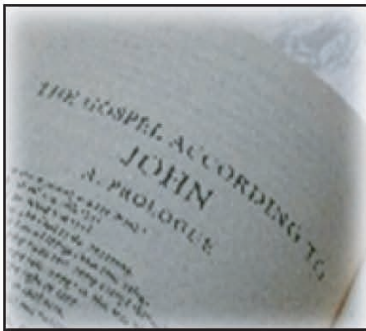


ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST-GANANOQUE ST. PHILOMENA - HOWE ISLAND Roman Catholic Church

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Parish Secretary: Lise Emmerson Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8 am to 4 pm

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



MAY THE BLESSINGS and love of our Heavenly Father be yours in abundance today and everyday!



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:

- Those 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 during the 10:30 am Sunday Mass from September to June.

Prayer in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament in the Tabernacle:

- The Church is open every day from 8 am to 4 pm for quiet prayer. Please use side entrances.

Join our Choirs (voice and instrumental):

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

For the Sick and Shut-ins:

- Please contact Father Dale Wright if a family member is in the hospital or confined at home. The Sacrament of the Sick is available upon request.

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

- Please contact the parish office for more information.

Bequests to the Parish:

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

St. Joseph Catholic Elementary School:

- Principal: Tracy O'Brien
235 Georgiana St., Gananoque, ON K7G 1M9
613.382.2361 www.stjosephgan.cdsbeo.on.ca

Regiopolis-Notre Dame Catholic High School:

- Principal: Terry Daniels
130 Russell St., Kingston ON 613-545-1902
www.reginotredame.ca

Sunday, Jan. 21, 2018 – 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 20:

5:00 pm - † Cliff Houlden

Sunday, January 21:

8:30 am at St. Philomena -

† Mary MacPherson

10:30 am St. John - † Bob Bird

Monday, January 22 - No Mass

Tuesday, January 23:

8:00 am - † Maciek Forys

Wednesday, January 24:

8:00 am - † Ioleen Bovey

Thursday, January 25: NOTE TIME:

9:45 am School Mass -

† Barbara Woodman

Fri., Jan. 26: (NOTE TIME - Carveth)

8:00 am - For your intentions

11:00 am at Carveth -

† Msgr Donald Clement

Please note: Carveth Mass is this week due to Funeral last week.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, January 27:

5:00 pm - † Danny Deir

Sunday, January 28:

8:30 am at St. Philomena -

† Anne Walkey

10:30 am St. John - † Alice Reid

The “New Life” weekend course of the St. Andrew School of Evangelization, at St. Mary’s Parish Centre ([260, Brock Street, Kingston](#)) This course hosted by a team of enthusiastic Catholics of various ages, including a substantial group of young adults. The course is helpful to any Catholic or Christian open to a Catholic perspective. Register at www.sase.ca. It begins Friday, Feb. 9th (6-9:30pm), Saturday (8am-8:30pm), and Sunday (8am-4pm). Come and experience the power of the Gospel not only with your mind, but also with all your senses, thereby helping your heart to be disposed to a greater openness to the Holy Spirit and a greater sense of belonging to the Church whom Jesus founded (Fr. Stéphane Pouliot).

First Communion Enrolment Mass:

Today, Sunday, January 21st, at St. John the Evangelist Church, we will celebrate a ritual of *welcome* for the children in our parish who have entered into a time of preparation for their First Holy Communion.

We will offer these students our prayers and our support as they continue to discern God’s unique and precious call given to them at their Baptism.

IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please remember those in our parish, community, family and friends who suffer physically, emotionally or spiritually especially **Harold Bellmare, Richard Cliffe, Mary Ellen Douglas, Shelley Hunt from Kingston, Tracey Ferguson, Marian Meagher, Patricia Purdun, and Joan Thorne.**

PRAYER FOR ETERNAL LIFE Please remember those who have entered into eternal life especially **Anne Walkey.**

Saturday, January 27, 2018 at 5 pm

Rosary: Barbara Lynch Greeters: Jack Keyes and Irene Tozer

Gifts: Yvon and Dianne Ouellet

Holy Communion: Annastasia Cliffe Lector: Marlene Sirosky

Sunday, January 28, 2018 at 10:30 am

Carveth: Sharon Sullivan and Monique Girard

Greeters: Gerry Brosso and Marilyn Thivierge

Lector: Yvonne Harper Gifts: Christine Milks & Don Mills

Holy Communion: Mary Elizabeth MacDonald

Children’s Liturgy: Amanda Dickson

At St. Philomena for Sunday, January 28

Reader: Norma Gaudreau Holy Communion: Marg McReynolds

volunteers
needed!
reach out and HELP!



