

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

Pastor: Father Dale Wright

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Parish Secretary: Bernadette Veitch
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
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Regiopolis-Notre Dame Catholic High School:

130 Russell St., Kingston 613-545-1902

**SIXTH SUNDAY OF
ORDINARY TIME February 16, 2020**



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St. John

Saturday, February 15

5:00 p.m. †Annie MacMaster

Sunday, February 16

10:30 a.m. †Evelyn & Thomas Veitch

St. Philomena

Sunday, February 16

8:30 a.m. For the People

WEEKDAY MASSES AT ST. JOHN

Monday, February 17 - No Mass

Tuesday, February 18

8:30 a.m. Special Intention

Wednesday, February 19

8:30 a.m. † Ken Keys

Thursday, February 20

8:30 a.m. † Christine Keys

7:00 p.m. First Reconciliation -

St. Joseph School Students

Friday, February 21

8:30 a.m. †Augustine Song

11:00 a.m. Carveth

**SEVENTH SUNDAY OF
ORDINARY TIME**

St. John

Saturday, February 22

5:00 p.m. Karen Davis

Sunday, February 23

10:30 a.m. For the People

St. Philomena

Sunday, February 23

8:30 a.m. †Fernande Bonin



MEETING DATES

Kof C: 2/4th

Wed. Mar. 11

CWL: 3rd

Wed. Mar. 18



***READINGS FOR February 23 Seventh Sunday
of Ordinary Time***

First Reading: Leviticus 19.1-2,17-18

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 103

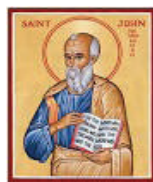
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 3.16-23

Gospel: Matthew 5.38-48



A PRAYER FOR FAMILY DAY - February 17, 2020

God in heaven, with a mother's tender embrace you love and nurture us; with a father's strength you save and protect us. Look upon our family and keep us close to you. Grant that we may be like Jesus and support, comfort and help one another. Give us a love like Mary's that we may nurture the presence of Jesus in each other and in all your people. Give us faith like Joseph's that we may care for one another and help those in need. We praise and bless you, Lord God, through Jesus Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit, now and always and for ever. Amen



	Weekly Contributions: Feb. 09, 2020	
Thank you!	St. John	St. Philomena
Regular:	\$1,401.00	\$261.50
Loose:	\$227.65	NA
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Fuel:	\$606.00	\$195.50
EFT:	NA	NA
Solemnity of Mary	\$11.00	NA

Ministry Schedules: St. John February 22 - 5:00 pm

Carveth:

Junior Liturgy:

Rosary: Barbara Lynch

Greeters: Jack Keyes & Penny Huntley

Lector: Donna McCauley

Communion: Maureen Deir

Gifts: Betty & Sherry Turcotte

St. Philomena February 23 - 8:30 am

Lector: Bonnie

February 23 - 10:30 am

Steve and Mary Wray Brennan

Tricia Clark

Don Mills & Christine Milks

Kally Portieous

Elizabeth Knudsen

The Woods Family

Holy Communion: Marilyn



**FIRST RECONCILIATION
AT ST. JOHN CHURCH
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20 AT 7:00 p.m.**



**CONFIRMATION GIFT SUNDAY,
AT ST. JOHN CHURCH
CHANGED TO: FEBRUARY 23
AT 10:30 a.m. MASS**



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**Hours: Wed, Fri 12:30 pm - 2:45 pm
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Elizabeth Dixon, Volunteer Coordinator
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Remember you are dust and to dust you shall return.



ASH WEDNESDAY

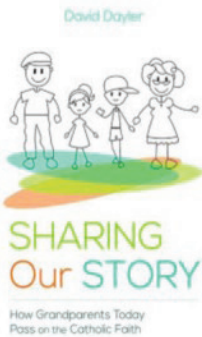
**ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26
MASS TIMES:**

St. John Church School Mass	9:45 a.m.
St. Philomena Church	12:30 p.m.
St. John Church	7:00 p.m.

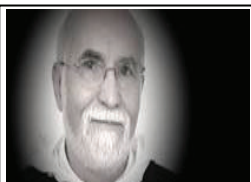
NEW LIFE GROUP MEETINGS

A Catholic Ministry for the Separated and Divorced

- Feb. 18** Effects of Separation & Divorce on Youth Speaker: Maria S.
- Mar. 3** "God Chose What is Weak in this World"
Facilitator: Fr. Leo Byrne
- Mar. 17** Healing through Laughter
Presenter: Ann
- Mar 31** Self Esteem/ Self Confidence
ED Talk, Leading Discussion - Cindy



SHARING OUR STOREY Saturday, April 18, 2020 at 9:30 am – 3:00 pm
St. Paul the Apostle Parish (1111 Taylor Kidd Blvd, Kingston) David Dayler, author of the book: *Sharing Our Story: How Grandparents Today Pass on the Catholic Faith*, will present a day that offers a practical guide on how grandparents can participate in the family's spirituality, by taking on a leadership role. With the changing dynamic of families in a complex and increasingly secular world, this is a relevant topic to discuss. What does it mean to be a Catholic grandparent today? The day will include keynote presentation, discussion and sharing of our stories. Lunch will be provided. (please indicate any dietary concerns) A free will offering will be taken up. Would you like to purchase a copy of "Sharing Our Story" which will be available for pick up on the day of our event? The cost is \$15 tax included. Please visit our website to register: <https://www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/sharing-our-story>



SAVE THE DATE *Eight Doors to the Kingdom Parish Mission.*

Saturday, February 29th – Wednesday, March 4th The Cathedral of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception (279 Johnson Street, Kingston) The great French spiritual writer and master, Father Jacques Philippe, is coming to St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston. He will preach at all the Sunday Masses the First Sunday of Lent, (5 pm Feb. 29 and 8 am, 10:30 am and 7 pm, March 1) and will lead a Parish Mission on the Eight Beatitudes at 7 pm on Monday, March 2nd, Tuesday, March 3rd and Wednesday, March 4th. For further information please contact Ann Lyng at alyng@cogeco.ca or Fr. Shawn Hughes fathershawnjhughes@gmail.com

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