

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 Debby Walsh

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 Deborah La Riccia

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	battphil1@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 ___

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
May 11th and 12th – Fourth Sunday of Easter		
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
5:00 pm	#1 Ian Moffat #2 Mary Ellen Agnel	Bill Roblin Ian Moffat Mary Ellen Agnel
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
8:00am	#1 Francine Conlin #2 Monica Mullane	Judie Beazley Eileen Garvey Evariste Theriault
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
10:30am	#1 Phil Batty #2 Brian Doherty	Merv Sullivan Jessica Sullivan Adel Iskandar Denise Iskandar Dan Beausoleil

*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. May 7th	Liturgy Committee	5:00pm Boardroom
Wed. May 8th	Finance Committee	7:00pm Boardroom
Thurs. May 9th	Building Committee	7:00pm Boardroom

DATES TO REMEMBER

May 5th – Family Easter Celebration!
May 11th – Spring Clean Up!
May 25th – KofC Hip of Beef Dinner



WHY DO WE MARCH in 2019? 50 years of abortion on demand in Canada

This year, we march in our nation's capital to urge our parliamentarians to put an end to this 50-year-long assault on human life.

We march because we cannot look the other way and allow this injustice to continue any longer.

We march for a law that will protect each and every human being from the time of conception until natural death.

We march for a right to life for all.

Please join Father Lindsay and your fellow parishioners on Parliament Hill, **Thursday, May 9th** and stand up for **LIFE!** There will be a **BUS leaving the parish at 9 a.m.** to bring us to Notre Dame Cathedral for Archbishop Prendergast's **pro-life mass**. It will pick us up at the cathedral at 11:45 a.m. to bring us to Parliament Hill. After the March, we will be picked up at 2:45 p.m. to return to parish. **Sign-up sheets** are at the entrances to the church or contact **Deborah La Riccia** 613-820-3580 or deborahlariccia@rogers.com. Bring a friend!



Diocesan Week for Life May 5th to May 11th.

Your Pro-Life Ministry will be holding a free draw for children 12 and under to **win a cake** for their family. The cake will be decorated with flowers and the

words "**CELEBRATE LIFE**". Tickets will be available at the entrances to the church this weekend. Father Lindsay will draw the **winner** this weekend on **Pro-Life Sunday, May 5th** at the 10:30 a.m. mass.

You are invited to St. John the Apostle's...

Easter Celebration!

Sunday, May 5

11:30am to 1:30pm
(in the Hall after the 10:30am Mass)

Join other families in the parish for this free event

pizza • games • crafts

Everyone is welcome!



Spring Clean Up: We will be having a Spring cleanup of the Church property inside and out, next **Saturday morning, May 11th, beginning at 9:00am**. Please come out and help. Many hands make for light work! Please bring your own gardening/rubber gloves. Use of your own rakes, brooms (with stiff bristles), and pruning shears is helpful. High school students who need volunteer hours are most welcome.



The Knights of Columbus are holding their annual **Hip of Beef dinner on Saturday, May 25th**. Cocktails starting at 6pm followed by dinner at 6:30pm. Tickets are limited and will be available before and after all masses on the weekends of May 4th, 11th and 18th. Tickets will also be available from the Parish Office at 613-829-1760 stjohnnap@magma.ca. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$10 for children 16 and under, and \$50 for families (parents and children).



SUNDAY SMILE

A mother was teaching her three year old the Lord's prayer. For several evenings at bedtime she repeated it after her mother. One night she said she was ready to go solo. The mother listened with pride as she carefully enunciated each word, right up to the end of the prayer. "Lead us not into temptation" she prayed, "but deliver us from e-mail, Amen."

Sister+Hood presents Singer/Songwriter & Evangelist Mark Mallett: here at **St. John the Apostle Church, Fri., May 31, 7:00-9:00pm.** Day Retreat, St. Philip Parish, 127 Burke St., Richmond, Sat., June 1, 9am-3:30pm. Brown bag/local restaurant lunch. Freewill offering to cover speaker expenses. Holy Redeemer Church, 44 Rothesay Dr., Sun., June 2, 2:30-4:30pm. All are welcome to all 3 events. Info: Karen 613-806-0377; livesisterhood@gmail.com; www.sisterhood.live.

Spiritual Motherhood of Priests Info Session: An invitation to all single, consecrated, married, widowed women and religious sisters. Learn more on **Sat., May 11, 10:30am - 12:00pm** at Cityview Retirement Living Recreation Room (basement), 151 Meadowlands Dr. W. Info: 613-254-7220; 613-875-6279; www.spiritualmotherhoodofpriests.ca

Mental and Spiritual Armour - How do they fit together? What is the relationship between the crisis of mental health and the spiritual crisis increasingly evident with empty churches, broken homes and hearts? What can we do to address this crisis? What difference does Jesus Christ make? With Dr. Lau, Psychiatrist on **Wed. May 29, 7:00pm** at St. Patrick's Basilica Scavi. Info: GodsArmour4Us@gmail.com.

The Oasis in Kanata, a place for caregivers of people with mental illness, will present trained specialists with the Ottawa Network for Borderline Personality Disorder, who will offer information about Dialectical Behaviour Therapy and its effective in supporting families living with mental illness. **Monday, May 13th, 7pm.** Free. All welcome. No preregistration required. Glen Cairn United Church, 140 Abbeyhill Drive, Kanata, www.TheOasisKanata.ca.

Stamp Sale for Miriam Centre: Miriam Centre invites you to its annual stamp sale **Saturday, May 11th** from 10am to 3pm and **Monday, May 13th** from 4 to 9pm. Sale held at the Centre, 2742 St. Joseph Blvd., Orleans. Wide selection of world stamps for collectors of all ages. Excellent prices. Info: 613-830-8623 or centremiriamcentre@yahoo.ca.

Mass Intentions

Sat. May 4th – 9:00am
For the protection of all human life.

Sat. May 4th – 5:00pm
For the intentions of our parishioners.

Sun. May 5th – 8:00am
✠Krystyna Tadman by Pat Berdnikoff
✠Maryse Vanasse by Claudette Levair

Sun. May 5th – 10:30am
✠Chona Diaz by Pat Ibea
✠Greg Kulas by the family
Intentions of Teresa Wong by Karen Bourgon, Renilde, Josette, Mary Ellen, Janet S., Heather and Richard

Tues. May 7th – 9:00am
✠Bea Brown by the family
Intentions of Pat and Joe Mangione by Anne and Roydon Kealey

Wed. May 8th – 9:00am
✠Joan Proctor by Claudette Levair
Laura and baby by Doreen Aaron

Thurs. May 9th – 9:00am
✠Mom and Dad by Doreen Aaron

Fri. May 10th – 9:00am
For the souls in purgatory by the Brown family

Sat. May 11th – 5:00pm
✠Domenico Fabiani by the White family
✠Aquilino Pantalone by the family
✠Jean Monckton by Joanne Parenteau

Sun. May 12th – 8:00am
For the intentions of our parishioners.

Sun. May 12th – 10:30am
✠Lydia, Bea and Ollie by Tina Martin
✠Bill Ryan by the Cauley family
Intentions of Teresa Wong by Karen Bourgon, Renilde, Josette, Mary Ellen, Janet S., Heather and Richard

✠ indicates deceased

Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them, Prayers and sympathy for those who have passed away, remembering Patricia Graham.

Looking for Driver/s: There is a mature gentleman in our parish living on Centrepointhe Drive, near the Royal Bank, who is blind and walks with a cane. He would like to come to church but has no drive. Are you available on some Sundays to drive him? For more information call the parish office, 613-829-1760.

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