

# 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

**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	Joan Doherty dohertybrian@rogers.com	613-828-9206
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 llandbob@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	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.sja@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
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	Pincrest Food Cupboard	613-596-6703
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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 \_\_\_

## TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
<b>Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>		
<b>5:00 pm.</b>	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 John Dunphy #2 Dee Simons	Bill Roblin Ian Moffat Teresa Wong
<b>8:00 am.</b>	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Ted Stephen #2 Mary Jean Thompson	Jeff Hill Judie Beazley Eileen Garvey
<b>10:30 am.</b>	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
	#1 Jasbir Singh #2 Brian Doherty	Merv Sullivan Jessica Sullivan Harrison Peiris Fatima Peiris Albert Routhier

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

**LIFE CHAIN – this Sunday, October 1, 2017 from 2 - 3 p.m.** Please join Fr. Lindsay, your fellow parishioners and thousands across Canada in this peaceful, prayerful witness at various locations throughout our city and around the world to the sanctity of ALL human life! Signs (like the ones on display in glass house saying “**Abortion Harms Women**”, “**Abortion Kills Children**” and “**Jesus Forgives and Saves**”) will be provided. Our usual gathering place is **Merivale and Meadowlands**.



**40 Days for Life Campaign: Sept 27 to Nov 5, from 7 a.m to 7 p.m. at Bank and Sparks Streets.** You are invited to participate in the International 40 Days for Life Campaign consisting of **prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil**. For information contact Deborah La Riccia at 613-820-3580 or [deborahlariccia@rogers.com](mailto:deborahlariccia@rogers.com) or Wanda Hartlin 613-299-2515 or [40daysottawa@gmail.com](mailto:40daysottawa@gmail.com).

**Pilgrimage & Cultural Visit to China & Hong Kong:** A 20 day tour of China with Fr. Bosco Wong. Highlights include Great Wall & Fr. Matteo Ricci's Tomb in Beijing; National Shrine of our Lady of Sheshan in Shanghai; Sunday Masses and 3 three meals. \$3,875 incl airfare and tax. Info: Dennis Kam 613-569-3888 ext. 103 or email: [dennis@jbctravel.ca](mailto:dennis@jbctravel.ca)

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tuesdays : Legion of Mary - 9:30am 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. in SAR

<b>Mon. Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>K of C Executive</b>	<b>7 pm SAR</b>
<b>Tues. Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Liturgy Committee</b>	<b>5:30 pm Boardroom</b>
<b>Wed. Oct. 4<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Choir rehearsal</b>	<b>7:30 pm church</b>
<b>Sat. Oct. 7<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Cursillo</b>	<b>9:30 am SAR</b>

## DATES TO REMEMBER

**Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> – Alpha Program**

**Oct. 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> – Food Drive**

**Oct. 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> – Justin Press Book Sale**

**Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> - Parish Living Rosary**

**The Knights of Columbus** are conducting a “Food Drive” on the weekends of October 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>, and 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> at all masses. Hampers are located at the side door and at the entrance to the Glass House. Your support through donations of non-perishable foods and monetary contributions will be very much appreciated. All food and proceeds go to Morrison Gardens Food Bank and Pinecrest Terrace Food Cupboard. Monetary contributions should be made at the Parish Office.

**Our Lady of Fatima Devotional Day and Parish Living Rosary:** You are invited to come out on Friday, October 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:45 pm to St. John the Apostle Parish (2340 Baseline Road) to honour the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima. Join us as we become the living beads of the Rosary and pray with Our Lady of Fatima statue. (A plenary indulgence is available on the 13<sup>th</sup> of every month.) Interested people, please sign up on the sheets at the entrances of the church. All are welcome to attend.



## SUNDAY SMILE

*A priest, a minister, and a rabbi want to see who's best at his job. So they each go into the woods, find a bear, and attempt to convert it. Later they get together. The priest begins: "When I found the bear, I read to him from the Catechism and sprinkled him with holy water. Next week he is coming to Mass." "I found a bear by the stream," says the minister, "and preached God's holy word. The bear was so mesmerized that he let me baptize him." They both look down at the rabbi, who is lying on a gurney in a body cast. "Looking back," says the rabbi, "maybe I shouldn't have started with the circumcision".*

### COLLECTIONS September, 2017 vs 2016

	2017	2016
<b>Sept. Regular</b>	<b>\$ 18,833.40</b>	<b>\$ 18,936.85</b>
<b>Bldg./Mrtg.</b>	<b>\$ 3,012.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,940.00</b>
<b>Down by \$31.45</b>	<b>\$21,845.40</b>	<b>\$21,876.85</b>
<b>Sept. Regular c/c</b>	<b>\$3,215.00</b>	<b>\$3,164.00</b>
<b>Bldg. &amp; Mort. c/c</b>	<b>\$ 815.00</b>	<b>\$ 765.00</b>
<b>Up by \$101.00</b>	<b>\$4,030.00</b>	<b>\$3,929.00</b>
<b>Raise the Roof</b>	<b>\$2,618.00</b>	<b>\$3,336.60</b>
<b>Up by \$718.60</b>		
<b>Needs of the Can. Church</b>	<b>\$1,373.00</b>	<b>\$1,343.00</b>
<b>Up by \$30.00</b>		

## Mass Intentions

**Sat. Sept. 30<sup>th</sup> – 5:00 pm**

✠ Sina Fattizzo by Joanne Parenteau  
✠ Teresa Griffin and ✠ Myriam Morel by Bev and Bernard Morel

**Sun. Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> – 8:00 am**

For the intentions of our parishioners

**Sun. Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> – 10:30 am**

✠ Aldorine Vien by St. Paul High School Community  
A birthday blessing for Deacon Greg by Elaine Vaughn

**Sun. Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> – 11:00 am - Valleystream**

✠ Maureen Nicholls from the family  
✠ Frank Simpson by Isobel Simpson and family

**Tues. Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> – 9:00 am**

✠ Alan Trafford by Patty Voisin

**Wed. Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> – 9:00 am**

✠ Margaret McDonald by her son Patrick McDonald

**Sat. Oct 7<sup>th</sup> – 9:00 am**

For the protection of all human life

**Sat. Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> – 5:00 pm**

For the intentions of our parishioners

**Sun. Oct. 8<sup>th</sup> – 8:00 am**

✠ Marnie Macnab by Evariste and Lorraine Theriault  
✠ Francis Crepin by Pat Berdnikoff

**Sun. Oct. 8<sup>th</sup> – 10:30 am**

✠ Marnie Macnab by Deborah LaRicca  
✠ James Shields by his wife Georgette  
✠ Maria Schembri by John and Kim Schembri

✠ indicates deceased

*Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them, especially Corinne Conlin and George Simmons. Prayers and sympathy for those who have passed away, especially Maria Schembri.*

### Church Bulletin Advertising: Liturgical

Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in December 2017 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637 for more info.

**Enrollment in the Brown Scapular of Our Lady of Mount Carmel** and Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary will take place on Saturday, October 7, 2017 at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Parish, 20 Grant St. Rosary begins at 8:40 am followed by 9:00 am Eucharistic Celebration.

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We will be offering Pre-authorized Debit for your contributions to support our parish. Please check out next week's bulletin for further details or contact the Bookkeeper.





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