

## MASS SCHEDULE

- Sat., Nov. 20 Eve of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**  
4:00 PM For all parishioners.
- Sun., Nov. 21 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**  
10:30 AM For Erman and Ingrid Mazzarolo from the Hurleys.
- Mon., Nov. 22 St. Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr**  
8:00 AM For the intentions of Joan Crowley from Rich and Nancy Cavanagh.
- Tue., Nov. 23 St. Clement 1, Pope, Martyr**  
8:00 AM **Mass at Sacred Heart**  
For the deceased members of the Le Family.
- Wed., Nov. 24 St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs**  
8:00 AM +Albert Blattmann from Jessica Steuernol.
- Thu., Nov. 25 St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin, Martyr**  
8:00 AM **Mass at Sacred Heart**  
For the Holy Souls in Purgatory.
- Fri., Nov. 26 Weekday Ferial**  
8:00 AM **Mass at Sacred Heart**  
For the Unborn.
- Sat., Nov. 27 Eve of The First Sunday of Advent**  
4:00 PM For all parishioners.
- Sun., Nov. 28 First Sunday of Advent**  
10:30 AM + Peter Le, Duc Minh from Maria Le.

### Weekly Collections for November 14, 2021

Offertory	1,415.70
Fuel and Maintenance	1,499.00
Priest Benefit Fund	340.00

## PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends,

Over the last couple of weeks, we celebrated two anniversaries; first, the 71st Anniversary of Saint John the Baptist as a Parish Community (Nov. 6th) and now we celebrate the 112th Anniversary of Sacred Heart Church (Nov. 21st). These two anniversaries so adjacent to each other brings us to consider the spirit of gratitude for having a house to pray in.

And so, we can ask ourselves this week, 'Do I consider the Church my home? Do I consider it my home like Jesus did?' As our Lord says to His mother when He was lost in the temple, "Did you not know that I would be in my Father's House?" (Luke 2:49)

For me, a priest who lives in the Rectory only ~20 meters from the Church, it may appear much easier to answer this question in the affirmative; but I think we should all consider the Church our home – that is a home for our soul.

What is a home? A home is where we find rest, where we go for shelter and where we receive nourishment. The Church, whether we are more associated with Saint Johns or Sacred Heart, has these three elements. (1) In the Church we find rest for our soul, as the third commandment promotes - understood in the spirit of God's creation – 'on the seventh day he rested for all the work of creation.' (2) The Church is our shelter, the refuge place for our soul. There is no other place the soul would rather be than to find refuge in the house of God the Father. (3) In the Church we find nourishment, for here we are nourished by the bread from Heaven, the Eucharist, or as the Psalms tell us 'the bread of angels'. Therefore, in this spirit of familiarity do we celebrate and appreciate both of these anniversaries all the more! Happy Anniversary!

Together in Prayer

## WEEKLY NEWS

**No Adoration** On Monday November 22 from 3-4PM at Sacred Heart.



### Sacred Heart Annual Memorial Wish Tree

You are invited to the candlelight Memorial Mass on Saturday December 18, 2021 5:00 PM at Sacred Heart Church with Bishop Daniel Miehm. If you would like a Memorial light place on the Wish Tree in memory of your loved ones, please see the insert for the details. This event aids in fundraising for the parish renovation projects. If you have any questions please contact Ed Genge at 705 292 6665 or [genge@sympatico.ca](mailto:genge@sympatico.ca)

### HAVE YOUR "SAY"! Synod

The Diocesan Pastoral Planning Committee has launched a survey inviting the input of all the People of God. This input will be part of both the

worldwide and local conversations to establish pastoral priorities within the Church. The survey is open until Friday, November 26th, 2021. The survey is offered in two formats. The Thought Exchange format will give you the opportunity to see what others (without names) have entered on the survey, and the Google Form format has questions specific to communion, participation, and mission. Please feel welcome to choose the survey format that is the most convenient for you. All of the resources for the Parish Discussion Sessions are available through this weblink: <https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/about-us/pastoral-planning.aspx> and can also be found on our parish website.

### POINSETTIA SALES at St. John

We will once again be collecting funds to purchase the poinsettias to decorate the altar for Christmas on the weekends of Nov 27-28 and Dec 4-5 at the entrance of the Church. A donation would be welcomed and appreciated.



### Catholic Mom's Group & Diocese of Peterborough - Webinar November 30 @ 7p.m.

Register in advance for this webinar:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_19ej68ttQLytcYqDziSBEA](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_19ej68ttQLytcYqDziSBEA) or on the parish website.

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. You may check out Catholic Mom's Group online at: <https://www.catholicmomsgroup.com/>



### Confession Times

Sacred Heart on Fridays from 5:00-6:30PM  
St. John the Baptist on Saturdays from 3-4PM  
Also by Appointment.



### Friday Adoration at Sacred Heart of Jesus

Every Friday there is adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at Sacred Heart in reparation for the offences made to the Sacred Heart of Jesus from 1:30 to 6:30PM

and confessions from 5:00-6:30PM.

**Catechism Classes** The Catechism program has started. For more information about Baptism, First Communion and Confirmations contact Sr. Inmaculada.



### Catholic Missionary Children Oratory

For Children 7-12 years old. Saturdays 10:15AM at St. John the Baptist. Info with Sr. Inmaculada [stjohnandsacredheart@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnandsacredheart@gmail.com)

**Bible and the Mass** Classes every 1st, 3rd, and 5th Wednesday of the Month from 4:15 – 5:15 PM at Sacred Heart Rectory.



### Altar Boy Group at Sacred Heart

1st & 3rd Fridays of the Month 6:15 – 8:00 PM.

### Young Adult Group

On the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Friday of the Month from 6-8PM at Sacred Heart. It starts with half an hour of Adoration, talk and recreation at the rectory.

## GOSPEL John 18.33b-37 of Sunday Nov. 21

Pilate asked Jesus, "Are you the King of the Jews?"

Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?"

Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?"

Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here."

Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?"

Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."