

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

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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:**

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**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY OF  
ORDINARY TIME June 28, 2020**



**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

**St. John**

Saturday, June 27

5:00 p.m. †Roy Oullette

Sunday, June 28

10:30 a.m. †Patricia Cote

**St. Philomena**

Sunday, June 28

8:30 a.m. † Real Perron

**ST. JOHN'S WILL BE OPEN FOR  
PERSONAL PRAYER FROM  
9 am - 1 pm MONDAY TO FRIDAY**

**WEEKDAY MASSES AT ST. JOHN'S**

Tuesday, June 30

8:30 a.m. †Dennis Brennan

Thursday, July 2

8:30 a.m. †Patricia Parker

**FOURTEEN SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

**St. John**

Saturday, July 4

5:00 p.m. Steve & Lorraine O'Meara

50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

10:30 a.m. †Helen Keys McAllister

**St. Philomena**

Sunday, July 5

8:30 a.m. †Fernande Bonin



**READINGS FOR July 5th 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in  
Ordinary Time**

**First Reading:** Zechariah 9.9-10

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 145

**Second Reading:** Romans 8.9, 11-13

**Gospel:** Matthew 11.25

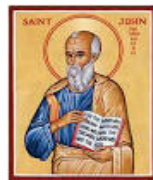


*O God, you created the earth to be our dwelling as we journey toward our heavenly home. We praise you for the riches of this land that feeds and sustains us.*

*We thank you for the kindness of those who welcomed the newcomers who settled here. We thank you for the faith of those who worked to build a just society that honours you.*

*We ask you to send your Spirit upon us. Open our hearts with gratitude for your blessings; with repentance for our failures; and grant us an unshakeable hope, to build a future that glorifies you in all things.*

*We ask you this in the name of Jesus Christ your Son and our Lord. Amen*



	Weekly Contributions: June 17, 2020	
Thank you!	St. John	St. Philomena
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Donation:		
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Cemetery	\$40.00	

GARDENERS for week of June 29

**KALLY & MARY ELIZABETH**



**Ministry Schedules:** St. John June 27, 2020

June 28, 2020

Carveth:

Junior Liturgy:

Rosary:

Greeters/Ushers:

Linda Beaupre

Christine Milks & Don Mills

Lector:

Donna McCauley

Yvonne Harper

Communion:

Marlene Sirosky

Mary Elizabeth MacDonald

Gifts:

St. Philomena

June 28, 2020

Lector: Norma

Holy Communion:

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**Monday-Saturday:** 1:00 p.m.

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**Monday-Saturday:** 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.  
**Sunday:** 11:00 a.m. and 10:30

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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.



Fr. Dale will hear confessions in the St. John parking lot Saturdays, from *NEW TIME* 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. or by appointment

## REOPENING THE CHURCH

- Anyone attending Mass does so at their own risk. If you are feeling unwell please stay home.
- Masks are recommended, not mandatory.
- Self distance 6 feet at all times.
- Hand sanitizing stations are set up in the Church, please utilize upon entering.
- Families who live together can sit together, all others stagger seating in pews.

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



Today's Gospel is the conclusion of the instructions and consolations that we have heard Jesus offering to his disciples during the past few weeks. In this passage, Jesus summarizes both the

costs of discipleship and its rewards. Once again our understanding of the Gospel is strengthened by considering the context in which it was written and the perspective of Matthew's audience. The conditions of discipleship outlined in Matthew's Gospel may appear harsh. Yet they underline for us a truth—choosing anything with one's whole heart has consequences. Choosing life with Christ means that every relationship we have must be understood from a new perspective. For many in Matthew's community, this choice brought division to their family.

Matthew also outlines the reward of hospitality offered to Jesus' followers. In today's Gospel, Jesus explains the difficulties of discipleship, yet reveals that those who welcome the disciples have also welcomed him. Today's Gospel also highlights for us the importance of hospitality in the Christian life. To welcome another in Jesus' name is to extend hospitality to Jesus himself. We have many opportunities in our daily life to reach out to others, to be a welcoming presence and a sign of God's love.



**STS. PETER AND  
PAUL, June 20**



**ST. THOMAS  
July 3**




Gracious and Loving God, We ask, now, for your almighty hand to be upon our graduates as they and their families celebrate this grand milestone. ... Bless their lives from this day on with goodness and success.



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