# Ascension of the Lord June 01, 2025

# St. John the Evangelist Parish Community, Dundalk

(Missions: Shelburne and St. Patrick's Proton)

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#### MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Tuesday (Rectory basement) ...10:00 am

Wednesday (Rectory basement) ...5:00 pm

Thursday (third Thursday of every month) Dufferin Oaks Long

Term Care...3:00 pm

Friday St John the Evangelist Dundalk ....11:00am

Saturday St John the Evangelist Dundalk... 4:00pm

Repose of the soul of Julie Furtado Reg: by Peter Furtado

-Sunday Shelburne (United Church 200 Owen Sound Street) 9:00 am

Sunday Proton...11:15 AM

Repose of the soul of

Michael Reis requested by Berta and Albert Reis

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is available 30 minutes before every scheduled Mass BAPTISM is scheduled by appointment, except during lent.

MARRIAGE: call the parish at least 6 months in advance. A marriage course is required. FUNERAL/BURIAL ARRANGEMENT: advise the parish immediately and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements.

SICK CALL/BLESSING anytime, at request. If you want the priest to visit you, or for anointing, please call the parish.

IF YOU ARE NEW TO THE PARISH and want to be a member of one of our churches, please do not hesitate to approach Father or the secretary after Holy Mass PARISH BEQUESTS Keep your love for your parish alive. Remember St. John the Evangelist Parish in your will when recommending expressions of sympathy.

#### **BULLETIN REFLECTION**

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Ascension biblically speaking is the ascent of Christ into heaven on the fortieth day after the resurrection. Both the Gospel and the first reading are sowing us the entry of Jesus into the glory of his father. But the images used to explain the fact are not easy for us to understand; so we can run the risk of looking on the feast of Ascension with out eyes raised up to the sky. This is exactly the opposite of what we should do; it is a feast inviting us to look down to earth, to people among whom we are called to make present the work of the Master the mandate to evangelize the whole human race. Though Jesus was no longer visible near them, the disciples were full of joy and the Gospel hints at the reason of their joy and these same reason should make us and our communities full of joy.

#### **Announcements**

- 1. Personal requests for Holy Mass may be made directly to Father or the office.
- 2. Eucharist adoration will be held on the first Saturday of every month, at 9:00 am in Dundalk. Please note this is a Parish affair and make every effort to attend.
- 3. Parishioners are asked to note that any request for assistance with regards to funeral arrangements should be addressed to St. John the

- Evangelist Rectory (Phone # 519-925-8703) or Mr. Gerald Gorman. (Phone # 519-373-4751)
- 4. St. John the Evangelist Parish now has a functioning CWL. The executive of which are as follows:
  - President: Berta Reis, Vice President: Antonella Brazil, Secretary: Maureen Ogbuli, Treasurer: Utra Hebden
- 5. Parishioners are asked to note that mass intentions should be one mass one intention and should comply accordingly.
- 6. You will be pleased to know that St. John the Evangelist Parish Dundalk has now opened (1) a website so parishioners can access Parish information regarding the Parish easily. The website link is indicated hereunder: -

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- (2) interact (e-transfer) facility to the Parish' email address indicated above
- 7. Parents/guardians whose children have now become eligible to receive sacrament of confirmation are asked to register with the office as soon as possible.
- 8.It should be noted that effective immediately there will be a small fee of five dollars for persons requesting copies of baptism certificates.





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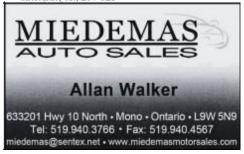
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