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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.

Chris Pereira Marie Weera

FINANCE COUNCIL: Ray Kostuch (Chair)

Chris Pereira Marie Weerasooriya-Epps

John Schembri

BUILDING COMMITTEE: Gino Brancatelli (Chair) Paul Gillis

Bob Williamson John Schembri Don Percy Adel Iskandar

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: Mary Jean Thompson (Chair)

Rosemary Fikis Heather Petti Nancy Simon Fred Adibe 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	Fikis fikisrm@proton.me				
CHILDREN'S LITURGY		Lynn Dal Farra		613-721-8111			
	COUNTERS			Kerri Courville	cour	villek3@gmail.com	
	DIVINE MERCY CEN	IACLE:		Doreen Aaron	Ooreen Aaron doreen.aaron@gmail.com		
	KNIGHTS OF COLU	MBUS					
	Council 10470			Claude Lalonde	acesl	alonde.i@gmail.com	705-984-9731
	MINISTERS OF COM	MUNION		Mary Jean Thomp	son	r.thompson1@rogers.com	613-226-7219
	MUSIC MINISTRY	5pm	Joann	ne Parenteau	joan	nemparenteau@gmail.com	
		8am	Jamie	e Burnett	jame	esmichaelburnett@gmail.com	613-224-8081
		10:30am	Lisa-l	Marie Flynn	lisan	narieflynn13@gmail.com	613-614-5566
	PRO-LIFE MINISTRY	1		James Lariviere	jmlar	iviere@gmail.com	613-883-8670
				Family Support Co	enter		1-800-665-0570
	READERS/COMMEN	NTATORS		Laura Recoskie	Ireco.	skie@gmail.com	613 596-0905
	RESPONSIBLE MINI	ISTRY		Parish Office			613-829-1760
	SACRISTANS/ENVII	RONMENT		Angela Beimers			613-829-0320
	SENIORS MINISTRY	,		Claudette Joseph	clau	dette43@rogers.com	613-829-6013
	USHERS			Gerry Fikis	fikisg	ıw@pm.me	613-723-0728
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	FOOD BANKS			Morrison Gardens	Food	l Bank	613-596-6229
				Pinecrest Food Co	upboa	rd	613-596-6703
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	AREA SCHOOLS						
	Our Lady of '	Victory	613	1-828-5594		St. John XXIII	613-226-6223
	St. John the	Apostle	613	3-828-0644		St. Paul High School	613-820-9705
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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: ADDRES	5:	Postal Code	e:	
PARISH INTEREST:		WOULD YOU LIKE TO USE SUNDAY COL	LLECTION ENVELOPES? \	Yes No) _

	Lectors		Extraordinary Ministers of Communion					
Oct. 25 th /	Oct. 25 th /26 th - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time							
	Presider: Fr. Emeka Onyeogubalu							
5:00 pm	#1 #2	lan Moffat Mary Ellen Agnel	Gina Madrigrano Ian Moffat Mary Jean Thompson					
	Presider: Fr. Emeka Onyeogubalu							
8:00am	#1 #2	Mary Jean Thompson Monica Mullane	Angela Beimers Jennifer Golanowski Mary Jean Thompson					
	Presider: Fr. Emeka Onyeogubalu							
10:30am	#1 #2	Amy Recoskie Xavier Recoskie	Eileen Gallant Fatima Peiris Harrison Peiris					

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

Make A Difference



WE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR THE FOLLOWING. CAN YOU HELP?

COLLECTION COUNTERS: Assist in counting and recording weekly collection. The collection count is done during a weekday. People work in groups of two. Time commitment is only 1 or 2 times a month.

ADULT FUNERAL SERVERS: This ministry is a way for adult members of our parish, both men and women, to offer their time and talents to serve the parish and bereaved families. They will assist the parish priest in various ways during funeral liturgies. Retired individuals, or those with weekday availability are most welcome. Training is provided to explain your role and responsibilities.

PROJECTIONIST: Support the weekend masses and parish celebrations by projecting words and videos on the overhead screen. Training provided.

Please consider offering your time for the good of all the parish! Training is provided. Fill out a form at the church entrance. Contact the parish office for any further questions.

