

## Fifth Sunday of Easter

Mass Schedule – May 14–22

### Saturday May 14 Feast of St Matthias

5:15 pm For the People of the Parish

### Sunday May 15 Fifth Sunday of Easter

~ World Day of Prayer for Vocations

9:00 am Theresa Crawford ~ Eleanor Kehoe

11:00 am Harvey Jackson ~ Ken & Lucille Crawford

### Tuesday May 17

4:30 pm NO MASS TODAY

### Wednesday May 18

9:00 am NO MASS TODAY

### Thursday May 19

12:00 pm NO MASS TODAY

### Friday May 20

9:00 am NO MASS TODAY

### Saturday May 21

5:15 pm Jim McMaster ~ Ali McMaster

### Sunday May 22 Sixth Sunday of Easter

~ Pope's Pastoral Works

9:00 am Rivera Family ~ Ann Buchanan & Family

11:00 am For the People of the Parish

Mass Requests: stjohndperthmass@gmail.com or Parish Office

## Donating To St Johns

We gratefully accept donations by Cash or cheque, Mail in, Drop In, offertory plate, our PAD (pre-authorized debit) or e transfers (stjohndperthdonations@gmail.com). Check out our St John website for details. Please add your envelope number, church and how to apply your donation.

**Sun. Offering: May 8 \$3766 Thank you for your contributions!**



## PRAYERS

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

### 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.

### Pray for Ukraine: Prayer of Invocation to Our Lady of All Nations

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the Father, send now Your Spirit over the earth. Let the Holy Spirit live in the hearts of all nations that they may be preserved from degeneration, disasters, and the ravages of war. May Our Lady of all Nations, the Blessed Virgin Mary, be our advocate. Blessed Mother, Queen of Peace, pray for the people of Ukraine. *Amen.*

### Please Pray for our Sacrament Candidates!

Sign up & Prayer Cards available in the Narthex for our First Communion and Confirmation Candidates.

## SACRAMENTS & MASSES

### Sacrament: Important Dates

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

Parish Office: 613-267-1043

Register online: stjohndperthontario.com/Sacraments

### Sacramental Preparation

#### Formation Meetings (Parent & Candidate)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Communion: St John; Sun. 12:10p – **May 15<sup>th</sup>**
- Confirmation: St John; Sun. 12:10p - **May 15<sup>th</sup>; Jun 5**  
If needed, contact parish office asap to make alternate arrangements.

### Sacramental Celebrations

**1st Communion:** May 28-29<sup>th</sup>, 1 of Weekend Masses St Johns

**Confirmation:** Jun 26<sup>th</sup>, 3pm, St Johns; May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 9am, Sacred

## PARISH FEATURE & FOCUS

Jesus wants the world to recognise us as Christians.

Love is the Christian identity. Love is the Christian uniform. Love is a Christian habit. If you are wearing the habit of love, you are in. If you are not wearing love as a habit, you are out.

We need to evangelize and witness to people around us. The greatest homage we can pay to the Christian faith is to live in such a way that through us people begin to have a glimpse of the unbounded and unconditional love that God has shown us in Christ.

**“See, I am making all things new.” Shalom!**

## PARISH GROUPS & MINISTRIES

### Register Now Support Catholic Education!

Municipal Election  
October 2022

We have a municipal election coming in October. To Protect and promote Catholic education... Please ensure you are registered to vote as a Catholic separate school supporter.

### CNEWA Humanitarian Aid for Ukraine

Donate: <https://cnewa.org/ca/campaigns/ukraine/>

The Catholic Near East Welfare Association is raising humanitarian aid funds for the people of Ukraine.

### Will it Be YOU?

#### Join our Parish Pastoral Council (PPC)!

Nominations Accepted: **May 14 – May 23 (11:59)**

**HOW?** Paper forms: into St John's Narthex Ballot Box

Online: stjohndperthontario.com/homepage

Contact: Katie Publow 613-812-1014

katiepublow@gmail.com or parish office

**NOMINATE YOURSELF or SOMEONE ELSE! WE NEED 5+ NEW MEMBERS. No Formal Experience Required... Just Enthusiasm & Passion** about the future of St. John the Baptist Catholic Parish. **Fill out & Submit your “2022 St John's PPC Nomination Form” today! Election: Jun 4 & 5<sup>th</sup>**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Handicraft Holy Land for Christians

St John Narthex  
May 28-29, 2022, after Masses  
[www.HolylandChristians.ca](http://www.HolylandChristians.ca)

Christians in the Holy Land graciously ask your support of our brothers and sisters in Bethlehem through conscience prayers and will have many unique hand carved olive wood religious art pieces made by these families in Bethlehem available for purchase.

### A Virtual Day of Reflection

Theme: Turning to Jesus in time of chaos

Facilitated by Deacon Bill Gervais

Providence Spirituality Centre:

Mon., May 30<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 – 3:00 pm

Register asap: e-mail [info@psck.org](mailto:info@psck.org) or 613-542-8826 x 500

Cost: \$25.00

## LOOKING AHEAD

- May 15 12:10 pm, 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Formation Meeting,**  
*St John Church*
- May 15 12:10 pm, Confirmation Enrollment,** *St John Church*
- May 22 9am, Sacrament Celebration of Confirmation,**  
*Sacred Heart Church*
- May 28-29 Sacrament Celebration of 1<sup>st</sup> Communion,**  
*During each of our weekend Masses, St John Church*
- Jun 4 The BIG Give Event ~ Everything is Free! Glad**  
*Tidings Church, Perth, ON*
- Jun 12 St John's Parish Anniversary BBQ –All Welcome**
- Jun 26 3pm, St John's Sacrament Celebration of Confirmation,** *St John Church*

“Which servant of God was the most flagrant lawbreaker in the Bible?”

Moses.

He broke all 10 commandments at once.