

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: Deborah Kealey (Chair) Gino Brancatelli (Sec.)
Ray Kostuch Marjorie Moore Paul Gillis

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC):

Daniel Hogan (Chair) Divina Hogan (Sec.)
Bill Roblin Rosemary Fikis
Jeff Alguire

Administrator: Rev. William Penney

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

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	Caroline Heffernan caroline.heffernan@icloud.com	613-820-7568
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Lynn Dal Farra dallarra@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 McGaraughy 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	Joan Doherty dohertybrian@rogers.com	613-828-9206
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	1-800-665-0570
READERS/COMMENTATORS	Judy Mears mj.mears@sympatico.ca	613-828-7008
RECEPTION (VOLUNTEERS)	Joan, Helene & Mary reception.sjap@gmail.com	613-829-1760
RESPONSIBLE MINISTRY	Theresa Verver theresa.verver@gmail.com	613-723-3157
SACRISTANS/ENVIRONMENT	Marie Pierce Angela Beimers	613-828-7945 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 the Apostle 613-828-0644	St. John XXIII 613-226-6223 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

Today's Readings:

Isaiah 55.6-9, Psalm 145, Philippians 1.20-24, 27
Matthew 20.1-16

September 27th/28th

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
5:00 pm	#1 Yvonne Munro #2 Mary Ellen Agnel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dian Gordon • Marjorie Moore • Anna Yu
8:00 am	#1 Ted Stephen #2 Ted Stephen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Peter Garvey • Eileen Garvey • Jeff Hill
10:30 am	#1 David Ash #2 Harrison Peiris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Schembri • Merv Sullivan • Jessica Sullivan • Elizabeth Nierojewski • Dan Beausoleil

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

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tuesdays: *Legion of Mary - after 9:00 am Mass in the Small Assembly Room*

Wednesdays: *Euchre - 1:00 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 - 2:00 pm*

1st Fridays: *Mass at Valley Stream Manor - 11:00 am*

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, Sept 21	Baptisms	1:00 pm	Church
Tues, Sept 23	PPC	7:00 pm	Board Room
Wed, Sept 24	10:30 Choir Practice	7:15 pm	Church
Thurs, Sept 25	Our Lady of Victory School - Commissioning of Teachers Service	10:00 am	At School
Sat, Sept 27	Special Collection: Needs of Canadian Church and		
Sun, Sept 28	Thanksgiving Food Drive All Masses		

Thanksgiving Parish Food Drive
September 27th/28th and October 2nd/3rd



The Knights of Columbus will be coordinating a Thanksgiving Parish Food Drive over the next two weekends. This Food Drive is being run in conjunction with our three elementary schools: Our Lady of Victory, St. John the Apostle and St. John XXIII where students, parents and staff are being asked to make contributions.

We invite all our parishioners to bring their donations of non-perishable food or cash donations to Mass over the next two weekends. Suggested items may include canned tomatoes, canned vegetables, tuna, dry cereal, sugar and toilet tissue.

The Knights of Columbus will be picking up donations from the schools, adding them to your contributions and the food will then be distributed to our two local food banks – Morrison Gardens and Pinecrest Food Cupboard in time for Thanksgiving.

Please support this Parish initiative!

CWL Pie and Book Sale
October 4th/5th in the Glass House

Parish Memorial Mass:
Thursday, November 6th at 7:00 pm

K of C Parish Breakfast:
October 18th/19th in the Hall

Remembrance Day Masses:
November 8th/9th with Wreath laying at all Masses.

Marketplace of Possibilities:
October 18th/19th in the Glass House.
Please keep an eye out for Sign-Up sheets in early October.

Commissioning of Ministers:
On Feast of Christ the King
Saturday, November 22nd/Sunday, November 23


K of C Turkey Dinner:
Saturday, November 22nd



Mission Co-Op Appeal 2014

On the weekend of **October 4th/5th** as part of the **Mission Cooperative Plan of the Diocese**, our parish will welcome Rev. Isaias Amaladas, from the Diocese of Kumbakonam in India. Fr. Bill will be assisting at all the Masses.

