

# Saint John Bosco Parish



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## 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!**

Parish Priest: **Fr. Jacob Chelamootil**  
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Custodian: Roger Wooller

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.

### Grocery Certificates

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

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

**THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME  
ALL SAINTS DAY**

**SCRIPTURE MESSAGE:** The central theme of today's readings is the greatest commandment in the Bible, namely to love God and express that love in action by loving Him living in our neighbour. **Scripture lessons:** The first reading from Exodus explains the second greatest commandment, namely, loving one's neighbours, especially the underprivileged. In the second reading, St. Paul congratulates the Thessalonians on the positive effects of their example of loving one another as Jesus had commanded them to do. In the Gospel today, Jesus combines the commandment to love God with the commandment to love one's neighbour and gives the result as one Commandment of supreme importance in Christian life. Jesus underlines the principle that we are to love our neighbour as we love ourselves because as God's children both of us bear God's image, and to honour God's image is to honour Him. Love for our neighbour is a matter, not of feelings, but of deeds by which we share with others the unmerited love that God lavishes on us. **Life messages:** 1) We need to love God: There are several means by which we can express our love for God and our gratitude to Him for His blessings, acknowledging our total dependence on Him keeping Commandments, and offer daily prayers of thanksgiving, praise and petition. Also read and meditate on His Words, and join Him in the Mass and other liturgical functions. 2) We need to love our neighbour: Since every human being is the child of God and the dwelling place of the Spirit of God, we are actually giving expression to our love of God by loving our neighbour as Jesus loves him or her. This means we need to help, support, encourage, forgive, and pray for everyone without discrimination. Even a rebuke can be an act of love, if it is done with the right heart. We also express love through encouragement and by helping others to grow. We express *agápe* love in meeting the needs of others by using the talents and blessings that God has given us, by comforting each other, by teaching each other and by sharing the Gospel, in deeds and in words.

**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, Ellen Hart, Brian Fraser, Ros Crooks, Sean O'Connell, Mary Ellen Major and Kerry & Steve Walsh.

**SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS:** Today is primarily a Sunday, the Lord's day; the saints are the principal witnesses to Christ and to the saving power of his death and resurrection. This is the focus of today's celebration.

<b>MASS SCHEDULE October 24 – November 1, 2020</b>		
Saturday, October 24	5:15 p.m.	Our Parishioners
Sunday, October 25	9:30 a.m.	Peter Lynch
Tuesday, October 27	9:30 a.m.	Audrey Beacon
Wednesday, October 28	9:30 a.m.	The Diotte Family
Thursday, October 29	9:30 a.m.	Anne Mary Ryan
Friday, October 30	9:30 a.m.	Tom Barr
Saturday, October 31	5:15 p.m.	Our Parishioners
Sunday, November 1 ALL SAINTS DAY	9:30 a.m.	James Marchand
Monday, November 2 ALL SOULS DAY	8:30 a.m.	Unannounced Mass
Tuesday, November 3	9:30 a.m.	Tom Barr
Wednesday, November 4	9:30 a.m.	Msgr. Thomas Raby
	5:00 pm	Cheryl Spink
Thursday, November 5	9:30 a.m.	Int. of Mary Gilliard
FIRST FRIDAY Friday, November 6	8:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m.	HOLY HOUR Danny Wheeler
Saturday, November 7	5:15 p.m.	Deceased members of the Ravnaas and Cyr Families
Sunday, November 8	9:30 a.m.	Thomas Armstrong
<b>Sanctuary Candle the week of October 24: Deceased members of Chelamootil Family</b>		

**FINANCIAL UPDATE: Weekly target \$ 3500.00**

October 11, 2020 actual offering: \$ 5008.84  
 October 18, 2020 actual offering: 2531.25  
 World Mission Sunday: \$1080.00  
 Property Maintenance: \$ 1005.00

**PRIESTS RETIREMENT FUND – NOVEMBER 7 & 8:**

Please give generously to the Archdiocesan program which provides elderly and infirm priests with the pension and health benefits they have earned after many years of service.

