

# 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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## **Regiopolis-Notre Dame Catholic High School:**

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**FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT**  
**March 14, 2021**



**FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT**

**St. John**

Saturday, March 13

5:00 p.m. †Msgr. Walsh

Sunday, March 14

10:30 a.m. Sheila Brownrigg

**St. Philomena**

Sunday, March 14

8:30 a.m. †For the People

**ST. JOHN'S WILL BE OPEN  
 FOR PERSONAL PRAYER**

**TUESDAY - FRIDAY**

**9:00 AM - 1:00 P.M.**

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



Tuesday, March 16

7:00 p.m. † Sr. M. Hamilton

Stations of the Cross to Follow

Wednesday, March 17

8:30 a.m. †Theresa Smith

Thursday, March 18

8:30 a.m. †Zita Fisher



Friday, March 19

7:00 p.m. † Doris McAvoy

Stations of the Cross to Follow

**FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT**

**St. John**

Saturday, March 20

5:00 p.m. Debbie O'Toole

Sunday, March 21

10:30 a.m. † Eileen Sutton

**St. Philomena**

Sunday, March 21

8:30 a.m. For the People

**READINGS FOR March 21 5th Sunday of Lent**

**First Reading: Jeremiah 31.31-34**

**Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 51**

**Second Reading: Hebrews 5.7-9**

**Gospel: John 12.20-33**



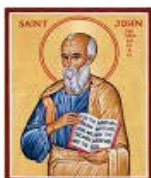
**DECEMBER 8, 2020 –  
 DECEMBER 8, 2021**

**150<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF  
 THE DECLARATION  
 OF ST. JOSEPH, PATRON OF THE  
 UNIVERSAL CHURCH**

Hail Guardian of the Redeemer,  
 Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.  
 To you, God entrusted His only Son,  
 In you, Mary placed her trust,  
 With you, Christ became man.  
 Blessed Joseph, to us too,  
 Show yourself a father and  
 Guide us in the path of life.  
 Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage  
 and defend us from every evil. Amen

**SOLEMNITY OF ST. JOSEPH March 19, 2021**

Everything we know about the husband of Mary and the foster father of Jesus comes from Scripture and that has seemed too little for those who made up legends about him. We know he was a carpenter, a working man, the skeptical Nazarenes ask about Jesus, "Is this not the carpenter's son?" (Matthew 13:55). He wasn't rich for when he took Jesus to the Temple to be circumcised and Mary to be purified he offered the sacrifice of two turtledoves or a pair of pigeons, allowed only for those who could not afford a lamb (Luke 2:24). Despite his humble work and means, Joseph came from a royal lineage. Luke and Matthew disagree some about the details of Joseph's genealogy but they both mark his descent from David, the greatest king of Israel (Matthew 1:1-16 and Luke 3:23-38). Indeed the angel who first tells Joseph about Jesus greets him as "son of David," a royal title used also for Jesus.



	<b>Weekly Contributions: Mar. 7, 2021</b>	
<b>Thank you!</b>	St. John	St. Philomena
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<b>Catholic Miss.</b>		
<b>Fuel:</b>	\$410.00	
<b>Initial Off.</b>		

**Ministry Schedules: St. John March 13, 2021 & March 14, 2021**

**Carveth:**

**Junior Liturgy:**

**Rosary:**

**Greeters/Ushers:**

**Lector:**

**Communion:**

**Gifts:**

**St. Philomena**

**Lector: Dianne**

**Diane Oulette**

**Maryln Jacobson**

**Marlene Sirosky**

**Mary Elizabeth MacDonald**

**Joan Dillon**

**March 14, 2021**

**Holy Communion:**

**Fr. Dale**

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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.**



**STATIONS of the CROSS**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS WILL BE HELD AT  
ST. JOHN'S PARISH ON TUESDAY,  
MARCH 16TH @ 7:00 P.M. AND FRIDAY,  
MARCH 19 @ 7:00 P.M.**



**PLEASE CALL AHEAD TO BOOK YOUR  
SPOT FOR HOLY THURSDAY, GOOD  
FRIDAY, EASTER VIGIL AND EASTER  
SUNDAY; WE WILL BE AT 30% CAPACITY.**



**CONFESSIONS FOR HOLY WEEK**

**ST. PHILOMENA: IN PARKING LOT OR CHURCH  
WEATHER PERMITTING SATURDAY,  
MARCH 27 @ 10:00 A.M.**

**ST. JOHN: IN PARKING LOT OR CHURCH  
WEATHER PERMITTING SATURDAY,  
MARCH 27 @ 1:00 P.M.  
FRIDAY, APRIL 2 @ 9:00 A.M.**

**CONFESSIONS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE BY  
APPOINTMENT, PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE  
@ 613-382-2017**

**LITURGIES FOR HOLY WEEK**

**PALM SUNDAY**

**ST. PHILOMENA: MARCH 28 @ 8:30 A.M.  
ST. JOHN: MARCH 27 @ 5:00 P.M.  
MARCH 28 @ 10:30 A.M**

**HOLY THURSDAY**

**JOHN: APRIL 1 @ 7:30 P.M.**

**GOOD FRIDAY**

**ST. JOHN: April 2 @ 11:00 A.M.  
STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

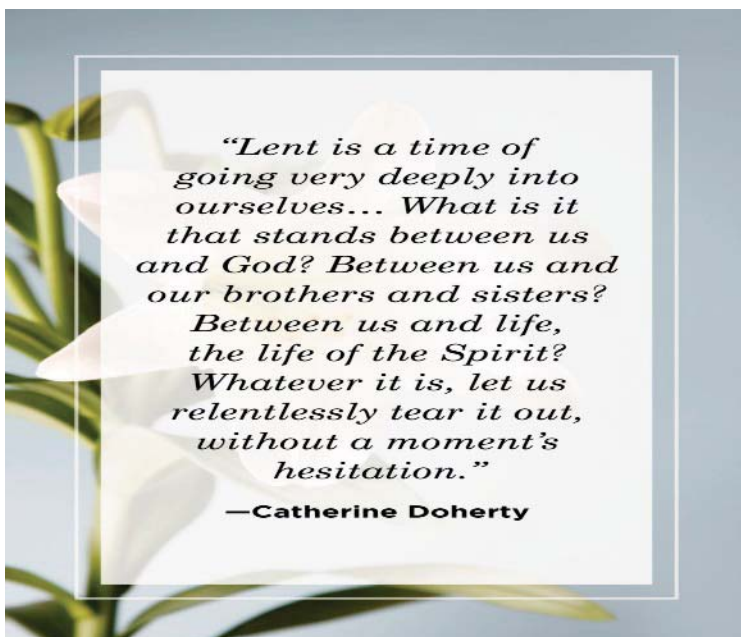
**@ 3:00 P.M. CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S  
PASSION**

**EASTER VIGIL**

**ST. JOHN: APRIL 3 @ 8:00 P.M.**

**EASTER SUNDAY**

**ST. PHILOMENA: April 4 @ 8:30 A.M.  
ST. JOHN: April 4 @ 10:30 A.M.**



*"Lent is a time of  
going very deeply into  
ourselves... What is it  
that stands between us  
and God? Between us and  
our brothers and sisters?  
Between us and life,  
the life of the Spirit?  
Whatever it is, let us  
relentlessly tear it out,  
without a moment's  
hesitation."*

**—Catherine Doherty**

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