

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.

FINANCE COUNCIL: Ray Kostuch (Chair) John Schembri
 Chris Pereira Marie Weerasooriya-Epps

BUILDING COMMITTEE: Gino Brancatelli (Chair) Paul Gillis
 Bob Williamson John Schembri
 Don Percy Adel Iskandar

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: Ian Moffat (Chair)
 Rosemary Fikis Heather Petti Mary Jean Thompson
 Fred Adibe Sandra Brancatelli 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	fikism@proton.me	
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Lynn Dal Farra		613-721-8111
COUNTERS	Kerri Courville	courvillek3@gmail.com	
DIVINE MERCY CENACLE:	Doreen Aaron	doreen.aaron@gmail.com	
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Council 10470	Jamie Burnett	jamesmichaelburnett@gmail.com	613-224-8081
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Mary Jean Thompson	r.thompson1@rogers.com	613-226-7219
MUSIC MINISTRY 5pm	Joanne Parenteau	joanneparenteau@gmail.com	
8am	Jamie Burnett	jamesmichaelburnett@gmail.com	613-224-8081
10:30am	Lisa-Marie Flynn	lisamarielynn13@gmail.com	613-614-5566
PRO-LIFE MINISTRY	James Lariviere	jmlariv@protonmail.com	613-883-8670
	Family Support Center		1-800-665-0570
READERS/COMMENTATORS	Laura Recoskie	irecoskie@gmail.com	613 596-0905
RESPONSIBLE MINISTRY	Parish Office		613-829-1760
SACRISTANS/ENVIRONMENT	Angela Beimers		613-829-0320
SENIORS MINISTRY	Claudette Joseph	claudette43@rogers.com	613-829-6013
USHERS	Gerry Fikis	fikisgw@pm.me	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 ___

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Lectors	
Nov. 2nd/3rd – 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time	
5:00 pm	Presider: Fr. Emeka Onyeogubalu #1 Myles Bunbury #2 Yvonne Munro
	Presider: Fr. Emeka Onyeogubalu #1 Sabrina Pedulla #2 Malachy Okafor
8:00am	Presider: Fr. Emeka Onyeogubalu #1 Harrison Peiris #2 Chris Pereira
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*If you are unable to serve as scheduled
Please ensure that you have found a replacement.*



**CWL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR
NOVEMBER 23RD 9:00AM -3:00PM**

The CWL will be happy to accept items for the white elephant table, book table and the jewelry boutique, no electronics please. **Your donations can be left at the parish office during regular office hours the weeks of Oct. 28th and Nov.4th.** (Please note the office is closed on Monday, Oct. 28th)

Items can also be dropped off in the parish hall after all weekend masses, Nov. 2nd and 3rd and Nov. 9th and 10th. A member from the CWL will be there to accept your donations.

We would like to thank the parishioners that have supported us by renting a table and look forward to sharing this festival

Dates to Remember

- Nov. 1st – All Saints Day Mass – 9:00am**
- Nov. 6th - Seniors Mass and Coffee social 1:00pm**
- Nov. 9th/10th – Remembrance Day Ceremony**
- Nov. 10th – Coffee Sunday**
- Nov. 23rd – CWL Christmas Bazaar**



Remembrance Day Ceremony

There will be a Remembrance Day ceremony before each Mass during the weekend of **November 9th/10th**. 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 at jamesmichaelburnett@gmail.com. by **November 1st**. A veteran is defined as any serving or ex-member of the Military, or of the RCMP, Coast Guard or other uniformed government force who has served on peacekeeping or similar international missions.



**MONTHLY SENIORS MASS
AND COFFEE SOCIAL
WED. NOV. 6TH AT 1:00PM**

Thank you to all those who signed up to show their support for a monthly seniors Mass. We are happy to announce that our first Mass will be held on **Wednesday Nov. 6th at 1:00pm**. The Mass will be followed by a coffee social. Everyone 55 years plus is welcome! There is no need to sign up to come.

The Parish Office will be closed on **Monday, Oct. 28th** and reopen **Tues. Oct. 29th at 9:00am**



SUNDAY SMILE

I lost my job at the bank on my very first day!
A lady asked me to check her balance, so I
pushed her over...

Indigenous Reconciliation Fund Collection November 2nd/3rd

Help Take Us Over the Finish Line: During the last two years, your generosity has helped the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall raise more than \$950,000 for the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund (IRF). This money has allowed many worthy projects in our community to receive grants from the IRF. They have included an ongoing Equine Assisted Learning program with Ojibwe Spirit Horses, a confirmation class visiting the tomb of Saint Kateri, the translation of a Catholic hymnal into Mohawk, a Métis art exhibition, Algonquin and Mohawk language revitalization and on it goes.

Our goal is \$1.2 million, and with your support for the upcoming special collection the weekend of November 2nd and 3rd, we will reach our goal this year (2 years ahead of schedule) and allow many more exciting and important projects to be funded. Together, we, Non-Indigenous and Indigenous, can continue the journey toward healing. For more info about the IRF, the projects or to donate today go to journeyforhealing.ca

Envelopes are available at both entrances.

Around the Diocese:

Relic of Blessed Carlos Acutis: Notre Dame Cathedral, Sussex Dr., **Sat. Nov. 2nd**. Pilgrims can come to venerate the relic and participate in moments of reflection, music, and personal prayer. Pilgrims will also be able to encounter Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration, which was Blessed Carlo's deep desire.
Schedule: 1:00–4:30 pm--Veneration (open to all); 4:30–6:30 pm--Mass; 7:00–9:30 pm--Veneration and Adoration. Info. cco.ca/blessedcarlo

Eucharistic Cenacle, Is Jesus calling you deeper:
Who is this for? These sessions are for everyone who desires a deeper renewal of their faith, a rich understanding of Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament, and clarity on the next step in their faith journey. All First Fridays, 7pm-9pm at Holy Rosary Parish, 20 Grant Street. Info. Deacon Mathew 613-355-6023, eucharisticcenacle@gmail.com. See posters at entrances for more information.

Mass Intentions

Sat. Oct. 26th – 5:00pm

✠Arlene Lacroix by Gwen Devine

Sun. Oct. 27th – 8:00am

For the intentions of all our parishioners.

Sun. Oct. 27th – 10:30am

Tues. Oct. 29th – 9:00am

✠Andrzej Bielanski by the family

Fri. Nov 1st – 9:00am – All Saints Day

Deceased members of the Gomez family
by Olivia Gomez

Deceased members of the Kizkiel family
by Kristina Kizkiel

Sat. Nov. 2nd – 5:00pm – All Souls Day

For all the Faithful Departed

Sun. Nov. 3rd – 8:00am

For the intentions of all our parishioners.

Sun. Nov. 3rd – 10:30am

✠Ewa Suchocka by the family

✠Gerry Wilson by Betty Patterson and family
Blessings on the Batoum family
by Ngieh Laadi Pertriangha

✠ indicates deceased



Please remember the sick and their families who journey with them, especially Peter Kerslake, Frank Egan and Lloyd Reaume.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE HOMELESSNESS PROJECT

With the winter months coming, there is a need for warm clothing, socks, blankets, boots and toiletries for the homeless. The box for donations is at the side entrance. Please only the items noted above can be accepted. Donations are picked up and distributed to shelters in the city.

Thank you to those who have donated to this cause initiated by our Catholic Women's League.



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