

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
Deacons: Deacon Greg Vaughn
 Deacon Fred Jardine
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 John Ware

Building Committee: Gino Brancatelli Paul Gillis
 Peter Garvey John Schembri

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC):
 Daniel Hogan (Chair) Divina Hogan (Sec.)
 Bill Roblin Pat Fagan
 Louise Hennessy Ian Moffat Jeff Alguire

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: 8:30 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
CHILDREN'S RELIGION PROGRAM	(for children attending a public or private school) Parish Office stjohnap@magma.ca	613-829-1760
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	Bob Williamson lilandbob@bell.net	613-829-1805
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
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 Help Line for crisis pregnancy	613-820-3580 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	Theresa Verver theresa.verver@gmail.com	613-723-3157
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 Pincrest Food Cupboard	613-596-6229 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 ___

FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
Feb. 10th – Feb. 11th - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time		
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
5:00 pm.	#1 Peter Stoop #2 Christopher Vernell	Bill Roblin Ann Perry Ian Moffat
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
8:00 am.	#1 Ted Stephen #2 Francine Conlin	Evariste Theriault Ted Stephen Angela Beimers
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
10:30 am.	#1 Janet Snider Belot #2 Judith Gray	Terry Durham Fran Herman Albert Routhier Harrison Peiris Fatima Peiris

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

Mon. Feb. 5th	KofC Executive	7:00pm SAR
Tues. Feb. 6th	Liturgy Committee	5:30pm Boardroom
Fri. Feb. 9th	Pro-Life Committee	9:30am Boardroom
Sat. Feb. 10th	Cursillo	9:30am SAR

DATES TO REMEMBER

Feb. 13th – Pancake Dinner

March 3rd to 6th – Parish Lenten Mission

March 7th – Parish Reconciliation Service



The Catholic Women's League
and the Knights of Columbus are co-hosting a Pancake Dinner on **Shrove Tuesday, February 13th** from 5:30 pm until 7:00 pm in the Main hall. All parishioners, families and friends are invited to our meal of pancakes, sausages, beans, dessert, coffee and tea. There will be a free will offering with all the profits donated to the Parish.

Parish Lenten Mission: At the weekend masses of March 3rd/4th and at 7:00 pm on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, March 4th – 6th, The theme is "*Faith, Hope and Love: Living the Call to Holiness.*" It will be preached by Fr. Ryan Holly, pastor of Our Lady of Fatima, Renfrew, and St. Patrick's Parish, Mount St. Patrick, as well as Judicial Vicar for the Diocese of Pembroke. Fr. Holly was raised in Cormac, Ontario, and was ordained in 2005. He studied at St Peter Seminary in London, ON, and at The Catholic University of America in Washington, DC. Mark the dates on your calendar!



Parish Lenten Penitential Service
 Wednesday, March 7th, 7:00pm in the Church



The Canonical Norms for Lent are as follows: Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. All Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence.

Fasting binds all persons who have completed their 18th birthday through those who have completed their 59th year, unless prevented by poor health. On days of fast, one full meal is allowed. Two other meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's own needs. Eating between meals is not allowed although fluids may be taken.

Abstinence binds all persons who have completed their 14th birthday, unless prevented by poor health. In the Archdiocese of Ottawa, the consumption of meat is not allowed on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all Fridays of Lent. Religious practices such as daily Mass, going to Confession, the Stations of the Cross, works of charity and justice, and acts of self-denial are highly encouraged.



Stations of the Cross in Lent - This prayer commemorates Our Lord's passion and death on the cross and will be held in the church **on all Friday evenings during Lent, beginning Friday, February 16.** Various ministries lead each evening's prayer, with the Knights of Columbus leading the first Friday's Stations. All are welcome to attend. It is a great Lenten prayer to help appreciate the sacrifice that Jesus made for us.



SUNDAY SMILE

Bob had just finished reading a new bestseller book entitled, *'You Can Be THE MAN of Your House'* Inspired, he called his wife into the kitchen and announced, "From now on, you need to know that I am THE MAN of this house and my word is Law. You'll prepare me a gourmet meal tonight, and when I'm finished eating my meal, you'll serve me a sumptuous dessert. Afterwards, you're going to draw me a bath so I can relax. You'll wash my back and towel me dry and bring me my robe. Then, you'll massage my feet and hands. Then tomorrow..... guess who's going to dress me and comb my hair?" His wife Mary replied, "The funeral director would be my first guess."

Our Parish Easter Triduum is fast approaching. If you sing or play an instrument, you are most welcome to come out to join our **Easter Triduum Choir**. We will be leading music at all the services between Holy Thursday to Easter morning. (March 29th to April 1st) ***Rehearsals are on:*** Sundays, Feb. 25th, Mar. 4th and Mar. 21st, from 12:30pm to 3:00pm in the church and on Wednesdays, Feb. 28th, Mar. (7th), Mar. 21st and Mar. 28th, at 7:30pm in the church. All are welcome to attend. Contact Divina Hogan (SJALitCom@yahoo.ca) for more details.

Subscribe to Living with Christ and help raise funds for the Parish: Forms for subscriptions to Living with Christ are available at both entrances. The publisher will provide the Parish with a donation for each new subscription or renewal submitted. Completed forms and payment must be returned directly to the parish office by March 15th in order to be eligible.

Intentions of the Holy Father: February

That those who have material, political or spiritual power may resist any lure of corruption.

Mass Intentions

Sat. Feb. 3rd – 9:00 am
 †Mr. and Mrs. Poon by their daughter
 Intentions of Rose Poon by Andria Poon

Sat. Feb. 3rd – 5:00 pm
 †Godfrey Harris Fournier by the family
 †Suzanne Levesque by Doris Lam
 †Reginald Harris by the Perry Family

Sun. Feb. 4th – 8:00 am
 †Bert Randall by Betty Randall
 †Bob Stephen by the family
 †Charles Van Dusen by Pat Berdnikoff

Sun. Feb. 4th – 10:30 am
 Intentions of our parishioners

Tues. Feb. 6th – 9:00 am
 †Janet Van Duzer by her family
 †David Foster by Maureen Foster

Wed. Feb. 7th – 9:00 am
 †Janet Van Duzer by her family

Sat. Feb. 10th – 5:00 pm
 †Quentin Darr by The Darr Family
 †Terri Mahoney, Larry Zita and Mary Granville by Ron and Gerri Mahoney
 For the health of Deacon Greg Vaughn by Connie, Del, John and Teresa

Sun. Feb. 11th – 8:00 am
 For the intentions of our parishioners

Sun. Feb. 11th – 10:30 am
 †Thomas Anzai, by Connie, Del, Bob and MaryLou, Ming and Catherine, Jasbir and Lea
 † Shirley Kennedy by Phil Kennedy
 †George Nyvlt by his family

† indicates deceased

Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them especially Mariette Norris, Rita Mutsch, Greg Vaughn, Florence Lair and Bob McGaraughty. 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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