

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHEDRAL BASILICA PARISH

Welcome to Our Parish!



Mass Times

Monday to Friday: 9 a.m. Saturday:
9 a.m. & 5 p.m.

Sunday: 9 a.m., 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

The Holy Rosary is recited 30 minutes before each weekday Mass.

Confession Times

Friday & Saturday: 11 a.m. to noon.

Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament

Monday to Saturday: Immediately following
9 a.m. Mass until 12 noon in the Marian Chapel.

Vocations

Father James Fleming: jjfleming@gmail.com

Baptism Preparation

Takes place on the first Monday of each month on
Zoom. Please register with the parish.

*All Masses are live-streamed on www.basilicafoundation.ca,
or on our parish website: www.thebasilica.church*

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Feast of Corpus Christi June 7, 2026

Prayers for the Sick:

Theresa **Bruce**, Madge **McDonald**, Patricia **Quigley**, Mary **Rice**, Donna **Power**, Charlie **Conway**, Florence **Earle**, Mary Ann **Lewis**, Isabella **Dye**, Catherine **Butler**, Madonna **Wheeler**, Isabel **Goodridge**, Patrick **Redmond**, Debbie **Lucas**, Rick **Cooper**, Faith **Nuna**, Christopher **Anthony**, Father Philip **Melvin**, John **O'Dea**, Sister Margie **Taylor**, Gerald **Murphy**, Rosemary **Butt**, Esther **Lane**, Yvonne **Steiner**, Denise **Carter**, Norma **Saunders**, Cathy **Melee**, Tony **Skinner**, Robert **Redmond**, Betty **Redmond**, Sister Roisin **Gannon**, Brenda **Skane**, Malcolm & Mary **White**, Larry **Whitten**, Donald **O'Neill**, Agnes **Hewitt**, John & Edward, Margie **Lawlor**, Harold **Saunders**, Terry **Williams**, Mary **Kelly**, Margaret **Ryan**, Albert **Williams**, Gerard **Quigley**, Karen **Bearns**, Nicole **Cutler**, Sister Elizabeth **Davis**, Jason **Walsh**, Inez **Marche**, Glen **Benson**, Harold **Hancock**, Gary **Daley**, Martha **Ward**, Sister Lorraine **Power**, Bob **Melee**, Ed **O'Leary**, Don **Rolfe**, Jamie **Halleran**, Albert **Rosariu**, Rose **Barrett**, Judy **Oliver**, Julia **Nash**, Jenita **Norman**, Devin **Johnson**, Mary Margaret **Hanrahan**, Josephine **Woodfine**, A. **Kenny**, Rita **Parsons**, Nicolas **Alacoque**, Blanche **Wells**, Joe **Baker**, Robert **Pitcher**, Mary **McCarthy**, Bridget **Hughes**, Dean **Abbott**, Joseph **Caule**, Paula **Squires**, Rose **Mackey**, Gerald **Tilley**, Mary **O'Neil**, Joe **Barry**, Hazel **Crane**, Karen **Doyle**, Gary & Donna **Crocker**, Edie **Rose**, Fr. **Pomroy**, Wren **Hewlin**,

** If you know anyone on the list of Prayers for the sick that should be removed, please email the office at basilica@rcsj.org**

Parish Team

Archbishop of St. John's

Most Reverend Peter J. Hundt

Rector, Parish Priest

Very Reverend Cecil Critch, P.P., V.G.

Office Administrator: Jill Devine

Music Director: Ms. Patty Fowler

THIS COMING WEEK IN OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

Monday

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Edith Lynch; Mary Hynes; Deceased members of the Hall family

Tuesday – St. Ephrem

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Sam (Bill) Abbott; John Handrigan; Deceased members of the Cashin family

Wednesday

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Rose Lynch; Mark Cambers; Carmen Montemayor & Princess Nika Tiqui

Thursday – St. Barnabas

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Francis Ryan; Jamal Tracey; Stephen Gibbons

Friday

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Mary Walsh; Carmel Handrigan; Stephen Handrigan

Saturday – St. Anthony of Padua

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Joan Marie O'Mara; Albert Ryan; Joan James and deceased family members

5:00 p.m. Mass for: Joseph & Meta Farrell; Dawn Sullivan; Mary Royle & deceased family members of the Royle & Melee families

