

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST-GANANOQUE ST. PHILOMENA - HOWE ISLAND Roman Catholic Church

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Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Welcome to our parishioners, family members, friends,
and visitors. Your presence here makes all the difference!**

New Parishioners:

- Welcome! Please introduce yourself and complete a registration form which is available at the entrance of the Church.

Reconciliation:

- 3:45 - 4:45 pm Saturday or anytime by appointment. Please call the parish office.

Rosary:

- Join us for the Rosary a half hour prior to Saturday 5:00 pm Mass.

Marriage:

- Couples who are planning to enter into the sacrament of Matrimony are asked to please contact Father Dale at least 9 - 12 months in advance.

Baptism:

- Please contact Father Dale to set up an appointment to meet for instruction.

Children's Liturgy:

- Children's Liturgy for young children is held September to June during the 10:30 am Sunday Mass.

St. John's and St. Philomena's Cemetery:

- Please contact the parish office.

Join our Choirs (voice and instrumental):

- Sunday Choir: practices on Mondays 7 pm
- Traditional Choir: practices on Wednesdays at 10:30 am

For the Sick and Shut-ins:

- The Sacrament of the Sick is available upon request if a family member is in the hospital or confined at home. Please call the office. Also, a request may be made thru the nursing staff at hospitals for the priest on call.

Bequests to the Parish:

- Keep your love for your parish alive. Remember your parishes in your will and when recommending expressions of sympathy.

Mass Intentions:

- Give a gift of a Mass for someone's birthday, to someone who is ill or undergoing surgery. Envelopes located at Church entrance.

St. Joseph Catholic Elementary School:

235 Georgiana St., Gananoque K7G 1M9
613.382.2361 www.stjosephgan.cdsbeo.on.ca

Regiopolis-Notre Dame Catholic High School:

130 Russell St., Kingston 613-545-1902

**TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF
ORDINARY TIME August 14, 2022**



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St. John

Saturday, August 13

5:00 p.m. - Clare and Alex Elliott

Sunday, August 14

10:30 a.m. - †Alfred Rose

St. Philomena

Sunday, August 14

8:30 a.m. - †Fernande & Dollor Bonin

**WEEKDAY MASSES AT
ST. JOHN'S**

Wednesday, August 17

8:30 a.m. - † Sr. Mary Hamilton

Thursday, August 18

8:30 a.m. † Zita Fisher

Friday, August 19

8:30 a.m. - For those who perished at Residential Schools and for Survivors and their families

**TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY OF
ORDINARY TIME**

St. John

Saturday, August 20

5:00 p.m. - †Merle & Vincent Keyes

Sunday, August 21

10:30 a.m.- † Eileen Sutton

St. Philomena

Sunday, August 21

8:30 a.m. - For the People

Immaculate Virgin, Mother of Jesus and our Mother, we believe in your triumphant assumption into heaven, where the angels and saints acclaim you as Queen of Heaven and earth. We join them in venerating you and bless the Lord who raised you above all creatures. With them we honour you.

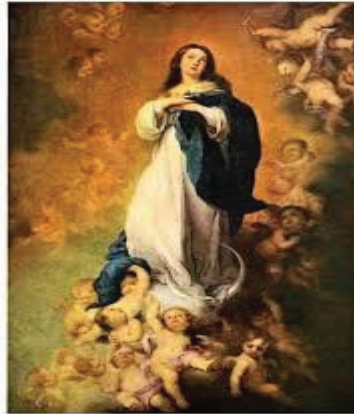
READINGS FOR August 21, Twenty First Sunday of Ordinary Time

First Reading: Isaiah 66.18-21

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 117

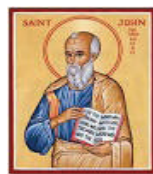
Second Reading: Hebrews 12.11-13

Gospel: Luke 13.22-30



The Assumption of Mary is one of the four Marian dogmas of the Catholic Church.[2] (The word 'assumption' derives from the Latin word *assumptiō* meaning "taking up"). Pope Pius XII defined it in 1950 in his apostolic constitution *Munificentissimus Deus* as follows: We proclaim and define it to be a dogma revealed by God that the

immaculate Mother of God, Mary ever virgin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into the glory of heaven.[3] The declaration was built upon the 1854 dogma of the Immaculate Conception of Mary, which declared that Mary was conceived free from original sin, and both have their foundation in the concept of Mary as the Mother of God.[4] It leaves open the question of whether Mary died or whether she was raised to eternal life without bodily death.[3]



