



The Roman Catholic Parishes of
St. John the Evangelist – Garson & Falconbridge
St. Bernardine of Siena – Skead
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AUGUST 29, 2021
TWENTY-SECOND 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
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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

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 AUGUST 22, 2021

St. John the Evangelist	
Envelopes:	\$ 592.00
Pre-Authorized Deductions:	\$ 822.00
Utilities:	\$ 50.00
e-Transfer:	\$ 30.00
TOTAL:	\$ 1,494.00

St. Bernardine of Siena	
Envelopes:	\$ 190.00
Loose:	\$ 20.00
TOTAL:	\$ 210.00





**MASS SCHEDULE
AUGUST 30 TO SEPTEMBER 5, 2021
ORDINARY TIME**

St. John the Evangelist

Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, August 30		No Parish Mass
Tuesday, August 31		No Parish Mass
Wednesday, September 1 <i>World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation</i>	10:30am	For Marilyn Schroeder by Ray & Renée Joly
Thursday, September 2		No Parish Mass
Friday, September 3 <i>St. Gregory the Great, Pope, Doctor</i>		No Parish Mass
Saturday, September 4 23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	4:30pm	For Ines Mucklow by Rachel Charette
Sunday, September 5	10:30am	For Michelle McFarlane by Ann & Myron McCormick

St. Bernardine of Siena

Sunday, September 5	9:00am	For the Intentions of All Parishioners
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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 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 as the Donee.



NEW SUNDAY PROTOCOLS

Based on the new Worship Safe document published by the Ontario Bishops, and the regulations issued by our Bishop in response to it, and after consultation with the Covid-19 Teams in our respective Parishes, the following changes will be made in our Sunday protocols, effective immediately.

- At both Parishes, Communicants will be invited to respond “Amen” to “The Body of Christ”, rather than doing it collectively. It will look like this:

The communicant will stand at or before the line of tape that is on the floor, which marks 2 meters spacing from Fr. Michael. Your mask will remain on. Fr. Michael will say “The Body of Christ”, to which you will respond “Amen”. Afterwards, you will approach and receive the Holy Eucharist. Your mask will still be in place. Once the Holy Eucharist has been placed in your hand, you will move to either the right or the left, depending on which side you are seated, and go past the tape marking on the floor, designating 2 meters distance from Fr. Michael. Only then will you stop, remove your mask, consume the Holy Eucharist, and immediately replace your mask. You may then return to your seat.

- At St. John’s Parish, washroom access is now permitted, but only to the washrooms at the foot of the side entrance stairway. The women’s washroom in the hall is still off limits, as is the entire hall. Access to the washrooms is through the side door at the front of the Church, next to the Divine Mercy Image. Although entry to the Church is still only through the main doors, you may exit through the side door, if you wish.
- After Labor Day, the regular weekday Mass schedule will commence. At that time, we plan on accepting donations to the Food Bank once again, and we also hope to reintroduce some of the other ministries that have been suspended. More information on that will come in September.
- Meetings are permitted, as long as everyone attending maintains a minimum of 2 meters spacing and wears a mask at all times while inside the building.

A reminder that the Bishop’s regulations and the Worship Safe document are both published on our Diocesan website, for those who are interested in reading them.



BISHOP THOMAS DOWD HERE THIS WEEKEND

It’s short notice, but we joyfully welcome our Bishop, Thomas Dowd, to St. John the Evangelist Parish, where he will celebrate the 10:30 Sunday morning Mass on August 29th.

FAREWELL TO LISA AND ROBERT WALZ

With sadness, we must bid farewell to Robert and Lisa Walz, who are moving this week to their new home in Southern Ontario, where they will be closer to their children and grandchildren. Although with us for only a few years, they became very much involved in our Parish family, and we will miss them. Besides their presence each Sunday, they were active in several Parish ministries. Lisa, of course, has been our Parish Secretary, and we will miss her there, especially as we were just on the cusp of being able to open the office once again. We wish them well in their new home, and share in their joy of being closer to their family.





St. John's CWL Members are asked to send Prayers to add to the Diocesan Spiritual Bouquet for the newly Ordained Priest, Fr. Chadwick Franklin (will be ordained on Thursday by Bishop Thomas Dowd at the Pro-Cathedral in North Bay).

*Spiritual Bouquet
for
Reverend Chadwick Franklin
Newly Ordained to the Sacred Order of Priesthood
on August 26, 2021*

*Our Father _____
Glory Be _____
Decades of Rosary _____
Rosaries _____
Holy Communion _____
Remembrance at Mass _____*

CWL is invited to participate by offering Prayers of Thanksgiving, with renewed hope and faith. A Spiritual Bouquet will be presented in the coming weeks by Madame Diocesan President. We are asked to participate.

We gather our hearts in joy filled thanksgiving for Rev. Deacon Chad's answer to Gods calling. Deadline to respond is September 3, 2021. I must send out an email with totals by this date. Please take a minute and email me your offering of Prayers.

Doreen zagorja@eastlink.ca



PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

For those who wish to pray for a priest of our Diocese each day, the calendar for September is posted to our website, under the "Bulletin" tab.