



## 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

Mass Schedule – Mar 14 – Mar 22

### Saturday 14 March

5:15 pm Terry Sullivan ~ *Mark & Gina Noonan*

### Sunday 15 March 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent

9:00 am Margaret Snow ~ *Nancy & Jim Schonauer*

11:00 am For the People of the Parish

### Monday 16 March

8:30-8:50 am Intercessory Prayer for the Sick & Suffering

### Tuesday 17 March St. Patrick

4:30 pm INTS: Fr Andrew Shim

### Wednesday 18 March

9:00 am Reverence for Human Life

2:15 pm Paul Kelly ~ *Nina Stewart*  
@ *Carolina Retirement Suites*

### Thursday 19 March Solemnity of St Joseph

12:05 pm INTS: Suzanne Luciano & Claire Fox  
~ *Mark & Gina Noonan*

### Friday 20 March

8:30-8:50 am Intercessory Prayer for the Sick & Suffering

9:00 am Russell Sullivan ~ *Michelle & Sean Fournier*

9:30-6:15 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

6:15 pm Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

6:30 pm Stations of the Cross

7:00 pm Edna Coutts ~ *Anne Ryan*

### Saturday 21 March

5:15 pm David White ~ *Mary White & Family*

### Sunday 22 March 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent

9:00 am For the People of the Parish

11:00 am Margaret Campbell ~ *Brian & Beth Campbell*

## MEETINGS – Two Weeks at a Glance

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| Mon. Mar 16 | 2:00 pm ~ Prayer Shawl Ministry   |
| Wed. Mar 18 | 9:45 am ~ St. John's "Life Matters"<br>3:30 pm ~ Becoming Catholic – RCIA           |
| Thu. Mar 19 | 10:30 am ~ Legion of Mary<br>7:00 pm ~ Sunday 9am Mass Choir Practice               |
| Mon. Mar 23 | 2:00 pm ~ Prayer Shawl Ministry   |
| Wed. Mar 25 | 9:45 am ~ FORMED.org Gathering<br>3:30 pm ~ Becoming Catholic – RCIA                |
| Thu. Mar 26 | 10:30 am ~ Legion of Mary<br>7:00 pm ~ Sunday 9am Mass Choir Practice               |
| Sat. Mar 28 | 4:30 pm ~ St. John's Community Dinner<br>hosted at <i>St. James Anglican Church</i> |

**Sunday Offerings: Mar 8: \$ 4,762**

~ *Thank you for your contributions*

## PRAYERS

**In your prayers please remember the sick.**

**In your prayers please remember the deceased,** including Marilyn Canuel and Francis Malloy of the Parish.

## SACRAMENTS & MASSES

### 35<sup>th</sup> World Youth Day 2020 Theme

"Young man, I say to you, arise!" (Lk 7:14) Pope Francis

### Baptismal Congratulations!

We welcomed Heather McNally (Sandra & Anthony) into the Church through Baptism. We congratulate their parents and commend them for their commitment to the Catholic faith.

### Postponed - 2020 Marriage Preparation Course

Contact: Cathy or Toby 613-812-2255

### Prayer Needed! Pray for Our Candidates

First Holy Communion and Confirmation

## PARISH GROUPS & MINISTRIES

### Share Lent – Let's Stand in Solidarity with the Defenders of the Earth

Info: church exits or go to [devp.org/lent/resources](http://devp.org/lent/resources)

Development & Peace (Caritas Canada) is encouraging us to support all in the Amazon and Global South who are caring for God's creation. "The cry of the poor is the Church's cry of hope. When we make their cry our own, we can be certain our prayer too will reach the clouds." Pope Francis

### Teen & Adult Volunteers Needed – Jul 5 -10

St. John's 1-week Totus Tuus Catholic Summer Camp  
Contact: 613-484-2446

- A Perth Camp Main Contact (adult)
- Camp Missionary Meals and or Host Homes



## PARISH FEATURE & FOCUS

### Lenten Preparation & Schedule

#### Lenten Reflection – Fear Not, Trust in God

“Do not fear what may happen tomorrow. The same loving God who cares for you today will care for you tomorrow and every day. God will either shield you from suffering or will give you unfailing strength to bear it. Be at peace then, and put aside all anxious thoughts and imaginings.”

– St. Francis de Sales

### Fridays in Lent Retreat Day Schedule

- Refer to Mass Schedule Left Column 1 of this bulletin
- Confessions – 8:10 am & 5:45 pm
- Sign up for an hour of Adoration (in narthex, on all purpose room wall)

### Lenten Resources

- **The Word Among Us** - Lenten Edition with daily readings, reflections and interesting articles available at all entrances.
- **Daily Reflections and Prayers**
  - markmallett.com: Singer, songwriter, Catholic evangelist
  - Word on Fire with Bishop Barron - www.lentreflections.com
  - Patrick Sullivan - evango.net/ashes-to-palms
  - www.dynamiccatholic.com/best-lent-ever
  - www.catholicmom.com/lent.htm

## NEW TO OUR PARISH

### Welcome! Please Join us!

Following Mass, please complete our Parish Registration form. Deposit into narthex's Secure Lock box (north exit).

## FAITH FORMATION RESOURCES

### FORMED.org Our Free Catholic Resource!

Visit FORMED.org, login and access this parish-sponsored “Catholic Netflix” and its numerous resources for every age. View latest FORMED topics on **our website**.

**First time user?** Visit FORMED.org, click **Sign Up**, select **Belong to a Parish or Organization**, find **St John the Baptist Parish, Perth, ON** (or Parish postal code **K7H 1L6**, or Parish code: **7WB8TT**), enter your email & check it out!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Project Rachel

May 1–3, 2020

Contact in Confidence: 416 629 8264 or  
projectrachel@stmarysrefuge.org

- A sensitive, private and confidential experience
- Come & speak with someone who understands & cares
- For women or men who have been hurt by an abortion
- You are not alone. We can help. Take the first step — call us in confidence

### Come & Join us at Father Brian McNally's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination Dinner

Farrell Hall, Gore St. Perth

Fri., May 29: 5:30 pm Social Hour; 6:30 pm Dinner

Tickets: \$30/person; starting: Apr 4 & 5 in narthex, online or through Parish Office

## LOOKING AHEAD

- Mar. 16- Apr. 3 **March & Extended Break – SJCES & SJCHS**
- Apr. 7** Archdiocesan Chrism Mass 2020, 10:30am
- Apr. 12** Easter Sunday
- May 14** National March for Life, *Ottawa*
- May 24** Ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ
- May 31** Feast of Pentecost
- Jun. 14** Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
- Jun. 21** Parish Feast Day Mass & BBQ, 11 am
- Jul. 5-9** Registration Open – Youth Evening Camp - Totus Tuus  
*Gr 7-12, Sun-Thu 7-9 pm (\$25) 613-484-2446*
- Jul. 6-10** Registration Open – Child Day Camp - Totus Tuus  
*Child & Youth, M-F 9-2:30+ pm (\$100) 613-484-2446*
- Aug. 23** 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Parish Golf Tournament

## Lent, Holy Week & Easter

- Sun, Apr. 5** Palm Sunday
- Thu, Apr. 9** Holy Thursday: Lord's Supper Evening Mass, 7pm Adoration following until 10:30 pm
- Fri, Apr. 10** Good Friday: Stations of the Cross, 10 am; Confessions, 10:45 am-12 pm; Celebration of the Lord's Passion, 3:00 pm
- Sat, Apr. 11** Holy Saturday: Confessions 11 am – 12 pm, Easter Vigil Mass, 8 pm
- Sun, Apr. 12** Easter Sunday: 9 am & 11 am