Mass Schedule October 25 - October 31, 2021

St. John the Evangelist

Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, October 25		No Parish Mass
Tuesday, October 26		No Parish Mass
Wednesday, October 27	10:30 a.m.	For Howard Haley by Rolly & Elaine Lamarche
Thursday, October 28	10:30 a.m.	For Marilyn Schroeder by Cathy & Jim Gomm
Friday, October 29	10:30 a.m.	For Ingrid Conrod by Marie Bardswich
Saturday, October 30 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, October 31	4:30 p.m.	For June McDonald by Ken & Sandra Belanger
	10:30 a.m.	For Michelle McFarlane by Gerry & Susan Charbonneau
	St. Berr	nardine of Siena
Sunday, October 31	9:00 a.m.	For the Intentions of all Parishioners

Our Parish recently donated \$1,000 to the Elgin Street Mission. That money came from your donations via the Divine Mercy Candles. Prayer is made powerful not by the burning of a candle, but by the concern and outreach to the poor that accompanies it. This week, we received this acknowledgement from the Mission:



The Elgin Street Mission has received your generous donation of \$1,000 on October 5, 2021. We are humbled by your gift and your desire to help us continue to do the work we believe God has called us to do. Because of your giving you are part of this great work and know that you are here with us in spirit as we serve those less fortunate. From the Staff and Clients of Elgin Street Missions: "Thank you so much and God Bless".

St. Paul the Apostle CWL in Coniston, is hosting their Basement Sale Oct. 29, 30, 31.

Drop off of items for the sale will be Tuesday through Thursday 6:00 pm till 9:00 pm and on Friday 1:00 pm till 3:00 pm. The sale will start on Friday evening 6:00 pm till 9:00 pm, Saturday 9:00 am till 4:00 pm and on Sunday 10:00 am till 2:00 pm.

There will be a Meal Deal available - Grab and Go -- of Soup, Sandwich, and dessert. COVID protocols will be followed....Masks to be worn when in the hall, Social Distancing and numbers will be monitored.

The Roman Catholic Parishes of

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST - Garson & Falconbridge ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA - Skead

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October 24, 2021 **30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

THE PARISH OFFICE REMAINS **CLOSED FOR NOW**

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

Finance - ex officio Myron McCormick

Marie Bardswich St. John's Rachel Charette St. John's Sue Ouackenbush St. John's St. John's Diane Myre

St. Bernardine's Trudy Hinds

PRAYER LINE

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

ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA

Parish Contact

Carole Larrett 705-969-4607

Communion to the Sick

Rolande Kehoe 705-969-2838



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:

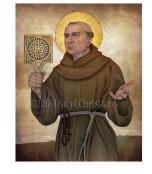
Home Visit, Communion or Anointing of the Sick Individual Celebration of Reconciliation

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

Let's put *People and Planet First* with Development and Peace — Caritas Canada's new campaign!

In Canada, most people can speak out freely when injustice is committed. In many countries of the Global South, however, communities are threatened when they seek to protect their rights, especially their right to a healthy environment. This climate of insecurity is often fuelled by the presence and influence of corporations, some of which are Canadian.

Undaunted, many vulnerable communities fight courageously to defend their rights, their lands and the environment against corporate harm.

This year, Development and Peace's **People and Planet First** campaign invites you to stand in solidarity with them and celebrate their work! To learn more about the campaign visit https://www.devp.org/en/campaign/people-planet-first/.

For more information call Doreen at 705-693-0424 or at zagorja@eastlink.ca.



TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today, every Catholic community and parish throughout the world is involved in this special event. It is a day that we

show that all Catholics are missionaries who have a role to play in spreading the message of the Gospel. We are being sent to be witnesses to what we have seen and heard, through prayer and personal sacrifices, for our brothers and sisters around the world. For as little as:

\$40 helps support a catechist for a month in remote areas of the missions.

\$80 provides for the work of Religious Sisters caring for orphaned children in Africa, Asia and Latin America.

\$100 assists poor children in boarding schools in the Amazon, Africa and Asia.

The financial assistance that you offer today, on World Mission Sunday, will support mission priests, religious sisters and brothers, and catechists who are Christ's witnesses to a world so in need of His love, healing and peace.

As always, your prayers are your most treasured gift to the missions. Thank you for participating with your prayers and donations on this World Mission Sunday.

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

Confession

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 - next weekend. 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.



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We hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving.

If you would like to see more of the new marketing initiative being undertaken, please visit cwl.ca and scroll to the bottom of the page where you see the "To Inspire" link.

Ladies a reminder to sell your Quilt tickets; if already sold please return the stubs and money to Elaine Lamarche.

YOUR OFFERINGS for October 17, 2021

St. John the EvangelistEnvelopes:\$ 1,062.00 Loose:\$ 37.00Heating:\$ 170.00 E-transfer:\$ 30.00

PAD: \$ 739.00 World Mission: \$ 20.00 **Total:** \$ **2,058.00**

St. Bernardine of Siena Envelopes: \$ 180.00

Heating \$ 5.00 Loose: \$ 60.00

Total: \$ 245.00

Thank you