

**ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST – GANANOQUE
ST. PHILOMENA – HOWE ISLAND
ST. PATRICK – LANSDOWNE
ST. BRENDAN - ROCKPORT**

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Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

**Welcome 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 Saturday Mass or by appointment with Father Tom.

Rosary:

Join us for the Rosary a half hour prior to Saturday Mass at St. John's.

Marriage:

Couples who are planning to enter into the Sacrament of Matrimony are asked to please contact the office to make an appointment with Father Tom at least 9-12 months in advance.

Baptism:

Please contact the parish office to obtain a registration form and information on the requirements of this sacrament.

St. John and St. Philomena Cemeteries:

Please contact the Parish Office.

Join 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.

St Joseph Elementary School:

235 Georgiana St., Gananoque, K7G 1M9
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16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat July 18th St. John 4:30 PM † Joan Reid
 Sat July 18th St. Brendan 6:00 PM People of the Parish
 Sun. July 19th St. Patrick 9:00 AM Liam Duffy for his birthday
 Sun July 19th St. John 10:30 AM † Dominico & Angelina Vaccaro

16th Week in Ordinary Time

Wed. July 22nd St. John 8:30 People of the Parish
 Thurs. July 23rd St. John 8:30 † Kevin Keyes
 Fri. July 24th St. John 8:30 followed by Adoration until 10 Nguyen Ba Hoa & Nguyen Thi Thu Suong

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat July 25th St. John 4:30 PM † Henry Knotek
 Sat July 25th St. Brendan 6:00 PM People of the Parish
 Sun. July 26th St. Patrick 9:00 AM Erica Davis
 Sun July 26th St. John 10:30 AM People of the Parish

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:

Rosita Ramales, Jean Mulvihill, Brenda Wing, Joan Rowland, Mark Mabee, Karen Wand, Colleen Bennett, Tracie Yuille, Judy Weir, Barbara MacNeill, Colleen Buchanan, Carol Laclair, Anna O'Hearn, Sarah Graham, Fr. Don Cummings & Fr. Gus Mendonça, Fr. Mac Burke, Fr. Leo Bryne, Fr. Sebastian Amato and Josephine Quesnel.

PRAYER FOR ETERNAL LIFE

Please remember all those who have entered eternal life.



The month of July is dedicated to
 The Precious Blood of Jesus

**The Pope's Intention for July
 For respect for human life**



Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.

Here at St. John,

we have a second collection whereby we ask for loose change that you might have in your pocket / wallet / purse. We call it the **Loonie/Toonie** collection. It is a contribution to our building/maintenance fund. To date this year the amount collected is **\$5549.25** every little bit helps! Thank you for your ongoing contributions!

Offering	St. John	St. Philomena
Sunday Offering	\$1679.00	\$45.00
Loose Cash	\$324.00	
Restoration Loonie/Toonie	\$201.90	
Restoration Fund	\$20.00	
Pope Pastoral Work	\$10.00	
Education of Seminarians	\$10.00	

Caution

**Extreme caution is required as we repair our sidewalk and front steps over the next few weeks.
 Please be careful.**

Children's Liturgy will start again on Sept. 13th.

JULY 19, 2026

Parish BBQ
Sunday, July 19th after 10:30 a.m. Holy Mass.



Bring your appetites. Bring a chair. Join Father Tom for an opportunity to grow our church community with fun and fellowship. We will need a few volunteers for this event. A signup sheet can be found at the back of the church.

Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in the day of Battle; be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell, Satan and all the other evil spirits, who prowl through the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

St. John Cemetery Holy Mass-Saturday, September 26th at 10 a.m. held at the cemetery.
More details to come.

We invite you and your child to join us for an **altar server training workshop following Holy Mass on Sunday, July 26th, 2026.** This session will cover essential topics for both current servers and those just starting out, ensuring everyone has the same foundation for their role. The workshop is expected to last approximately 40 minutes.



Prayer for the 200th Anniversary of the Archdiocese of Kingston

O Christ our King, who, for two centuries has built up the Archdiocese of Kingston upon the solid rock of Faith, grant that your people may know you, the Risen Christ, and through participating in your suffering and death, come at last to attain the glory of your resurrection. You, who live and reign with the Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. Amen.

New Office Hours effective immediately
Tuesday- Thursday 9-3 & Friday 9-1



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