

## Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule – Feb 12 – 20

### Saturday Feb 12

5:15 pm For the People of the Parish

### Sunday Feb 13 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Joey Rully ~ Tony & Linda O'Connor

11:00 am Patrick Carroll ~ Barry & Jeannette Olivier

### Tuesday Feb 15

4:30 pm Jean Risk ~ Howard & Anne Pledge

### Wednesday Feb 16

9:00 am Reverence for Human Life ~ St John Parish

### Thursday Feb 17

12:00 pm Shelley McLaren ~ Nina Stewart

### Friday Feb 18

9:00 am Ida Hogan

9:30 am Holy Adoration & Benediction

### Saturday Feb 19

5:15 pm Paul McGuire ~ Fran & Jim McGuire

### Sunday Feb 20 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am For the People of the Parish

11:00 am Brook Wilkinson ~ Jim & Fran McGuire

**Mass Requests:** stjohnerthmass@gmail.com or Parish Office

## MEETINGS – Two Weeks at a Glance

Sat. Feb 12 4:30 pm ~ *Take Out Only* ~ Community Dinner at  
**(at the Table, 190 Gore St E.)**  
St James Anglican Church

Wed. Feb 16 7:00 pm ~ CWL Meeting, St John Narthex  
**\*New Day for this month only\***

Most St John Meetings are held in the St John Narthex.  
Parish Meetings COVID Passport & Screening, and Sign in  
procedures are in place when attending.

15 Church - Parish Meeting Centre - remains closed for  
Weddings, Funeral receptions, and Parish Meetings.

**Sunday Offering: Feb 6 \$4,486 ~ Thank you for  
your contributions!**

## Parish Office Hours - February

Contact parish office to speak with Father Brian or leave a  
message. Parish Office Hours Tue – Fri 10am-12:00pm or by  
appointment.

## PRAYERS

**In your prayers, please remember the sick. In your  
prayers, please remember the deceased including Teresa  
Shafer of the parish.**

## In need of prayer? Jesus, I trust in You

Contact: Parish Office

Connect with our strong prayer warriors, Father Charles,  
Father Brian, or one of our Parish Prayer teams through the  
Parish Office (for St John's Pastoral Care, CWL, or KOC  
Prayer group). Jesus, I trust in You.

## SACRAMENTS & MASSES

### Sacraments – Registration Open!

Grade 2 (1st Rec. & 1st Com.) & Grade 6 (Confirmation)

Parish Office: 613-267-1043

Register online: stjohnerthontario.com/Sacraments

### Sacraments – Important Dates

Grade 2 (1st Rec. & 1st Com.)

### 3 Sacramental Preparation Meetings (Parent & Candidate)

- Sun. Mar 20<sup>th</sup>; Sun. Apr 24<sup>th</sup>; & Sun May 15<sup>th</sup>, 12:10pm

**First Confession:** April 7<sup>th</sup>, 7pm, St John Church

**First Communion:** May 28-29<sup>th</sup>, during weekend Masses

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### In our Narthex ~ Pick up your:

- 2022 Offertory Envelopes
- Income Tax Receipts
- Sign up & Join our Synod Small Group



## PARISH FEATURE & FOCUS

The Good News of today's Gospel is that our sinfulness -- our pride and self-centeredness -- does not repel God.

The recognition of our inadequacy and sin is necessary for us if we are to be willing and able to receive transformation through God's grace.

Each of us has a unique mission in our lives. Each of us is unique. So, each of us has a mission, which no one else can fulfill.

Let us accomplish this mission by radiating the love, mercy, and forgiveness of Jesus and by participating in the various ministries of our families, communities, and parish.

Shalom!

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## PARISH GROUPS & MINISTRIES

### Communion, Participation, Mission - Synod 2020-23

Contact: Marleen s.jp.synod@yahoo.com

Sign up: Narthex or online on our website

Pope Francis has invited all of us on a unique Synodal Journey which "takes place in the midst of where the Church ordinarily lives and works in the day to day lives of the faithful". (Prep. Doc. no. 27). Now is the time - for us to prayerfully gather to talk and listen to one another about our experience of Church and dreams for our parish!

### St John's Synod Small Group – Join Today!

Duration – Phase 1: now until April 1<sup>st</sup>

Updates & Details: St John website & Flocknote

Survey: [www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/synod](http://www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/synod)

Thank you for those who have already signed up. The Synod Team is in the process of putting together listening sessions (in person or online) and is also preparing guidance and support for those who are organizing their own group. You will be contacted soon!

### Be a Lay Minister! Your Help is Needed

Online Sign up: [Stjohnperthontario.com](http://Stjohnperthontario.com) or

Contact: Parish Office (613) 267-1043

- Altar Servers, COVID Cleaners, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, Lectors, Readers, Sacristans, Ushers/Greeters/Checkers

## FAITH FORMATION

### Understanding the Mass Even Better: Virtual Sessions Resuming

Alt Thu. 7:00 – 8:15 pm; Feb 17<sup>th</sup> & Mar 3<sup>rd</sup>

Contact: Mariola liturgy@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca

Zoom Link:

<https://www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/understandingthemass>

Join us on Zoom as we explore the Mass on a deeper level with the following presenters: Archbishop Paul Andre Durocher, Bishop of Gatineau and Rev. Fr. John Hibbard. Each session includes video presentation followed by small group discussions and sharing of insights.

### Interested in Catholicism?

Those who are interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith with a view to possibly becoming a Catholic are asked to contact the parish office (613-267-1043). Fr Brian would be pleased to meet with you.

### FORMED.org Our Free Catholic Resource!

Visit FORMED.org, login and access this parish-sponsored "Catholic Netflix" and its numerous resources for every age.

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## LOOKING AHEAD

<b>Mar 2</b>	<b>Ash Wednesday</b>
<b>Mar 20</b>	<b>Sacramental Prep Meeting, after 11am Mass</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Confession/1 <sup>st</sup> Communion
<b>Apr 7</b>	<b>7pm – St John Church, First Confession</b>
<b>Apr 10</b>	<b>Palm Sunday</b> – Start of Holy Week
<b>Apr 14-17</b>	<b>Sacred Paschal Triduum - Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday &amp; Easter Sunday</b>
<b>Apr 24</b>	<b>Sacramental Prep Meeting, after 11am Mass</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Confession/1 <sup>st</sup> Communion
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What did pirates call Noah's boat?

"The arrrrrrrk."