

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST – GANANOQUE

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**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 Christian.

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 Christian 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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Regiopolis-Notre Dame High School:

130 Russell St., Kingston 613-545-1902

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 27, 2025

The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. John Parish

Sat., July 26 - 4:30 p.m. - † Joan Jarrell

Sun., July 27 - 10:30 a.m. - † Clint Modler



St. Brendan Parish

Sat., July 26 - 6:00 p.m. - The People of the Parish

St. Patrick Parish

Sunday, July 27 - 9:00 a.m. - Scott Klaben

WEEKDAY MASSES AT ST. JOHN PARISH

Wednesday, July 30 - 8:30 - † The Deceased
members of the Mike Adair family

Thursday, July 31 - 8:30 a.m. - Special Intentions

Friday, August 1 - 8:30 a.m. - † Julie Robertson

The Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. John Parish

Sat., August 2 - 4:30 p.m. - † Danny & Mary
Fitzgerald

Sun., August 3 - 10:30 a.m.- Dr. Richard & Pixie
Wilder

St. Brendan Parish

Sat., August 2 - 6 p.m.

St. Patrick Parish

Sunday, August 3 - 9 a.m.

The Pope's intention for July



For formation in discernment

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

IN YOUR PRAYERS

May the Lord grant healing and strength to families and friends who suffer physically, emotionally or spiritually and fortitude to theirs caregivers. We pray for Jean Mulvihill, Fr. Don Cummings & Fr. Gus Mendonça, Brenda Wing, Joan Rowland, Mark Mabee, Dan Hall, Al King, Karen Wand, Fr. Mac Burke, Fr. Leo Bryne, Colleen Bennett, Tracie Yuille, Margaret Leeder, Lily Anne Metcalfe, Christine Folke, Anne Warren, Judy Weir and Colleen Buchanan.

PRAYER FOR ETERNAL LIFE:

Please remember **John Delaney** & **Glenn Shine** and all those who have entered into eternal life.

Let us pray O ***Most Precious Blood of Jesus Christ***, we honour, worship and adore You because of Your work of the everlasting covenant that brings peace to mankind. Heal the wounds in the most Sacred Heart of Jesus. Console the Almighty Father on His throne and wash away the sins of the whole world.

PRAYERS AT THE END OF MASS

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 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.

Prayer for Priests and Priestly Vocations

Heavenly Father, please grant to Your faithful servants, the grace and strength to carry out Your mission for the church each day. Keep our priests close to you and continue to inspire them to serve others in Your holy name. Please inspire men who are called to a priestly vocation to answer Your call and participate in the fullness that You have planned for them. Amen.

PRAYERS AFTER COMMUNION

O Sacrament Most Holy! O Sacrament Divine!
All praise and all thanksgiving be every moment
Thine. *(Repeat three times)*

Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me.

Blood of Christ, inebriate me. Water from the side of Christ, wash me. Passion of Christ, strengthen me.

O good Jesus, hear me. Within Your wounds hide me. Suffer me not to be separated from You. From the malicious enemy, defend me. At the hour of death, call me, And bid me come unto You that with your saints I may live with You forever in Heaven. Amen.



Children's Liturgy
will resume Sept 12th

GANANOQUE FOOD BANK

is currently in need of: Canned Vegetables, Pasta
Canned fruit, Tea, Cookies, Toilet tissue,
Shampoo, Deodorant, Dish Soap

Discipleship Formation

By your Baptism, you're personally called to help
renew the Church. Your impact deepens as you live a
supernatural life united with Jesus and rooted in His
love. If you're feeling called to grow as a disciple, the
Encounter School of Ministry (ESM) is for you!
Summer Intensive: Want a preview of the ESM
experience? Join us August 11-14, from 6:15-9:30 PM
each night! Explore: Identity, Hearing God's Voice,
Healing, Inner Healing. Bring a friend and encounter the
Lord together! Learn more & register:
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The St. John/ St. Philomena CWL

Is hosting a Bake Sale
Sunday, August 3rd

It will be held at St. John's
after 10:30 a.m. Mass in the
parking lot. Any and all
parishioners are welcome to
contribute baking goods for this
event. Thank you.



Free coffee will be served

Upcoming Events

Save the Date! - September 07, 2025 at
12:00 noon St. John/St. Philomena Annual
CWL Luncheon at the Curling Club in
Gananoque. Bring a friend! More info to come.



This fall the CWL will be collecting socks, mitts and
toques. Start collecting or knitting!

The next regular meeting will be held Thursday,
September 18 at 7 p.m. in the sacristy at St. John's.

St. Rita's Drop-in Centre St. Mary's Cathedral
Outreach to the homeless and poor of the city.

1:00-3:30 pm.

Inquiries: paty@stmaryscathedral.ca

Here at St. John's we have a second collection where
by 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. Thus far in 2025 we have
accumulated **\$3,505**. Every little bit helps! Thank you
for your on-going contributions!

Offerings	St. John July 20	St. Philomena July 22
Regular Offering	\$1,263.00	\$50.00
Loose cash	\$125.35	
Electronic Funds ransfer	\$3,788.35	\$175.00
RESTORATION: Building Fund Loonie/Toonie	\$ \$157.30	



St. John/St. Philomena CWL is selling tickets on
this little gem. Handcrafted and donated by
Frank Fair, this model of a old gas station will
be a delight for any youngster or a youngster at heart!

The Draw will be after Mass on September 7, 2025.
Ticket are \$5 each or 3 for \$10.



MASS INTENTIONS ARE NEEDED

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.
An announced Mass intention is a cost of \$20;
an unannounced Mass is \$10.

**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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