*“You shall love the Lord your God, and your neighbour as yourself.” Matthew 22.34-40*

October 25, 2020  
November 1, 2020

<i>MASS TIMES</i>	<i>USHERS</i>	<i>LECTOR</i>	<i>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER</i>	<i>WELCOME DESK</i>	<i>WASHROOMS</i>
Saturday, October 31 5:15 p.m.	Michel LaBonte and Al Cyr	Joanne Story	Carol Ravnaas	Carol Ravnaas	Josie Bracamonte
Sunday, November 1 9:30 a.m.	Lloyd Clayton and John McGeough	Lise Lalonde-Matte	Marguerite Whiteland	Jill Heffernan	Peter Meaney

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**ALL SOULS DAY – NOVEMBER 2:** We remember our deceased loved ones particularly on All Souls Day as a community of faithful. Their names will be displayed in the Book of Life at the back of the church during the month of November. “All Souls Day” envelopes can be found in your envelope box. \$10 for Unannounced Mass and \$20 for Announced Mass. You may write more than one name on the envelope. **Mass will be at 8:30 am on All Souls Day.**

**RCIA:** The next meeting will be **Friday October 30<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm at the Parish Hall.** We will be receiving our candidates into Full Communion during Mass **November 4<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm at St. John Bosco Parish.** Please pray for our candidates for Baptism and Confirmation; Sarah & Benjamin Ryan and Robert Major, and Leah Leahy who will be Confirmed.

**CHRISTMAS CARDS:** Knights of Columbus are selling Christmas cards at St. John Bosco Parish the weekends of October 31 and November 7, 2020. They will also offer delivery service to those who are shut in by calling Stewart Glashan 613-342-3855 or James MacKenzie 613-349-7512. All boxes are \$15.00

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY:** Prayerful best wishes to all who are celebrating wedding anniversaries in October and November:

<b>Mary &amp; Larry Clarke</b>	<b>53 years</b>	<b>October 28</b>
<b>Michael and Lourdes Koktan</b>	<b>53 years</b>	<b>November 4</b>
<b>Maurice and Madeleine Belec</b>	<b>68 years</b>	<b>November 8</b>

**ST. JOHN'S AMBULANCE:** Please contact the office if you are interested in being trained to use the defibrillator.

**CLERGY APPOINTMENTS:** Effective November 5<sup>th</sup> 2020, Archbishop Mulhall has announced the following clergy appointments:

**Retirement:** Rev. Brian McNally retires of Pastor of St. John the Baptist, Perth.

Rev. Louis DiRicco retires as Pastor of the cluster of St. Edward the Confessor, Westport and St. Columbanus, Elgin.

**Pastor:** Rev. Charles Enyinnia is appointed Pastor of St. John the Baptist, Perth.

Rev. Cyprian Ihedoro, SMMM, is appointed Pastor of the cluster of St. Edward the Confessor, Westport and St. Columbanus, Elgin; and is appointed Pastor of Sacred Heart of Jesus, Bedford, and the mission of St. James Major, Sharbot Lake.

**Administrator:** Rev. Cyril Duru is appointed the Administrator of St. Mary of the Presentation, Chesterville, and the mission of St. Daniel the Martyr, South Mountain.

**Associate Pastor:** Rev. Brian Russell is appointed Associate Pastor of St. John the Baptist, Perth.

Rev. Mark Ruckpaul is appointed Associate Pastor of St. Michael the Archangel, Belleville.

**Effective November 26<sup>th</sup>;**

Rev. Jan Kusyk is appointed Pastor of St. Patrick, Landsdowne and St. Brendan, Rockport. Fr. Jan will continue his ministry as Vocation Director for the Archdiocese of Kingston.

Rev. Justin Pulikunnel is appointed Pastor of Sacred Heart of Jesus, Marmora, Sacred Heart of Mary, Madoc and St. Bernadette, Ormsby.

Rev. John Gillis will be in residence at St. Michael the Archangel, Belleville.

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