

# St. John's Parish Bulletin

Weekend of May 22nd, 2022

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**Office Hours:**  
Tuesday to Thursday 9 am to 4 pm

**Sunday Mass**  
Saturday 4:30 pm  
Sunday 9:00 am & 11 am

**Weekday Mass**  
Tuesdays to Fridays - 8:15 am to 8:45 am

**Reconciliation:**  
Saturdays – 3:45 pm – 4:00 pm

**Catholic Cemeteries** - 416.733.8544

**Marriage:** Please contact the office 1 Yr in advance

**Baptisms:** Please email the office



**PRAY THE ROSARY**

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### *Sixth Sunday of Easter*

*Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid.*



*John 14.23*

**From the Pastor's Desk** "Welcome Back Café" Last week's CWL was a wonderful occasion for our parish community to meet one another, and support each other with signs of friendship. It was great to see families new and old connecting while enjoying the live entertainment. Special thanks to the CWL volunteers who did such a fine job, and especially to the organizing committee of Maryse Ristuccia, Dorothy Currie, Carmen Vanderreest and Jenni Commanda.



**PENTECOST NOVENA:** Beginning on Friday, May 27, I encourage everyone to say a daily prayer to the Holy Spirit. This is a traditional novena to help us prepare for the feast of Pentecost. If we long for the Holy Spirit to inflame our hearts with Divine Love, God will remove the divisions that creep into our lives with a fresh infusion of grace. Say any prayer to the Holy Spirit. Here is one if you like: "Lord Jesus, send your Spirit into our hearts / so that we may die to sin / and live with you for the Father's glory, / now and for ever. Amen." Repeat until necessary, then trust in God.

*Fr. John-Mark*

**REFLECTION:** The readings for the 6th Sunday of Easter tell us that we can rely on the Holy Spirit to help us in our faith journey. In the first reading the apostles let the Holy Spirit lead them regarding Mosaic laws. The psalm declares "May God have pity on us and bless us; may he let his face shine upon us." In the second reading John gazes on the new Jerusalem. And in the gospel Jesus promises to send the Holy Spirit to guide us.

*Congratulation's to our  
St. John's Parish Grade 8,9,10  
Confirmation Students*

*Robert Beeho, Jacob Bifolchi, Isabella Braczek, Mika Cortes-Dempsey, Tadhg Curran, Fionn Fraser, Adriel Handy, Claire Horn, Cecil Jenkins, Colleen Lang, Sophia Martin, Beatrice Mayer, Michael Meriano, Owen Mielniczuk, Abigail Rihanna Muramina, Jameson Pichonsky, Claire Rossiter-Thornton, Michael Rossiter-Thornton, Nicole Rossiter-Thornton, Sebastian Totten, Isabella Vesprini, Juliet Young, Lauren Wiseman*

### **MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday, May 21st**

For + LUKE & MONA SEQUEIRA  
Requested by The Pereira Family

**Tuesday, May 24th**

For + MRS. GEORGINA REVELLS SR.  
Requested by Georgina Revells

**Wednesday, May 25th**

For + EDWARD SHEA  
Requested by Tom & Theresa Wetzel

**Thursday, May 26th**

For + ROGER SAVOIE  
Requested by The Savoie Family

**Friday, May 27th**

For INTENTIONS OF THERESA COOPER  
Requested by The Attwood Family

**CWL WELCOME BACK CAFÉ WINNING TICKETS!**

These are 4 of the winning tickets drawn last weekend during the Welcome Back Café that have yet to be claimed. If your ticket number matches any of these please call Maryse 437.983.0557 to claim your prize!

Numbers: 372930, 372963, 372940, 372934.

**THANK YOU!** Big thanks to these wonderful local musicians who gave freely of their time to perform for us during our Welcome Back Café after all 3 Masses last weekend: CWL member Dorothy Currie, Elliot Bara, Arthur John, Red Cooney, Sue Ashton, and from Scarboro Music store Josh Dieleman and Mathew Wilson. Your performances filled the Hall with a fun and pleasant ambience!

