

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The St. John the Apostle parish community, inspired by the Holy Spirit, strives to witness to the presence of Christ
(Parish established October 8, 1966)

Pastor: Rev. Lindsay Harrison
Deacon: Deacon Victor Mesta
Office Administrator: Franca Morrison
Bookkeeping: Pearl Beausoleil
Maintenance: Steve Short

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday -Thursday, 9:00 - 12:00; 1:00 - 3:30

DEVOTIONS:

Rosary: Prayed before weekday Mass 8:30 am
Divine Mercy Chaplet: Following Tuesday morning Mass

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Baptismal preparation is required. Please call the Parish Office 613-829-1760.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Preparation is required.
Please call the Parish Office 613-829-1760 at least nine months in advance.

PASTORAL CARE: If you or a family member is sick at home or in hospital, please contact our Pastoral Care Team to have someone visit you and bring Communion. Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements for the Sacrament of the Sick.

FINANCE COUNCIL: Ray Kostuch (Chair) John Schembri
Chris Pereira

Building Committee: Gino Brancatelli Paul Gillis
Bob Williamson Peter Garvey Jack Belletrutti

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC):

Daniel Hogan (Chair) Divina Hogan (Sec.)
Bill Roblin Pat Fagan Louise Hennessy
Ian Moffat

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday: 5:00 pm Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:30 am,
Children's Liturgy generally at 10:30 am Mass (*Sept. to June*)

Weekday Liturgy

Eucharist: Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri at 9:00 am
and 1st Saturday of month: 9:00 am

CONFESSIONS: 8:40 am Tuesday - Friday
Saturdays 4:00 - 4:30 pm; and on request

ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE PARISH PARISH MINISTRIES AND GROUPS

BAPTISMAL INQUIRIES	Parish Office	stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
BEREAVEMENT GROUP	Mary Ellen Henniger		613-224-0030
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE	Rosemary Fikis	r.fikis@rogers.com	613-723-0728
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Lynn Dal Farra	dalfarra@rogers.com	613-721-8111
CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION	Parish Office	stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
COUNTERS	Eileen Gallant	eileen.gallant@sympatico.ca	613-828-0778
CURSILLO REPRESENTATIVE	Louise Hennessy	lhennessy1976@gmail.com	(Monthly Ultreya - first Saturday after 9:00 am mass)
FUNERAL LITURGY TEAM	Parish Office	stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS	Phil Batty	battypil1@gmail.com	613-406-8434
LEGION OF MARY	Angela Beimers	red_rose_angela31@outlook.com	613-829-0320
LITURGY COMMITTEE	Divina Hogan	SJALitCom@yahoo.ca	613-820-7852
MARRIAGE PREPARATION INQUIRIES	Parish Office	stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Ming Leung	Mingdee@gmail.com	613-721-3834
MUSIC MINISTRY	Parish Office	stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
NEW EVANGELIZATION GROUP	Divina Hogan	SJALitCom@yahoo.ca	613-820-7852
PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC)	Daniel Hogan (Chair)	daniel_hogan_sja@yahoo.ca	613-820-7852
PASTORAL CARE	Mary Ellen Henniger		613-224-0030
PRO-LIFE MINISTRY	Deborah La Riccia	deborahlariccia@rogers.com	613-820-3580
	Help Line for crisis pregnancy		1-800-665-0570
READERS/COMMENTATORS	Laura Recoskie	lrecoskie@gmail.com	613 596-0905
RECEPTION (VOLUNTEERS)	Joan and Helene	reception.sjap@gmail.com	613-829-1760
RESPONSIBLE MINISTRY	Audrey Kostuch	AudreyKostuch@rogers.com	613-721-3549
SACRISTANS/ENVIRONMENT	Angela Beimers		613-829-0320
SOCIAL OUTREACH COMMITTEE	Call the parish office	stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
USHERS	Gerry Fikis	g.fikis@rogers.com	613-723-0728

