

# St. John Brébeuf Parish, Erin & St. Peter's Mission, Oustic

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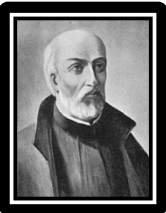
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A Catholic parish was established in 1873 for the Townships of Erin and Eramosa. IN 1959, Bishop Ryan asked the Jesuits to establish a mission in Erin. Masses were said at the Legion Hall until the Church was opened in 1965, with Jesuit Father Frederick 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 Arthurs 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.

**PASTOR**  
**Fr. Gordian Okpuruka**  
**(519) 833-9738**  
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**OFFICE HOURS**  
Tuesday – Friday  
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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**Parish Office Assistant & Hours**  
**Sandra Priselac**  
**(519) 278-0125**  
Tuesday & Thursday  
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 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 ADORATION**  
Each Thursday at 6:00-7:00 p.m.

**PARISH CONTACTS, GROUPS & LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**

|                                   |                |                |                                |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>BOOKKEEPER</b>                 | Ron Atkinson   | (519) 278-0125 | stjohnerin@hamiltondiocese.com |
| <b>MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST</b> | Tammy Barnhart | (519) 833-7131 |                                |
| <b>MUSIC MINISTRY</b>             | Jean Gravelle  | (519) 833-9552 |                                |
| <b>SOCIAL JUSTICE</b>             | Heidi Matthews | (519) 855-9516 |                                |
| <b>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS</b>        | Tim O'Brien    | (519) 278-0125 |                                |
| <b>PARISH SCHOOL</b>              | Principal      | (519) 833-9994 | 30 Millwood Road               |
| <b>ST. JOHN BRÉBEUF C.E.S.</b>    | Lowell Butts   |                | Erin, ON N0B 1T0               |

*Interested in starting a new Catholic Women's League (CWL) branch in the Parish? Contact Fr. Gordian!*

| WEEKEND MASSES |            | WEEKDAY MASSES – St. John Brébeuf Parish |           |
|----------------|------------|------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Saturday       | 5:00 p.m.  | Tuesday                                  | 7:00 p.m. |
| Sunday         | 9:00 a.m.  | Wednesday                                | 9:15 a.m. |
|                | 11:00 a.m. | Thursday                                 | 7:00 p.m. |
|                |            | Friday                                   | 9:15 a.m. |
|                |            |                                          |           |

*We gladly welcome new parishioners and invite them to pick up a registration form and register!*

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

## Sunday June 5, 2022: Pentecost Sunday

### Schedule of Masses for Tuesday June 7<sup>th</sup> to Sunday June 12<sup>th</sup>

|    |           |                         |                                                               |
|----|-----------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| 7  | Tuesday   | 7:00 p.m.               | For a Special Intention                                       |
| 8  | Wednesday | 9:15 a.m.               | For a Special Intention                                       |
| 9  | Thursday  | 6:00 p.m.<br>7:00 p.m.  | • Eucharistic Adoration<br>• For a Special Intention          |
| 10 | Friday    | 9:15 a.m.               | For a Special Intention                                       |
| 11 | Saturday  | 5:00 p.m.               | For the Living and Deceased Members of Our Parish             |
| 12 | Sunday    | 9:00 a.m.<br>11:00 a.m. | • Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity<br>• St. Peter's, Oustic |

| Sunday Collections –<br>St. John Brébeuf<br><i>Thank you for your generosity!</i> | May 21/22 | May 28/29 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Regular Offerings                                                                 | \$780.00  | \$1748.10 |
| Pope's Pastoral Works                                                             | --        | \$ 180.00 |
| Indigenous Reconciliation Fund                                                    | \$ 5.00   | \$ 20.00  |
| St. Peter's Oustic, Regular Offerings                                             | \$516.25  | --        |

*A very special thank you to the Knights of Columbus for their generous donation of \$1000 to the parish following their pasta dinner fundraiser!*

**June is the month of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus!**



Today we celebrate  
the Solemnity of  
Pentecost Sunday!  
Come, Holy Spirit!

## COFFEE SUNDAY RETURNS!

Join us today after Mass in the Parish Hall. Come enjoy some good coffee and good company after this long hiatus!



### ReSTART – THURSDAY JUNE 9<sup>th</sup>

Starting over after separation or divorce with support, care, and tools for your journey. Join the upcoming Zoom session on Thursday June 9<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m. Register at the Diocesan website. <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php> or contact the Family Ministry Office (905) 528-7988, ext. 2249, for more information.

### MARYMOUNT CEMETERY MASS – June 18<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m.

The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton is pleased to announce that the Spring Memorial Mass at Marymount Cemetery will be held on Saturday June 18<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m. This Mass will be held outdoors, so please dress for the weather. All are welcome!

### EAST WELLINGTON COMMUNITY SERVICES (EWCS) – FOOD DONATIONS!

EWCS Foodbank is in need of the following items: kid snacks, juices, cookies, crackers, spaghetti sauce, shampoos/conditioners, and toilet paper. Your generosity to those in need is very much appreciated! During this month, please bring donations to the church following Saturday and Sunday Masses on the 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, and 19<sup>th</sup>. For any questions/more information, please contact Francesca at: [Francesca.f@ew-cs.com](mailto:Francesca.f@ew-cs.com) or text at (226) 979-2066 and/or (647) 473-5686.

### SUPPORT THE GROVE ERIN – MAIN PLACE YOUTH CENTRE

~ IN MEMORY OF THOMAS GRAVELLE ~

The Grove Erin – Main Place Youth Centre is a safe space where youth are empowered to take the lead in their own mental health and wellness journey. All programs are designed by youth for youth. Join us in honouring Thomas Gravelle's life and supporting youth mental health services by making a donation today – go to: [ewcs.crowdfunder.ca/13797](https://ewcs.crowdfunder.ca/13797)

### JUSTICE, PEACE, AND THE INTEGRITY OF CREATION – FAIR TRADE

Six years ago this month, Pope Francis's encyclical, *Laudato Si*, was published. It is a readable and profound document that invites all of humanity, especially those in the Global North to change course to ensure the future of both humanity and the planet. He emphasizes the interconnection and interdependence of God, the planet, and us, and how recognizing and honouring this is our way forward. Read it, or even some of it, at:

[https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/encyclicals/documents/papa-francesco\\_20150524\\_enciclica-laudato-si.html](https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/encyclicals/documents/papa-francesco_20150524_enciclica-laudato-si.html)

### COMMUNITY CORNER – SUNDAY JUNE 12<sup>th</sup>

Join your friends for the Annual Seniors 65+ Dinner and Social, hosted by the Erin Legion Branch 442 and the Erin Lions Club on Sunday June 12. Doors open at 2:00 p.m., entertainment starts at 3:00 p.m., followed by dinner at 5:00 p.m. Dine in, pick up, or delivery options. For more information, call the branch at 519-833-2212 or 519-833-7467.



### READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY JUNE 12, 2022

#### Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

First Reading: Proverbs 8.22-31; Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 8;  
Second Reading: Romans 5.1-5; Gospel: John 16.12-15.