

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH

(FOUNDED IN 1849)

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Friday Closed

WEEKEND LITURGY

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY LITURGY

Monday no Mass Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday 9:00 a.m. Thursday 9:00 a.m.
Friday 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.
Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m. and by appointment

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Tuesday evening Mass

SACRED HEART DEVOTION

Thursdays at 9:00 a.m.

BAPTISMS

Please contact the parish office. Baptisms are on the third Sunday of each month at 12:30 p.m.

MARRIAGES

Please contact the Pastor at least nine months in advance.

PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

For more information or assistance contact our parish priest(s) or see www.vocationinfo.ca

VOLUNTEERING FOR A MINISTRY

To volunteer in ministry or activities, go to our website and complete a volunteering form through the "Help" tile on the homepage.

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family please advise the priest immediately and they will assist you in making the liturgical arrangements. For information on Catholic burial, contact the cemetery office at 905-522-7727 or 1-800-661-5985.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We invite you to take the time to complete a registration form, located at all doors of the church. Please drop it into the collection basket.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

All bulletin announcements MUST be received by the parish office no later than Monday at 3:30 p.m. to ensure publication in the upcoming Sunday Bulletin.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, FRIDAYS FOR 15 MINUTES AFTER 9 AM MASS
FOLLOWED BY BENEDICTION

VISIT OUR WEBSITE <http://www.stjohnthebaptist.ca> for articles & photos of all parish activities.



Masses For The Week

Mass Intentions

Monday July 20 – 16th Week in Ordinary Time /St. Apollinaris
No Mass

Micah 6:1-4, 6-8; Matthew 12:38-42

Tuesday July 21 – St. Lawrence of Brindisi

Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Matthew 12:46, 48-50

7PM –

Wednesday July 22 – St. Mary Magdalene

Song of Songs 3:1-4a; John 20:1, 11-18

9AM – Angelo Ippolito and Maureen Kelly

Thursday July 23 – St. Bridget

Jeremiah 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Matthew 13:10-17

9AM – Fred Borgemeister and "Special

Intention" for Florence McDermott

Friday July 24 – St. Sharbel Majhluf

Jeremiah 3:14-17; Matthew 13:18-23

9AM – Dieula Memette "In Honour of Christ the Redemptor"

Saturday July 25 – St. James

Jeremiah 7:1-11; Matthew 13:24-30

5 PM – Francis Harvey and Dave Constable

Sunday July 26 – 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 18:20-32; Colossians 2:12-14; Luke 11:1-13

9 AM – Michael MacKinnon

11AM – Pro-Populo (for the parishioners)



IN OUR PARISH



Sunday Offerings

July 12th

Offering Envelopes \$5,752.00

Loose \$ 936.20

Building Maintenance Fund \$4,166.00

Care for Retired Priests \$20.00

Blue Lapel Pins \$77.00

Thank you for your generous support!

Welcome to all who are visiting our Parish! We pray that you are nourished by our Liturgy.



If you are new to our community, please fill out a registration form and return it to the office or place in it the collection basket. Registration forms are

located at all doors of the Church and online at www.stjohnthebaptist.ca. You are welcome to contact the office to obtain a personal set of Church envelopes if you would like one, or you can opt to register for Pre-Authorized Debit – forms are available at all Church entrances

THANK YOU FROM THE PARISH EVENTS VOLUNTEER MINISTRY

The Knights of Columbus along with volunteers from the Events Ministry hosted the Lakeshore Music and Arts Festival, as well as the Canada Day parking, which, was a great success. In total the amount raised was \$1,432.15. Donations made from the proceeds of these events were made to the parish Youth Ministry, Men's Group, St. Vincent de Paul, Knights of Columbus, the Lapel Pin Drive, the Upcoming Welcome Back BBQ, and hall renovations.

Thank you for your time and effort to support our church events, it is greatly appreciated.

Schedule of Events

Monday July 20

Emotions Anonymous Meeting – 7PM – WR

Thursday July 23

St. Vincent de Paul – 8PM – (Bread packing – HALL)

Friday July 24

AA Meeting – 9 PM – HALL



Remember that Christian life is one of action, not of speech and daydream. Let there be few words and many deeds and let them be done well. – St. Vincent



SAVE THE DATE – UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

- **Sunday September 20th 12pm - Welcome Back BBQ** - St John the Baptist Community Church & School
- **Saturday October 3rd 9am-2pm - Annual Pilgrimage** - Chapel of the Little Flower - Built in the 1920s the Mission Church and served St John's community

FAITH FORMATION FOR ADULTS

This program has been very successful in our parish. Every year at Easter Vigil, 10 – 14 people, sometime with their children become Catholics to serving God with us here at St. John's.

Dear parishioners, if you know of such persons interested in joining our Catholic Faith, do not hesitate to invite them to our Catechetical Course also called "Faith Formation for Adults." We are planning to start on Monday September 21, 2026 at 6pm in our parish hall (entrance door on the school side).

Candidates should call Glynnis at the parish office and have a meeting with Msgr. Philippe from now until September 14th. All are welcome since "we are all made by God and for HIM" (St. Augustine, AD354-430)

IN THE COMMUNITY

IGNATIAN RETREAT FOR MEN AND WOMEN, 18 TO 20 SEPTEMBER 2026

Will be held at Manresa, 2325 Liverpool Road, Pickering. The topic will be **"Praying with the Sermon on the Mount"** facilitated by Fr. Henk van Meijel SJ. - Suggested offering \$280.00

For details, please call Jonathan Fowler 905-634-0248, or Mary Rose, 905-839-2864, or register online at <https://manresa-canada.ca/events/>

Fr Henk is the director of Manresa. Henk joined the Society of Jesus in 2006 at age 50, after having been proprietor for 25 years of a small business, and about five years of coordinating youth ministry. His initial spiritual direction formation was at Loyola House, Guelph, Ontario. He has a Master of Divinity degree

from Regis College, Toronto. He worked at the Jesuit Native apostolate on Manitoulin Island, whereupon he studied at the University of Divinity, Melbourne, Australia, with an emphasis on Ignatian leadership and pastoral counselling.



Handicraft Holy Land Christians



On the weekend of August 1-2, we will welcome our special guest from Sebastien Cardinal's team, representing "Handicraft Holy Land Christians", who after all the masses will briefly address the issues and concerns regarding the Christian presence in the Holy Land.

Christians in the Holy Land graciously ask your support through conscience prayers and will have many unique hand carved olive wood religious art pieces made by these families in Bethlehem available for purchase after every mass.

Proceeds of the sales generate much needed employment for our Christian brothers and sisters in Bethlehem.

May God Bless you for your generosity, for your help and for your prayers."

Cash, debit, credit cards and cheque will be accepted.

You can visit and support us at
www.HolylandChristians.ca

THE DIOCESE

YOUTH MINISTER'S RETREAT SAVE THE DATE! We are inviting all youth ministers, youth ministry coordinators, and leaders in youth ministry, to join us for our annual retreat on September 19 at Mount Mary Retreat Centre in Ancaster. More information and how to register will be shared as soon as possible. In the meantime, if you are interested in attending or have any questions, please reach out to us: youthministry@hamiltondiocese.com

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