

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
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EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD
January 3, 2021

MASS  **SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS**



EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD

St. John

Saturday, January 2

5:00 p.m. **Cancelled**

Sunday, January 3

10:30 a.m. **Cancelled**

St. Philomena

Sunday, January 3

8:30 a.m. **Cancelled**

ST. JOHN'S WILL BE CLOSED FOR PERSONAL PRAYER

FOR THE FOR SEEABLE FUTURE DURING THE PROVINCIAL LOCK DOWN

WEEKDAY MASSES AT ST. JOHN'S

Tuesday, January 5

8:30 a.m. **Cancelled**

Wednesday, January 6

8:30 a.m. **Cancelled**

Thursday, January 7

8:30 a.m. **Cancelled**

Friday, January 8

8:30 a.m. **Cancelled**

BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

St. John

Saturday, January 9

5:00 p.m. **Cancelled**

Sunday, January 10

10:30 a.m. **Cancelled**

St. Philomena

Sunday, January 10

8:30 a.m. **Cancelled**



READINGS FOR January 10, Baptism of our Lord

First Reading: Isaiah 60.1-6

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 72

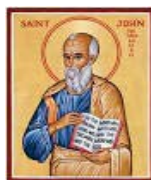
Second Reading: Ephesians 3.2-3a, 5-6

Gospel: Matthew 2.1-12



The Epiphany of Our Lord is the Christian feast observed on Jan. 3, 2021. The word "epiphany" comes from the Greek epiphainen, a verb that means "to shine upon," "to manifest," or "to make known." Thus, the feast of the Epiphany celebrates the many ways that Christ has made Himself known to the world, mainly the three events that manifested the mission and divinity of Christ: the visit of the Magi (Matthew 2:1-12), the baptism of Jesus (Mark 1:9-11), and the miracle at Cana (John 2:1-11).

The visit of the Magi is emphasized on Epiphany Day, and Christ's baptism is celebrated the first Sunday that follows. In the Epiphany, the Second Person of the Holy Trinity was worshiped by foreigners who had been led to Bethlehem, but the Magi knew only that the Holy Child was the long-awaited Messiah. Fast forward to the beginning of that Child's mature ministry, and there it is revealed that he is the Second Person of the Most Holy Trinity. Not until he was ascending to Heaven some three years later did he actually name the Trinity, but during the course of those years he gave hints of that triune economy.



	Weekly Contributions: Dec.24/25, 2020	
Thank you!	St. John	St. Philomena
Regular:	\$555.00	\$470.00
Christmas:	\$1,040.00	\$400.00
World Mission:		
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Ministry Schedules: St. John January 2, 2021 & January 3, 2021 **Cancelled**

Carveth:

Junior Liturgy:

Rosary:

Greeters/Ushers:

Lector:

Communion:

Gifts:

St. Philomena

January 3, 2021

Cancelled

Lector:

Holy Communion:

CANCELLED

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Sunday: 11:00 a.m. and 10:30 p.m.

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EWTN

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon
Monday-Saturday: 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.



ROME –Pope Francis issued a decree launching a special year dedicated to St. Joseph coinciding the anniversary of his declaration as Patron of the Catholic Church, hailing him as a model of fatherhood and a key intercessor in modern times. Published Dec. 8, on the 150th anniversary of Quemadmodum Deus by Pope Pius IX which declared St. Joseph patron of the Catholic Church, the decree formally instituted a year for St. Joseph, which will run until Dec. 8, 2021. “All faithful will thus have the opportunity to commit themselves, with the help of St. Joseph, head of the heavenly Family of Nazareth, comfort and relief from the serious human and social tribulations which today afflict the contemporary world,” it said.

**WASHROOMS WILL BE CLOSED
FOR EMERGENCY USE ONLY**

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Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You are present
in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were
already there and unite myself
wholly to You. Never permit me
to be separated from You.

Amen.



Not picked up your Church Envelopes Yet? Call the office to arrange pickup at 613-382-2017. Thank you for your continued generosity in support of our Parish.

**DAILY AND WEEKEND MASSES ARE
CANCELLED FROM DEC. 26 - JAN. 23
RESUMPTION OF MASSES WILL DEPEND ON
FUTURE PROVINCIAL REGULATIONS
REGARDING COVID 19.**

*Bless this year
with love and light.
Bless this year
with faith and sight.
Bless this year
with grace and ease.
Bless this year
with joy and peace.*

Mary Davis

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