

# 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.

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**Sandra Priselac**  
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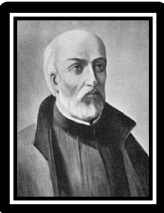
**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**  
Please contact the Parish Office.

**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.



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.

**PARISH CONTACTS, GROUPS & LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**

|                                   |                |                |                                 |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>BOOKKEEPER</b>                 | Ron Atkinson   | (519) 278-0125 | stjohnnerin@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.                      | 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 |

*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 May 22, 2022: Sixth Sunday of Easter

Schedule of Masses for Tuesday May 24<sup>th</sup> to Sunday May 29<sup>th</sup>

|    |           |                         |                                                                                                                                  |
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| 24 | Tuesday   | 6:30 p.m.<br>7:00 p.m.  | • Praying of the Holy Rosary<br>• For a Special Intention                                                                        |
| 25 | Wednesday | 9:15 a.m.               | • + Owen Porter (Elaine Porter)                                                                                                  |
| 26 | Thursday  | 6:00 p.m.<br>7:00 p.m.  | • Adoration<br>• Special Intention for Milka Priselac (Priselac-Curry Family)                                                    |
| 27 | Friday    | 9:15 a.m.               | • + Magdalena Kuebler (Kuebler Family)<br>• For the Holy Souls in Purgatory (Kuebler Family)                                     |
| 28 | Saturday  | 11:00 a.m.<br>5:00 p.m. | • Confirmation<br>• + Thomas James Gravelle (Gravelle Family)<br>• Special Intention for Nena & Helmut Kuebler (Lansdell Family) |
| 29 | Sunday    | 9:00 a.m.               | • For the Living and Deceased Members of Our Parish                                                                              |

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|------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Sunday Collections - Thank you for your generosity!</b> | <b>May 14/15</b> |
| Regular Offerings & FHC Mass                               | \$1671.45        |
| Indigenous Reconciliation Fund                             | \$ 350.00        |

 We celebrate with the families of our parish whose children will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday May 28<sup>th</sup>!

**MONTH OF MAY ROSARY**  
Join the *Knights of Columbus* in praying the Rosary, each Tuesday in May at 6:30 p.m., before the 7 p.m. Mass.  
Let us honour Mother Mary in a special way during the month of May!



## THE ANGER ICEBERG – JUNE 11, 2022

Mount Carmel Spiritual Center is offering a workshop on anger – to identify the causes of anger and explore our own beliefs and patterns of response. Learn how to respond to anger on a day-to-day basis in a healthy, constructive, and creative way. Presenter bio at [www.annaracine.org](http://www.annaracine.org); Register at (905) 356-4113 x. 4200 or [reservations@carmelniagara.com](mailto:reservations@carmelniagara.com)

**ACCOMPANYING FORWARD – AN AFTERNOON WITH ROY PETITFILS:** The Office of Youth Ministry is pleased to present *Accompanying Forward – An Afternoon with Roy Petitfils* on May 27 at 1 pm for a virtual conversation about accompanying young people as they try to navigate their new realities and their mental health. Roy is a Catholic author, speaker and psychotherapist with more than 25 years of experience ministering to youth and young adults in parishes, dioceses, and schools. Registration can be found on our Diocesan website under Youth Ministers Events and Resources.

**MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH - Marriage Tip 120:** It is true to say that no two people think exactly alike and that is why being married can sometimes be challenging! It is important for married couples to constantly remind themselves that marriage does not mean you are exactly the same. Allow room for differences and don't judge your spouse on your own likes and desires, but instead try to move together to a more neutral place that you can both live with. And sometimes, agree to disagree! Your spouse has many diverse qualities, embrace them when you can and work to negotiate when you can't, so love will flourish and provide a strong foundation for all of it! From: Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

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## WEEKLY BULLETIN ADVERTISEMENTS!

We are offering businesses in the Erin-Hillsburgh area the opportunity to raise their profile with the purchase of an advertisement in our weekly bulletin (see back page). The ads will cost \$250 for a full year. This is a great opportunity for local businesses to spread the word to potential customers. Do you know of a business that would be interested? Ask them to contact the Parish Office at (519) 278-0125 to get started!

*Stay tuned ...Coffee Sundays will be returning soon!*



## READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY MAY 29, 2022 – Ascension of the Lord

First Reading: Acts 1.1-11; Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 47; Second Reading: Ephesians 1.17-23; Gospel: Luke 24.44-53.