Dates to Remember

Oct. 25th/26th – CWL Autumn Bake Sale Nov. 8th/9th – Remembrance Day Ceremony



The Catholic Women's League will be holding their Autumn Bake Sale (*think Pumpkin Spice!*) on the weekend of **October 25**th/**26**th at all masses.

Parishioners are invited to offer their support by donating home-baked goods and jams, preserves, etc. and/or purchasing goodies. Proceeds are donated to local charities. Please bring your donated goods prior to the Mass and leave them at the back of the Church.

Thank you in advance for your ongoing support of our CWL activities.



REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONY

There will be a Remembrance ceremony before each Mass during the weekend of **November 8**th/**9**th.

A Veteran, or family member of a Veteran, will lay a Remembrance Wreath and another will be a flag bearer. If interested in laying a Wreath or carrying a flag, please contact Jamie Burnett at 613-447-0489 or

jamesmichaelburnett@gmail.com by November 1st.

A veteran is defined as any serving or exmember of the Military, or of the RCMP, Coast Guard or other uniformed government force who has served on peacekeeping or similar international missions.



SUNDAY SMILE

How do trees get onto the internet? — Easy, they just LOG on.

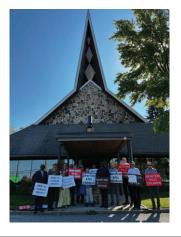
Why do birds fly south in the Fall? – Because it is faster than walking.

Why does Humpty Dumpty love the end of summer? Because he always has a great fall.



The Rosary Apostolate in the Schools is seeking volunteers (male or female) who have devotion to the Mother of God and who are willing to visit our elementary schools to pray the Rosary with the children once a month (October-May). Training will be provided. If you are interested, please contact Johanne Walsh at 613-255-5831 or email: mrs.jowal@gmail.com

LIFE CHAIN 2025



Our Life Chain vigil was held on Sunday, Oct. 4th in front of the Church. Thank you to all who answered Our Lord as He asked His apostles "Could you not watch one hour with me?" (Mk 14:37), and all who prayed with us but couldn't be there.



Pilgrimage Churches for Jubilee 2025, Pilgrims of Hope: The following four churches may be visited as a pilgrimage destination by the faithful to fulfill the requirements for the Jubilee indulgence: Notre-Dame Cathedral, Ottawa; St. Patrick's Basilica, Ottawa; and St. Finnan's Basilica, Alexandria. See bulletin board at the side entrance for more details.

Mass Intentions

Sun. Oct. 19th – 8:00am

◆Anne Brown by Paul and Lenora Chamaillard

<u>Sun. Oct. 19th – 10:30am</u> For the intentions of all our parishioners.

Tues. Oct. 21st - 9:00am

Wed. Oct. 22nd - 9:00am

Tavier Jacob by the family
Intentions of Theresa Stanistreet by the family

Thurs. Oct. 23rd – 9:00am

Tred McGrath by Doris McGrath

Robert Golightly by Helen Golightly

Fri. Oct. 24th – 9:00am

Sat. Oct. 25th – 5:00pm

Gladys and Alfred Roberts and deceased members of the family by Olive Mirchandani

<u>Sun. Oct. 26th – 8:00am</u> For the intentions of all our parishioners.

Sun. Oct. 26th – 10:30am

PRobert Moulton by the Knights of Columbus Intentions of Sr. Rosemary O'Toole in her dedication to spiritual care by Rock and Brenda Roy

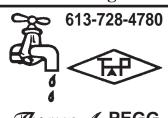
* indicates deceased



Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them, especially Pearl Beausoleil, Maria Lu, Victor D'Amico, Bill Roblin and Peter Kerslake.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: EVANGELIZATION OF THE NATIONS: October 19th - The collection this Sunday is organized by the Pontifical Missions Society. The funds collected assist some 1,250 mission dioceses under the responsibility of the Congregation of the Evangelization of People. As agreed by the Holy See and the Bishops of Canada, a portion of the Canadian contributions to this collection will continue to be used to assist six dioceses in Northern Canada which for many years had all been under the jurisdiction of the Congregation.

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