FOOD BANKS	Morrison Gardens Food Bank		613-596-6229
	Pinecrest Food Cupboard		613-596-6703

AREA SCHOOLS			
Our Lady of Victory	613-828-5594	St. John XXIII	613-226-6223
St. John the Apostle	613-828-0644	St. Paul High School	613-820-9705

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

The people of St. John the Apostle Parish Community extend a warm welcome to our parish family! Kindly introduce yourself to the priest and register your family with our community. Please call the parish office if you have any questions. (Please complete the information below and place in the collection basket)

NAME: _____ TEL: _____ ADDRESS: _____ Postal Code: _____

PARISH INTEREST: _____ WOULD YOU LIKE TO USE SUNDAY COLLECTION ENVELOPES? Yes ___ No ___

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
Feb. 9th – 10th – Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time		
5:00 pm	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Murray Butler	Bill Roblin
	#2 Dee Simons	Ian Moffat Teresa Wong
8:00 am	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Michel Lavoie	Eileen Garvey
	#2 Jeff Hill	Jeff Hill Evariste Theriault
10:30 am	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Judith Gray	Harrison Peiris
	#2 Laura Recoskie	Fatima Peiris Fran Herman Joan Doherty Deborah La Riccia

*If you are unable to serve as scheduled,
Please ensure that you have found a replacement.*

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tuesdays : Legion of Mary - 9:30 am Small Assembly Room
Wednesdays: Euchre – 12:30 pm in Small Assembly Room
 Liturgy of the Word or Mass at Redwoods - 1:30 pm
Fridays: Liturgy of the Word or Mass at West End Villa - 2:15 pm
Sundays: Mass at Valley Stream Manor - 11:00 am
Mon. to Fri. After School Group: 3 – 6 pm Small Assembly Room

Tues. Feb. 5th	SJA Calendar Update Meeting	7:00pm Boardroom
Wed. Feb. 6th	RCIA	7:00pm Boardroom
Wed. Feb. 6th	Choir Rehearsal	7:15pm Church
Thurs. Feb. 7th	Bible Study	7:00pm Main Hall
Fri. Feb. 8th	Pro-life Committee	9:30am Boardroom

DATES TO REMEMBER

February 9th – KofC Spaghetti Dinner

March 3rd – SJA Family Funday



The Knights of Columbus are holding their **Annual Spaghetti dinner next Saturday, February 9th** at 6 pm. Tickets will be available after all masses this weekend. Tickets will also be made available from the Parish office. Tickets are \$14 for adults, \$6 for children 12 and under and \$35 for a family (parents and children).

SJA FAMILY FUNDAY: Time is running out to join us for our **SJA Family Funday** to see the Ottawa 67s junior hockey team play on Sunday, March 3rd (afternoon). **Advance ticket sales of \$30 per person** will take place before and after each weekend Mass and through the Parish Office until February 10th. Payment will include a receipt for a ticket, a hotdog, unlimited pop, and a bus ride to and from the game. You can even skate on the ice afterwards with the players if you wish so come out with your children, grandchildren, and friends to this fun parish event!



Old Easter Palms: Please bring in any of your old palms and place in the boxes provided at both entrances of the Church. These palms are burned to use for Ash Wednesday. Thank you.

In January, we welcomed into our parish family through the saving waters of baptism:



**Johnny Thomas Jupe
Priya Mikayla Crabtree
Madden Wayne Crabtree**

May God's graces and blessings be with them as they grow in wisdom. We congratulate their parents.



**Today's Second Reading:
1 Corinthians 13:1-8**

Brothers and sisters, strive for the greater gifts. And I will show you a still more excellent way.

If I speak in the tongues of human beings and of Angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. If I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.

Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never ends.

Intentions of the Holy Father – February

For a generous welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and violence.



