

# 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 <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	Bob Williamson <a href="mailto:lilandbob@bell.net">lilandbob@bell.net</a>	613-829-1805
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:SJALitCom@yahoo.ca">SJALitCom@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>	613-820-7852
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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SACRISTANS/ENVIRONMENT	Angela Beimers	613-829-0320
SOCIAL OUTREACH COMMITTEE	Call the parish office <a href="mailto:stjohnap@magma.ca">stjohnap@magma.ca</a>	613-829-1760
USHERS	Gerry Fikis <a href="mailto:g.fikis@rogers.com">g.fikis@rogers.com</a>	613-723-0728
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	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 IN ORDINARY TIME

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
<b>Feb 11<sup>th</sup> &amp; Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>		
<b>5:00 pm</b>	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Mary Ellen Agnel #2 Christopher Vernell	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bill Roblin</li> <li>• Elizabeth Steeves</li> <li>• Hart Steeves</li> </ul>
<b>8:00 am.</b>	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Michel Lavoie #2 Monica Mullane	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Evariste Theriault</li> <li>• Judie Beazley</li> <li>• Eileen Garvey</li> </ul>
<b>10:30 am.</b>	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Jasbir Singh #2 Brian Doherty	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Merv Sullivan</li> <li>• Jessica Sullivan</li> <li>• Dan Beausoleil</li> <li>• Harrison Pieris</li> <li>• Fatima Pieris</li> </ul>

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

### AN EVENING WITH TZEITEL

We are proud to announce an entertaining concert evening at our church with singer Tzeitel Abrego. Tzeitel has just completed her vocal studies in New York City and debut album. She will be performing a selection of classic and contemporary songs for your enjoyment. **Thursday, Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm** Mark your calendar! A freewill offering will be gratefully Check out her music at [www.tzeitelabrego.com](http://www.tzeitelabrego.com)

### WEEKEND RETREAT – OTTAWA

**CHRISTIAN MEDITATION** Focus on your spiritual journey in silence Mar. 31- Apr. 2 at Galilee, Arnprior. Joseph Clarkson helps explore the experience of the mercy of God. Info: (<http://www.wccm-canada.ca/>); (613 820-1267)

### 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Corner

#### Parish Photo Directory

For those participating photo families who haven't picked up a 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Photo Directory and/or family photo, please contact the Parish Office. Should any other parishioner wish to purchase a copy of the Photo Directory (**\$18.00** each), please contact Pearl Beausoleil (**613-762-1062**) <[finance.sjap@magma.ca](mailto:finance.sjap@magma.ca)> to see whether arrangements can be made.

## 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

<b>Tues. Feb. 7</b>	<b>Liturgy Committee</b>	<b>5 pm. Bd. Rm.</b>
<b>Wed. Feb. 8</b>	<b>10.30 Choir</b>	<b>7.30 pm Church</b>

## Dates to Remember

**Tzeitel Concert – Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm.**  
**Coffee Sunday – Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>**

### WORLD DAY OF THE SICK – Feb. 11

*The ministry of Jesus to the sick is central to the life of the Church. February 11 (Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes) highlights the healing ministry of the Church. It reminds us that service to the sick and suffering cannot be neglected. It recognizes the great efforts of doctors, nurses, health care institutions and pastoral care givers to restore health to those afflicted with illness and disease.*

*“On this Twenty-fifth World Day of the Sick, I once more offer my prayerful support and encouragement to physicians, nurses, volunteers and all those consecrated men and women committed to serving the sick and those in need. I also embrace the ecclesial and civil institutions working to this end, and the families who take loving care of their sick. I pray that all may be ever joyous signs of the presence of God's love and imitate the luminous testimony of so many friends of God, including Saint John of God and Saint Camillus de' Lellis, the patrons of hospitals and healthcare workers, and Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta, missionary of God's love.”*

#### **Pope Francis**

#### **Intentions of the Holy Father for February**

**Universal:** That prisoners, especially the young, may be able to rebuild lives of dignity.

**Evangelization:** That married people who are separated may find welcome and support in the Christian community.



## Sunday Smile

**A military base commander called to complain that the weather-forecasting software our company created for them kept reporting unexplainable wind shifts.**