This week, we welcomed into our parish family through the saving waters of baptism:



Joshua Thomas Clarke
Isla Mary MacLean
Margot Janina Lewandowski
and
Keaton Francis William

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

PRO-LIFE NEWS

40 Days for Life Campaign: Sept 24th – Nov 2nd

Campaign of **prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil.**
 Official Kick-off Rally on Sun, Sept 21st at **3:00 pm**
(not 7:00 pm as previously advised).

Location: corner of Bank Street & Sparks Street
 Info: Deborah at deborahlariccia@rogers.com or 613-820-3580 or www.40daysforlife.org/ottawa



Special Collection: September 28, 2014

Each year the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB) is asked to speak out, give leadership and provide guidelines for the faithful on a wide variety of topics. In order for our Bishops to be able to make sound judgments on modern topics, they must have the benefit of research and expert advice.

Research and gathering information require staff, time and money. Through the yearly Bishops' collection for the needs of the Church in Canada, an appeal is made to all Catholics to be generous in supporting the work of their Bishops at the Conference level.

Excerpt from Ordo Liturgical Calendar 2013-2014

FROM THE FRIDAY FAX:

COMMEMORATING THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED AT HOPE CEMETERY: The Annual Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed at Hope Cemetery will take place on **Sun., Sept. 21 at 2:00 p.m.** Archbishop Prendergast will preside. Info: Hope Cemetery (613-822-1212).

SPEECHES FROM RALLY IN SUPPORT OF PERSECUTED CHRISTIAN IRAQIS: Archbishop Prendergast's speech at the September 6 on Parliament Hill rally is available online: (<https://www.youtube.com/watch>). All of the speeches can be accessed here: (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N9Kmdv3Tmbs>).

TWO PRIESTS NEWLY INCARDINATED: Two priests have been newly incardinated in the Archdiocese of Ottawa: Fr. Albert Kaumba-Mufwata and Fr. Étienne Mfuni Beya.

Mass Intentions

- Sat, Sept 20 – 5:00 pm
 † Marie Smith by Olive & Hassa Mirchandani
 * Pam and Don Adams & family
 - Sun, Sept 21 – 8:00 am
 The intentions of all our Parishioners
 * Franka Adibe & family
 - Sun, Sept 21 – 10:30 am
 † Charles Anthony Gray by Oy Gray and family
 † Gordon Henderson by Jackie Henderson and family
 † Gail Martelock by Gertrude Coghlan
 * Clare and Amir Afkham & family
 - Wed, Sept 24 – 9:00 am
 † Parents of Renilde by Renilde and children
 - Sat, Sept 27 – 5:00 pm
 † Peter Slogar by the Slogar family
 * Cindy Aldrich-Braddon & family
 - Sun, Sept 21 – 8:00 am
 † Yukyie Miura by the Miura family
 * Mary Ellen Agnel & family
 - Sun, Sept 21 – 10:30 am
 The intentions of all our Parishioners
 * Jeffrey Alguire & family
- † indicates decease
 * Indicates the special family being prayed for at this Mass

Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them: Rosalie Ash, Theresa White, Francine Corbett, Ann Albert, Carol-Ann Wade and all those who are suffering from long-term chronic disease or mental illness. Prayers and sympathy for those who have died.

Sunday Morning Smile:

A retired man who volunteers to entertain patients in nursing homes and hospitals went to a local hospital and took his portable keyboard along. He told some jokes and sang some funny songs at patients' bedsides. When he finished he said, "Farewell, I hope you get better." One elderly gentleman replied, "I hope you get better too."

Although many of us have grown to know Deacon Frederick Jardine as "Deacon Rick" since he joined the parish, please be aware that this was because Fr. Tom had known him as Rick for many years. Going forward, we will be calling him Deacon Fred – as he is known just about everywhere else!

<u>COLLECTIONS</u>	Reg. Collection	Valley Stream Manor	Redwoods	* Budget requirement	(Deficit) / Over	Building & Mortgage
Sep 14th	\$4,214.15	+ \$204.75	+\$0.00	= \$4,418.90	- \$5,000.00	(\$581.10) \$586.10
<small>* Total Weekly requirement <u>\$5,600</u> = \$5,000 Basket collections + Pre-Authorized Contributions weekly average of \$600 (\$2,600/4.36)</small>						

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