

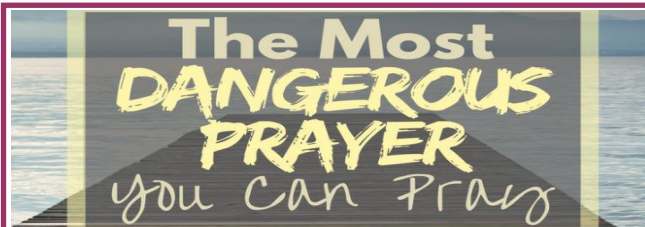
**Mass Schedule
October 24 - October 30, 2022**

St. John the Evangelist

Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, October 24		No Parish Mass
Tuesday, October 25		No Parish Mass
Wednesday, October 26	9:30 a.m.	For Mariette & Neil Hickey on their 65th Anniversary by Marie Bardswich
Thursday, October 27	9:30 a.m.	For Popeye Don & Shirley Henry by Harold & Helen Rhude
Friday, October 28	9:30 a.m.	For Souls in Purgatory by Colette Prieur
Saturday, October 29 31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday, October 30	4:30 p.m.	For Barbara Haley by Margaret Thompson
	10:30 a.m.	For the Intentions of all Parishioners
St. Bernardine of Siena		
Sunday, October 30	9:00 a.m.	For Larry Dovigi by Ed Dovigi

OFFICIAL SYNOD PRAYER

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name. With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.



"Holy Spirit, I give You permission, to do anything in my life, according to what You want."

The most dangerous prayer, as per Bishop Thomas Dowd.

Parishioners at St. Bernardine's in Skead were challenged by Bishop Dowd last Sunday, during his visit for their 75th Anniversary, to offer this prayer each day. He asked that it be published in our bulletin. Perhaps the parishioners of St. John's can also take up his challenge.

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

ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA - Skead

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**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 23, 2022**

Pastor

Fr. Michael Williams

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

RCIA and Pastoral Care: Marie Bardswich

Parish Custodian: Sonya Arcand

Donations Secretary: Barb Beaulieu

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

(There are currently 3 vacancies on the PPC)

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
75 Years: 1947 - 2022

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

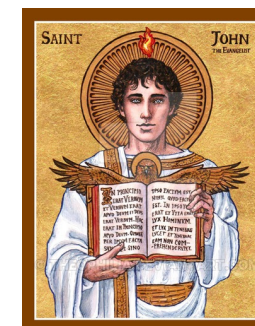
Saturdays 3:30 - 4pm in the Reconciliation Room, or at any other time upon request.

CALL FR. MICHAEL REGARDING:

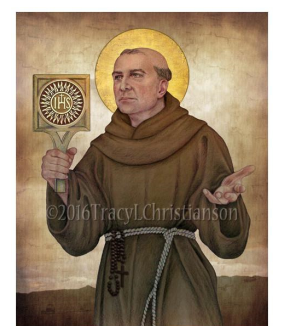
Home Visit, Communion or Anointing of the Sick
Individual Celebration of Reconciliation

**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



2023 Cash Draw Calendar in support of the NEO Kids Foundation

The Sudbury region Knights of Columbus wish to continue our past success in raising funds in support of the NEO Kids Foundation. Their 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 2023, 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). The cost is just \$20, and make excellent Christmas gifts. We thank everyone for your continued support of this worthwhile cause.



The Garson Food Bank is in **URGENT NEED**. Their stocks are depleted, as are those of the Sudbury Food Bank which would normally help. Please consider donating pasta, pasta sauce and canned meat to help build their stocks. We have much for which to be grateful; may we share with those who have little. Food donations may be left in the Church entranceway.



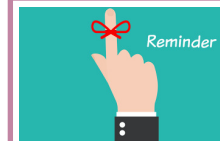
The CWL will be holding their annual Bazaar on Sunday, November 27 at the Garson Arena, from 10 am. to 2 pm. Craft, penny and bake table. Admission is free, as we will not be serving lunch. Quilt tickets may be purchased from any CWL member. More information to follow.

The Regional CWL Meeting will be held on October 23 at Our Lady Of Hope Church at 1:30 pm. We hope to see you there.

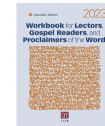
The next Executive meeting has been moved to Monday October 24th.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting Results

The PPC of our two Parishes met on Wednesday night this past week. The full minutes of that meeting are now published on our parish website. Highlights include a discussion around the areas of parish socials, Sunday music, outreach, and new membership. On that last point, there are openings on the PPC for 1 more member from St. Bernardine's Parish, and 2 more members from St. John's Parish. We have not had a full complement of members for a very long time, and so all parishioners are invited to consider this form of involvement in their respective parishes. Those interested may simply contact Fr. Michael or any other PPC member for more information.



Information meeting Wednesday night this week, beginning at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall, for all families preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.



SUNDAY LECTORS: Your 2023 Workbook is in the Sacristy. You can pick yours up to bring home at your convenience.



Monday is election day for our municipal leaders and school trustees. Please take the time to vote, if you have not already.

PARISH CALENDAR: A reminder that the "Parish Calendar" page on our website is kept up to date, and currently shows all our planned Liturgies, including Christmas and Mary, Mother of God, to the end of 2022.

YOUR OFFERINGS for October 16th

St. John the Evangelist	Envelopes:	\$ 847.00	Utilities:	\$ 95.00
	Loose:	\$ 5.00	PAD:	\$ 735.80
	World Mission Sunday	\$ 40.00	Interac:	\$ 120.00

Total: \$ 1,842.80

St. Bernardine of Siena Envelopes: \$ 245.00

Total: \$ 245.00

Thank You



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