ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH

(FOUNDED IN 1849)

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Rev. Mr. Rob Thomas, Deacon Rev. Mr. Cam Johnson, Deacon Charmaine Mahabir, Office Administrator Rosanne Quinlan, Music Director Victor Liskauskas, Custodian Ana Carolina Leite, Housekeeper

OFFICE HOURS

Monday 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Friday Closed

WEEKEND LITURGY

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY LITURGY

Monday no Mass Tuesday 7:00 p.m. Wednesday 9:00 a.m. Thursday 9:00a.m.

Friday 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 6:15 - 6:45 p.m.

Saturday 4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m., and by appointment

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Tuesday evening Mass

SACRED HEART DEVOTION

Thursdays at 9:00 a.m.

BAPTISMS

Please contact the parish office. Baptisms are on the third Sunday of each month at 12:30 p.m.

MARRIAGES

Please contact the Pastor at least nine months in advance.

PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

For more information or assistance contact our parish priest(s) or see www.vocationinfo.ca

VOLUNTEERING FOR A MINISTRY

To volunteer in ministry or activities, go to our website and complete a volunteering form through the "Help" tile on the hompage.

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family please advise the priest immediately and they will assist you in making the liturgical arrangements. For information on Catholic burial, contact the cemetery office at 905-522-7727 or 1-800-661-5985.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We invite you to take the time to complete a registration form, located at all doors of the church. Please drop it into the collection basket.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

All bulletin announcements MUST be received by the parish office no later than Monday at $3:30~\rm p.m.$ to ensure publication in the upcoming Sunday Bulletin.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, FRIDAYS FOR 15 MINUTES AFTER 9 AM MASS FOLLOWED BY BENEDICTION

VISIT OUR WEBSITE http://www.stjohnthebaptist.ca for articles & photos of all parish activities.

Masses For The Week

Mass Intentions

Monday November 11 – St. Martin of Tours

Titus 1.1-9; Luke 17.1-6 - No Mass

Tuesday November 12 - St. Josaphat

Titus 2.1-8,11-14; Luke 17.7-10

7 PM – Gordon & Helen McGilvery

Wednesday November 13

Titus 3.1-7; Luke 17.11-19

9 AM – Vincy Mascarenhas Thursday November 14

Philemon 7-20: Luke 17.20-25

9 AM – Genevieve Lee

Friday November 15

2 John 4-9; Luke 17.26-37

9 AM – Edgar Wagner

Saturday November 16

3 John 5-8; Luke 18.1-8

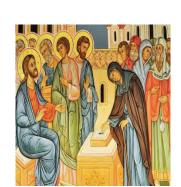
5 PM – John & Annie Lamond

Sunday November 17 - 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Daniel 12.1-3; Hebrews 10.11-14, 18; Mark 13.24-32

9 AM - Silvio Bozzo

11 AM – Pro Populo (for the parishioners)



Schedule KEvents

Monday November 11
Emotions Anonymous Meeting – 7 PM – WR
Wednesday November 13
Mass at Maple Villa – 10 AM
Women's AA Group – 6:15 PM – Hall
Thursday November 14
Choir Practice – 7 PM – Church
Friday November 15
School Mass – 9 AM - Church
AA Meeting – 9 PM – Hall

Parish Notices and Announcements

Any persons, parish groups, community groups wishing to post announcements in the Church (entrance door boards, bulletin and website) must take them to our office. If approved by the Pastor, the office will post them. Thanks for your co-operation.

IN OUR PARISH



Sunday Offerings

Sunday, November 3, 2024: \$7,078.80 Building Maintenance Fund to date: \$8.370.45.

Thanks for your support!



November is the Month of Remembrance. We all cherish the good memories of our loved ones who have passed. Their legacy of Faith, Love, Commitment and Accomplishments which we live by and pass on to younger generations. We need to consider today what kind of heritage we are leaving behind. By the time we will be gone, others will also surely remember us. As says St. Paul to Timothy: "If we suffer with Christ, we shall also reign with him. If we die with him, we shall also live with him (2Tim 2:11-14"). Come to Church and write down the names of your deceased loved ones in the Book of Life opened near the Holy Altar. REQUIESCAT IN PACE. MAY THEIR SOULS REST IN PEACE (R.I.P)



November 16/17:

St. Vincent de Paul – World Day of the Poor Food Drive

November 23:

St. John's Mistletoe Market

November 30:

Angel Tree Launch

December 1:

Parish Breakfast - Knights of Columbus





Come and join us for the

MISTLETOE MARKET

Saturday, November 23, from 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Shop at our Vendor Markets featuring various artisans from the community. Pick up some tasty homemade treats at our Bake Sale. Buy raffle tickets for your chance to win various baskets and stay to enjoy a homemade breakfast. Any vendors interested in a table can contact Peggy Black at:

stjohnsevents12@gmail.com.

Raffle Donations!

We would greatly appreciate donations of any new items for our basket raffle, please contact <u>dinaknight779@gmail.com</u> or drop off items for baskets in the sacristy after Mass. Themed baskets can be pre-made or single items can also be donated.

Calling all BAKERS!

We are once again asking the bakers of St. John's to share their talents. Cookies, squares, candies, bread, loaves and pies are all welcome! Donations can be dropped off on **November 22 from 9am-7:30pm** in the Church hall. Goodies can be already labeled and plated or we can package them for you. *Thank you for your continued support & generosity!*

Mark the date on your calendar! Please come out to support this event.

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Thank you for your generous donations!

Fundraising Notification

St. John the Baptist Parish is preparing to establish a Fundraising Committee starting in January 2025. If there are any parishioners with fundraising experience and wish to be part of this committee, please contact the parish office at 905-634-2485. "God loves a cheerful giver!"



Eleanor Leduc, 96

Her Funeral Mass took place at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery on October 25, 2024

Mary Claire Grand, 86

Her Funeral Mass took place at our Parish on October 30, 2024

Marie Tessy, 100

Her Funeral Mass took place at our Parish on November 1, 2024

Kindly pray for their families' consolation. Thank you.



THE ANGEL TREE – The Angel Tree is St. John's December project. The tree will be set up at the Brant Street Narthex from November 30 to December 22. Parishioners are

asked to choose a donation suggestion from the tree. Please leave the item(s), unwrapped, in the containers by the tree. They will be given to families in our parish school community requiring support. Thank you for your generosity.

IN THE DIOCESE

PREPARING FOR THE JUBILEE: Msgr. Kroetsch and Christina Mines will be hosting preparation sessions for Adult Faith Formation Leaders in anticipation of the Jubilee of Hope beginning on December 24, 2024. This is an important moment in the life of the Church! Four brief sessions will be offered around the Diocese of Hamilton throughout the month of November to equip pastoral leaders for adult programming initiatives throughout the Jubilee year. All are welcome to participate. For registration and more information contact:

https://hamiltondiocese.com/events/2024/10/preparing-for-the-jubilee-a-planning-day-for-pastoral-leaders/.



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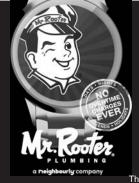
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