

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:

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
Day of Prayer for Vocations May 8, 2022



FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

St. John

Saturday, May 7

5:00 p.m. - In Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

Sunday, May 8

10:30 a.m. - For Mothers Living and Deceased

St. Philomena

Sunday, May 8

8:30 a.m. - For Mothers Living and Deceased

**ST. JOHN'S WILL CLOSE
 FOLLOWING MORNING MASS AS A
 TEMPORARY SECURITY MEASURE
 ST. PHILOMENA'S WILL BE CLOSED
 ONLY OPEN AT MASS TIME**

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

Tuesday, May 10

8:30 a.m. - Special Intention

Wednesday, May 11

8:30 a.m. - Special Intention

Thursday, May 12

8:30 a.m. - †Sylvie Trudeau

Friday, May 13

8:30 a.m. - †Fr. Frank O'Connor

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

St. John

Saturday, May 14

5:00 p.m. - Rosita Ramales

Sunday, May 15

10:30 a.m. - Special Intention

St. Philomena

Sunday, May 15

8:30 a.m. - For the People

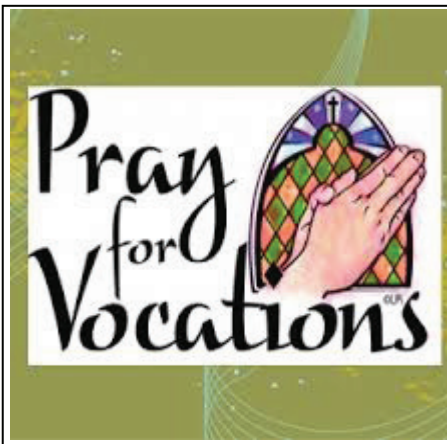
READINGS FOR May 15, Fifth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 14.21b-27

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 145

Second Reading: Revelation 21.1-1-5a

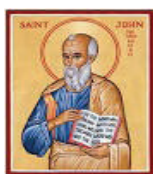
Gospel: John 13.1, 31-33a, 34-35



Almighty Father, You have created for us some definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for us in this life and to respond with a generous "Yes." Make our archdiocese, parishes, homes and hearts fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations.



O almighty and eternal God, Lord of both the living and the dead, Your tender mercy embraces all foreknown to be Yours by faith and a good life. Through the intercession of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary our Mother, and of all the saints, grant Your merciful pardon to all mothers for whom we pray, whether they still are living in this world or have departed from this flesh into the world to come. Especially, dear Lord, grant the requests I now make of You for my own beloved mother.



	Weekly Contributions: May 1, 2022	
Thank you!	St. John	St. Philomena
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Ministry Schedules: St. John May 14, 2022 & May 15, 2022

Carveth:

Junior Liturgy:

Rosary:

Greeters/Ushers:

Lector:

Gifts:

Holy Communion:

Mary Haesler

Sharon Carmichael

Lorraine O'Meara

June Nalon

Gerry Brosso

Joan Dillon

Mary Elizabeth McDonald

St. Philomena

May 15, 2022

Lector: Marilyn McCauley

Holy Communion: Fr. Dale

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



***POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER
INTENTION FOR MAY***

For faith-filled young people

We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.

The little village of Lu, northern Italy, with only a few thousand inhabitants, is in a rural area 90 kilometers east of Turin. It would still be unknown to this day if, in the year 1881, the family mothers of Lu had not made a decision that had "serious consequences". Under the direction of their parish priest, Msgr. Alessandro Canora, they gathered every Tuesday for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, asking the Lord for vocations. They received Holy Communion on the first Sunday of every month with the same intention. After Mass, all the mothers prayed a particular prayer together imploring for vocations to the priesthood.

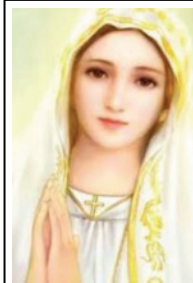
SEASONAL WORK OPPORTUNITY

Are you a handyman? Would you be open to doing small jobs, painting, etc... on Howe Island? Please call Denise at 613-766-8228 if you are interested. Thank you.



Congratulations and Thank you to the women of St. John the Evangelist and St. Philomena

Parish on a successful 100th CWL Convention, held in Kingston over last weekend. It was wonderful to gather in faith under the theme Catholic and Living It! Also to Fr. Dale on his retirement as Diocesan CWL Spiritual Advisor. Fr. Stephane Pouliot has taken over as Spiritual Advisor, we wish him well.



OUR LADY OF FATIMA - May 13

Mother of all individuals and peoples, you know all their sufferings and hopes. In your motherly heart you feel all the struggles between good and evil, between light and darkness, that convulse the world: accept the plea which we make in the Holy Spirit directly to your heart, and embrace with the love of the Mother and Handmaid of the Lord those who most await this embrace, and also those whose act of entrustment you too await in a particular way. Take under your motherly protection the whole human family, which with affectionate love we entrust to you, O Mother. May there dawn for everyone the time of peace and freedom, the time of truth, of justice and of hope.

From the tiny village of Lu came 323 vocations!: 152 priests (diocesan and religious), and 171 nuns belonging to 41 different congregations.

Every ten years, the priests and sisters born in Lu come together from all around the world. Fr. Mario Meda, the long-serving parish priest of Lu, explained that this reunion is a true celebration, a feast of thanksgiving to God who has done such great things for Lu. Below is the simple but powerful prayer they said:

***A Mother's/Grandmother's Prayer for
Vocations***

**O God, grant that one of my
sons/grandsons may become a priest!
I myself want to live as a good Christian
and want to guide my children
always to do what is right,
so that I may receive the grace,
O God, to be allowed to give you
a holy priest! Amen.**



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