**Please Pray For The Sick**

*Diane Meldrum, Mary Alice Sisk, Joseph Abate & Carmel Richard*



**Rest in Peace**

*Pray for the repose of the souls of Annie Kerrigan & Joanna Sosiak*



**The Sanctuary Light**  
burns in loving memory of

*Edmond Valin Sr.*



**Celebrations**

To all in our parish community celebrating especially *Doris Cecchini* celebrating her birthday! *Carolyn & James Jewell & Rosemary & John Walcher* celebrating Wedding Anniversaries! & The Forbes Family celebrating, their *new addition* to the family. Welcome, *Irish!!!*



**ShareLife SUNDAY-June 5th**

Did you know that if you are in hospital you can ask to have a visit from a priest or Chaplain on duty? Next weekend we will have a speaker from Hospital Chaplaincy to share with us how your donations help support this service to those most in need. Thus far we have raised \$16,047 toward our goal of \$73,000. Please consider donating via the parish website, at [sharelife.org](http://sharelife.org), or during the ShareLife Sunday special collection next weekend. Thank you for supporting ShareLife!

**ELECTRIC SCOOTER** available for free from Parishioner. Contact the office if interested and we will connect you with the parishioner.

**MARYGROVE CAMP:** located on Georgian Bay, near Penetanguishene, provides a fully subsidized girls' camp offered to 1,100 girls aged 5-13 who may not otherwise have an opportunity to enjoy a 1 week camping experience.

**CAMP OZANAM:** located on Deer Lake, north of Huntsville, provides a fully subsidized 7 day camping experience for 600 boys between the ages of 7 and 12. For further information on both of these camps and to register for either camp please contact Jeff Scott of the St. John's Society of St. Vincent de Paul at 416.266.7032.



**OFFERING**

God our Father, you generously grant us all the gifts we have. Help us to know that it is in the giving that we receive.

	2019	2022
Offertory	\$ 4792	\$ 2242
Offertory PAG	\$ 1110	\$ 1183

**Little Levity:**



Peace begins with a smile. St. Teresa



Please remember the poor box as you exit the church

**2022 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES:** are available to pick up. Please contact the office to make arrangements. Thank you to those who continue to support the parish by mailing in their envelopes, dropping them into the mailbox, utilizing PAG and while attending Mass.

**MASKS AT ST. JOHN'S PARISH:** We will continue the use of masks while inside the church at all times. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

**JOIN CWL OUTDOOR ROSARY:** next Saturday May 28<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 pm, in front of the church and close out the month of Mary. We will make our way, in prayer, around the outside of the church. In case of rain we will move indoors.

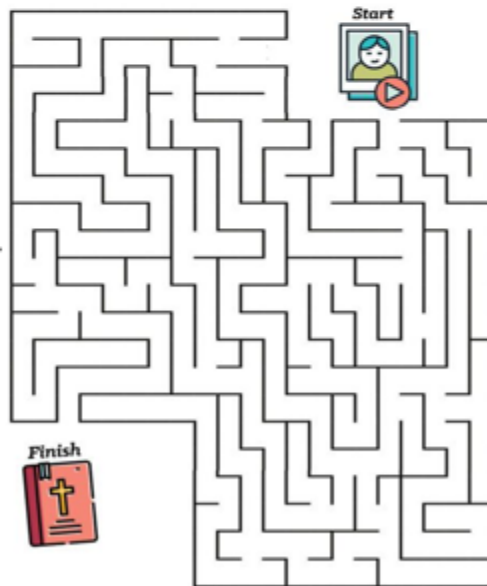
**Kids Korner**

**Gospel Match-up**

*How well do you know today's Gospel?  
See if you can match up the parts of the sentences.*

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| 1. If a man loves me, he                    | • | A. make our home with him.                          |
| 2. My Father                                | • | • B. is my gift to you.                             |
| 3. We will come to him and                  | • | • C. will not keep my words.                        |
| 4. He who does not love me                  | • | • D. will keep my word.                             |
| 5. These things I                           | • | • E. have spoken to you, while I am still with you. |
| 6. The Holy Spirit                          | • | • F. will love him...                               |
| 7. A peace that the world cannot give, this | • | • G. will teach you all things.                     |

Answers 1-D, 2-F, 3-A, 4-C, 5-E, 6-G, 7-B.



When Jesus left earth and ascended into heaven, He made sure that the disciples were not alone. He gave them the Holy Spirit. Just like us, if we choose, we have the Holy Spirit to guide us.