

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 <i>stjohnap@magma.ca</i>	613-829-1760
BEREAVEMENT GROUP	Mary Ellen Henniger	613-224-0030
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE	Joan Doherty <i>dohertybrian@rogers.com</i>	613-828-9206
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Lynn Dal Farra <i>dalfarra@rogers.com</i>	613-721-8111
CHILDREN'S RELIGION PROGRAM	(for children attending a public or private school) Parish Office <i>stjohnap@magma.ca</i>	613-829-1760
CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION	Parish Office <i>stjohnap@magma.ca</i>	613-829-1760
COUNTERS	Eileen Gallant <i>eileen.gallant@sympatico.ca</i>	613-828-0778
CURSILLO REPRESENTATIVE	Louise Hennessy <i>lhennesy1976@gmail.com</i> (Monthly Ultreya - first Saturday after 9:00 am mass)	
FUNERAL LITURGY TEAM	Parish Office <i>stjohnap@magma.ca</i>	613-829-1760
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS	Bob Williamson <i>lilandbob@bell.net</i>	613-829-1805
LEGION OF MARY	Angela Beimers <i>red_rose_angela31@outlook.com</i>	613-829-0320
LITURGY COMMITTEE	Divina Hogan <i>SJALitCom@yahoo.ca</i>	613-820-7852
MARRIAGE PREPARATION INQUIRIES	Parish Office <i>stjohnap@magma.ca</i>	613-829-1760
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Ming Leung <i>Mingdee@gmail.com</i>	613-721-3834
MUSIC MINISTRY	Parish Office <i>stjohnap@magma.ca</i>	613-829-1760
PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC)	Daniel Hogan (Chair) <i>daniel_hogan_sja@yahoo.ca</i>	613-820-7852
PASTORAL CARE	Mary Ellen Henniger	613-224-0030
PRO-LIFE MINISTRY	Deborah La Riccia <i>deborahlariccia@rogers.com</i> Help Line for crisis pregnancy	613-820-3580 1-800-665-0570
READERS/COMMENTATORS	Laura Recoskie <i>lrecoskie@gmail.com</i>	613 596-0905
RECEPTION (VOLUNTEERS)	Joan and Helene <i>reception.sjap@gmail.com</i>	613-829-1760
RESPONSIBLE MINISTRY	Theresa Verver <i>theresa.verver@gmail.com</i>	613-723-3157
SACRISTANS/ENVIRONMENT	Angela Beimers	613-829-0320
SOCIAL OUTREACH COMMITTEE	Call the parish office <i>stjohnap@magma.ca</i>	613-829-1760
USHERS	Gerry Fikis <i>g.fikis@rogers.com</i>	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 ___

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
Sept. 23rd and Sept. 24th – 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time		
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
5:00 pm.	#1 Peter Stoop #2 Ian Moffat	Bill Roblin Ian Moffat Teresa Wong
	Presider: Fr. Lindsay	
8:00 am.	#1 Marlene Picard #2 Jeff Hill	Judie Beazley Eileen Garvey Evariste Theriault
	Presider: Fr. Ross Finlan	
10:30 am.	#1 Richard MacPhail #2 Heather MacPhail	Fran Herman Joan Doherty Ray McCloskey Deborah LaRiccia John Schembri

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



TODAY IS COFFEE SUNDAY after the 8 am and 10:30 am masses. All are invited to share in a beverage and fellowship in the glass house.

“Raise the Roof” Donations: Even though the collection boxes no longer have envelopes for the Roof Repairs (July to Dec.), we are still collecting until the end of the year to help defray costs. Special envelopes will be put in the pews once a month for this purpose or can be found on the tables at the entrances, any time. Donations are greatly appreciated.

Rehearsal: The next 10:30 am Music Ministry rehearsal will take place on Wed. Sept. 20th, 7:30 pm in the church.

Projectionist: Looking for another projectionist to share the duties at the 8:00 am Sunday Mass or to be an extra for any weekend masses. Training will be provided. If interested, please contact Divina Hogan SJALitCom@yahoo.ca.

The Knights of Columbus have generously supplied a kiosk with a series of 15 booklets intended to help us live out the Church’s mission and vision of family life. The kiosk is located in the glass house. Take a look at the titles. The booklets are free but in limited quantities.

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

Tues. Sept. 19th	CWL General meeting	7 pm SAR
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DATES TO REMEMBER

Sept. 20th – ALPHA Program

Sept. 23rd - 24th – K of C membership drive



ALPHA Program: There’s still an opportunity to participate in **ALPHA at SJA**, an adult Christian program to help each of us to develop a closer relationship with God. Come out to share a free dinner and fellowship, watch a video, and discuss life’s big issues in a safe, non-judgemental environment. The next session takes place on **Wednesday, September 20th at 6:00pm in the Main Hall**. Mark your calendars and bring a friend!

