

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

is held in the chapel every Thursday from 7am to noon and 4 - 6 pm. **Intentions:** Vocations, Sanctity of Life and all who are ill. If you can give an hour to Jesus please call Shirley 613-548-3091 or Karla 613-546-0285.

Rosary & Divine Chaplet

Every Thursday in the chapel at 5:40 pm.
A prayer hour for our Priests!

Prayer Network

Over 50 people are praying daily for your intentions. If you would like to add someone to the prayer list or if you would like to join the prayer network call Christine at the parish office.

Catholic Women's League

President: Donna Payne 613-539-3310

General meetings are held on the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm in St. Joseph's Room (from Sept. to June). All ladies are welcome!

Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight: Jim Laudanski 613-544-9489
11886.GK@gmail.com

General meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the Month at 7:00 pm in St. Joseph's Room (from Sept. to June).

Parish Pastoral Council

Fr. Wes Chochrek	Jacki McCabe
Marguerite Laudanski	Bonnie Henderson
Peter Scott	Mary Lynn Jefferies
Roseanne Hogan	Andreanne Beauchesne
Jim Laudanski	

Finance Committee

Fr. Wes Chochrek	Karla Nichols
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Fr. Wes Chochrek	Robert Portman
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Fr. Wes Chochrek	George Caron
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Phil Henderson	
Linda Goldstein	

Liturgy Committee

Fr. Wes Chochrek	Madeline Halladay
Joan Bryan	Jodie Compeau

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 - Sunday 10:30 am
Sunday 12:00 pm - Polish Mass

Mass Intentions

3rd Sunday of Advent - Dec. 16, 2018

Sat.	Dec. 15 - 5:00 pm - Roger Tobin (Sheila Thiele)
Sun.	Dec. 16 - 9:00 am - Intentions of Jack & Mary Boyle (Karla)
	10:30 am - Parishioners
	12:00 pm - Polish Mass
Tues.	Dec. 18 - 9:00 am - No Intention
Wed.	Dec. 19 - 9:00 pm - Unannounced
Thurs.	Dec. 20 - 9:00 pm - No Intention
Fri.	Dec. 21 - 9:00 am - Unannounced

4th Sunday of Advent - Dec. 23, 2018

Sat.	Dec. 22 - 5:00 pm - Therese Olivier (Roseanne Hogan)
Sun.	Dec. 23 - 9:00 am - Intentions of the Knights of Columbus Council 11886 (Karla Nichols)
	10:30 am - Parishioners
	12:00 pm - Polish Mass

Daily Masses will be in the Chapel

Lectors

4th Sunday of Advent - Dec. 23, 2018

5:00 pm - _____?
9:00 am - Cathy Townsend
10:30 am - Mac Robinson

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

4th Sunday of Advent - Dec. 23, 2018

5:00 pm - Madeline Halladay
9:00 am - Cecile Gould
10:30 am - Pat Stenson

4th Sunday of Advent - Dec. 23, 2018

1st Reading: Micah 5.2-5a
2nd Reading: Hebrews 10.5-10
Gospel: Luke 1.39-45

3rd Sunday of Advent

Happiness comes from doing good, being honourable and showing concern for those in need. The joy which stems from our faith means that whether playing or praying, laughing or weeping, walking or dancing, Christ shines forth from us. No one who has ever experienced this joy would exchange it for all the pleasures and comforts of this world.
-Desmond Knowles-

ROSARY - every Thursday after 9 am Mass -
for Marcus Hacault

The Sanctuary Lamp burns to remind us of Christ's presence in the Blessed Sacrament.

This week the Sanctuary Lamp burns

IN MEMORY OF BERNIE PREFONTAINE

If you wish to sponsor the sanctuary lamp for one week the stipend is \$10.00

Stewardship Report:

Your generous support of Holy Name of Jesus Church Ministry last week resulted in:
Regular - \$ 1,722.10
Improvement Fund - \$ 30.00
Roof - \$ 130.00
Christmas Flowers - \$190.00
Special Donation - \$ 50.00

Thank You for your generosity!

Christmas Mass Schedule:

Christmas Eve : 5 pm
Midnight (Polish and English)
Christmas Day: 10 am
New Years Eve: 5 pm
New Years Day: 10 am

First Communion and Confirmation: If you have children who attend a public school in grade 2 (First Communion) or Grade 8 (Confirmation) who would like to receive these sacraments please contact the parish office or see Fr. Wes by the end of January.

Your local council of the Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a family bowling afternoon at Garrison Lanes on 13 Jan at 3pm.

If you would like to enjoy a game in a family-friendly environment **RSVP by 6 Jan, to Gregory.White@rmc.ca** or phone 613 317 7551. Cost, is **\$10 per bowler** or \$30 per family. for 2 games, bowling shoes and a meal (juice, pizza, and chips). Under age 4, non-bowlers' meals are **FREE**. Payment must be made **by 8 Jan** by E-transfer to Gregory.White@rmc.ca or after mass on 6 Jan. **All families welcome! Rsvp early to avoid disappointment!**

2018 DONATIONS Holy Name of Jesus Year-End occurs on 31 December; therefore, we ask that all 2018 donations be forwarded to the parish office by 31 December 2018. Donations received after this date will need to be recorded in 2019. If you wish to have a donation appear on your 2018 Tax Receipt, please ensure that the office has received it prior to 1 January. Thank you.

2019 ENVELOPES are available for pick-up at the back of the church. If you are currently not using envelopes but wish to do so, please contact the parish office at 613-546-0418 to request them.

Job Posting: Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper.
Description: Performs secretarial and bookkeeping duties for St. John the Evangelist Church in Gananoque (work site: 270 Stone St. S., Gananoque) and St. Philomena Church on Howe Island. Closing Date: Friday, January 4, 2018 at 3 pm. Hours: Full time, 37.5 hours per week; Mondays to Fridays. Please apply through: keys.ca/jobboard/listing.php?id=2742. Thank you for your interest in this position.

"The Hotel Dieu Hospital site of Kingston Health Sciences Centre (KHSC) is recruiting volunteers to spend time with patients and families in clinic and post-surgical areas, at the Information Desk in the main lobby, and in their Boutique, Café and Snack Cart. Volunteers are expected to commit to one 2 to 3-hour shift per week and we are open to discussion with snowbirds, cottagers, and travelers. Learn more by visiting the Careers & Volunteers section at www.hoteldieu.com or call 613-548-2359 (option 1)."

On the Feast Holy Innocents Friday, December 28, 2018, there will be Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral at 7:00 p.m. On this particular day of the Christmas Season, when we remember the Holy Innocents - the babies who were killed by Herod seeking the Christ Child - we will gather to pray for our own "innocents", the thousands of victims of abortion. Please join us. For further info. contact Campaign Life Coalition 382-1084.

PILGRIMAGE TO POLAND Divine Mercy Centre and Prague, Wroclaw, Krzeszow, Krakow, Lagiewniki, Czestochowa, Salt Mine Wieliczka, Aakopane, Wadowice and more, 5-15 May 2019. Cost is \$3200.00 CAD (taxes & gratuities included). Under the spiritual guidance of Fr. Joseph Machaj. The pilgrimage is being organized by a Polish travel agency, IvoTrans, in Poland. For information, contact Fr. Joseph at 613-962-1092, or frjosephmachaj@gmail.com. Deadline for registration is 31 January 2019.

PROVIDENCE CARE & PROVIDENCE MANOR are looking for volunteers for a number of activities. Please call Danielle Preston, Coordinator of Recreation & Volunteer Services at 613-548-7222 ext. 3160 or email prestond@providencecare.ca.