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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 October 27**

Romans 8.11-17; Luke 13.10-17 No Mass

Tuesday October 28 – St. Simon & St. Jude

Ephesians 2:19-22; Luke 6:12-19

7PM – Lawrence Patterson

#### **Wednesday October 29**

Romans 8:26-30; Luke 13:22-30

9AM - Ivy & Cecil Crow

#### **Thursday October 30**

Romans 8:31b-39; Luke 13:31-35

9AM – John Losty

#### Friday October 31

Romans 9.1-5; Luke 14.1-6

9AM – All Souls in Purgatory & In thanksgiving for answered Prayers

#### Saturday November 1 – All Saints Day (Solemnity)

Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14; I John 3:1-3; Matthew 5:1-12a

5 PM - Shirly Gretter & Raul Francisco

#### November 2 - All Soul's Day

Wisdom 3.1-9, Revelation 21.1-5a, 6b-7; Luke 7.11-17

9 AM - All our deceased Parishioners

11 AM - Albert & Joseph Yonan



#### **Monday October 27**

Emotions Anonymous Meeting - 7 PM - WR

#### **Wednesday October 29**

Choir Practice - (Choir Loft - 7PM)

#### **Thursday October 30**

St. Vincent de Paul - 8PM - (Bread packing - Hall)

#### **Friday October 31**

AA Meeting – 9 PM – Hall



Conversion to God always consists in discovering God's mercy. - St. John Paul II

### IN OUR PARISH



### **Sunday Offerings**

Sunday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025: \$4,261.65 Evangelization Mission \$632.00

Thank you for your generous support!

Welcome to all who are visiting our Parish! We pray

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="https://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.

#### **UPCOMING CHURCH EVENTS AT ST. JOHN'S**

Mistletoe Market

Sat Nov 22nd 9am-2pm

• Advent Retreat

Tues Dec 16th 7pm-8:30pm

#### ST. JOHN'S CULTURAL DAY CELEBRATION

Thank you to everyone who came out to enjoy our Cultural Day Celebration. A big thank you to the Events Ministry, Knights of Columbus and the many volunteers who worked hard to create this first-time fun filled community event.





#### ST. JOHN'S MISTLETOE MARKET

Our Mistletoe Market will be held on November 22nd, 9am-2pm. Shop at our Vendor Market, pick up some tasty homemade treats at our Bake

Sale and join us for our Silent Auction and Raffle. Our cafe will have homemade breakfast sandwiches and sweets. We would appreciate donations of any new items, gift cards and premade baskets which can be dropped off in the sacristy following any of the masses or at the church office. Donations of homemade baked goods clearly labelled can be dropped off on Nov 21<sup>st</sup> in the hall.

Please contact <u>dinaknight779@gmail.com</u> for further information or questions

Mark the date on your calendar! Please come out to support this event



#### JOHN GONSALVES

Funeral Mass took place at our Parish on Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Kindly pray for his family's consolation.



Welcomed into our parish community through
Baptism on October 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025
Nicolas Gutierrz Millan, Alessia & Leo Fortino,
Renée Sinka, and Emma & Lucy Price-Owen
Congratulations to their parents,
Godparents and family.

## IN THE COMMUNITY

#### 40 DAYS FOR LIFE: SEPT. 24 - NOV 2, 2025

40 Days for Life is a peaceful campaign that seeks to draw attention to the abortion issue by undertaking three distinct actions during the 40 days of the campaign: encouraging prayer and fasting in support of life, constant quiet and respectful prayer vigils outside places that provide abortion and education for community, family and friends on the issue. To participate or learn more about the campaign please visit: 40 days for life or: <a href="mailto:40daysforlifeoakville@gmail.com">40daysforlifeoakville@gmail.com</a> or phone Stephen @ 905-333-6472

## IN THE DIOCESE

# ALL SOULS DAY MASS AT HOLY SEPULCHRE CEMETERY

The annual All Souls Day Mass at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Burlington will take place on Sunday, November 2nd at 2:00pm. The principal celebrant will be the Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger, Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton. All are welcome!

# WELCOME TO THE BISHOPS WHO SERVE ON THE NATIONAL LITURGY COMMISSION

Of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops, holding its triannual conference For the Praise and Glory of His Name in Hamilton from October 27 to 29. Bishop Wayne Lobsinger is the Chairman of the National Commission. The keynote speaker for the event is Monsignor Enda Murphy from the Dicastery for Divine Worship and Discipline of the Sacraments, Rome. The Diocesan website will have access to the live-streamed Evening Prayer and Keynote Address. Even better, you are invited to attend in person at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton, Monday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, starting at 7 p.m. All are welcome!



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