

# ST. JOHN BRÉBEUF PARISH

*Sunday, September 8, 2019: Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Schedule of Masses September 9 - 15

09	Monday	9:00 AM	Weekday Mass
10	Tuesday	7:00 PM	Weekday Mass
11	Wednesday	9:00 AM	Weekday Mass
12	Thursday	7:00 PM	Weekday Mass
13	Friday	9:00 AM	Weekday Mass
14	Saturday	5:00 PM	Repose of the Souls of Augustino & Guilhermina Silva
15	Sunday	9:30 AM	Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



St. Peter's Oustic Sunday 11:30 AM  
Friday 7:00 PM First Friday of the Month

*Sunday Collection August 31/September 1*

Regular Collection . . . . \$1769.85

*Thank you very much*

## Food Bank

We have a request from the East Wellington Community Service Food Bank.

There is a shortage of fresh produce. Could we please donate fresh produce (vegetable and/or fruits instead of non-perishable food (canned food) for the summer and fall?

If you are donating during the week please notify Francesca at francescacheryll@hotmail.com or 647-473-5686 for pick up from the church and delivery to EWCS.

Any donation would be very much appreciated. Thank you all for your support.

## Mission Appeal

On the weekend of September 14 – 15 we will be having our Annual Mission Appeal. Father Stephen will be speaking to us about his orders work in India. The following Sunday we will take up a collection for this purpose. Thank you for your attention and support.

## Community Breakfast

The Holy Martyrs of God's Knights council here at St. John Breb uf and St. Peter's (Oustic) would like to invite you to a community breakfast. It will be held on Sunday September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019 at 10.am in the gym at St. John Breb uf School. We are asking for a monetary donation to aid us in our work within the community.

**Hope Comes Home Conference:** The National Youth Ministry Conference is being hosted Friday February 21st-Sunday February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 in Hamilton. Registration is now open! Through keynote addresses, workshops and prayerful collaboration with one another, we look forward to unpacking the fruits of the Synod, and finding ways of applying the Apostolic Exhortation-Christus Vivit into day-to-day ministerial and parish life. Saturday evening Mass will be celebrate with His Eminence Cardinal Gerald La Croix, Primate of Canada, and one of the Synod Fathers for the Synod on Youth, Faith and Vocational Discernment. For more information and to register, please visit [www.hopecomeshome.com](http://www.hopecomeshome.com). If you have any questions please contact Nicole Vaughan, Youth Ministry Coordinator [nvaughan@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:nvaughan@hamiltondiocese.com) or 905-528-7988 ext.2245.

**The Sisters of the Carmel of Saint Joseph will pray for you during the Novena to Little St. Therese, September 23rd to October 1st, 2019**

Are you troubled? Do you need spiritual support? You can participate in the Novena to St. Therese.

Send your prayer intention slip with your name and address to Carmel of Saint Joseph  
1127 Carmel-Koch Road, R.R. #1 St. Agatha, ON N0B 2L0

## Justice

Quote of the week: "Global emissions are reaching record levels and show no sign of peaking. The last four years were the four hottest on record, and winter temperatures in the Arctic have risen by 3°C since 1990. Sea levels are rising, coral reefs are dying, and we are starting to see the life-threatening impact of climate change on health, through air pollution, heatwaves and risks to food security... if we act now, we can reduce carbon emissions within 12 years and hold the increase in the global average temperature to well below 2°C" 2019 UN Climate Summit

