

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. Emeka Onyeogubalu
 Deacon: Deacon Victor Mesta
 Office Administrator: Franca Morrison
 Bookkeeping: Joanne Bazdell
 Maintenance: Steve Short

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

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

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

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

SACRAMENTS OF FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION:

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.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Please call the Parish Office 613-829-1760 to make arrangements.

FUNERAL ENQUIRIES: Please contact the Parish Office 613-829-1760.

FINANCE COUNCIL: Ray Kostuch (Chair) John Schembri
 Chris Pereira Marie Weerasooriya-Epps

BUILDING COMMITTEE: Gino Brancatelli (Chair) Paul Gillis
 Bob Williamson John Schembri
 Don Percy Adel Iskandar

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: Ian Moffat (Chair)
 Rosemary Fikis Heather Petti Mary Jean Thompson
 Fred Adibe Sandra Brancatelli Deacon Victor Mesta
 Jeff Alguire Christine Buccione Richard Abakah-Akumah

Sunday Eucharist

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

Weekday Liturgy

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

Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet: prayed before weekday Mass 8:30am
 Eucharistic Adoration: First Friday of the Month, following 9am Mass
 until 10:30am

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

PARISH MINISTRIES AND GROUPS

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE	Rosemary Fikis	fikism@proton.me	
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Lynn Dal Farra		613-721-8111
COUNTERS	Kerri Courville	courvillek3@gmail.com	
DIVINE MERCY CENACLE:	Doreen Aaron	doreen.aaron@gmail.com	
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Council 10470	Jamie Burnett	jamesmichaelburnett@gmail.com	613-447-0489
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Mary Jean Thompson	r.thompson1@rogers.com	613-226-7219
MUSIC MINISTRY 5pm	Joanne Parenteau	joanneparenteau@gmail.com	
8am	Jamie Burnett	jamesmichaelburnett@gmail.com	613-224-8081
10:30am	Lisa-Marie Flynn	lisamarielynn13@gmail.com	613-614-5566
PRO-LIFE MINISTRY	James Lariviere	jmlariv@protonmail.com	613-883-8670
	Family Support Center		1-800-665-0570
READERS/COMMENTATORS	Laura Recoskie	irecoskie@gmail.com	613 596-0905
RESPONSIBLE MINISTRY	Parish Office		613-829-1760
SACRISTANS/ENVIRONMENT	Angela Beimers		613-829-0320
SENIORS MINISTRY	Claudette Joseph	claudette43@rogers.com	613-829-6013
USHERS	Gerry Fikis	fikisgw@pm.me	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 ___

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
Feb.15th/Feb. 16th - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time		
5:00 pm	Presider: Fr. Emeka Onyeogubalu	
	#1 Dee Simons #2 Mary Ellen Agnel	Deacon Victor Mary Ellen Agnel Jeff Ladouceur
8:00am	Presider: Fr. Emeka Onyeogubalu	
	#1 Jessica Doyle #2 Alphonsa Fernandes	Angela Beimers Jacques Theodore Mary Jean Thompson
10:30am	Presider: Fr. Emeka Onyeogubalu	
	#1 Alejandra Guidi #2 Janet Snider Belot	Janet Snider Belot Dan Murawsky Noel Naba

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

**February 11th
World Day of the Sick
and
Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes**

The ministry of Jesus to the sick is central to the life of the Church. February 11th highlights the healing ministry of the Church. It reminds us that service to the sick and suffering cannot be neglected. It recognizes the great efforts of doctors, nurses, health care institutions and pastoral care givers to restore health to those afflicted with illness and disease.

On Feb. 11th, the Catholic Church also celebrates the liturgical memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes, recalling a series of 18 appearances that the Blessed Virgin Mary made to a 14-year-old French peasant girl, Saint Bernadette Soubirous, in 1858.

Deacon Victor will shortly be launching a new youtube channel "**Pilgrimage with Deacon Victor**". Once the channel is online we will provide the link here in the bulletin and on the website.

