

Mass Schedule May 15 - May 21, 2023		
St. John the Evangelist		
Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, May 15		No Parish Mass
Tuesday, May 16		No Parish Mass
Wednesday, May 17	9:30 a.m.	For Diane Myre by Ken & Sandra Belanger
Thursday, May 18	9:30 a.m.	For Brittany Monaghan by Kim & Mike Monaghan
Friday, May 19	9:30 a.m.	For All Monaghan Family Members by Kim & Mike Monaghan
Saturday, May 20	4:30 p.m.	For Diane Myre by Phil & Shirley Hay
ASCENSION OF THE LORD Sunday, May 21	10:30 a.m.	For the Intentions of All Parishioners
St. Bernardine of Siena		
Sunday, May 21	9:00 a.m.	For Ken Delwo by Eric & Barb Stuart



**SUMMER MASS REQUESTS:**

It won't be long before the summer months are upon us; as in previous years, there will be no bulletin published in July and August, and the last bulletin on June 25th will show all the Mass intentions for those months. So, if you would like a Mass celebrated for a particular intention in July, August or early September, **please be sure to submit the request no later than June 18th.**

**MASS Intentions**

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

**ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA - Skead**

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**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**May 14, 2023**

**Pastor**  
**Fr. Michael Williams**

**ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST**

**Parish Pastoral Council**

Fr. Michael Williams	Pastor - ex officio
Myron McCormick	Finance - ex officio
Marie Bardswich	St. John's
Sue Quackenbush	St. John's
Barb Pineau	St. John's
Pamela Schofield-Adams	St. John's
Jim Murphy	St. John's
Sheila Lapierre	St. John's
Trudy Hinds	St. Bernardine's

(There is 1 vacancy for St. Bernardine's 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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**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**

Wednesdays 9:05 - 9:25am (before Mass)  
in the Reconciliation Room

**CALL FR. MICHAEL REGARDING:**

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

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

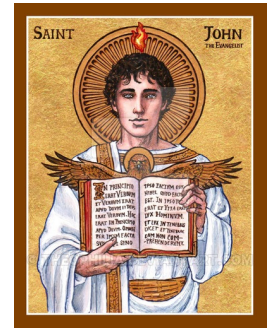
Please speak with Fr. Michael at any Sunday Mass  
(6 months minimum notice is needed for Marriage)



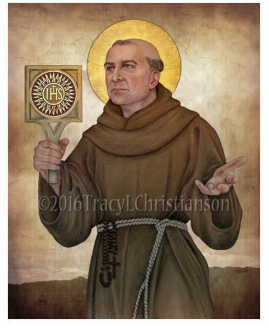
St. John Church  
Garson



St. Bernardine Church  
Skead



St. John the Evangelist



St. Bernardine of Siena



**CHIT CHAT AND COFFEE:** Join in some friendly conversation and a hot cup of coffee, in the parish hall with fellow parishioners, immediately following the Friday morning Mass.



**ROSE SUNDAY RIGHT FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN**

The Knights of Columbus will be offering their annual "Roses for Life" icons following each Mass this weekend.

Your monetary support, made through freewill donations, will be greatly appreciated.

Proceeds from this event will go to support **Birthright**.



**Catholic and Living it!** During the month of May, Mary is specially honored by devotions around the world. St. John's CWL Members invite all parishioners to join them in the Church on Wednesdays **17th and 31st at 2 pm**. to pray the Rosary, and on Thursday, **May 25th at 6pm** to pray the Rosary at our Grotto. Come pray with us for Peace in the World!

Sudbury Regional CWL Brunch at The Northbury Hotel, 50 Brady St. Sudbury, on

**Sunday May 28<sup>th</sup>: 12:30 - 3:30pm Admission: \$30.00**

Guest Speaker: Deacon Bruno Michel



**PLEASE DO NOT WEAR PERFUME, COLOGNE, OR ANY OTHER SCENTED PRODUCT IN CHURCH. THEY MAY CAUSE ALLERGIC REACTIONS IN OTHERS** Some of our Parishioners are highly sensitive to these smells and are unable to attend Mass when others are wearing them.

**LOOKING FOR A CATHOLIC PODCAST?**

The **Catholic Buzz Podcast** is a weekly Catholic podcast recorded in our own Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie! Hosted by Fr. Daniele Muscolino, Josh Sullivan and Mat VanMilligen, these three tackle all sorts of Catholic topics, news and answer your questions too. You can watch the podcast on YouTube, or listen on Apple Podcasts, Google Podcasts, Spotify, Amazon Music and more!



Visit <https://linktr.ee/thecatholicbuzz> for all the links, or follow on Facebook (@thecatholicbuzz) or on Instagram (@thecatholicbuzzpodcast).

**Confirmation Candidates:** There are six parishioners preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation this year. They hope to celebrate Confirmation this Spring (May 26th).

They are: **Carter Crichton**  
**Sophia Slywchuk**

**Jaela Harvey**  
**Noah Steen**

**Veronica Longe**  
**Sullivan Steinke**

Please keep these young parishioners, along with their parents and sponsors, in your prayers as they enter their final weeks of preparation.

Donations of non-perishable items to the food bank are always gratefully accepted, and may be left in the entranceway of St. John's Church. Thank you for your ongoing generosity and support of this needed service for the poor in our community. **This week, there is a special request for PASTA AND SAUCE, as well as for COFFEE (not pods please) and TEA (bags).**

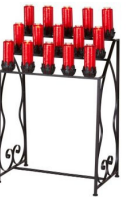


**SUDBURY REGIONAL MEETING OF PRIESTS:**

On Thursday afternoon this week, the priests of the Sudbury region will meet in Coniston to discuss various pastoral issues that affect our area. Please keep our priests in your prayers that day for a fruitful discussion.



**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 care for the poor in other ways - both the Garson Food Bank and the Elgin Street Mission have benefited from candle offerings. The minimum amount requested is \$7/candle, ALL of which goes to the poor (the parish donates the cost of the candle). **Requests to have a candle burned may be made simply by putting the money in an envelope marked "Divine Mercy" and leaving it in the collection basket.**



**ENVELOPES:** If you wish to begin using donation envelopes for the first time, please ask Fr. Michael for a set before or after any Mass. If you would like to begin using Pre-Authorized Deductions for your donations, there are forms for this in the entranceway of the Church.



**YOUR OFFERINGS on May 7th**

*Thank you for your ongoing support*

<b><u>St. John the Evangelist</u></b>	Envelopes:	\$ 755.00	Loose:	\$ 115.00
	PAD:	\$ 894.75	Interac:	\$ 60.00
	Pope's Pastoral Works:	\$ 25.00	Utilities:	\$ 380.00
			<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 2,229.75</b>
<b><u>St. Bernardine of Siena</u></b>	Envelopes:	\$ 355.00	Loose:	\$ 60.00
	Pope's Pastoral Works:	\$ 20.00	Utilities:	\$ 75.00
	Interac:	\$ 160.00		
			<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 670.00</b>



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. For donations to St. Bernardine's Parish, use: [stbernardineofsiena@ssmd.ca](mailto:stbernardineofsiena@ssmd.ca).