



The Roman Catholic Parishes of  
**St. John the Evangelist – Garson & Falconbridge**  
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Secretary: Lisa Walz  
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**January 24, 2021**  
**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**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

**PRAYER LINE**

Elaine Lamarche	705-693-3339
Rachel Corbett	705-693-3241

**ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA**

**Communion to the Sick**

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**

**St. John the Evangelist**

Pre-Authorized Deductions Jan. 17: \$ 755.00



**DONATIONS DURING THE SHUTDOWN**

If you are not using Pre-Authorized Deductions for your donations to the Parish, and you prefer to not use e-transfer, you may make your parish donations in one of two other ways: by mailing them through Canada Post, or by dropping them off in the mailbox outside the Rectory (Annex) entrance. In both cases, cheques are safer to use, and therefore preferred.

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, simply log into your bank or credit union account, choose the INTERAC e-transfer option, and use St. Bernardine's e-mail address: [stbernardineofsiena@ssmd.ca](mailto:stbernardineofsiena@ssmd.ca) as the Donee.

**MASS SCHEDULE  
JANUARY 25 TO JANUARY 31, 2021**

**St. John the Evangelist**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Mass Intention</b>
Monday, January 25		No Parish Mass
Tuesday, January 26		No Parish Mass
Wednesday, January 27		No Parish Mass (Cancelled due to the Pandemic Lockdown)
Thursday, January 28		No Parish Mass
Friday, January 29		No Parish Mass
Saturday, January 30		No Parish Mass (Cancelled due to the Pandemic Lockdown)
4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time		No Parish Mass (Cancelled due to the Pandemic Lockdown)
Sunday, January 31		No Parish Mass (Cancelled due to the Pandemic Lockdown)
<b>St. Bernardine of Siena</b>		
Sunday, January 31		No Parish Mass (Cancelled due to the Pandemic Lockdown)

**PRIVATELY CELEBRATED MASSES**



Fr. Michael celebrated three requested Mass intentions privately:

Mass for **Vince Paquette**, requested by Ray & Renée Joly – celebrated on January 19, 2021

Mass for **Jeff Timbers**, requested by Ann & Myron McCormick – celebrated on January 20, 2021

Mass for **Gail Roach**, requested by Rob & Lisa Walz – celebrated on January 22, 2021

Fr. Michael celebrates Mass privately every day, with the intention offered for all parishioners. If you would like a particular Mass intention offered in this way, rather than waiting for public celebrations to be open again, you may make that request. The Mass celebrated will be noted in the bulletin.

**2021 DONATION ENVELOPES**

If you wish to pick up your box of 2021 donation envelopes, please either e-mail or call the parish office, and indicate which day you will drop by for them. On that day, Fr. Michael will put them in the mailbox at the entrance to the Rectory (Annex entrance).





## ST. JOHN'S CWL NEWS

Due to the coronavirus, the last CWL general meeting was in March, 2020.

The Executive Members would like to invite all CWL Members to join us on Zoom on **February 1st at 1:00 p.m.** to pray the Rosary together.

We are sure everyone misses the sisterhood and friendship and we hope many will join us.

For information and the ID & PASSWORD please call Doreen at 705-693-0424 OR email at [zagorja@eastlink.ca](mailto:zagorja@eastlink.ca)



### **REGIONAL MEETING OF PRIESTS**

On Thursday, January 21, the priests of the Sudbury region met via ZOOM, for our regularly scheduled meeting. Some of the highlights discussed were:



- How various parishes are using online and other social media platforms for the purposes of evangelization, RCIA, Sacramental preparation, etc. Later on in the meeting, it was agreed that a list of all online live-streamed Masses, and pre-recorded Masses and devotions will be compiled. Once that has been done, it can be published in the various bulletins as a quick reference to what is available in our region.
- A review of the challenges and blessings experienced in the Christmas Season by the various parishes.
- Some initial thoughts about the coming seasons of Lent and Easter.
- A review of the national Zoom meeting held with Dr. Theresa Tam and over 1,000 religious leaders. The meeting was arranged by Dr. Tam to disseminate information about the vaccination program in Canada, in order to help leaders of religious communities respond to queries that might be made by their members.