

# 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](mailto: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](http://www.basilicafoundation.ca), or on our parish website: [www.thebasilica.church](http://www.thebasilica.church)*

### Please, contact us at:

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**Office hours** are Mon. to Fri., 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (closed from noon to 1:00 p.m.)

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## Happy Father's Day Feast of St. John the Baptist June 21, 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 Skanes, 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 Bears, 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, Hazel Crane, Karen Doyle, Gary & Donna Crocker, Edie Rose, Fr. Pomroy, Wren Hewlin, Frank O'Leary, Christian Squires, Susan Cooper, Robert Wayne Maloney

**\* If you know anyone on the list of Prayers for the sick that should be removed, please email the office at [basilica@rcsj.org](mailto: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- St. Paulinus of Nola**

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Pauline Manning; John Handrigan; Henry & Ellen Kielley and deceased family members

**Tuesday – The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist**

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Michael Dillon; David Warren; Leonard Taylor

**Wednesday –(To be held in the Marian Chapel)**

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Sister Mary White; Frank Foley; Peter Smyth

**Thursday**

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Larry Hennessey; Ted Harding; Stephen Thistle

**Friday**

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Monsignor Francis Coady; Sheldon Thornhill; David Feder

**Saturday- St. Cyril of Alexandria**

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Ruth Ann Fullan; John Aylward; Father Peter Power

5:00 p.m. Mass for: Earl Hayes; William Hogan; Dorothy Carew

**Sunday**

9:00 a.m. Mass for: Donna, Shane & Darren Fleming; Carmel Kelly; Margaret Roche

11:00 a.m. Mass for: All deceased parishioners

7:00 p.m. Mass for: Gerard & Mercedes Maher; Mary Stacey; Judith Newton



<b>PARISH EXPENSES</b>		
	<b>Per Year</b>	<b>Per Month</b>
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$766,158.12</b>	<b>\$63,846.51</b>
<b>Total Needed Per Week</b>	<b>\$ 14,733.81</b>	<b><u>Thank you for your continued support</u></b>
Collections This Week:	\$ 8,144.00	
Other Income This Week:	\$ 4,243.41	
Electronic Donations:	\$ 3,788.08	
<b>Total This Week:</b>	<b>\$ 16,175.49</b>	

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

### Afternoon Teas this July at the Basilica

Come and enjoy a lovely Afternoon Tea with us every **Thursday** in July at **2:00 p.m.** Hosted once again by the Basilica Community Builders, these gatherings are a wonderful way to share good company and conversation. Tickets are available in advance from the parish office for **\$20 per person**. A limited number of tickets *may* be available on the day of each tea, so we encourage you to get your tickets early and reserve your seat.

### Garden Party Planning Meeting

On **Monday, June 22** at 10 am, there will be a meeting in the Basilica Parish Room to plan our Basilica Garden Party. If you are unable to attend, but interested in helping, could you please leave your name at the parish office at [basilica@rcsj.org](mailto:basilica@rcsj.org) or by calling 709-754-2170. We are still accepting donations of food, gift cards or funds to help make this garden party a success. Parish donation letters are available on request.

### 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**.

### What Am I Free For? Reflecting on Moral Theology in the Catholic Tradition

#### A three-evening series with speaker Fr. Kevin O'Neil, CSsR

**When?** Monday, June 22, Tuesday, June 23 and Wednesday, June 24 at 7:00 pm

**Where?** St. Teresa's Church, 120 Mundy Pond Road, St. John's.

Admission is free

Fr. Kevin O'Neil is a Redemptorist moral theologian who has taught at the Catholic University of America and offered sessions and courses all over the world.

Pope St. John Paul II once described the moral life as our response to the many acts of love that God has taken on our behalf. We have been gifted with freedom to respond to the love of God and moral theology is a discipline to assist us in living the moral life. During our days together we will study the building blocks of moral theology such as freedom, character, human dignity, sin and conversion. We will also examine the criteria for judgments of right and wrong and how that is reflected in Church teaching. Finally, we will review the process for the formation and exercise of conscience. In the end we hope to have greater clarity about what we are free for and how.

### 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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