Knights of Columbus: If you’re interested in helping those in need, serving our parish, growing in faith or obtaining exclusive access to top-rated insurance protection for your family, then the Knights of Columbus is the organization for you.

St. John the Apostle Council 10470 will conduct a membership drive before and following each Mass **next weekend September 23rd and 24th**. Please consider joining our council. For more information please speak with one of our Knights that weekend located at the side entrance or in the Glass House where coffee and cookies will be available.



SUNDAY SMILE

“Cash, cheque or charge?” I asked, after folding items the woman wished to purchase. As she fumbled for her wallet, I noticed a remote control for a TV set in her purse. “So, do you always carry your TV remote?” I asked. “No”, she replied, “but my husband refused to come shopping with me, and I figured this was the most evil thing I could do to him legally.”

COLLECTIONS July/August 2017 vs 2016		
	2017	2016
July Regular	\$ 18,495.60	\$ 17,830.05
Bldg./Mrtg.	\$ 2,904.45	\$ 3,923.05
Down by \$353.05	\$21,400.05	\$21,753.10
August Regular	\$22,661.90	\$21,892.90
Bldg. & Mort.	\$ 2,825.00	\$ 2,270.25
Up by \$1,323.75	\$25,486.90	\$24,163.15
July		
C/C Regular	\$3,040.00	\$2,885.00
C/C Bldg. Mrtg.	\$ 840.00	\$ 765.00
Up by \$230.00	\$3,880.00	\$3,650.00
August		
C/C Regular	\$2,825.00	\$2,990.00
C/C Bldg. Mrtg.	\$ 815.00	\$ 765.00
Down by \$115.00	\$3,640.00	\$3,755.00
July Roof Repairs	\$ 583.35	\$2,660.00
Aug Roof Repairs	\$1,437.05	\$3,663.00
Down by \$4,302.60	\$2,020.40	\$6,323.00

Thank you for your generosity and ongoing support.

Solemn Mass on the Occasion of the 150th Anniversary of Confederation, with a Consecration of Canada to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Sept. 26th at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica at 3:30 pm. All are welcome.

Annual Archbishop’s Charity Dinner: A fundraising event in support of families. At the Ottawa Conference and Event Centre, Wednesday October 18th. For further information see posters and pamphlets at all entrances, or dev@archottawa.ca

40 Days for Life Campaign: A time to fast and pray for the end of abortion. Held this year Sept. 27th – Nov. 5th. Opening rally, Sun., Sept. 24th, 7pm at Bank & Sparks St.

Mass Intentions

Sat. Sept. 16th – 5:00 pm.

For the intentions of our Parishioners

Sun. Sept. 17th – 8:00 am.

✠Robert McIntyre by his godson Patrick McDonald
For the intentions of Lenora and Paul Chamailard on their 50th anniversary by Ted and Sadie Stephen

Sun. Sept. 17th – 10:30 am.

✠Alda Belletrutti by the Choir
✠Petra Calizo by Wilhelmina Calizo and Family
✠Bernadette Moss by Liliane and Bob Williamson

Tues. Sept. 19th – 9:00 am

✠ Marnie Macnab by the Pro-Life Ministry

Wed. Sept. 20th – 9:00 am

Intentions of Len Ugarenko

Sat. Sept. 23rd – 5:00 pm

✠ Vito Borracci by Eileen O’Leary
✠ Marnie Macnab by Joanne Parenteau

Sun. Sept. 24th – 8:00 am

For the intentions of our parishioners.

Sun. Sept. 24th – 10:30 pm

✠Peter Slogar by Maria Slogar
✠Sue Alder by Betty Patterson and family
✠ Ellis McVeigh by Elaine McVeigh and family

✠ indicates deceased

Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them, especially Patricia Babcock, Mary Louise Middlemiss and Corinne Conlin. Prayers and sympathy for those who have passed away, especially Francis Crepin.

St. Mother Teresa Syro-Malabar Parish is celebrating the feast of their patroness here on Sept. 24th at their 5 pm Mass in the Syro-Malabar Rite. The main celebrant will be Bishop Mar Jose Kalluvellil. All are welcome.

St. Maurice Church has a small prayer chapel open for **Eucharistic Adoration** 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. The chapel is available for silent personal prayer. They are in need of adorers who would be willing to pray regularly one hour a week. Is the Lord inviting you to spend a little more time with Him? If interested please contact Tom Gleeson 613 225-4350 or StMauriceAdoration@gmail.com

Intentions of the Holy Father – September

That our parishes, animated by a missionary spirit, may be places where faith is communicated and charity is seen.



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