

St. John Brébeuf Parish & St. Peter's Mission

SUNDAY DECEMBER 10th, 2023

Second Sunday of Advent

MASS SCHEDULE FOR TUESDAY DECEMBER 12TH TO SUNDAY DECEMBER 17TH

12	Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	For the living and deceased members of the parish
13	Wednesday	9:15 a.m.	For the unborn children (Kuebler Family)
14	Thursday	6:15 -6:45 p.m.	Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration
		7:00 p.m.	For a special intention
15	Friday	9:15 a.m.	+Kathleen Nokes (Margaret Mcdyre)
16	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+James Mcdyre (Margaret Mcdyre)
17	Sunday	9:00 a.m.	+Thomas Gravelle (Hawkins Family David & Teresa)
		Oustic-11:00	+Ann Black (Fred & Lorna Hawkins)

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE 2023: Please note the following schedule for the forthcoming Christmas and New Year celebrations:

December 23 Saturday Evening Mass in Erin

December 24 Sunday: Masses as Usual: 9 a.m. (SJB, Erin), 11 a.m. (SP. Oustic)

December 24 Christmas Eve Masses: 5 p.m. & 10 p.m. (Both Masses in Erin) 7:00 p.m. (SP. Oustic)

December 25 Christmas Day Masses: 9 a.m. (SJB, Erin), 11 a.m. (SP Oustic)

NEW YEAR MASSES:

December 31: Sunday Masses as usual, 9 a.m. (SJB, Erin), 11 a.m. (SP Oustic)

January 1 (Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God), 9 a.m. (SJB, Erin), 11 a.m. (SpO istic)

UPDATE ON ALTER AND DEVOTIONAL APPEAL: We wish to thank all our parishioners for their generosity towards the altar

and devotional materials appeal made some months ago. We are glad to announce an additional donation of \$2000.00 from our parishioners. We Thank our parishioners for your wonderful support and generosity towards this appeal and pray God to Bless and replenish us all, Amen.

PARISH ADVENT PENITENTIAL SERVICE: Please note that there will be a parish Advent Penitential Service on Wednesday, December 13, @ 7:00 P.M. There will be a prayer service followed by confessions. There will also be visiting priests to assist us with confessions, and it will be a very good way of preparing for the forthcoming Christmas celebrations.



EAST WELLINGTON COMMUNITY SERVICES – HAMPERS & FOODBANK

Dec 10th will be the last day for pick up

SERRA CLUB: John the Baptist is sent by God to prepare the way for His Son. In our present time God sends priests, religious and deacons to prepare the people to receive His Son. If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. email vocations@hamilondiocese.com, website: hamilondiocese.com

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE – CARITAS CANADA

Justice, Peace, and the Integrity of Creation

“The core of the doctrine of the Incarnation is that God and material reality are fully united without change, division, separation, or confusion. The doctrine, formulated at Chalcedon in 451 AD, was an astute way of saying that God does not become matter (pantheism) but God is united with matter (panentheism). God is one with matter so that matter is more than mere materiality; matter bears the depth and breadth of God within it without absorbing God or collapsing God into it...matter matters to God.” Ilia Delio, a Franciscan sister PhDs in both science and theology.

December 17th, 2023 – 3rd Sunday of Advent First Reading: Isaiah 61.1-2a, 10-11; Responsorial Luke 1 ; Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5. 16-24; Gospel Acclamation: Luke 4.18 [Isaiah 61.1]; Gospel: John 1.6-8, 19-28

Would you like to serve the Church in one of our Ministries?

Come and offer your time and talents! We need your help!

St. John Brébeuf Parish, Erin

& St. Peter's Mission, Oustic

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday – Friday
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact the Parish Office
at least six months in advance.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:15-4:45 p.m. or by appointment.

PASTORAL CARE FOR THE SICK

Available upon request.
Please contact the Parish Office.

EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION & ADORATION

Each Thursday at 6:15-6:45 p.m.

WEEKEND MASSES		WEEKDAY MASSES – St. John Brébeuf Parish	
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Tuesday – 7:00 p.m.	Thursday – 7:00 p.m.
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Wednesday – 9:15 a.m.	Friday – 9:15 a.m.
	11:00 a.m.	St. John Brébeuf Parish	St. Peter's Mission, Oustic

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