



Mass Schedule November 4 - November 10, 2024



St. John the Evangelist

Date	Time	Mass Intention
Monday, November 4		No Parish Mass
Tuesday, November 5		No Parish Mass
Wednesday, November 6	9:30 a.m.	For Raymond Denis by Garson Foodbank Volunteers
Thursday, November 7	9:30 a.m.	For Deceased Parents & Parents-in-law by Colette Prieur
Friday, November 8	9:30 a.m.	For Borice Charbonneau by Thérèse Desjardins & Jeanne & Bob McFarlane
Saturday, November 9	4:30 p.m.	For Wiebe Terpstra by St. John's CWL
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, November 10	10:30 a.m.	For Katherine Castonguay by Thérèse Desjardins
St. Bernardine of Siena		
Sunday, November 10	9:00 a.m.	For the Intentions of All Parishioners

CHIT CHAT AND COFFEE: Following every Friday Mass, everyone is invited to gather in the parish hall for a cup of coffee. It is an informal time to sit for a bit with other parishioners in a relaxed atmosphere.



Branch 336
Falconbridge/Garson

On this Sunday, we welcome to our Sunday morning Mass in Garson members of Falconbridge Legion Branch 336. They come to honour all those who have served and continue to serve our country. They will gather in our hall for a reception following Mass.

November's CWL News

The CWL General Meeting on Monday, November 4th is a Memorial for our Deceased CWL members, starting at 6:30 pm in the Church hall.

Mark your calendars! We will be hosting our annual Bazaar on Sunday Nov 17th at the Garson arena from 11 am - 2 pm. We still have quilt tickets available.

Membership reminder: our membership fees are \$35.00 and are due by November 30th; annual membership letters are available for pick up at the back of the Church.



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

ST. BERNARDINE OF SIENA - Skead

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Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time November 3, 2024

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
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

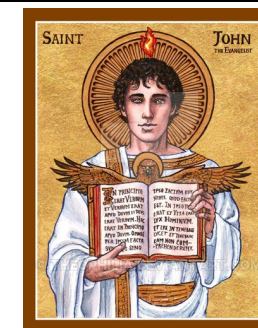
Wednesdays 9:05 - 9:25am (before Mass)
in the Reconciliation Room
- And any time upon request -

CALL FR. MICHAEL REGARDING:

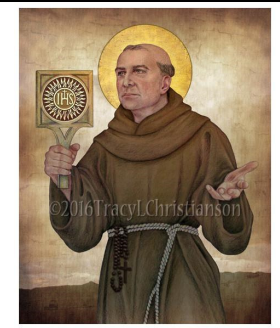
Home Visit, Communion or Anointing of the Sick
Individual Celebration of Reconciliation

FOR BAPTISM, HOLY COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION & MARRIAGE:

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



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St. Bernardine of Siena

Knights of Columbus 2025 Cash Draw Calendar:

The Sudbury region Knights of Columbus wish to continue our past success in raising funds, this year in support of Inner-City Home of Sudbury. Inner-City Home of Sudbury provides emergency food bank services, life skills resources and programs to individuals needing support. The calendars for 2025, 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.



GARSON FOODBANK

We are grateful to everyone who responds so generously to the needs of our local Garson Food Bank. This month, there is a special request for a focus on **coffee, toilet paper & sugar**. Anything you give is gratefully accepted. **Thank you!**



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION: Some of our parishioners have begun their preparation for the Sacraments of Reconciliation (leading to the weekly reception of Holy Eucharist) and Confirmation. Please keep these young parishioners in your prayers as they journey toward these gifts.



SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Celebrated on the first Friday of every month at the morning Mass.



RECONCILIATION: Available every Wednesday morning, 9:05 - 9:25, in the Confessional (Reconciliation Room). Or upon request.

PARISH CALENDAR: A reminder that the "Parish Calendar" page on our website is kept up to date, and is currently showing the Mass schedule to the end of this year. As the dates of parish liturgies and events are finalized, they are published there first. To read the information posted on each event, you need to left click on the event.



PARISH POTLUCK DINNER Please plan on joining with parish family and friends for a pot luck dinner on **Sunday, November 3rd**. The doors to St. John's parish hall will open at 4pm, so bring your favourite dish and share in the company of those who will also bring their favourites. Dinner will begin at 5pm. Everyone from both our parishes is welcome, as well as family and friends from other places. Wine will be provided.



D&P Fall Retreat at the Anishinabe Spiritual Centre



You are warmly invited to join us for a special Fall Retreat at the Anishinabe Spiritual Centre. This retreat will focus on the mission of Development and Peace—Caritas Canada through the lens of Catholic Social Teaching. Together, we'll reflect on how our faith calls us to confront the root causes of poverty, oppression and inequality, and explore what solidarity in Canada looks like.

Date: November 15-17 **Time:** Check-in 5PM Nov 15, departure 12PM Nov 17

Location: Anishinabe Spiritual Centre (1091 Anderson Lake Rd, Espanola, ON)

All are welcome! Food and accommodations included.

For more information or to register, please contact kirish@devp.org. Come be a part of this weekend of prayer, reflection, and community building!

Register here: <https://forms.office.com/r/ASyvL9wYxN>

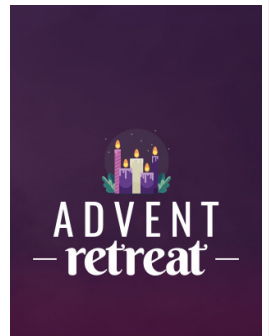
AN ADVENT RETREAT: "Waiting for the Light"

The Sudbury Associates of the Sisters of St. Joseph invite you to join them for an Advent Retreat Day at Holy Redeemer Church on Saturday, November 23rd from 9am - 3:30pm.

Retreat Director: Sister Mary Jo Radey csj **Cost:** \$20.00
Bring a bag lunch, journal and Bible.

Contact: Rita by email: the.pulice@vianet.ca or phone 705-222-1716
Judy by email: bowesi@eastlink.ca or phone 705-560-6370

Registration Deadline: Wednesday November 13th



YOUR OFFERINGS on October 27th

Thank you for your ongoing support

St. John the Evangelist	Envelopes: \$ 837.00	Interac: \$ 205.00
	Loose: \$ 50.00	PAD: \$ 778.50
	Heating: \$ 25.00	World Mission: \$ 125.00

Total: \$ 2,020.50

St. Bernardine of Siena	Envelopes: \$ 125.00	Total: \$ 145.00
	Needs of the Canadian Church: \$ 20.00	

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.