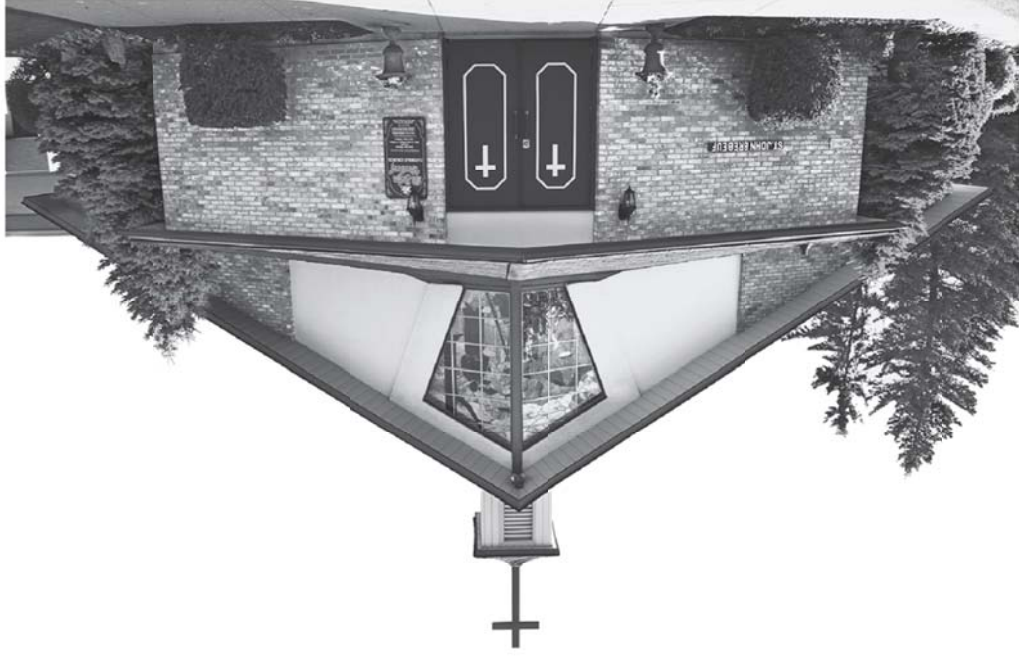
Season of Creation: The Season of Creation, September 1 to October 4, is celebrated annually by tens of thousands of Christians around the world. During the Season of Creation, we pray and act to protect God's creation. By seeding ongoing prayer, changes in lifestyle, and advocacy, the season grows hope in our communities each year. It's powerfully good work that's urgently needed. Join Pope Francis and our sisters and brothers around the world in participating in the Season of Creation. For suggestions go [devp.org](http://devp.org) or [faithcommongood.org](http://faithcommongood.org).

## Readings for Next Sunday, September 15, 2019

First Reading: Exodus 32.7-11, 13-14; Second Reading: 1 Timothy 1.12-17; Gospel: Luke 15.1-32; Responsorial Psalm (Psalm 51): "I WILL GET UP AND GO TO MY FATHER."

# St. John Brebeuf Parish

Erin, Ontario



*“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,  
for they shall be satisfied.”*  
Matthew 5:6

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Our parish is named for Jesuit Father Jean de Brebeuf, the Patron Saint of Canada. He was born in 1593 and came to Canada from France as a missionary in 1625, working with people of the Wendat (Huron) Confederacy. He learned their languages and spread the message of Christ for more than 20 years. He composed the Huron Carol, Canada's oldest Christmas song, written about 1642 with aboriginal lyrics. He helped establish the mission near Midland, Ontario, now the site of the Sainte-Marie among the Hurons shrine, which honours the Canadian Martyrs. At that time, the Wendat were at war with the Haudenosaunee (Iroquois) Confederacy. Father Brebeuf and a fellow Jesuit were captured by the Haudenosaunee in a raid on a Wendat village in 1649, then tortured and killed. St. Jean de Brebeuf was beatified in 1925 by Pope Pius XI, and canonized in 1930. His feast day is September 26.

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; and our current pastor, Father Don Sanvido.



## MASS TIMES

Saturday evening at 5 pm and Sunday morning at 9:30 am.

For weekday Masses, see the schedule inside the bulletin.

Father Don also celebrates Mass at 11:30 am Sunday at St. Peter's Church, Oustic. Go west 18 km from Erin on County Road 124 to Bruceedale. Turn north on Fifth line and go 7.8 km to Oustic.

## RECONCILIATION

Saturday, 3:45 pm to 4:45 pm.

For information on Baptism, Marriage, Mass Intentions and other parish business, please call the parish office at 519-833-9738. Marriage arrangements should be made at least 6 months in advance. Please contact Fr. Sanvido if anyone is ill or in hospital and would like to receive Holy Communion or the Sacrament of the Sick.

**Parish Secretary:** Hilda Atkinson, 519-278-0125. **Office hours:** Wednesday and Friday, 10 am to 3 pm.

**Parish Contacts: Ministers of the Eucharist and Baptism Preparation –** Tammy Barnhart, 519-833-7131.

**Ministers of the Word –** Fran Archambault, 519-833-2552. **Children's Liturgy –** Joanne Henkie, 519-855-4570.

**Altar Servers –** Laurie Condo, 519-855-6339. **Social Justice –** Heidi Matthews, 519-855-9516.

**Catechetical Correspondence Courses –** Please contact office, 519-278-0125.

**Music Ministry –** Jean Gravelle, 519-833-9552. **Bulletin –** Norma Pokocky, 519-833-2909.