Sunday

9:00 a.m. Mass for: James A. Goff; Richard Williams; Jimmy Goff

11:00 a.m. Mass for: All Parishioners

7:00 p.m. Mass for: Lorraine Penny; Patrick Power; Frank Connors



PARISH EXPENSES		
	Per Year	Per Month
Rent (including utilities)	\$360,000.00	\$30,000.00
Salaries & Benefits, Staff	\$180,000.00	\$15,000.00
Archdiocese Assessment	\$102,195.72	\$ 8,516.31
Insurance (tenants, liabilities)	\$ 63,962.40	\$ 5,330.20
Office & Church Supplies	\$ 60,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Total	\$766,158.12	\$63,846.51
Total Needed Per Week	\$ 14,733.81	<u>Thank you for your continued support</u>
Collections This Week:	\$ 7,071.00	
Other Income This Week:	\$ 4,619.00	
Electronic Donations:	\$ 4,175.00	
Total This Week:	\$ 15,865.00	

Scan to go to the parish donation webpage to support our parish, our various ministries, and outreaches.



The continuing operation of the Cathedral Basilica Parish is dependent on all of our parishioners remembering to donate towards the daily operations of our Parish. The MAIN source of revenue is from the collections/donations of **EVERYONE** who attends Masses, *as well as our online viewers*. All collections for the Parish go **directly to our daily operating costs**. We have tap machines, parish envelopes, on-line donations, automatic deposits, as well as collection baskets. **Another very convenient option for your donation is by E-TRANSFER (basilicafinance@rcsj.org)**. *If you would like to receive a box of offertory envelopes, please feel free to drop in to the Parish Office. Also, please know that your donation (large or small) makes a significant difference to us. **lease support our Advertisers (listed on the last page of this bulletin).***

Also, please support Cowan Plaza BINGO. They regularly support our Parish, as well as the following: **Emmaus House Food Bank, Cystic Fibrosis Canada, Our Lady Queen of Families Parish, Health Care Foundation, Cancer Care Foundation, and Holy Trinity Parish.**

PARISH NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Join Us to Celebrate

This year marks the 60th anniversary of Monsignor Pat Kennedy's ordination to the priesthood at the Cathedral Basilica of St. John the Baptist.

On Sunday, June 14, at the 11:00 a.m. Mass at the Basilica, Monsignor Kennedy will preside as we celebrate his six decades of dedicated service to the People of God.

Annual Basilica Parish Flipper / Chicken Dinner

We'd like to extend a heartfelt thank you to everyone who purchased tickets for our Annual Flipper and Chicken Dinner. Thanks to your generosity and support, the event is now officially **sold out!**

We hope you enjoy a delicious meal on June 18th and look forward to seeing members of our parish come together for great food, fellowship, and entertainment. We can't wait to celebrate with you all.

Annual Celebration of Marriage and Family Life

On **Sunday, June 14 at 3:00 p.m.**, the Archdiocese will host its annual Mass celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage and the gift of family life at the Cathedral-Basilica of St. John the Baptist. All are welcome. Couples married in the Catholic Church who register by **June 8** will be officially acknowledged during the Mass and receive a special blessing. Whether you have been married for 1 year, 23 years, or 52 years, you are warmly invited to register for this blessing. A reception will follow Mass at the Cathedral. For those unable to attend, Mass will be live streamed online. *A registration form can be found on the Archdiocesan webpage (www.rcsj.org), or registration can be taken by phoning the Archdiocesan Office of Evangelization and Catechesis at 709-726-3660 ext. 2.*

Marriage Preparation Course

The next Marriage Preparation Course will be held on **November 7, 2026**, with a registration deadline of **October 23, 2026**. Couples are encouraged to complete the course at least **six months before** their wedding date. Further information will be provided upon registration, and the subsequent course is expected to be offered in **May 2027**.

Basilica Choir

Jacinta Mackey Graham, our current Cathedral Basilica Choir director, has informed us that she will be taking sabbatical leave from the Basilica Choir next year. We sincerely thank Jacinta for the hard work and the excellence she has brought to our Basilica Choir and the gift of her musical talents to this important Parish ministry. We wish God's continued blessings on her in her future endeavors.

Maria Conkey, who currently directs the High School Choirs at St. Bon's, and who was previously Choral Director here at the Basilica, as well as at St. Michael's Choir School in Toronto, will return to conduct the Basilica Choir beginning in September. Maria has a Masters Degree in Music and choral conducting from the University of Alberta and is currently working on her Doctorate in Musical Arts in Choral Conducting at the University of Toronto. We welcome Maria back to continue the legacy of excellent choirs at our Cathedral Basilica.

-Father Cecil Critch, Parish Priest-

Basilica Summer Hours

Weekdays

- Open: 8:15 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
- Mass: 9:00 a.m.
- Adoration: 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.
- Tours: 10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Weekend Schedule

Saturday

- Masses: 9:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
- Tours: 10:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

Sunday

- Tours: 12:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m.
- Masses: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.



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