anniversary Celebration Committee is hosting a **Trivia Night** in June to fundraise money for a new Baptismal Font. We are looking for individuals or businesses to help sponsor a category or to contribute a donation to our Silent Auction. More information about this upcoming event will follow soon. Contact Divina Hogan ([SJALitCom@yahoo.ca](mailto:SJALitCom@yahoo.ca)) for more details.

If you have any **photos** that you would like to submit for possible inclusion in the Video and/or the 50th Anniversary Photo Directory, please contact Pearl Beausoleil - [pearldan@magma.ca](mailto:pearldan@magma.ca) or **613-820-1117**. Thanks very much.

**Reminder - Memorabilia and Parish History** - If you have memorabilia or stories about our parish and its history that you would like to share with our parish community during our anniversary year, please send them to **Jeffrey Alguire** at [j3\\_c4\\_alguire5@rogers.com](mailto:j3_c4_alguire5@rogers.com) or call **613-825-7899**. Thank you!

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** Work is well underway in the development of our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Photo Directory. While a company will be taking the family photos, more volunteers are needed to help prepare and organize the sessions. So, if you have good people skills or organizational skills, and can give a few hours of your time, please contact Daniel Hogan [daniel\\_hogan\\_sja@yahoo.ca](mailto:daniel_hogan_sja@yahoo.ca) or fill out a sign-up sheet at the Church entrances. Your help will make our Photo Directory a wonderful success!

**Mass Intentions**

**Sun. Apr. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 5:00 pm.**

†Tony Scapillati by his family

†Corazon Vilorio by Annette & Barry Houle

**Sun. Apr. 24<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 am.**

For the intentions of our Parishioners

**Sun. Apr. 24<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 am.**

†Shirley Kennedy by Phil Kennedy & Family

†Susan Frances Gilhooly by St. Paul Community

†Alice Bergeron by daughter, sisters & brother

**Sat. Apr. 30<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 pm.**

†Frank Santagati by his loving family

†Rejeanne Gilchrist by the Perry family

†George Morris by Betty Morris

**Sun. May 1<sup>st</sup>, 8:00 am.**

†Vilma Chafoya by the Herrera Family

†Monique Kanjilal by Ted & Sadie Stephen

†Elio Mizzan by Roy Thomas

**Sun. May 1<sup>st</sup>, 10:30 am.**

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† indicates deceased

**CWL – MILK BAG MATS**

The CWL will be making Milk Bag Mats on **Sat., April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016** between **1 pm. and 4 pm.** Come join the fun. All are welcome.

**SPRING CLEAN UP**

We will be having a Spring cleanup of the church property, inside and out, on Saturday morning, **May 14<sup>th</sup>**, beginning at **9:00 am.** **High School Students who need volunteer hours are most welcome.**

*Thank you*

*A special thank you goes out to Cheryl Fortier for all of her time and years of service in providing music for various church functions and leading music at our 8:00 am mass. Good luck with your move to B.C. and wishing you many of God's blessings with your new endeavours!*

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