# ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PAR

(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 9:00a.m. Friday 9:00 a.m.

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

#### **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 hompage.

#### **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 28**

Exodus 32:15-24, 30-34; Matthew 13:31-35 - No Mass

<u>Tuesday July 29 –</u> Saints Martha, Mary & Lazarus

Exodus 33:7-11, 34:4b-9, 28; John 11:17-27

7PM - Margaret Murphy

Wednesday July 30 - Saint Peter Chrysologus

Exodus 34:29-35; Matthew 13:44-46

9 AM - Mark McDonald

Thursday July 31 - Saint Ignatius of Loyola

Exodus 40:16-21, 34-38; Matthew 13:47:52

9 AM – **Tolentino Capunitan** 

Friday August 1 – St Alphonsus Liguori

Leviticus 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Matthew 13:54-58

9 AM – Sabatino Paolini

#### Saturday August 2

Leviticus 25:1, 8-17; Matthew 14:1-12 Saint Eusebius Vercelli

5 PM – Clarito Halverson

**Sunday August 3**– 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ecclesiastes 1:2. 2:21-23: Colossians 3:1-5. 9-11: Luke 12:13-21

9 AM – Pro Populo (for the parishioners)

11 AM – Douglas Little / Daniel Monreal



#### **Monday July 28**

Emotions Anonymous Meeting - 7 PM - WR

#### Thursday July 31

St. Vincent de Paul – 8PM – Hall

Bread packing

#### Friday August 1

AA Meeting - 9 PM - Hall



They who carry God in their heart bear heaven with them wherever they go. St. Ignatius of Loyola

### **IN OUR PARISH**



### **Sunday Offerings**

Sunday, July 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025: \$3,777.00 Building Maintenance Fund to date: \$29,963.17

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 <a href="www.stjohnthebaptist.ca">www.stjohnthebaptist.ca</a>. 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.



Joseph Leo (Bud) Guay - Aged 96

His Funeral Mass took place at our Parish on July 18th, 2025

Kindly pray for him and his family's consolation.



#### THE 2025 MISSION APPEAL

As a faith Community based on Gospel values, we were delighted to welcome Sister Geraldine at each mass of the July 19-20<sup>th</sup> weekend. We felt deeply moved listening to her speech on the many works of her Congregation, The Sisters of the Holy Cross in Sri Lanka such as:

- Education for boys and girls
- Health Care with no cost for the marginalized
- Spiritual Growth in parishes

Mission Appeal envelopes were given to the parishioners. More can be found at each entrance door of our church. Please come in and take one and return it with your donation before *August 25<sup>th</sup>*.

As we did last year, let us support our brothers and sisters in need in Sri Lanka through the Sisters of the Holy Cross. Thank you.

Msgr. Philippe, Pastor



### **Burlington Food Bank Collection**

Summer months are here and the shelves at all food banks go empty, please consider a summer donation. Hunger does not take a rest. Donations can be brought to our bins located at the Brant St. entrance.



### IN THE COMMUNITY

Whether you are afraid of public speaking or would you like to take on a leadership role within your parish, the *Christopher Leadership Course in Effective Speaking* can help. The next course begins Wednesday evening, September 24, 2025, at McMaster University in Hamilton. To register or for more information, please visit clchamilton.com or *call Frank at 905-730-4943*.

### IN THE DIOCESE

# Young Adult Pilgrimage to Midland – Jubilee of Hope

Calling all young adults! Join us for a special day pilgrimage to the **Martyrs' Shrine in Midland**, **Ontario** as we journey together in the spirit of the **Jubilee of Hope**. This is a chance to connect with others, deepen your faith, and walk in the footsteps of the Canadian martyrs.

Date: Saturday, September 27, 2025

① Departure Time: 8:00 am

**Departure Location:** Chancery Office, Diocese of Hamilton (700 King Street West)

\$ Cost: \$40.00 per person

**Includes:** Transportation, entry to the Shrine, time for prayer, reflection, fellowship, and celebration of Mass, BBQ Dinner ahead of departure.

All young adults (20's & 30's) are welcome. Space is limited, so register early!

### TO REGISTER OR LEARN MORE, CONTACT:

Christina Mines, Director of Evangelization & Catechesis

<u>catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com</u> www.hamiltondiocese.com/events

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