Deacon Victor's new email address is:
deaconvictorm@gmail.com

Dates to Remember

- February 13th – Parish Memorial Mass**
- February 14th – Evening of Prayer and Healing**
- February 23rd – Coffee Sunday**

Parish Memorial Mass

The Knights of Columbus and Catholic Women's League are organizing the annual Parish Memorial Mass for **Thursday, February 13th**, at 7:00 pm. This Mass is dedicated to all the deceased members from our parish who passed away in **2024**, as well as parishioner family members who died during this past year. If you lost a family member in 2024 and would like them remembered at this special Mass, please contact the office, 613-829-1760, with the name of the deceased **and** the representative who will attend the Memorial Mass in their honour.

**ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE PARISH
PRESENTS**

***AN EVENING OF PRAISE, WORSHIP AND
HEALING***

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH, 7 – 9PM

THEME: John 3:16 For GOD so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten SON, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting LIFE.

GUEST SPEAKER: Fr. Ben St. Croix, CC, liason to the Bishop for Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services of Ontario and pastor of St. Maurice Parish.

ALL ARE WELCOME!





SUNDAY SMILE

It has been announced that the courier companies Fed-Ex and UPS are going to merge. The new company will be called Fed-UP.

Building The Domestic Church Kiosk

(Donated by St. John The Apostle Knights of Columbus Council 10470)

The kiosk is located in the glass house at the back of the church.

This is a collection of popular books focused on issues of vital importance for Catholic families seeking to build up and strengthen the church at home.

Please feel free to take one of these booklets home to read. Once read, we ask that you return them to the kiosk for others to read.



Around the Diocese:

Chesterton Academy of Ottawa presents mystery-comedy *Bad Manners at the Manor* by Dale Ahlquist. **Feb. 28 & March 1**, 7:30 p.m. Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall. \$15 Adults, \$10 Seniors and Children. Street parking or Glebe Parking Garage. Admission at door; for more info contact chesterton.ottawa.drama@gmail.com
See posters at the entrances.

Our Lady of Visitation Valentines Day Takeout
Enjoy a delicious homemade Italian dinner. Meals are packaged family style. See posters at entrances for more details. Curbside pickup 4pm to 6pm Friday, Feb. 14th at OLV Banquet Hall 5338 Bank St. Email: office@olvottawa.ca Include your phone number. Proceeds to the church building restoration.

Intentions of the Holy Father – February

For vocations to the priesthood and religious life: Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

Mass Intentions

Sat. Feb. 8th – 5:00pm

✠Denise Marie Nanke by Geri and Brian Allen
✠Marielle Bourdeau by Monique
✠Eleanor Dineen by the family

Sun. Feb. 9th – 8:00am

✠John Alexander Burnett and Timothy Peter Burnett by Jamie Burnett
✠Jesús Mendoza Jr. by Maribel Luis

Sun. Feb. 9th – 10:30am

For the intentions of all our parishioners.

Tues. Feb. 11th – 9:00am

✠Fr. Guy Labonne by a friend

Wed. Feb. 12th – 9:00am

✠John and Eva Kowalyk by Ann and Rod Stamler

Thurs. Feb. 13th – 9:00am

✠Tom and Anna Stamler by Ann and Rod Stamler

Fri. Feb. 14th – 9:00am

✠Aaron Stanistreet by the family
✠Andrzej Bielanski by the family

Sat. Feb. 15th – 5:00pm

✠Adele White by Peter White

Sun. Feb. 16th – 8:00am

For the intentions of all our parishioners.

Sun. Feb. 16th – 10:30am

✠Vern Timm by the family
✠Peter Sorokan by Irene Bonner
✠George Nyvlt by the family

✠ indicates deceased



Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them, especially Paul Chamailard and Guy Somers-Neal.

2024 TAX RECEIPTS

Tax Receipts for 2024 are now available for pickup in the glass house. If you wish your receipt emailed or mailed to you, please contact the parish office at: 613-829-1760, or office@stjohntheapostleparish.com



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