

**Mass Schedule
October 18 - October 24, 2021**

St. John the Evangelist

Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, October 18		No Parish Mass
Tuesday, October 19		No Parish Mass
Wednesday, October 20	10:30 a.m.	For Howard Haley by Ken & Sandra Belanger
Thursday, October 21	10:30 a.m.	For Michael Dagostino by The Bardswich Family
Friday, October 22	10:30 a.m.	For Lindsay Chretien by Susan & Guy Chretien
Saturday, October 23 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, October 24	4:30 p.m.	For June McDonald by Ray & Renée Joly
	10:30 a.m.	For the Intentions of all Parishioners

St. Bernardine of Siena

Sunday, October 24	9:00 a.m.	For The Venditti Family by John Robert
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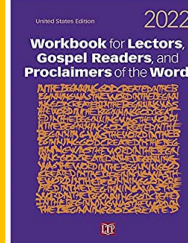
PLEASE DO NOT WEAR PERFUME, COLOGNE, OR ANY OTHER SCENTED PRODUCT TO CHURCH. Some of our Parishioners are highly sensitive to these smells and are unable to attend Mass when others are wearing them.



The prayer community, at Our Lady of Hope Church, is offering the Sacrament of Reconciliation every Thursday evening from 6:00pm to 7:30pm.

RECONCILIATION There will be two or three priests, and more if needed each week.

WORKBOOKS FOR PARISH LECTORS: The 2022 Workbook for Lectors has arrived, and is available for Parish Lectors to pick up at your convenience. They are located in the Sacristy, and so the easiest way to get yours will be on the next Sunday you are scheduled as a Lector. There is a sheet of paper there also, and we ask that you sign it when you take your book.



EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT FOR BISHOP THOMAS

The Executive Assistant position is still open. If you are interested, here is the link for further information: <https://d2y1pz2y630308.cloudfront.net/2688/documents/2021/9/Announcement%20of%20Employment%20Opportunity.pdf>

The Roman Catholic Parishes of
ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST - Garson & Falconbridge

ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA - Skead

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**THE PARISH OFFICE REMAINS
CLOSED FOR NOW**

**October 17, 2021
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Pastor
Fr. Michael Williams**

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

RCIA and Pastoral Care: Marie Bardswich
Music Director: Jeannine Longe
Parish Custodian: Sonya Arcand
Parish Organist:
Parish Secretary:

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
Trudy Hinds	St. Bernardine's

PRAYER LINE

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

ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA

Parish Contact

Carole Larrett	705-969-4607
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Communion to the Sick

Rolande Kehoe	705-969-2838
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St. John Church
Garson



St. Bernardine
Church - Skead

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

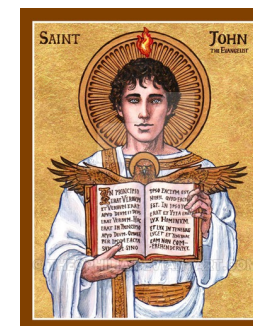
By Appointment

CALL FR. MICHAEL REGARDING:

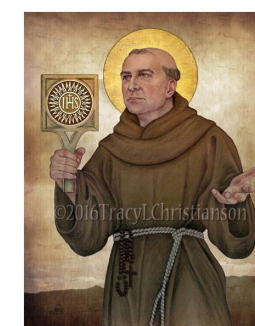
Home Visit, Communion or Anointing of the Sick
Individual Celebration of Reconciliation

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

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



St. John the Evangelist



St. Bernardine of Siena



Knights of Columbus 2022 Cash Draw Calendar in support of the NEO Kids Foundation

The Sudbury region Knights of Columbus previous cash draw calendar campaigns raised over \$120,000 for the Maison McCulloch Hospice expansion. With this past success we decided to continue with the calendars for a further 2 years (2022 and 2023) to raise funds for the NEO Kids Foundation. The goal is to increase our hospital's capacity to treat more children in Sudbury, and to create more children friendly hospital rooms. The calendars for 2022, with a cash prize every day of the year, are now available. They can be obtained by contacting John Terpstra at (705) 693-9892 or terpstra@isys.ca to arrange purchase and delivery (Garson/Falconbridge/Skead). They cost just \$20, and make excellent Christmas gifts. We thank everyone for your continued support of this worthwhile cause.



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: Next week is World Mission Sunday. It is a global celebration of the Universal Church. Your prayers and donations will assist churches, hospitals, schools, and the training of priests. The donations that the Catholic communities

throughout the world receive through World Mission Sunday will assist them to be self-sufficient and continue to flourish. By sharing your gift of faith, we can bring love and compassion to those who need it most.



DIVINE MERCY CANDLES: Through the offerings of those who donate for the burning of the Divine Mercy Candles, we are able to support our adopted children through Chalice, as well as support the poor in other ways - both the Garson Food Bank and the Elgin Street Mission have benefited from your candle offerings.



GARSON COMMUNITY FOOD BANK

Sharing with the less fortunate is walking humbly with our God!

We are now able to receive donations of non-perishable food items for the Garson Food Bank. You are invited to leave these items in the basket at the entranceway of the Church. They will be brought to the Food Bank on your behalf. Please do not leave money - if you wish to donate money, you should give it directly to them so that they can issue you a receipt.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:

Anyone who wishes to begin the process of preparation for the Sacrament of Reconciliation may begin by picking up a registration form from Fr. Michael, following any Sunday Mass. The preparation process is open to any Roman Catholic living in Garson/Falconbridge/Skead who is (or will be) 7 years of age or older this year. **Registration forms are available until October 30/31.** Please note that the celebration of Reconciliation is a prerequisite for beginning to receive Holy Eucharist in the Church.



The Sacrament of Confirmation will not be celebrated this year; rather, it will be offered in the Fall of 2022 to those who will be age 12 or older that year.



Baptism Preparation has continued throughout the pandemic, and so no change there. As a reminder, parents wishing the Baptism of their child should approach Fr. Michael following any Sunday Mass, and ask him for a registration form to begin the process.



The Ontario Provincial News Letter is now online, featuring the Hamilton Diocese and Legislation News.

The General meetings are postponed until January 2022.



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.

For donations to St. Bernardine's Parish, use their e-mail address: stbernardineofsiena@ssmd.ca.

YOUR OFFERINGS for October 10, 2021

<u>St. John the Evangelist</u>	Envelopes:	\$ 1,042.00	Loose:	\$ 40.00
	Heating:	\$ 275.00	E-transfer:	\$ 60.00
	PAD:	\$ 739.00	Special:	\$ 30.00
			Total:	\$ 2,186.00
<u>St. Bernardine of Siena</u>	Envelopes:	\$ 160.00		
	Heating:	\$ 25.00		
	E-transfer:	\$ 220.00		
			Total:	\$ 405.00

Thank You