

# 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:

*Eucharistic Benediction:* 7:30-8:30 am Tuesday - Friday  
*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:** Deborah Kealey (Chair) Gino Brancatelli (Sec.)  
Ray Kostuch Marjorie Moore Paul Gillis

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC):

Daniel Hogan (Chair) Divina Hogan (Sec.)  
Dave Dal Farra Bill Roblin Rosemary Fikis  
Jeff Alguire Cindy Aldrich-Braddon Mary Ellen Henniger

Pastor: Rev. Thomas Riopelle  
Deacons: Deacon Greg Vaughn  
Deacon Fred ("RICK") Jardine  
Office Administrator: Christine Altherr  
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

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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 \_\_\_



**“Blessed are those  
who have not seen  
and have believed.”**  
*John 20:29b*

**BELIEVING**

**New birth, new life, good news! These themes run throughout today’s scripture readings. The first reading from the Acts of the Apostles describes the joyful early days of the newly born church, when members devoted themselves to instruction, the communal life, the breaking of bread, and the prayers. The passage from Peter’s first letter echoes that joy, and assures those who now believe though they never saw Jesus that their faith will lead to their salvation.**

**But amid all the joy, the Gospel reading calls us to sober reality. Not everyone can believe so easily. Even an apostle can doubt this astonishing news of the Resurrection. Across the centuries, Jesus reaches forward to touch us today: “Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.”**

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**Today’s Readings:**

Acts 2:42-47; Psalm 118:1 Peter 1:3-9; John 20:19-31

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- Tuesdays :** *Legion of Mary - after 9:00 am Mass in the Small Assembly Room*
- Wednesdays:** *Liturgy of the Word or Mass at Redwoods - 2:00 pm Euchre - 1:00 pm in the Small Assembly Room*
- Fridays:** *Liturgy of the Word or Mass at West End Villa - 2:00 pm*
- Saturdays:** *Communion & Liberation Group - Board Rm 5:00 pm*
- Sundays:** *Children’s Liturgy - at 10:30 am Mass  
Mass at Valley Stream Manor - 11:00 am*

Sun, Apr 27	First Communions	8:00 & 10:30 Masses	
	Baptisms	1:00 pm	Church
	Divine Mercy Chaplet	3:00 pm	Church
Mon, Apr 28	Children’s Religion	6:00 pm	Small Assembly Room
Tues, Apr 29	K of C Executive Meeting	7:00 pm	Small Assembly Room
Wed, Apr 30	Music Ministry Rehearsals (Divina’s group)	7:30 pm	Church
Fri, May 2	1 <sup>st</sup> Friday Mass	11:00 am	Valley Stream
	CWL Movie Night	5:30 pm	Hall
Sat, May 3	Cursillo	9:30 am	Small Assembly Room
Sun, May 4	All Masses: Building Mortgage Collection Knights of Columbus Spring Food Drive		



**Fr. Kipling Cooper will preside at Divine Mercy Holy Hour at 3:00 pm in the church today (Sunday, April 27).**

**International Workers’ Day – May 1**

International Workers’ Day is celebrated in many countries: a day to recognize the value of human work, defend the dignity of working people, encourage all to be responsible in their work and celebrate the role that human work has in God’s plan for creation.

ORDO – Liturgical Calendar 2013-2014



**Catholic  
Education Week**

**May 4<sup>th</sup> – May 9<sup>th</sup>**

This year’s Catholic Education Week them is:  
**Catholic Education: Serving in the Love of Christ.**

*Excerpt from  
Director of Catholic Education, Ontario Catholic School Trustees’ Association’s  
letter to Parishes dated March 21:*

The disciples asked Jesus to ‘increase our faith’. That is our goal in publicly-funded Catholic education in collaboration with the family and the parish. We know that keeping the theme of faith alive is a constant challenge in the world of 2014. But, we can be assured by the words of Jesus, “I am with you always, to the end of the age” (Matthew 28:20).

This year, Catholic Education Week takes place from Sunday, May 4 to Friday, May 9. This provides an opportunity for the inclusion of all the partners in the Catholic education triad – home, parish, school – to celebrate our publicly-funded Catholic schools. We are in need of the support and prayers of the entire Catholic community to counteract the increasingly strident demand that the funding of Catholic Schools be terminated.

