

GARSON COMMUNITY FOOD BANK

Non-perishable food items are always needed. Thank you for your ongoing support and generosity.



During the month of April, Sudbury Catholic Schools are celebrating the value of STEWARDSHIP. Throughout the month students will participate in activities in the classroom and on the school yard to encourage and promote the value of Stewardship. We will be relating the topic of stewardship to our work and responsibility as keepers of the beautiful world God has given us. Please pray for our Catholic School staff and students as they continue to put values into action.

"This is how one should regard us, as servants of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God." 1 Cor. 4:1

Ministers of Hospitality: A reminder of our short meeting with Fr. Michael following both Masses this weekend.

The Roman Catholic Parishes of ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST - Garson ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA - Skead

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Tuesday to Thursday, 10:00 am. to Noon.



The Catholic Women's League of Canada calls all people of faith to join nationwide in 12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care on **May 4, 2018**, during National Hospice Palliative Care Week, as a profound witness to the sanctity of human life.

All parishioners, family and friends are invited to join St. John's Council in prayer and solidarity from **7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** For more information, please contact Doreen Merkas at 705-693-0424. Those unable to attend are encouraged to join in prayerful support.



Following next Sunday's Mass, there will be a reception for those who have entered into Communion in the Church. All Parishioners are invited to come down to our hall to congratulate our young new Communicants, and to enjoy some cake with them.

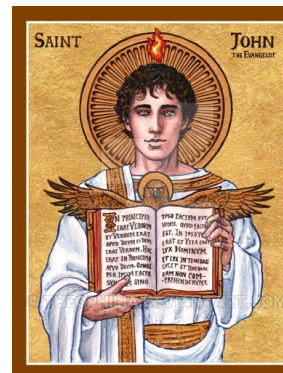
New Evangelization Summit 2018

Register online today

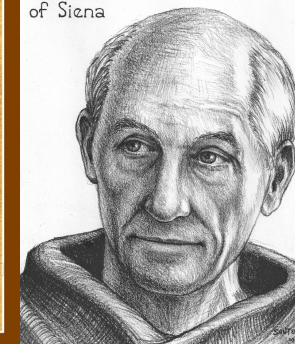
<https://www.newevangelization.ca>

PARISH BREAKFAST

Join us in our Annual Spring Parish Breakfast on Sunday, May 6th, following our morning Mass. Tickets are available in the Parish Office, and following all Masses this month. Cost is \$6.00/person. Come, bring a friend, and enjoy this delicious feast hosted by our social committee.



St. Bernardine of Siena



Pastor

Fr. Michael Williams

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

RCIA and Pastoral Care

Marie Bardswich

Parish Pastoral Council

Marie Bardswich Rachel Charette
Ivon Chaumont Mary MacGregor
Myron McCormick Sue Quackenbush

ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA

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Carole Larrett 705-969-4607

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PRAYER LINE

Elaine Lamarche 705-693-3339
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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 15, 2018



WEEKDAY MASSES: See inside for this week's schedule

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday 4:30 pm. St. John the Evangelist
Sunday 9:00 am. St. Bernardine of Siena
Sunday 10:30 am. St. John the Evangelist

CALL THE PARISH OFFICE REGARDING:

- Home Visit & Communion or Anointing of the Sick
- Individual Celebration of Reconciliation

FOR BAPTISM AND MARRIAGE:

Please speak with Fr. Michael at any weekend Mass
(6 months minimum notice is needed for Marriage)

Mass Schedule
April 16 —April 22, 2018

St. John the Evangelist

Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, April 16		No Parish Mass
Tuesday, April 17	9:30 a.m.	For the intentions of all Parishioners
Wednesday, April 18	9:30 a.m.	For the intentions of all Parishioners
Thursday, April 19	9:30 a.m.	For the intentions of all Parishioners
Friday, April 20	9:30 a.m.	For the intentions of all Parishioners
Saturday, April 21	4:30 p.m.	For Noël Goulet by Ray & Renée Joly
4th Sunday of Easter		
Sunday, April 22	10:30 a.m.	For the intentions of all Parishioners
St. Bernardine of Siena		
Sunday, April 22	9:00 a.m.	For Richard Ducharme by Marc & Micheline Grandmaison

The Catholic Women's League

Join the ladies every Wednesday following the morning Mass, when they gather in the hall to craft their handiworks for the Fall Tea.



SURVEY FOR YOUTH

The Sisters of St. Joseph invite young men and women, single or married, ages 16 to 35, to fill in a survey which will assist us in planning programs for faith development. This will require approximately 10 minutes of your time. We thank you in advance for your help.

Here is the link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NYZ57HD>



Dear pastors and parishioners,

The Sudbury Right to Life Committee is preparing for the 21st National March for Life which will be held on Parliament Hill in Ottawa, on May 10th, 2018. At least two chartered buses (coaches) from Sudbury have been reserved. We will leave in the morning at 6 a.m. and return to Sudbury the same night at approximately 9:30 p.m.

One bus will leave from the parking lot of Ste. Anne des Pins Parish. Everyone must bring a lunch for both meals; a restroom stop is planned near Pembroke.

Last year, approximately 25,000 people attended the event. This year, we hope to increase that number in order to send a clear message to our government and to the media. Come and join me on this trip to Ottawa. Let us unite in great numbers to remind our Government that we need to defend the life of the voiceless, from the moment of conception until natural death.

If you are interested, please reserve your seat at the price of \$20 by calling, as soon as possible, Thérèse St-Denis 705-566-0707. This amount will help cover the cost of our buses.

Thank you for your collaboration. May God bless you all.

Make cheque payable to Sudbury Right to Life, P.O. Box 985 Sudbury ON P3E 4S4
- on the left of your cheque, please write: "Bus to Ottawa".



Thérèse St-Denis

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION OF A BABY

Have you adopted a baby yet? Forms for doing so will be available at the entranceway of the Church for one more week. Please submit your baby's name to the office, or directly to Fr. Michael, so that his/her name can be added to our prayer intentions on the Feast of the Holy Innocents later this year.

YOUR OFFERINGS for April 8, 2018

Thank you!

St. John the Evangelist

Envelopes: \$1,639.00 Loose: \$107.10 Share Lent: \$40.00
Easter: \$165.00 Needs of the Holy Land: \$1,325.00
Pre-Authorized Deductions: \$798.00 Initial: \$5.00
Total: \$4,079.10

St. Bernardine of Siena

Envelopes: \$465.00 Loose: \$20.00 Holy Land: \$70.00
Share Lent: \$50.00 Easter: \$20.00
Total: \$625.00