

St. John Brébeuf Parish & St. Peter’s Mission
SUNDAY NOVEMBER 26, 2023
OUR LORD, JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

MASS SCHEDULE FOR TUESDAY NOVEMBER 28th TO SUNDAY DECEMBER 3RD

28	Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	For a Special Intention
29	Wednesday	9:15 a.m.	A.I.D.
30	Thursday	6:15 -6:45 p.m.	Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration
		7:00 p.m.	+Salvatore DiCicco (Luida Del Rosario)
1	Friday	9:15 a.m.	Holy Souls in Purgatory (Kuebler Family)
2	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
3	Sunday	9:00 a.m.	+Jacob and +Janna Koolman (SJB Parish)
		Oustic-11:00	+Ann Black (Fred & Lorna Hawkins)



*Most Sweet Jesus, Redeemer – Act of Dedication
of the Human Race to Jesus Christ the King*

Most Sweet Jesus, Redeemer of the human race, look down upon us humbly prostrate before You. We are Yours, and Yours we wish to be; but to be more surely united with You, behold each one of us freely consecrates himself today to Your Most Sacred Heart. Many indeed have never known You; many, too, despising Your precepts, have rejected You. Have mercy on them all, most merciful Jesus, and draw them to Your Sacred Heart.

Be King, O Lord, not only of the faithful who have never forsaken You, but also of the prodigal children who have abandoned You; grant that they may quickly return to their Father’s house, lest they die of wretchedness and hunger.

Be King of those who are deceived by erroneous opinions, or whom discord keeps aloof, and call them back to the harbor of Truth and the unity of Faith, so that soon there may be but one flock and one Shepherd.

Grant, O Lord, to Your Church assurance of freedom and immunity from harm; give tranquility of order to all nations; make the earth resound from pole to pole with one cry: Praise to the Divine Heart that wrought our salvation; to It be glory and honor forever. **Amen.**

CONFIRMATION INFORMATION MEETING FOR PARENTS

There will be a rescheduled **parent information meeting** for families preparing for the reception of the **Sacrament of Confirmation on Wednesday November 29th, at 6:30 p.m. in the Church.** Parents are requested to bring along the registration forms and baptism certificates if they have not already done so.

XXXVIII World Youth Day 2023: “REJOICING IN HOPE”

The Church celebrates World Youth Day on Feast of Christ the King each year. This year’s theme is “Rejoicing in Hope” (Rom 12:12). In today’s difficult times, the Church wishes to rekindle hope in the world. To do this, she relies especially on young people, who are the leading figures of history and “missionaries of joy”. In the Post-Synodal Apostolic Exhortation *Christus Vivit*, Pope Francis wrote that Christ is “our hope and in a wonderful way he brings youth to our world”. Pope Francis invites young people to deepen their understanding of Christian hope and to witness joyfully that Christ is alive. Let us celebrate the hope the young people bring to our communities!

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. 26:** Cleaning products
- **Week of Dec. 3:** Bacon & sausages

Grocery gift cards, cash, or cheques are welcome. Also, please gather items of winter gear and sleeping bags that you could donate for those in need! December 10th will be the last day for pick up.

COPING WITH THE HOLIDAYS...WHEN SOMEONE YOU LOVE IS GONE

Join us for an afternoon of reflection and strategies on coping at Christmas. The session will be facilitated by Mrs. Teresa Hartnett, Director of Family Ministry. The gathering will be held at the Diocesan Chancery Office, 700 King St. West in Hamilton, on **Sunday, December 3rd, 2023** from 1:30 – 3:00 pm. You are welcome to join the session in person or by zoom. The event is FREE of charge. Please call Sarah to reserve a seat, or to receive the zoom link: 905-528-7988 ext. 2249 or register online at <https://hamiltondiocese.com/office/pastoral-offices/family-ministry/healing-and-or-counselling/coping-with-the-holidays/>

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE – CARITAS CANADA – STAND FOR THE LAND:

Thank you to all who have signed the petition. If you didn’t get a chance last weekend, please consider doing so. It is a small gesture of support for Hondurans who risk their lives – literally – to protect their rights and their land. It is the small actions of many that can bring justice in places of injustice, so please stand in solidarity with the people of Guapinol and San Pedro.

DECEMBER 3, 2023 – FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

First Reading: Isaiah 63: 16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7; Responsorial Psalm: 80: 2-3, 15-16, 18-19; Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1: 3-9; Gospel Acclamation: Psalm 85: 8; Gospel: Mark 13: 33-37.

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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 N0B 1T0

*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



NOVEMBER 26, 2023.

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

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