



The Roman Catholic Parishes of  
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November 22, 2020  
 THIRTY-FOURTH LAST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
 SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,  
 KING OF THE UNIVERSE

**ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST**

**RCIA and Pastoral Care:** Marie Bardswich  
**Music Director:** Jeannine Longe  
**Parish Musician:**

**Parish Pastoral Council**

Myron McCormick	Finance – ex officio
Marie Bardswich	St. John's
Rachel Charette	St. John's
Sue Quackenbush	St. John's
Diane Myre	St. John's
Lisa Walz	St. John's
Trudy Hinds	St. Bernardine's

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Rolande Kehoe      705-969-2838

**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**

Wednesday at 10:30 am

**RECONCILIATION**

Please contact Fr. Michael by phone or email.

**FOR BAPTISM, HOLY COMMUNION,  
 CONFIRMATION & MARRIAGE:**

Please contact Fr. Michael by phone or email.

**YOUR OFFERINGS for November 15, 2020**

*Thank You*

**St. John the Evangelist:**

Envelopes: \$1,077.00  
 Loose: \$35.00

Pre-authorized Deductions: \$814.00  
 Bishop's Appeal: \$20.00

Heating: \$70.00

Total: \$2016.00

**St. Bernardine of Siena:**

Envelopes: \$270.00

Total: \$270.00



If you wish to use this method for donating to St. John's Parish, simply log into your bank or credit union account, choose the INTERAC e-transfer option, and use the Parish e-mail address ([stjohnsgarson@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnsgarson@gmail.com)) as the Donee.

If you wish to donate to St. Bernardine's Parish, we now have the system in place for that. For donations to St. Bernardine's, please use the following e-mail address:

[stbernardineofsiena@ssmd.ca](mailto:stbernardineofsiena@ssmd.ca)

**MASS SCHEDULE  
NOVEMBER 23 TO NOVEMBER 29, 2020**

**St. John the Evangelist**

Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, November 23		No Parish Mass
Tuesday, November 24		No Parish Mass
Wednesday, November 25	10:30a.m.	For Gail Roach by Doreen Merkas
Thursday, November 26		No Parish Mass
Friday, November 27		No Parish Mass
Saturday, November 28 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent	4:30p.m.	For Annabelle Saquet by Ray & Renee Joly
Sunday, November 29	10:30a.m.	For Jeff Timbers by Ann & Myron McCormick

**St. Bernardine of Siena**

Sunday, November 29	9:00a.m.	For the Intentions of all Parishioners
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## CWL NEWS

A call to all knitters. The Garson Food Bank is in need of hats, mittens and scarves of all sizes. If you have any please deliver them to the Food Bank on Tuesdays between 12:00pm and 3:00pm. This is a way to continue our service to help others in need.

Thank You

### 2021 Donation Envelopes

We are making the donation envelopes for 2021 available a bit earlier than usual this year, to allow for a different way of distributing them. We will not put them all out at once, as that only leads to people touching more envelopes than their own. We are doing our best to minimize any chance of spreading germs.

Your box of donation envelopes will be placed on the entranceway table in the Church IF you have either e-mailed or called the office, leaving a message asking for your envelopes to be left there.

In your message, please leave your name and specify the Mass you will be attending.

Your envelopes will be left there for that Mass only. Please pick them up on your way into the Church.

If you are picking envelopes up for someone else, please follow the same protocol.

### Lector Workbooks

The 2021 Workbooks for Lectors are here and available for those active in the Ministry of Lector in the Parish. The Workbooks begin with the start of the new Liturgical Year, the First Sunday of Advent, on November 29<sup>th</sup>.

### Distribution will work this way:

Please contact Fr. Michael, by e-mail or by phone message, during the days leading up to the Mass you will attend at which in intend to pick up your workbook. Leave a message with your name and the Mass you will attend in the days ahead (Wednesday morning, Saturday night or Sunday Morning). When you arrive, your book will be on the table in the entranceway. Your name will be on it. Please take it as you enter. And please, everyone else, refrain from touching it, or anything else that has no need of being touched.



## INSTALLATION OF BISHOP THOMAS DOWD

Bishop Thomas Dowd will officially be installed as the 7<sup>th</sup> Bishop of Sault Ste. Marie Diocese on Thursday, December 17<sup>th</sup> at 2pm. The installation ceremony will take place at the Pro-Cathedral of the Assumption in North Bay. Unfortunately, the Pro-Cathedral has a maximum capacity of 100 due to the Covid-19 restrictions, and so attendance is by invitation only. However, the ceremony will be televised live by Salt and Light TV, for those who wish to watch and participate in that way.

You will be able to view LIVE Bishop Thomas Dowd's Installation on December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 2:00p.m.

1. Live Salt + Light Television
2. Salt + Light Website



## CHRIST THE KING

This weekend is the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. It marks the final Sunday of our Liturgical calendar (and so, a Happy New Year to everyone!). It recalls a simple fact we sometimes forget: Jesus Christ is King; He has conquered sin and evil in all its manifestations; He has already won the victory.

Even as we sometimes walk in the valley of sin, darkness and doubt, this celebration reminds us that our struggle is soon to end as the reign of Christ breaks through in our lives.

As we transition to a new liturgical year, beginning with the First Sunday of Advent on November 29<sup>th</sup>, we are reminded that Advent most closely approximates our lives: darkness surrounds us, but the light of Christ approaches, and we wait in joyful hope for its full revealing.

## BAPTISM

This weekend, November 21st at the Saturday night Mass, we celebrated the Baptism of Hannah Jarmovitch, daughter of Kevin Jarmovitch and Stacey-Lynn Kearney. We offer our congratulations to this family, and our ongoing support as members of the same community of faith.



## CHURCH DOORS

With the arrival of colder weather, the main doors of the Church will not be propped open before and during Mass, as has been our protocol since June. They will be unlocked 1/2 hour before Mass begins. As always, please be sure to use the hand sanitizer that is available, as soon as you enter the Church.