

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

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 12, 2023

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

## MASS SCHEDULE FOR TUESDAY NOVEMBER 14<sup>th</sup> TO SUNDAY NOVEMBER 19<sup>th</sup>

14	Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	For a Special Intention
15	Wednesday	9:15 a.m.	A.I.D.
16	Thursday	6:15 -6:45 p.m.	Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration
		7:00 p.m.	For a Special Intention
17	Friday	9:15 a.m.	+Frank Doyle (St. John Brebeuf Parish Community)
18	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
19	Sunday	9:00 a.m.	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
	(World Day of the Poor)	Oustic-11:00	Catherine Chornoboy (Wayne & Heather)

**BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE:** Please note that the Book of Remembrance has been placed in front of the altar. If you have someone who has passed away in the last year, you can add their names. Names added in previous years do not need to be added again but they will all be prayed for in our Masses, especially during the month of November.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - PARENTS' INFORMATION MEETING:** There will be a parent information meeting for families preparing for the reception of the **Sacrament of First Holy Communion** in the current pastoral year on November 15 at 6:30 p.m. Parents are requested to bring along the registration forms and baptism certificates if they have not already done so.

**YOUTH HOLIDAY STOCKING CAMPAIGN - ROTARY CLUB OF ERIN** plans to fill 20 stockings for young males and females aged 12-18 with essential and enjoyable items for Christmas! Rotary members will volunteer to shop for the items, fill the stockings and deliver them to EWCS. **HOW CAN YOU HELP?** (1) Make a financial donation to the Campaign via e-transfer (send to: [erinrotarytreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:erinrotarytreasurer@gmail.com); add "Holiday Stockings Campaign" in the comment box; create a password & email it to: [erinrotarytreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:erinrotarytreasurer@gmail.com); (2) Supply the items: shop for the items and email [info@erinrotary.com](mailto:info@erinrotary.com) to arrange for pick-up. Suggested list of items: girls - candy, hair ties, nail polish/clippers, brush, makeup, gift cards; boys - candy, hairbrush, nail clippers, Axe body spray, socks, playing cards, wallets, gift cards. **Please donate by November 23!**

### Development and Peace – Caritas Canada – STAND FOR THE LAND

Around the world, defenders of human rights and the environment are criminalized, persecuted, imprisoned, and even killed. Since 2014, 135 Hondurans have been killed for defending their communities, or the environment, with 95% of the murders going unpunished. **The Guapinol case:** For 25 years, activists have been campaigning to preserve their water and land in the Guapinol region in Honduras. Between 2010 and 2014, 150 peasant farmers were killed or disappeared. Things escalated in 2018, when mine effluent polluted the waters of the Guapinol river making it unfit for household or agricultural use. In protest, the community occupied a municipal building, and later set up the Guapinol Camp for Water and Life, peacefully blockading a highway linking the village of El Guapinol to Carlos Escaleras National Park. After 88 days, the camp was violently dismantled by 1,500 police officers and soldiers armed with rifles, batons, riot shields and tear gas. Eight men, who came to be called the Guapinol Eight were unjustly incarcerated for 914 days and three defenders have been killed since January 2023! **Please sign the petition calling for justice after Mass next week.**

**Thank you to those who signed-up to volunteer in the various ministries of our parish – you will be contacted soon and look forward to serving altogether!**

### NOVEMBER 19, 2023 – 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – World Day of the Poor

First Reading: Proverbs 31.10-13, 16-18, 20, 26, 28-31; Responsorial Psalm: 128; Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5.1-6; Gospel Acclamation: John 15.4, 5; Gospel: Matthew 25.14-30



### EAST WELLINGTON COMMUNITY SERVICES – HAMPERS & FOODBANK

EWCS will be distributing Christmas hampers to those within our community who would benefit with some additional seasonal cheer. Please bring in the following items in the upcoming weeks:

- **Week of Nov. 12:** Canned goods (fruit, pasta sauce, etc.)
- **Week of Nov. 19:** Cookies & kids' snacks
- **Week of Nov. 26:** Cleaning products

Grocery gift cards, cash, or cheques are welcome. Please provide your name & phone number if a tax receipt is required for donations of \$20 or more. Also, please gather items of winter gear and sleeping bags that you could donate for those in need!



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**NOVEMBER 12, 2023**

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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.
- ECHARISTIC EXPOSITION & ADORATION**  
Each Thursday at 6:15-6:45 p.m.

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

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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!*

**PARISH CONTACTS, GROUPS & LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**

- BOOKKEEPER** Sandra Priselac stjohnnerin@hamiltondiocese.com
- MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST** Tammy Barnhart (519) 833-7131
- MINISTERS OF THE WORD** Mary Cunningham (519) 855-6460
- MINISTERS OF CHILDREN'S LITURGY** Sandra Priselac Parish Email
- MUSIC MINISTRY** Jean Gravelle (519) 833-9552
- SOCIAL JUSTICE** Heidi Matthews (519) 855-9516
- PARISH SCHOOL** Principal (519) 833-9994
- ST. JOHN BRÉBEUF C.E.S.** Katherine Seftel

*Interested in starting a new Catholic Women's League (CWL) branch in the Parish? Contact Fr. Gordian! 519-833-9738*

**School Address:**  
30 Millwood Road, Erin, ON NOB 1T0

*Would you like to serve the Church in one of our Ministries? Come and offer your time and talents! We need your help!*