**On Tuesday, May 6, 2014, there will be a Catholic Education Week Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral at 7:30 pm to celebrate our Catholic Education. All are welcome!**

This weekend, we welcome into our parish family through the saving waters of baptism:



**Isabel Edwards, Avery Smith,  
Claire MacDougall, Luca Manocchio and  
Piero Di Primio-Tzogas**

May God's graces and blessings be with them as they grow in wisdom. We congratulate their parents.



The CWL will be holding a **Spring Bake Sale** on the weekend of May 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup> after all Masses in the Glass House.

Bakers of the parish, any donations of baked goods will be appreciated. Just bring your goodies along to whatever Mass you will be attending.

**The Food Bank Needs Your Help!**

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a food drive on May 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> in support of our food bank. Please support this initiative by donating non-perishable food item(s). Knights will be on hand at all Masses to receive your donation. A cash offering is also appreciated. Suggested food items may include canned pasta sauce soup, vegetables, as well as dry pasta and cereals. Please help the Knights in supporting the less fortunate members of our parish.



**Extraordinary Ministers of Communion:**

Please check your emails for the new schedule for May and June. There are a few copies in the Sacristy for those who do not have a computer. Thank you!



**Now Showing:**

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**CWL MOVIE NIGHT - Friday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Doors open & pizza at 5:30 pm; Movie starts at 6:15 pm.

Entrance Fee: Voluntary Donation.

Snacks and Pizza can be pre-ordered at:

<http://tinyurl.com/SJA-Movie-Night>

Bring your pillows and blankets!

Parental Attendance is required

**Mass Intentions**

- Sat, Apr 26 – 5:00 pm
  - ✠ Norman Martin by Theresa Crate
  - ✠ George Morris by Betty Morris
  - In thanksgiving to St. Anthony by J.L. Roy
- Sun, Apr 27– 8:00 am
  - The intentions of all our Parishioners
- Sun, Apr 27– 10:30 am
  - ✠ Alice Kennedy by Phil & Shirley Kennedy
  - ✠ Reg Coghlan by the family
  - ✠ Margaret Dicesare by Lois Hoysted
- Tues, Apr 29– 9:00 am
  - Special Intentions by Dave and Lynne Ardley
- Thurs, May 1– 9:00 am
  - ✠ Mae Cini by the Carr family
- Sat, May 3 – 9:00 am
  - Life: Conception to Natural Death
- Sat, May 3 – 5:00 pm
  - ✠ Norm Martin by Frank McGuire and family
  - ✠ George Morris by Betty Morris
  - ✠ Tony Scappilati by his family
- Sun, May 4– 8:00 am
  - ✠ Antonia Dos Santos by his son, Carlos Santos
  - ✠ Ken Vaughn by Ted and Sadie Stephen
- Sun, May 4– 10:30 am
  - The intentions of all our Parishioners
  - ✠ indicates deceased

**Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them: Ann Albert, Carol-Ann Wade, Leslie Roche, Vanda Moynihan and all those who are suffering from long-term chronic disease or mental illness.**

**Prayers and sympathy for those who have died, remembering especially: Lloyd Leslie.**

**YOUTH SUMMIT:** Are you a young adult aged 18-35 who wants to deepen your faith and actively live it? The Archdiocese is organizing a group to attend The Youth Summit held in Quebec City **May 16 - 19**. Info: (<http://www.monteejeunesse.ca>); Ted Hurley ([thurley@archottawa.ca](mailto:thurley@archottawa.ca)); (613-738-5025 x231). April rate. discounted

The OWECC Clothes Closet is in need of spring and summer donations of good, clean, gently used women's and childrens' clothing. Donations may be dropped off at the Clothes Closet, 1061 Pinecrest Road (far east door) **Mon, Wed & Thurs between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.** Thank you!



**Knights of Columbus  
Hip of Beef Supper – May 24**

**COLLECTIONS**

	Reg. Collection	Valley Stream Manor	Redwoods		* Budget requirement	(Deficit) / Over	Building & Mortgage
<b>April 20<sup>th</sup></b>	\$7,233.50	+ \$471.00	+\$55.00	= \$7,759.50	- \$4,800.00	\$2,959.50	\$334.20
<b>Special Collection:</b> Holy Land (Good Friday)				\$3,343.77			
<b>Pre-Authorized Contributions (PAC)</b> Credit Cards in March				\$2,445.00			\$605.00

\* Total Weekly requirement **\$5,350** = \$4,800 Basket collections + Pre-Authorized Contributions weekly average of \$550 (\$2,400/4.36)

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