

# Saint John Bosco Parish



17<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
of  
Ordinary  
Time

## WELCOME to St. John Bosco Parish!

We are happy to have you with us and would like to extend a warm welcome to all of our visitors today. If you are staying with us, please consider filling out a registration form found in the church atrium and submit it to our church office. Want to become actively involved in this wonderful parish? View our website or contact our church office to find out more information about the various programs and ministries we have in our parish. **We encourage your active participation!**

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Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:15 p.m. Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

Baptism: By appointment with the parish priest

First Communion, Confirmation, Communion for the infirmed, and the Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the parish office.

Marriage: Contact the parish priest at least six (6) months before the proposed date of marriage.

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Available before and after weekend Masses and the Parish Office during the week.

### Mission Statement

St. John Bosco Parish is a faith community united to the Body of Christ by the common bond of Baptism and rooted in the Roman Catholic tradition. We gather for celebrating the Eucharist and all other Sacraments, fellowship, and our gifts. We proclaim the Gospel in ministry and in community.



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### Office Hours

Tuesday - Friday: 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

## SEVENTEENTH AND EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

**SCRIPTURE MESSAGE:** The readings teach us that accepting Jesus as our God and Savior and sacrificing everything in life to do the will of God are equivalent to discovering and possessing the most valuable treasure or the pearl of great price. In other words, keeping a personal relationship with Christ and sharing his view of life are the most beautiful, the most precious things in the world. **Scripture lessons:** The first reading tells us how the young King Solomon opted for the great treasure of accepting God to rule his life by doing God's will. That is why he requested of God "an understanding heart" to *distinguish right from wrong*, so that he might govern the people properly. In the second reading, Paul teaches that the wisdom to perceive God's grace is essential for those who want to follow Him and to do His will, thus remaining in His Kingdom. In the Gospel, using three mini parables and one concluding parable or simile, Jesus teaches that God's Kingdom (the rule of God in us, accepting Jesus as our God and Savior, putting our Faith in him and doing His will), is something of extraordinary value, like a hidden treasure or a costly pearl, and that possessing it calls for a total commitment to preserving it. The Kingdom of God is God's reign in our hearts, in our lives, in our homes, in our society, and in our world. Only those who develop a searching mind and are willing to give up everything for the great treasure of God's Kingdom will be rewarded. Through the first and second parables of the treasure and pearl, Jesus teaches us that identifying God's will and living according to the Gospel (both with His grace), are the most precious and worthwhile things in life. Through Jesus and his Gospel, we come to know and understand the real meaning of life, the will of God for us each day, and the most important things we must do to secure our eternal salvation. **Life message** We should live every moment in view of our precious goal. Most of the time, we are chasing false treasures such as money, social status or worldly pleasures. Let us always remember that Heaven is within the reach of all of us who try to do the will of God following the ordinary vocations of life and enjoying this world's joys and pleasures within the framework of God's Commandments. When we do so, we are already living in the Kingdom of Heaven while we are still on earth.

**PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL:** Please pray for: Fr. Martin, Hilda Armstrong, Gerard Parker, Valerie Cooper, Mary Lambert, Denis & Norma Savage, Heidi Reid, Gerald Moriarty, Leone McIntyre, Justin Lefave, Ann Ruigrok, Maurice & Madeleine Belec, Margaret Smith, Debbie Freer, Brian Brougham, Laurie Lirette, Shelley McLaren, Ursula Thompson, Deacon Peter Kelly, Father Mac Burke, Father Brian Price, Ellen Hart, Brian Fraser, Ros Crooks, Sean O'Connell, Kerry Walsh, Bailey, Kurt and Hugh Pakenham.

<b>MASS SCHEDULE JULY 25 – AUGUST 2, 2020</b>		
<b>Saturday, July 25</b>	<b>5:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Karin Ravnaas Johns</b>
<b>Sunday, July 26</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Our Parishioners</b>
<b>Tuesday, July 28</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Unannounced Mass</b>
<b>Wednesday, July 29</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Msgr. Thomas Raby</b>
<b>Thursday, July 30</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>The Bolduc and Lee Families</b>
<b>Friday, July 31</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Deceased members of the Limolic Family</b>
<b>Saturday, August 1</b>	<b>5:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Jim Stone</b>
<b>Sunday, August 2</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Our Parishioners</b>
<b>The Sanctuary Candle burns this week for: For nurses, doctors and paramedics</b>		

