

Fifth Sunday Sunday in Ordinary Time - February 9, 2025

MASS SCHEDULE



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. John Parish

Saturday, February 8 - 4:30 p.m. - † Dorothy Haesler

Sunday, Feb. 9 - 10:30 a.m. - People of the Parish

St. Patrick's Parish

Sunday, February 9 - 9:00 a.m. - People of the Parish

WEEKDAY MASSES AT ST. JOHN PARISH

Weekday masses will not be celebrated until

February 17th as Father Christian is away in his homeland Nigeria. Please pray for his safe travel and safe return. The church is open for prayer during office hours.

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. John Parish

Saturday, Feb 15 - 4:30 p.m. - † The deceased members of the Brake Family

Sunday, Feb 16 - 10:30 a.m. - † The deceased members of the Duggan & O'Donnell Families

St. Patrick's Parish

Sunday, February 16 - 9:00 a.m. - † Ed Lappan

The Pope's Intention for February - For vocations to priestly and religious life

Let us pray that the ecclesial community may welcome the desires and doubts of young people who feel called to serve Christ's mission in priestly and religious life.



IN YOUR PRAYERS

May the Lord grant healing and strength to families and friends who suffer physically, emotionally or spiritually and fortitude to their caregivers. We pray for Jean Mulvihill, Fr. Don Cummings & Fr. Gus Mendonça, Brenda Wing, Joan Rowland, Mark Mabee, Dan Hall, Al King, Karen Wand, Joanne Sneider, Wayne Ocolisan, Fr. Mac Burke, Fr. Leo Bryne, Colleen Bennett, Tracie Yuille, Margaret Leeder and Lily Anne Metcalfe.

The month of February is dedicated to the Holy Family



“Heavenly Father, welcome before you as a family, seeking your divine guidance. Help us to love and support one another, and may our family be a source of unity and strength. We ask for your blessings and grace to be upon us always.” Amen.



Confessions are held one half hour before Mass on Saturdays or by appointment.

PRAYERS AFTER COMMUNION

O Sacrament Most Holy! O Sacrament Divine!
All praise and all thanksgiving be every moment Thine. *(Repeat three times)*

Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me.

Blood of Christ, inebriate me. Water from the side of Christ, wash me. Passion of Christ, strengthen me.

O good Jesus, hear me. Within Your wounds hide me. Suffer me not to be separated from You. From the malicious enemy, defend me. At the hour of death, call me, And bid me come unto You that with your saints I may live with You forever in Heaven. Amen.

PRAYERS AT THE END OF MASS

Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in the day of battle; be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do Thou, O Prince of Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell, Satan and all the other evil spirits, who prowl through the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Prayer for Priests and Priestly Vocations

Heavenly Father, please grant to Your faithful servants, the grace and strength to carry out Your mission for the church each day. Keep our priests close to you and continue to inspire them to serve others in Your holy name. Please inspire men who are called to a priestly vocation to answer Your call and participate in the fullness that You have planned for them. Amen.



Dear Parishioners - Please sign up to be a prayer partner for one of our Confirmation candidates and/or one of our children receiving the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. Your prayers will help them on their journey to Jesus.



Children's Liturgy is offered at St. John's during Mass on Sundays.

The Royal Theatre (owned and operated by our Sunday musicians Kevin John Saylor & Frayne McCarthy) is planning a **Variety Show Fundraiser for March 14 & 15, 2025**. All performers would do two songs (or whatever your act may be) in the show. Contact Kevin for more details
kevin_john_saylor@hotmail.com

The St. John/St. Philomena Catholic Women's League

The next regular CWL meeting will be held in the sacristy at St. John's on **February 19, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.** Everyone is welcome.



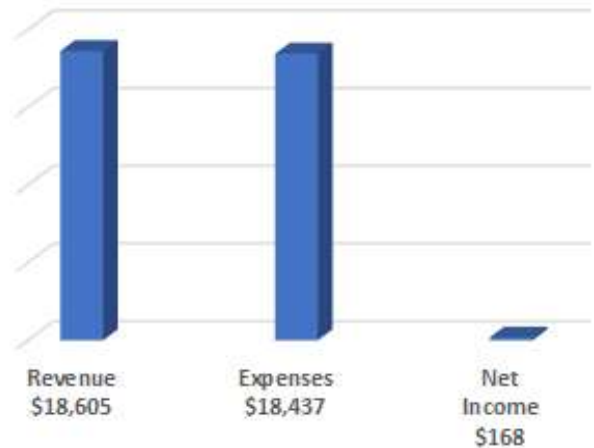
Tickets at being sold at the back of the church for the Catholic Women's League of Canada - Kingston Diocesan Council.



First Prize is \$600
Second Prize is \$400
Third Prize is \$200.



St John Financials - January 2025



Jubilee Year of Hope Pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes, Rome and Assisi - Please join Father Justin Pulikunnel and Father Shawn Hughes who will travel November 5 to November 17 to Europe to receive the great graces of pilgrimage in this Jubilee Year. Please see information and registration forms at the back of the Church for further information please do not hesitate to contact Ann Lyng at ann@stmaryscathedral.ca



GANANOQUE FOOD BANK

The Food Bank is currently in need of **Peanut Butter, Jam, Cereal, Chunky Soups, Canned fruit, Pasta Sauce, Tinned Meats-Ham. Chicken, Fruit juice-Canned, Bottle or tetra packs.** Please deposit your donation in the box provided in the church vestibule. Thank you for your continued support!

Here at St. John's we have a second collection where by we ask for loose change that you might have in your pocket/wallet/purse. We call it the **Loonie/Toonie** collection. It is a contribution to our building/maintenance fund fund. Thus far in 2025 we have accumulated \$1,075. Every little bit helps! Thank you for your on-going contributions!

If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for a special occasion, on behalf of a family member, a friend, or a deceased loved one, please submit a Mass Request to us.

1) An announced Mass intention is a donation of \$20; an unannounced Mass is \$10.

How to donate to the Church in memory of someone special. Donations to the St. John the Evangelist Church or for St. Philomena Church can be done anytime. Place a cheque in an envelope along with your name, address and your special intention. A tax receipt will be forwarded at year-end.

Feb 2, 2025	St. John	St. Philomena
Regular Offering	\$2,717.00	\$55.00
Loose cash	\$155.00	
Catholic Missions in Canada	\$285.00	\$65.00
Christmas	\$10.00	
Fuel	\$335.00	
RESTORATION: Building Fund Loonie/Toonie	\$10.00 \$402.56	