

ST. JOHN BRÉBEUF PARISH

Sunday, April 10, 2022: Passion (Palm) Sunday

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE- April 11th - April 17th, 2022

Monday April 11th – 2 p.m - **Chrism Mass**, . – Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King
Hamilton

Tuesday- April 12^h - 7 p.m. - For a special intention

Wednesday- April 13th - 9:15 a.m.– For Peace in our world

SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK CEREMONIES:

Holy Thursday, April 14th - 7 p.m. (SJB Erin)- Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper
followed by adoration till 10:30

Good Friday, April 15- Celebration of the Lord's Passion- 11:30 a.m. (SP Oustic)
- 3 p.m. (SJB Erin)

Holy Saturday, April 16- Easter Vigil – 8 p.m. (SJB Erin)

Easter Sunday Masses, April 17, - 9 a.m. For The Living and Deceased Members of
the Parish

Easter Sunday Mass, April 17- 11 a.m. (St Peter's Oustic)- For the Living and
Deceased Members of the Parish

Pasta Dinner

The Knights of Columbus at St. John Brebeuf are organizing a pasta dinner for April 27th with proceeds going to the church. The doors open at 5pm and the in-person dinner starts at 5:15pm, with takeout orders starting at 5:30pm. The cost is \$25 for in person, which consist of pasta, salad, roll and a drink. The cost for takeout is \$20, which includes pasta and a roll. To pre-order for takeout, book a seat or for more information please contact Tim O'Brien at timothy.obrien@wellingtoncdsb.ca. Please inform us if you would like either gluten free and/or vegetarian options. Thank you

Thank you for giving from the heart to Share Lent 2022!

Development and Peace — Caritas Canada thanks you for supporting the *People and Planet First* campaign with your Share Lent donation. Thanks to your generosity, our parish collected [\$ amount]. This sum will help support our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East. If you have not had a chance to donate, there is still time to place your Share Lent envelope in the offertory or to donate online at devp.org/give.

Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.

Ukraine

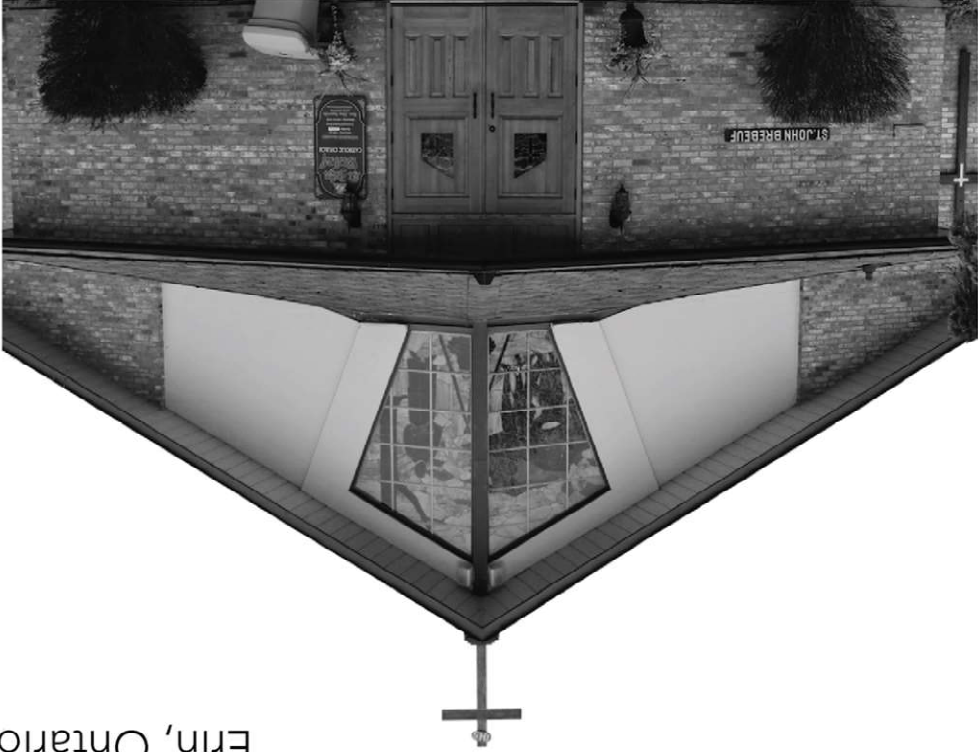
Donations to assist those in need in the Ukraine can be made at <https://www.devp.org/en/>

Readings for Next Sunday, April 17, 2022

First Reading: Acts 10.34a, 37-43; Second Reading: Colossians 3.1-4; Gospel: John 20.1-18;
Responsorial Psalm (Psalm 118): **“THIS IS THE DAY THE LORD HAS MADE; LET US REJOICE AND BE GLAD.”**

St. John Brebeuf Parish

Erin, Ontario



*“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,
for they shall be satisfied.”*
Matthew 5:6

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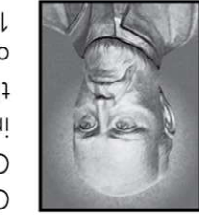
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Our parish is named for Jesuit Father Jean de Brebeuf, the Patron Saint of Canada. He was born in 1593 and came to Canada from France as a missionary in 1625, working with people of the Wendat (Huron) Confederacy. He learned their languages and spread the message of Christ for more than 20 years. He composed the Huron Carol, Canada's oldest Christmas song, written about 1642 with aboriginal lyrics. He helped establish the mission near Midland, Ontario, now the site of the Sainte-Marie among the Hurons shrine, which honours the Canadian Martyrs. At that time, the Wendat were at war with the Haudenosaunee (Iroquois) Confederacy. Father Brebeuf and a fellow Jesuit were captured by the Haudenosaunee in a raid on a Wendat village in 1649, then tortured and killed. St. Jean de Brebeuf was beatified in 1925 by Pope Pius XI, and canonized in 1930. His feast day is September 26.

A Catholic parish was established in 1873 for the Townships of Erin and Eramosa. In 1959, Bishop Ryan asked the Jesuits to establish a mission in Erin. Masses were said at the Legion Hall until the church was opened in 1965, with Jesuit Father Frederick Elliott serving as the pastor until 1981. Since then the parish has had the following pastors: Father Edward Grace OSA, 1981-1986; Father Charles Lagan SFM, 1986 to 1990; Father Gus Arthur CSSP, 1990-2001; Father Joe Kelly CSSP, 2001-2015; Father Ralph Diodati, 2015-2017; Father Don Sanvido, 2017-2021 and our current pastor, Father Gordian Okpuruka.



MASS TIMES

Saturday evening at 5 pm and Sunday morning at 9:00 am.

For weekday Masses, see the schedule at the rear of the church and in the bulletin.

Father Gordian also celebrates Mass at 11:00 am Sunday at St. Peter's Church, Oustic. Go west 18 km from Erin on County Road 124 to Brucevale. Turn north on Fifth Line and go 7.8 km to Oustic.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday, 4:15 pm to 4:45 pm or Sunday after the Oustic mass.

For information on Baptism, Marriage, Mass Intentions and other parish business, please call the parish office at 519-278-0125. Marriage arrangements should be made at least 6 months in advance.
Please contact Fr. Gordian if anyone is ill or in hospital and would like to receive Holy Communion or the Sacrament of the Sick.

Parish Office: 519-278-0125. **Office hours:** Wednesday and Friday, 10 am to 3 pm.

Catechetical Correspondence Courses – Please contact Fr. Gordian, 519-833-7838.

Music Ministry – Jean Gravelle, 519-833-9552. **Bulletin** – Norma Pokocky, 519-833-2909.