

HEALING SERVICE: Once again, this week, the Northeast Ecumenical Association is providing a Healing Service in our region. St. John's Church hosted this service last winter, you might recall. This week, it is being hosted by the Church of the Ascension on Sparks Street (just a block away from St. Andrew's Church in New Sudbury). Essentially, it is a Liturgy of the Word with a healing theme, centered around the laying on of hands and prayers for healing (for those who wish to partake of that part - there is no obligation to be prayed over). Following the prayer service, there will be a reception served in the Church Hall. **This Healing Service takes place on Thursday afternoon this week, beginning at 2pm.** All are welcome.



Faith sharing at Villa Loyola – Lectio Devina: Every Tuesday afternoon we read and pray together the Gospel text of the following Sunday. We share our experiences and questions and grow towards a better and deeper understanding of the message of our Lord Jesus Christ for us. Tuesday afternoon 2 pm to 4 pm

Dates: October 15, November 26, December 3, 10, 17 **Director:** Fr. Wim Dombret, S.J.
Cost: Free admission/a tax receipt provided for donations of \$25 or more
Registration: Call 705-522-3502 ext. 0 Monday to Friday or by email at loyola@isys.ca

NET TEAM IN SUDBURY THIS WEEK: The National Evangelization Team is in our city this week, visiting a number of our schools and leading retreats for the students. They will be leading a retreat in our Church, for some of the students from St. John's School, on Friday this week (all day). Please keep both the Team members and the Students in your prayers this week.



THE ALPHA COURSE ALPHA is an international movement for the New Evangelization. It began in the Anglican Church in England and has spread throughout the world, attracting participants from every Christian faith. Currently, the Northeast Ecumenical Association, of which we are a part, is training leaders for it. Participating Churches with us are Holy Redeemer, First Baptist, Church of the Ascension and St. Andrew the Apostle. We meet in weekly sessions for 10 weeks, rotating between the various Churches. Please keep us in your prayers.

The St-Vincent-de-Paul Society (at 553 Lavoie St., Sudbury) currently receives many refugee families. Furniture and basic kitchen items and appliances are urgently needed (tables, chairs, sofas, beds, dishes, toasters, etc.) If you have something to share, please contact Sr. Marie Turcotte at 705-470-5008. Thank you!

Federation des Femmes Canadiennes Francaise, Hanmer are having their annual Tea-Bazar, 12pm to 3pm on Sunday, October 27th at St-Jacques Hall.

CHIT CHAT AND COFFEE: *Following the Friday morning Mass in the Meeting Room. Lots of conversations in a cup of caffeine!*



The Roman Catholic Parishes of
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ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA - Skead

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OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:
Tuesday - Thursday 10:00 am - Noon

October 13, 2019
28th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Pastor

Fr. Michael Williams

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

RCIA and Pastoral Care: Marie Bardswich
Music Director: Jeannine Longe
Parish Organist: Mariette Hickey/Lenore Bray

Parish Pastoral Council

Myron McCormick	Finance - ex officio
Marie Bardswich	St. John's
Rachel Charette	St. John's
Sue Quackenbush	St. John's
Trudy Hinds	St. Bernardine's

PRAYER LINE

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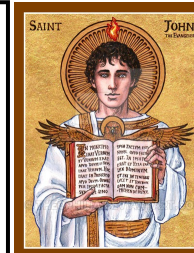
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SUNDAY MASSES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES: See inside for this week's schedule

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays: 3:30 - 4:00pm

CALL THE PARISH OFFICE (Fr. Michael) REGARDING:

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


FOR BAPTISM, HOLY COMMUNION,

CONFIRMATION & MARRIAGE:

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

Mass Schedule October 14 —October 20, 2019		
St. John the Evangelist		
Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, October 14		No Parish Mass
Tuesday, October 15	9:30 a.m.	For the Intentions of all Parishioners
Wednesday, October 16	9:30 a.m.	For Roger & Alice Pennarun by The Pennarun Family
Thursday, October 17	9:30 a.m.	For Verna Thompson by Sheila & Paul Siren
Friday, October 18	9:30 a.m.	For Kay McInnis by Debbie Monaghan
Saturday, October 19	4:30 p.m.	For Priscilla Egan by Theresa DellaVedova
29th Sunday In Ordinary Time Sunday, October 20	10:30 a.m.	For the Intentions of all Parishioners
	St. Bernardine of Siena	
Sunday, October 20	9:00 a.m.	For Charlie Goudreau by May D'Amour Goudreau & Family

ROSARY RALLY: On Sunday, October 13th at 3:00 pm, to pray for Canada on the Anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima. At the Katherine Bell Gazebo, Bell Park, on Paris Street. Everyone is invited to participate in this prayer event.