<b>MASS SCHEDULE August 1- August 9, 2020</b>		
<b>Saturday, August 1</b>	<b>5:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Jim Stone</b>
<b>Sunday, August 2</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Our Parishioners</b>
<b>Tuesday, August 4</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Unannounced Mass</b>
<b>Wednesday, August 5</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Jeanette &amp; Marcel Diotte</b>
<b>Thursday, August 6</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Deceased members of the Cousineau and Roy Families</b>
<b>Friday, August 7</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Unannounced Mass</b>
<b>Saturday, August 8</b>	<b>5:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Our Parishioners</b>
<b>Sunday, August 9</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Rita Kirk</b>
<b>The Sanctuary Candle burns this week for: Fernand and Fabienne Gladu</b>		

**CHANGE OF MASS TIME:** Please be aware that there will only be two Masses each weekend until further notice. **Saturday at 5:15 p.m. and Sunday at 9:30 a.m.** **Weekday Mass is Tuesday - Friday at 9:30 a.m.**

*“Anyone who finds a treasure in a field, sells all and buys that field.” Matthew 13.44*

**JULY 26, 2020**  
**AUGUST 2, 2020**

<b>MASS TIMES</b>	<b>USHERS</b>	<b>LECTOR</b>	<b>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER</b>	<b>WELCOME DESK</b>	<b>WASHROOMS</b>
Saturday, August 1 5:15 p.m.	Rick Fraser, Scott MacDermott	Isabelle Heffernan	Melinda Condon	Jill Heffernan	Liam Heffernan
Sunday, August 2 9:30 a.m.	Lloyd Clatyon, Michel Labonte, John McGeough	Theresa Iddon	Marguerite Whiteland	Jill Heffernan	Peter Meaney

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Saturday, August 8 5:15 p.m.	Al Cyr, Rick Fraser, Scott MacDermott	Sylvia Shackles	Melinda Condon	Carol Ravnaas	Jill Heffernan
Sunday, August 9 9:30 a.m.	Art Psiuk, Michel Labonte, John McGeough	Marc Dennis	Maureen Laurin	Paulette Psiuk	Peter Meaney

**MASKS ARE NOW MANDATORY:** Please make sure you are wearing a mask when entering the church, **we are asking for parishioners to bring their own masks as our supply is limited.** We understand that some parishioners are not able to wear masks because of health issues.

**FINANCIAL UPDATE:**

Operating Weekly Target: \$3500  
July 12<sup>th</sup> Actual Offering: \$3594.00  
July 19<sup>th</sup> Actual Offering: \$3133.00

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY:** and prayerful best wishes to all who are celebrating their wedding anniversaries in July and August:

Don and Helen Fortier	45 years	July 26
Bill and Dorothy Heasley	68 years	July 26
Glenn and Judith Hart	46 years	July 27
Paul and Lise Matte	35 years	July 27
Peter and Noreen Shea	46 years	August 1
Al Cyr and Carol Ravnaas	33 years	August 1
Norma and Gord Burns	51 years	August 2
Don and Marlene Burns	52 years	August 3
Jack and Cecile Henderson	55 years	August 7
David and Donna Cody	45 years	August 7
David and Angela Kelly	22 years	August 8
Layne and Deborah Boivin	46 years	August 10
Michel and Deborah Labonte	38 years	August 14
Lucille and Alfred Minifie	62 years	August 16
Brian and Olga Brougham	59 years	August 19
Hien and Nguyen Vu	25 years	August 19
Teresa and Kevin Tanney	38 years	August 21
Ron and Claire Zajac	22 years	August 22
Eugene and Ellen O'Grady	52 years	August 24
Edward and Heidi Limcolioc	24 years	August 24

**RCIA:** RCIA classes will resume on August 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm at the Parish.

**ANNOUNCED MASS:** As we are celebrating only one Mass on Sundays, some of our weekend Masses have to be rescheduled later in the year. The office will contact you if a Mass you requested has to be rescheduled. If you have any questions please call the office 613-342-5095.

**CHANGES:** If you are wondering why Mass feels different, St. John Bosco Parish is following the guidelines of the Archdiocese of Kingston. The Ontario Bishops met with many experts and the Ontario government to come up with new guidelines for Mass to reduce the spread of COVID-19. We have also implemented many cleaning protocols so that our parishioners will be safe. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Father Jacob at the parish 613-342-5095.

**JOKE OF THE WEEK:** Treasure in the Bible. Because she was so poor, the parish helped the widow with food and rent money. Her son had emigrated to New York and become very successful. One day the pastor asked Mrs. O'Leary if she ever heard from her son. Proudly the widow answered, "Bob writes me every week and always encloses a picture." Thinking he'd see some family photos, the pastor asked to see the pictures. Bringing in her Bible, she showed the pastor a Bible stuffed with pictures of Benjamin Franklin. Those are \$100 bills, in case you missed it! Bob had been trying to help his mother for years and the old woman had failed to realize the treasure she was given every week.

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