

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

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Parish Secretary: Anne Marie Young
Tuesday – 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:

Confessions will be available one-half hour before weekend masses or by appointment with Father Christian.

Rosary:

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

Marriage:

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

Baptism:

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

Children's Liturgy:

For young children is held September to June during the 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass.

St. John and St. Philomena Cemetery:

Please contact the Parish Office.

Joining the Choir:

You are always encouraged to sing at our Masses, but joining a choir is also rewarding. Contact the office for more information.

For the Sick and Shut ins:

The sacrament for 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 through the nursing staff at hospitals for the Priest on call.

Bequest 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 at back.

St Joseph Elementary School:

235 Georgiana St., Gananoque, K7G 1M9
613-382-2361 www.stjosephgan.cdsbeo.on.ca

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130 Russell St., Kingston 613-545-1902

The Transfiguration of the Lord, August 6, 2023



Mass
Schedule

The Transfiguration of the Lord

St John Parish

Saturday, August 5

5:00 p.m. - † Bob Wright

Sunday, August 6

10:30 a.m. - † Deceased members of the Brake Family

St. Philomena Parish

Sunday, August 6

8:30 a.m. - † Richard Wilder

WEEKDAY MASSES AT ST. JOHN PARISH

Tuesday, August 8

8:30 a.m. - † Kathleen Keyes Ross

Wednesday, August 9

8:30 a.m. - † Tanya Abrahms

Thursday, August 10

8:30 a.m. - Special Intention

First Friday, August 11

8:30 a.m. - † Robert Turcotte

The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St John Parish

Saturday, August 12

5:00 p.m. - † Regina & Edward Gavin

Sunday, August 13

10:30 a.m. - † Basil Brosso

St. Philomena Parish

Sunday, August 13

8:30 a.m. - † Fernande & Dolor Bonin



THE POPE'S INTENTION FOR AUGUST - World Youth Day

We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

IN YOUR PRAYERS

May the Lord grant healing and strength to families and friends who suffer physically, emotionally or spiritually and fortitude to their caregivers. We pray for Jean Mulvihill, Father Don Cummings, Brenda Wing, Olive Schijns, Joan Rowland, Mark Mabee, Pixie Wilder, Dan Hall and 11 year old Lily Metcalfe.

PRAYER FOR ETERNAL LIFE

Remember in your prayers Father Grant Neville who was laid to rest this past week. Father Grant is a brother of Lianne Clark.

August is dedicated to

The Immaculate Heart of Mary

O Immaculate Heart of Mary, full of goodness, show your love towards us. Let the flame of your heart, O Mary, descend on all people. We love you immensely. Impress true love in our hearts so that we have a continuous desire for you. O Mary, gentle and humble of heart, remember us when we are in sin. You know that all men sin. Give us, by means of your Immaculate Heart, spiritual health. Let us always see the goodness of your motherly heart and may we be converted by means of the flame of your heart. Amen.



Prayer For Vocations O God, you have chosen the Apostles to make disciples of all nations and by Baptism and Confirmation have called all of us to build up your Holy Church. We earnestly implore you to choose from among us, your children, many priests, deacons, brothers, and sisters who will love you with their whole heart and will gladly spend their entire lives to make you known and loved by all. *Amen.*

Ministry Schedules:

St. John

Rosary:

Greeters/Ushers:

Lector:

Holy Communion

August 12

Dianne Plumpton

Anneke & Ron Thompson

Donna McCauley

Marian Deir

August 13

Gerry Brosso

Yvonne Harper

Wilma Turcotte

St. Philomena

Lector:

Holy Communion:

August 13

Sara Walsh

Fr. Christian



The St. John/St. Philomena Catholic Women's League

Bake Sale Sunday August 6th is being held in the parking lot at St. John's immediately after 10:30 Mass. Free coffee will be served.



Wednesday, August 16th at 7 p.m.
Next regular meeting in the sacristy at St. John's.



Sunday, September 10th 12:00 noon - Annual CWL Luncheon at the Gananoque Curling Club, Bring a friend! Everyone is welcome. Tickets will be offered for sale in advance. Price is \$15.00 per person.

St John the Evangelist is pleased to host the Trinity Bach Project
Monday, August 7, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.



TRINITY BACH PROJECT is an eight-voice vocal and instrumental ensemble dedicated to serving audiences the extraordinary musical and spiritual riches of J. S. Bach's choral repertoire. This August, members of TBP are making a four-concert outreach tour of southern Ontario with violinist Elisa Citterio of Italy.

The one-hour program, "An Evening of Baroque Music," will feature instrumental works by Bach and Corelli and Handel's "Gloria" for Soprano. Admission is free, with donations to the cost of the project gratefully accepted.

Faith on Fire Prayer Weekly Prayer Meetings

The "Faith on Fire" Prayer meetings have resumed on Tuesday evenings and continue weekly from 7:00 – 8:30 pm on Zoom. All are welcome to join us for prayer and teachings as we seek to grow in the Lord. Please email Maame Addai at faithonfirekingston@gmail.com for the Zoom link.

2nd Annual Priests Vs. Parishioners Baseball Game

All are invited to the 2nd Annual Priests Vs. Parishioners Baseball Game hosted by St. Patrick's, Lansdowne & St. Brendan's, Rockport on **Sunday, August 6th @ 3 pm** at the Lansdowne Community Buildings, 1 Jesse St., Lansdowne. Admission is free. There will be a cash canteen of hot food & drinks provided by the Catholic Women's League. Rain date August 7th.

NOTICE

Our email has been changed as follows:
stjohn.gananoque@archkingston.ca or stphil.gananoque@archkingston.ca

For the time being, emails sent our previous address are being forwarded to the address above.

July 30, 2023	St. John	St. Philomena
Regular Offering	\$1,479.00	\$143.00
Loose	\$132.85	\$25.00
Donation	\$220.00	
Restoration	\$25.00	

If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for a special occasion, on behalf of a family member, a friend, or a deceased loved one, please submit a Mass Request to us. Both churches are in need of requests.

- 1) An announced Mass intention is a donation of \$20; an unannounced Mass is \$10.
- 2) An intention may be placed well ahead of time if you want a specific date.

How to donate to the Church in memory of someone special? Donations to the St. John the Evangelist Church or for St. Philomena Church can be done anytime. Place a cheque in an envelope along with your name, address and your special intention. A tax receipt will be forwarded at year-end.



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