CWL NEWS: Our Fall Harvest meeting was well attended, with many different desserts enjoyed by all. The executives did a very good job with their reports. Thank you to Ann McCormick for chairing the meeting.

A reminder to the ladies that still have quilt tickets to please hand them in to Elaine Lamarche.

Everyone have a wonderful Thanksgiving.

ST. PATRICK'S CWL HARVEST TEA & BAZAAR: Sunday, October 20, 2019 from 11:15 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. The bazaar activities will include the Italian table, bake table, penny table, craft table, book table, a 50/50 draw and door prize. Admission: \$5.00/adult, \$2.00/5-12 yrs.

Autumn Tea for the Nickel Centre Seniors Club. October 20th, 12:00 to 3:00pm. 20 Edison Road, Falconbridge On. Price \$6.00/person. Bake table and crafts. All are welcome.

Theology Perking: The Sisters of St Joseph are once again offering an evening reflection for those age 20 and older. We invite you to join us at St Joseph's Residence (29 2nd Avenue South) on Friday, October 18th at 7 pm. Our guest speaker will be Sister Mary Jo Radey. Her topic is: **Making choices is not always easy. How can our faith aid us in those decision-making moments?**


Ecumenical Association in our Neighbourhood: The luncheon for Barrydowne College will be sponsored by St. John's Parish this month on Wednesday, October 16th. The students who are enrolled in the Food Preparation course will again this semester prepare and serve the meal that we donate. We are planning to provide cold meat, cheese, buns, fresh fruit, fresh vegetables, dip, yogurt, and juice boxes. In past the parishioners of St. John's have been very generous in helping to provide a good nutritious meal for them. If you are able to support this worthwhile endeavour with a monetary donation to help with the expenses we would ask that you put an envelope marked **BARRYDOWNE COLLEGE LUNCHEON** in the collection basket during the weekend of October 6th or October 13th. If it is more convenient you may give your donation to Mary Albert or Sue Quackenbush. We thank you in advance for your generosity and caring.



PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: We met on Wednesday night; the full minutes are posted on our Parish website. **ARE YOU INTERESTED IN SERVING THE PARISH ON THE PPC?** New members are always welcome. Please speak to Fr. Michael if you are interested in this important Ministry.

SACRAMENT PRAYER PARTNERS:

This year, we have 2 candidates for the Sacrament of Confirmation in our Parish, and 6 candidates for the Sacrament of weekly Eucharist. In previous years, Parishioners have sponsored these candidates in order to pray for them during their time of preparation throughout the year. If you are interested in doing this, please write your name and contact information down and give it or send it to Fr. Michael, indicating your preference for either Confirmation or Holy Eucharist candidates. Fr. Michael will match you to a candidate. If permission is given by the family, he will also give you a mailing address where you may, if you choose, send letters of support and/or small gifts (prayer cards, for example) to the candidate.



THE PASCAL MYSTERY: Anishinabe Spiritual Centre, Anderson Lake, Espanola October 25-27, 2019. Weekend facilitated by Sr. Pat Carter, csj, and Tara Hurford, D&P Animator for Eastern and Northern Ontario, The Fall Campaign.

We live our lives in the pattern of the paschal mystery. We are Easter people. There is no true Easter without the whole Paschal Mystery.

Regular Cost: Adults **\$160.00** Students **\$55.00**
 Early Bird Cost: Adults **\$140.00** Students **\$50.00**
(Includes six meals and two nights lodging)

To register, please contact: Doreen Merkas at 693-0424 or zagorja@sympatico.ca

YOUR OFFERINGS for October 6, 2019

Thank you!

St. John the Evangelist	Envelopes: \$2,643.00	Loose: \$61.00	Utilities: \$100.00
	Pre-authorized Deductions: \$898.75	Needs of the Canadian Church: \$275.00	Total: \$3,977.75
St. Bernardine of Siena	Envelopes: \$310.00	Loose: \$94.00	Total: \$404.00