**“Do you know where the sensor is located?” my coworker asked.  
“Of course,” he responded. “It’s where we park the helicopters.”**

## A DISCUSSION ON PALLIATIVE CARE IN CANADA

**Sat., February 18, 2017 9:00 am – 12:00 pm**  
Notre Dame Cathedral (Parish Hall) Guigues St.  
385 Sussex Dr. Ottawa

Guest Speakers:

Dr. Jose Pereira, Palliative Care Physician  
Professor, Division of Palliative Medicine,  
McMaster University and Department of Family  
Medicine, University of Ottawa  
Scientific Officer, Pallium Canada  
Michel G. MacDonald, PhD., STD  
Executive Director/Directeur executive  
Catholic Organization for Life and  
Family/Organisme catholique pour la vie et la  
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## A JOURNEY THROUGH THE HOLY LAND

Join Father John Likoza from the Companions of  
the Cross on A Journey Through the Holy Land,  
Israel In the Footsteps of Jesus & Mary Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>  
– Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2017

Pilgrimage: Total cost per person sharing rooms  
from Ottawa or Toronto \$3,875.00

## LOTTERY – ST. PATRICK’S HOME:

Tickets: \$100 each. Grand Prize Draw Mar. 15  
(Draw deadline – Mar. 10).

Info: [breannecase@stpats.ca](mailto:breannecase@stpats.ca) or  
613-731-4660 x353.

## Mass Intentions

**Sat. Feb. 4<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am.**  
For the protection of all human life

**Sat. Feb. 4<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 pm.**  
For the intentions of all of our Parishioners

**Sun., Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 am.**  
✠ Bert Randall by Betty Randall  
✠ Bob Stephen by the Family  
✠ Jesus Alvaro by The Alvaro family

**Sun. Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 am.**  
✠ Kathleen Coady by Theresa Verver  
✠ Don Brennan by Tillie Brennan  
✠ Bill Dineen by Gary & Marilyn Ogilvie

**Tues. Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017 9:00 am.**  
✠ Hervé Tremblay by The Counters  
Intentions of Bishop Riesbeck by Colette Riesbeck

**Wed. Feb. 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017 9:00 am.**  
✠ Leo Egan by Ted & Sadie Stephen

**Fri. Feb. 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017 9:00 am.**  
Intentions of Michael Meehan by Lillian & Bob  
✠ Eleanor Dineen by The Family

**Sat., Feb. 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017 5:00 pm.**  
✠ Carol Ann Wade by The Egan Family  
✠ Zadra Remigio by Mirella Titarelli  
✠ Terri Mahoney & Mary Granville by Ron & Gerri Mahoney

**Sun., Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 am.**  
For the intentions of our Parishioners

**Sun. Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 am.**  
✠ Jim Sullivan by his family  
✠ Jim Morrison by Ralph & Kathleen Watzenboeck  
✠ Shirley Kennedy by the Cauley Family

✠ indicates deceased

*Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them.  
Prayers and sympathy for those who have passed away especially  
Claude Lafrance.*

COLLECTIONS Jan. 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2017		
	2017	2016
<b>Jan. 29/17</b>	<b>\$ 4,513.40</b>	<b>\$ 5,534.70</b>
<b>Bldg/Mrtg Fund</b>	<b>\$ 145.00</b>	<b>\$ 201.00</b>
<b>Down by \$1,077.30</b>	<b>\$ 4,658.40</b>	<b>\$ 5,735.70</b>
<b>January c/c</b>		
<b>Regular</b>	<b>\$3,015.00</b>	<b>\$2,735.00</b>
<b>Bldg/Mrtg</b>	<b>\$ 815.00</b>	<b>\$ 735.00</b>
<b>Up by \$360.00</b>	<b>\$3,830.00</b>	<b>\$3,470.00</b>

## TRIP TO IRELAND AND SCOTLAND

Sept 10/22nd. There are 5 seats still available.  
Deadline March 7th.

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