

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 Alguire

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 EASTER

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
May 20th & 21st – 6th Sunday of Easter		
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
5:00 pm.	#1 Peter Stoop #2 Murray Butler	Teresa Wong Ian Moffat Bill Roblin
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
8:00 am.	#1 Deborah LaRiccia #2 Jeff Hill	Judie Beazley Eileen Garvey Evariste Theriault
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
10:30 am.	#1 Katelyn Henry #2 Judith Gray	Albert Routhier Jessica Sullivan Merv Sullivan Adel Iskander Denise Iskander

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

VOLUNTEER YOUTH GROUP LEADERS NEEDED

It is intended to have monthly youth group activities in our parish (for students in grades 5 to 8) starting in September. Young people and leaders alike will have fun while growing in our faith. Experience in working with young people is helpful, but not necessary; training will be provided. Enthusiasm is a must! If interested, please contact Jeffrey Alguire at **613-825-7899**. Thank you.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

This year marks the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary to three children in Fatima, Portugal. On Saturday, May 13, a crowning of Our Lady of Fatima will occur at the start of the 5:00 pm Mass during which a statue will be placed in the grotto near the confessional. A plenary indulgence may be obtained by visiting the statue that day to pray an “Our Father” and “Creed”; recite a prayer to Our Lady of Fatima; be detached from sin; go to Confession and take Communion within 20 days before or after the day the indulgence is sought; and say a prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father. In honour of the anniversary, prayer cards will be available at both entrances after each Mass this weekend. As well, children’s books will be distributed at the side entrance and during the 10:30 am Children’s Liturgy class. For more information on the 100th anniversary, please visit <https://www.ewtn.com/fatima/>.

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. May 16	Confirmation	7 pm. Church Mn. Hall
Tues. May 16	CWL Council	7 pm. SAR

A Prayer for Mothers

Mothers are extraordinary.
 They take true delight in our baby steps and share our anguish over our sorrows.
 They bolster our spirits when we’re down.

Mothers are unique.
 They love us in spite of our faults,
 encourage us in our distress,
 and forgive us our failings.

Mothers are irreplaceable.
 They share the load and our burdens,
 rejoice in our successes
 and support all our efforts.

O loving God,
 bless all mothers.
 Bless their forgiving hearts,
 their open arms,
 their welcoming smiles.
 Bless all mothers.

Amen.

Catholic Christian Outreach (CCO) is a university student movement dedicated to evangelization. Its mission is to help students develop a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, grow in Christian discipleship, and become leaders in faith. Members are active at both Carleton and Ottawa university campuses. If you would like to know more about CCO or how you can support their work please contact Trevor Anzai ([613-218-6081](tel:613-218-6081)) or email, trevor.anzai@cco.ca



SUNDAY SMILE

One day, a little girl is sitting and watching her mother do the dishes at the kitchen sink. She suddenly notices that her mother has several strands of white hair sticking out in contrast to her brunette hair. She looks at her mother and inquisitively asks, "Why are some of your hairs white, Mom?" Her mother replied "Well, every time that you do something wrong and make me cry or unhappy, one of my hairs turns white." The little girl thought about this revelation for a while and then asked, "Momma, how come all of grandma's hairs are white?"

NEEDED: ADULT ALTAR SERVERS

mainly for funerals. A team of three or four adult servers help at a funeral. You would not be assisting on your own. We are in desperate need. So far our appeal has gained us **no new servers**. If you are retired or available during the day (weekdays or only Saturdays), male or female, please consider helping. For more information contact the office: **613-829-1760**.

CWL

The CWL will be having a guest speaker, a Massage Therapist, at their meeting on Tuesday, **May 16th at 8:00 pm. in the Small Assembly Room.** All the ladies are welcome. Bring a friend.

Alpha course will run in September! Alpha is a Christianity course that helps develop relationship with Jesus and discover the meaning of life. Perhaps you and a relative or friend who may wish to attend. If you have an interest in learning more about this course, or in helping out in some way, you are welcome to attend the next planning meeting on **Thursday May 25th 7:00 pm.** in the church hall.

Mass Intentions

Sat. May 13th, 2017 – 5:00 pm.

✠ Maureen Keon by Joanne Parenteau
✠ Remigio Zadra by Carmela Pantalone
Students, teachers & staff of St. Paul's High School by Dorota

Sun. May 14th, 2017 – 8:00 pm.

✠ Bert Randall by Betty Randall
✠ Onesimus Bander by Maria Kalva
✠ Chris Durham by Ian, Adel, Denise, Ming & Divina

Sun. May 14th, 2017 – 10:30 am.

For the intentions of our Parishioners

Sun. May 14th 2017 – 11:00 am. (Valley Stream)

For the intentions of Vivian Blacklock by her daughter, Diana

Wed. May 17th, 2017 – 9:00 am.

✠ Ken McKenna by the family

Sat. May 20th, 2017 – 5:00 pm.

For the intentions of our Parishioners

Sun. May 21st, 2017 – 8:00 pm.

✠ Paddy Pearson by Bob Pearson
✠ Ron Kelly by Ted & Sadie Stephen
✠ Myriam Morel by Bernard & Bev Morel

Sun. May 21st, 2017 – 10:30 am.

✠ Emily Ugarenko by Len Ugarenko & Sheila Tooze
✠ Vanda Moynihan by her husband, James
✠ Chris Durham by Jeff, Daniel, Divina, Pearl & Bill

✠ indicates deceased

Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them especially Ron Perry, Bill Berdnikoff and James Bole.

COLLECTIONS May 7th, 2017


	2017	2016
May 7/2017 Reg.	\$ 5,076.55	\$ 4,700.65
Bldg/Mrtg Fund	\$ 1,867.30	\$ 1,907.55
Up by \$ 335.65	\$ 6,943.85	\$ 6,608.20
April c/c	\$ 3,075.00	\$ 3,065.00
Bldg. Mrtg. Fund	\$ 815.00	\$ 810.00
Total Up by \$15.00	\$ 3,890.00	\$ 3,875.00
Roof Repairs	\$ 4,518.20	
Holy Land	\$ 4,034.65	\$ 3,439.00

Parish Living Rosary will take place on Sunday, May 28th after the 10:30 am mass. Reception to follow.



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