SUNDAY SMILE

Anthony comes home after his regular Saturday golf game and his wife Louise asks why he doesn't include Mac Johnson in the games anymore. Anthony asks, "Would you want to play with a guy who regularly cheats, swears outrageously over everything, lies about his score, and has nothing good to say about anyone else on the course?"

"Of course I wouldn't" said Louise.

"Well" mutters Anthony, "neither does Mac Johnson."

The Oasis in Kanata, a place for caregivers of people with mental illness, presents a free information session: *Stress Reduction for Caregivers*. Yoga Instructor Monika Herr will explain and demonstrate tools caregivers can use to reduce their stress levels. No previous experience is necessary. Participants may take part in the exercises while seated on chairs. Exercise clothing or Yoga mats are not required. **February 11th at 7pm** at the Glen Cairn United Church, 140 Abbeyhill. www.TheOasisKanata.ca.

"Called and Gifted" Spiritual Gifts Introductory

Workshop: Presented by Catherine of Siena Institute. For anyone interested in learning about the charisms the Lord has given you and how to effectively serve the people around you. St. Mary's Parish, 100 Young St., **Saturday, Feb. 23rd**, 9am-5pm. Cost \$60. Info: spiritual.gifts@stmarysottawa.ca; 613-728-9811x734. Limited space

Unbound Five Keys Conference: The Father's

Blessing. Speakers: Miriam Wright and Fr. Rob Arsenault, CC, Saturday, March 30th, 9am-4pm at Holy Redeemer Parish, 44 Rothesay Dr., Mass at 8am celebrated by Bishop Christian Riesbeck, CC. Info and registration: unboundottawaregister@gmail.com by March 20th. Cost: \$25 payable on the day of the conference. Lunch not provided.

The New Evangelization Summit: Featuring Catholic speakers: Michael Dopp, Fr. James Mallon, Cardinal Gerald Lacroix, and Michelle Moran. Webcast to host sites across Canada and the US. Register for free online to be inspired, formed and connected with like-minded Catholics. Infinity Convention Centre, Ottawa, **May 4th**. Info: www.newevangelization.ca

Mass Intentions

Sat. Feb. 2nd – 9:00am

For the protection of all human life.

Sat. Feb. 2nd – 5:00pm

†Christina La Riccia by Mom

†Claire Belter by Karen Mayer and Luc Jobin

Health of Bill Roblin by Ian and Margaret, Oliver and Carol, Graeme and Laura, Jeff, Gwen, Teresa

Sun. Feb. 3rd – 8:00am

†Jim Sullivan by the family

†Bert Randall by Betty Randall

†Lillian Fortier by Joe and Cheryl Fortier

Sun. Feb. 3rd – 10:30am

For the intentions of our parishioners.

Wed. Feb. 6th – 9:00am

Intentions of Pat and Joe Mangione by Anne and Roydon Kealey

Fri. Feb. 8th – 9:00am

†Laurie Ann Zatychech

Sat. Feb. 9th – 5:00pm

For the intentions of our parishioners.

Sun. Feb. 10th – 8:00am

†Bob Stephen by the family

†Bea Brown by the CWL

Deceased members of the Cain and Schroeder families by Pat and John Schroeder

Sun. Feb. 10th – 10:30am

†Rosalie Ash by the Miura family

†Bea Brown by the Pastoral Care Team

Birthday blessings for Fr. Lindsay by Alem and

Tsegenet, Carlos and Mena, Dave and Lynn,

George and Leonora, Peter and Maria, Teresa

† indicates deceased

Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them, especially Clare Miura and Maureen McBain. Prayers and sympathy for those who have passed away.

Donations: Pre-authorized Debit (PAD) is available for you to make your monthly/bi-monthly contributions to our parish for both the Sunday collection and Building and Mortgage donations. This means that once we have the necessary information and set it up, the transfer will be automatic from your bank account to the parish bank account. Please see the information and application forms on the bulletin board at both entrances to the church, or contact the bookkeeper, Pearl Beausoleil at 613-829-4908.



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