

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:

235 Georgiana St., Gananoque K7G 1M9
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**THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY OF
ORDINARY TIME October 31, 2021**



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St. John

Saturday, October 30

5:00 p.m. - Betty Turcotte

Sunday, October 31

10:30 a.m.- †Ken Stewart

St. Philomena

Sunday, October 31

8:30 a.m.- †Gordon McCauley

**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, November 2 - All Souls Day

8:30 a.m. - †Spec. Int. - Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, November 3

8:30 a.m. - Mary Bird Flynn

Thursday, November 4

8:30 a.m. - Theresa Johnson

Friday, November 5

8:30 a.m.- Spec. Intention

**THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY
OF ORDINARY TIME**

St. John

Saturday, November 6

5:00 p.m.- †Theresa Donald

Sunday, November 7

10:30 a.m. - †Special Intention

St. Philomena

Sunday, November 7

8:30 a.m. - †Frank & Dorothy McCauley

**READINGS FOR November 7, Thirty Second Sunday
of Ordinary Time**

First Reading: 1 Kings 17.10-16

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 146

Second Reading: Hebrews 9.24-28

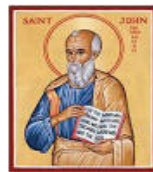
Gospel: Mark 12.38-44



O Saint Joseph, whose protection is so great, so strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I place in you all my interests and desires.

O Saint Joseph, do assist me by your powerful intercession and obtain for me from your divine Son all spiritual

blessings through Jesus Christ, Our Lord, so that having experienced here below your heavenly power, I may offer my thanksgiving and homage to the most loving of fathers. O Saint Joseph, I never weary of contemplating you and Jesus asleep in your arms. I dare not approach while He reposes near your heart. Hold Him close in my name and kiss His fine head from me, and ask Him to return the kiss when I draw my dying breath. St. Joseph, patron of departing souls, pray for me. Amen.



	Weekly Contributions: Oct. 24, 2021	
Thank you!	St. John	St. Philomena
Regular:	\$1,376.00	\$115.00
Fuel:		
Popes Pastoral Work:		
Easter Sunday:		
World Mission Sunday	\$284.00	
Cemetery Fund:		
Restoration Fund:	\$80.00	
EFT:		

Ministry Schedules: St. John October 30, 2021 & October 31, 2021

Carveth:

Junior Liturgy:

Rosary:

Greeters/Ushers:

Lector:

Gifts:

Holy Communion:

St. Philomena

Lector: Volunteer

Dianne Ouellet

Frank Fair

Marlene Sirosky

Maryln Jacobsen

Sabrina Gifford

October 31, 2021

Holy Communion: Fr. Dale

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

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Mass for your phone**

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

**Providence
Care**

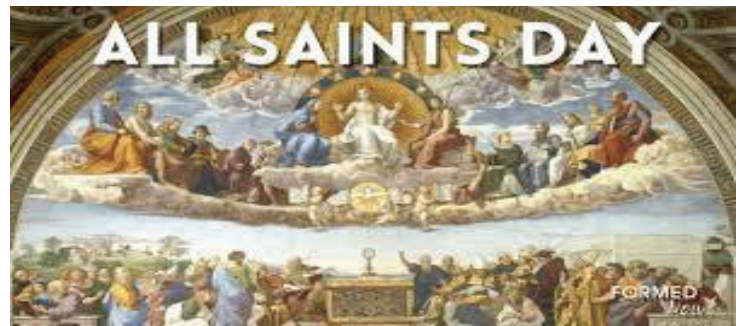
***PROVIDENCE CARE, PROVIDENCE MANOR
SITE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES*** needs

volunteers from parishes in the Archdiocese of Kingston to assist the Roman Catholic Residents with their spiritual needs in the following ways: Assist residents going to and from Mass at the Manor weekdays (10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon) which includes pushing wheelchairs and walking alongside residents who require assistance/supervision.

Be part of the team of Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to the residents on the units.

If you feel God is calling you to any of these ministries, please contact Patricia Van Boxmeer, Spiritual Health Secretary for Providence Care at 613-544-4900, ext. 52183 or email vanboxmp@providencecare.ca You will be required to show proof of being fully vaccinated.

**CONFESSIONS WILL BE HELD IN THE
PARKING LOT AT ST. JOHN'S SATURDAYS
10:00 A.M.-11:00 A.M. OR WITH FR. DALE
BY APPOINTMENT**



All Saints' Day is a solemn holy day of the Catholic Church celebrated annually on November 1. The day is dedicated to the saints of the Church, that is, all those who have attained heaven. It should not be confused with All Souls' Day, which is observed on November 2, and is dedicated to those who have died and not yet reached heaven. Although millions, or even billions of people may already be saints, All Saints' Day observances tend to focus on known saints --that is those recognized in the canon of the saints by the Catholic Church.

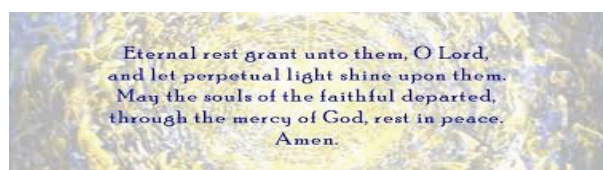


All Souls Day is a holy day set aside for honouring the dead. The day is primarily celebrated in the Catholic Church, but it is also celebrated in the Eastern

Orthodox Church and a few other denominations of Christianity.

According to Catholic belief, the soul of a person who dies can go to one of three places. The first is heaven, where a person who dies in a state of perfect grace and communion with God goes. The second is hell, where those who die in a state of mortal sin are naturally condemned by their choice. The intermediate option is purgatory, which is thought to be where most people, free of mortal sin, but still in a state of lesser (venial) sin, must go. Purgatory is necessary so that souls can be cleansed and perfected before they enter into heaven.

There is scriptural basis for this belief. The primary reference is in 2 Maccabees, 12:26 and 12:32. "Turning to supplication, they prayed that the sinful deed might be fully blotted out... Thus made atonement for the dead that they might be free from sin." Purgatory is necessary so that souls can be cleansed and perfected before they enter into heaven.



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