

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE

2340 Baseline Road, Ottawa, Ontario K2C 0C9

Parish Office: 613-829-1760 / Fax: 613-829-2931

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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

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 dallarad@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	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	www.kofc-10470.org Bob McGaraughey rmcgar1635@rogers.com	613-820-2666
LEGION OF MARY	Angela Beimers legionangela@hotmail.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	613-824-7852
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 lrecoskie@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	613-596-6229
	Pinecrest Food Cupboard	613-596-6703

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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 ___

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sept. 27 - Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time		
	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
5:00 pm	#1 Peter Stoop #2 Christopher Vernell	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bill Roblin • Marjorie Moore • Anna Yu
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
8:00 am	#1 Deborah LaRicca #2 Jeff Hill	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deborah LaRicca • Joe Fortier • Jeff Hill
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
10:30am	#1 Michel Lavoie #2 Judy Mears	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harrison Pieris • Fatima Pieris • Ming Leung • Catherine Leung • Terry Durham

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

Gluten Free Hosts

In order to meet requirements stipulated by the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith in Rome, beginning on the weekend of September 26th and 27th, we will be changing from gluten-free hosts to low-gluten hosts (0.01% gluten) These have a greatly reduced gluten content from ordinary wheat bread. If one is affected by celiac disease it is best to consult with your physician before receiving a low-gluten host. If one should not consume low-gluten hosts, it is permissible for that person to receive Communion **under the species of wine alone**. Our faith teaches that Christ is completely present in either consecrated species (ie. the bread or the wine). If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the parish office.

Finance Council Meeting

*A meeting of the Finance Committee will take place on **Tuesday, September 22nd at 7 pm.** in the Board Room.."*

Parish Council Meeting

The first meeting of our Parish Council will take place on **Thursday, September 24th at 7 pm** in the Church.

Social Outreach

The Social Outreach Committee will be meeting at **7 pm. on Thursday September 17th and Thursday, October 15th** in the Board Room. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

Life Chain – October 4th 2 – 3 pm.

Our parish location will be at the corner of Merivale Rd .and Meadowlands.Dr.

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*

Tues. Sept. 22	Finance Council Meeting	7:00 pm	Board Rm.
Wed. Sept. 23	Property Management Meeting	7.00 pm	Board Rm.
Thurs. Sept. 24	Parish Council Meeting	7:00 pm	Church.
Sat. Sept. 26	St. Vincent de Paul Conference	9.30 am.	Main Hall
	K of C Awards Night Dance	6.00 pm.	Main Hall

Dates for your Calendar:

Parish Food Drive

Sept. 26th, 27th at all Masses

St. Vincent de Paul Conference

Sat. Sept. 26th in the Parish Hall

Details to follow at a later date

Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SSVP)

Information Session The St. Vincent De Paul Society is a lay catholic organization with over a million members in 149 countries which has as its mission to: 'Live the message of the gospel in serving Christ through the poor with love, respect, justice and joy'. If you are interested in becoming a member of the area St. Vincent de Paul Conference please attend an information session to be held September 26 at 10 am in the parish hall of St. John the Apostle Church 2340 Baseline Road . If you want more information please contact Bryan De Pape at **613-739-4347** or depapebryan@gmail.com or Pierre Hubert **834-9778** or pierrehubert@rogers.com.

40 Days for Life

The 40 Days for Life Campaign runs from Sept. 23rd to November 1st. **Wednesday, October 21st** is our **Vigil Day**.

Pastoral Care Volunteers Needed: Our Pastoral Care team ministers to the sick and shut-ins, bringing them Holy Communion and a friendly visit. They are in need of more volunteers. For more information on how you can become a member contact Mary Ellen Henniger (**613-224-0030**).

Sunday Morning Smile:

There were two guys working for the city. One would dig a hole, he would dig, dig, dig, the other would come behind him and fill the hole, fill, fill, fill. These two men worked furiously. One digging a hole, the other filling it up again.

A man was watching from the sidewalk and couldn't believe how hard these men were working, but couldn't understand what they were doing. Finally he had to ask them.

He said to the hole digger, "I appreciate how hard you work, but what are you doing? You dig a hole and your partner comes behind you and fills it up again!"

The hole digger replied, "Oh yeah, must look funny, but the guy who plants the trees is sick today."



Our Parish Knights of Columbus Council will be celebrating its **25th Anniversary on Sept. 26th** with a Roast Beef Dinner/Dance. Parishioners and friends are

welcome to join in the festivities. Tickets are limited, priced at **\$25.00** each and they are available from the Parish Office and Knights. More details available from Knights.

OKTOBERFEST * FRIDAY SEPT. 25 - 6 PM

DOORS OPEN – OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION NEW THIS YEAR! DINE IN OR TAKE OUT! Enjoy delicious German food – Choose Bratwurst Sausages or Wiener Schnitzel and take it home or dine in with a licensed bar. Cost is \$15 per person, 6 to 10 years \$7.00, 5 & under free. Tickets **613-822-2007**

Parish Based Seniors Ministry

Seniors and friends of seniors in parishes are invited on **Wed., Sept. 23, 7 pm.** to meet at the Diocesan Centre, 1247 Kilborn Place, to learn and ask about creating a parish ministry run by seniors for seniors. This initiative is meant to encourage seniors in the parishes to build a community of friendship, mutual help and deepening faith with people they know, often people who are also neighbours. We will welcome as speakers, seniors from Holy Cross parish, who have created their own successful seniors club. Info. (pmarsdendole@archottawa.ca)

Mass Intentions

Tues. Sept. 22, - 9:00 am

† Ishman Jack by Ted & Sadie Stephen

Thurs. Sept. 24 – 9:00 am

† Marty Mears by Art & Lola Burnett

Fri. Sept. 25 – 9:00 am

For the health of Brian Arden by Irene Bonner

Sat. Sept 26 – 5:00 pm

† Peter Slogar by Maria Slogar

† Marie Smith by Olive Mirchandani

† Ken McKenna by Ron & Joan Perry

Sun. Sept 27 – 8:00 am

The intentions of all our Parishioners

† indicates deceased

Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them. Prayers and sympathy for those who have passed away, especially Ishman Jack.

Collections Sunday, September 13, 2015

	2015	2014
Regular	\$3,938.00	\$ 4,418.90
Bldg/Mrtg	\$ 617.00	\$ 586.10
Total	\$4,555.00	\$ 5,005.00
Down	\$450.00	

Archbishop's Annual Charity Dinner

The Archbishop's Annual Charity Dinner is scheduled for **Wednesday, October 21, 2015** with reception at **6 pm. and dinner at 7 pm.** As the Charity Dinner grows each year, we are privileged to select six organizations as beneficiaries this year: Chez Mere Bruyere, St. Joe's Supper Table, Hawkesbury Central Food Bank, The Catholic Centre for Immigrants, Kateri Native Ministry of Ottawa and Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. Tickets \$130.00 with a \$60.00 Income Tax Receipt for individual purchases and \$1,170 for a table of nine. Please notify the parish office for tickets.

Intentions of the Holy Father for September

That opportunities for education and employment may increase for all young people. That catechists may give witness by living in a way consistent with the faith they proclaim.

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