Looking for 4 volunteers to spearhead fun event!

Time to celebrate our new Rose Window. But first, we need 4 volunteers to spearhead the event.

Event: Light the Rose Window
Timeframe: Before Lent
Requirement: Four

volunteers to put together a fun social evening.

This is not a fundraiser. It’s a celebration. We would like to start planning as soon as possible. Call Lise at the office 613.382.2017 or email: stjohnstphil@gmail.com.

Image: 1212and12.org

FLU SEASON and THE SIGN OF PEACE

With the cold and flu season underway, each of us has the responsibility of taking precautions to prevent the spread of these illnesses.

For the next few months, we will refrain from shaking hands during the Sign of Peace.

Please don't be offended if someone chooses not to shake hands with you during the Sign of Peace. An appropriate gesture for those who are concerned about spreading the flu virus might be to strive for **eye contact** rather than physical contact. You could **clasp your hands together and bow gently** to those around you, and with a **smile say "Peace be with you," or "Peace of Christ."**



Get set for Kindergarten!

Registration for the 2018-2019 school year is now underway at your local Catholic school. French Immersion is offered at many of our schools. In addition, we offer before and after school programs, and on-site daycare at some locations. Please call your local Catholic school for more information, or visit www.cdsbeo.on.ca for a complete list of schools and information on how to register your child.

Pilgrimage to Poland 28 April - 14

May 2018 includes special moments not readily available to other groups such as conferences with the Sisters at the Convents, visit to the Archbishop's Residence in Krakow, seeing where Mary left her footprints in Lichen, visiting Plock where Jesus appeared to St. Faustina. All inclusive cost \$3,300 single and \$3150 for couples. Information: sbielec@sympatico.ca or 613-792-4272.

Steubenville Toronto

Calling all teens in Grades 8-12! Join over 1500 youth from across Ontario in attending Steubenville Toronto, an amazing high school youth conference, on July 13-15, 2018. It will be held at the UOIT Campus in Oshawa. For more info in attending with the Archdiocese of Kingston group contact Nadia at youth@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca. An info package and registration is also available on the Archdiocese of Kingston website under the Youth tab.

Chilawee Trails has overnight week long camps in August. For girls ages 9-14. Located in Barry's Bay it offers sports, daily Mass, swimming, rosary, crafts, confessions, canoe, and drama - a week of fun, friendship and faith awaits! Registration opens in March. Consider helping campers from low-income families. For more info: chilaweetrails.ca.



Dear Parish Musician:

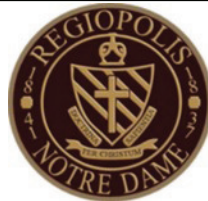
You are invited to the Archdiocese of Kingston Workshop for Liturgical Musicians,

scheduled for Saturday, 24 February 2018 at St. Paul the Apostle Church, Kingston. Plan to join musicians from across the Archdiocese. Archbishop O'Brien will be in attendance, and will preside at the Morning Prayer.

Registration Fee is \$10.00. Details and Registration Form at: www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca

The Archdiocese of Kingston is seeking a full time Financial Administrator. Details regarding the position can be found on: romancatholic.kingston.on.ca.

Archbishop O'Brien is pleased to announce the appointment of Kendra Foster as Receptionist/Secretary for the Archdiocese of Kingston.



Regiopolis-Notre Dame Catholic High School – **Grade 8 Information Night** on Thursday, February 22, 2018.

International Baccalaureate

Programme (IB) Information Session 5:30 - 6:20 pm Upper Room. **General Information Session** 6:30 - Cafetorium followed by an Open House of classrooms and displays in the school until 8:30 pm. Information: 613.545.1902.

Welcome to parishioners, visitors, friends & members of the Kindness Club.

PARISH CALENDAR:

Finance and Property: February 2018

St. John's Parish Council: tba

Catholic Women's League: tba

Legion of Mary: Tuesdays following 8 am Mass

Rosary at Carveth: 2nd Thursdays of the month

Knights of Columbus: 1st and 3rd Wednesdays

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