	Weekly Contributions: Aug 08, 2022	
Thank you!	St. John	St. Philomena
Regular Offering:	\$2,191.00	\$507.50
Ed. Of Seminar.		
Catholic Miss.		
Cemetery:		
Popes Pastoral:		
EFT:		
Restoration	\$615.00	

Ministry Schedules: St. John August 20, 2022 & August 21, 2022

Carveth:

Junior Liturgy:

Rosary:

Greeters/Ushers:

Lector:

Gifts:

Holy Communion:

St. Philomena

Lector: Marg McReynolds

Dianne Ouellet

June Nalon

Maureen Deir

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August 21, 2022

Holy Communion: Fr. Dale

Margaret Rose

Joan Dillon

Dianne Hebert

The Big List of Church Volunteer Opportunities

God has uniquely equipped every person in the Church with specific skills and gifts. As Christians, we are tasked with utilizing these gifts in our community and within our local church. This is a fantastic way to serve the church while simultaneously lightening the load of a church's staff. Volunteering has a spiritual benefit as well, an individual will often want to dive deeper into the life of the church. At the same time, they serve not only as a helping hand, but also as a witness of the Gospel message within the community. Below are several opportunities you might prayerfully consider taking part in.

SACRISTAN: Make sure that all preparations are made for the Celebration of the Eucharist.

ALTAR SERVERS: Help the Priest throughout the liturgy. Anyone who has received their First Holy Communion and is trained can participate.

USHERS AND GREETERS: Meet and greet people in a welcoming manner as they arrive at the Church.

PRESENTERS FOR CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD: These people bring the young children of the parish to another room during the first half of Mass to help them understand the Scriptures in a non-adult language.

READERS/LECTORS: Play an important role in the Liturgy of the Word, as they proclaim and share the Word of God.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY

COMMUNION: Assist the Priest to prepare and distribute the bread and wine to the people during the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

LITURGICAL MUSICIANS: While we are grateful for the musicians we have, it would be lovely to have our choir back in action.

GIFT BEARERS: Bring up the gifts of bread and wine during Preparation of the Gifts on our behalf.

COLLECTORS: Move among the people gathered to collect money for the Church and for those in need.

PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS: Give their input to the overall operation of the Parish.

PROPERTY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Help plan the budget for the parish and make recommendations for work to be done for the coming year.

GARDENERS: Teams who help to beautify the outside surrounds of the Church.

CHURCH DECORATORS: Plan the decorations for the different Liturgical Seasons.

Thank you to all who currently volunteer, we would like to increase our numbers. If you would like to join in these ministries, please fill out the enclosed form.



Save the Date: Knights of Columbus Charter Centennial Anniversary Celebration Mass and Dinner

A hundred years ago, in 1922, J.V. Cleary Assembled 0857 received the Knights of Columbus charter.

Everyone is invited to attend the Celebration Mass on October 22, 5:00 pm at St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston. A banquet dinner will be held afterwards, and all attendees must pre-book.

Dinner is from 6:00 pm-9:00 pm at Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall (588 Division Street, Kingston, ON).

Tickets are \$50/person

For tickets and further details, please contact:

William Coppens at lcoppens@cogeco.ca

Deadline for registration: October 12



Pilgrimage of Peace to Medjugorje March 9-20th, 2023 Accompanied by Father Francis Zambon.

With services of a knowledgeable guide, talks by Medjugorje Franciscan priests, Mirjana's March 18th apparition; and talks by visionaries when available.

Travel: Departing from Pearson International Airport Toronto, Lufthansa economy class flight to Sarajevo, and a private motor coach to Medjugorje.

Accommodations: Private home, a five-minute walk from St. James Church. Rooms are double occupancy. Single room available at an additional fee. 3-piece bathrooms in each room. Two home-cooked meals per day, breakfast and dinner.

Price: \$2,450 (includes all taxes), with a non-refundable deposit of \$250. Final payment is required 60 days prior to departure. Full name as shown on your passport, and date of birth. For additional information on the daily activities of the pilgrimage and Medjugorje, please contact group leaders:

Karen Shannon: (613)962-4807 Email: karen.shannon@queensu.ca or

Jack Duggan: (613)756-2655 Email: medjugorje2023@bell.net



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