St. John the Evangelist Parish



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Mass Schedule

Tuesday 10:00 am	Rectory basement 764 Cook Cres, Shelburne	<u>New to the Parish:</u> Welcome! Please contact the rectory office to complete a registration.
Wednesday 5:00 pm	Rectory basement 764 Cook Cres, Shelburne	Baptism: Contact Parish office
Third Thursday of every	Dufferin Oaks Long Term Care	for more information. Marriage: Call the parish at least
month 3:00 pm	151 Centre St, Shelburne	6 months in advance. A marriage course is required.
Friday 11:00 am	St. John the Evangelist Church	Funeral/Burial: Contact the Rectory or Mr. Gerald Gorman (519)373-4751
	160 Main Street E, Dundalk	
Saturday 4:00 pm † Julie Furtado Req'd Peter Furtado	St. John the Evangelist Church	
	160 Main Street E, Dundalk	Sick Call/Blessing : Anytime, at request. If you want Father to visit
Sunday 9:00 am † Francis Dick Manyanga Sr.	United Church 200 Owen Sound Street, Shelburne	you, or for anointing, please call the parish.
Sunday 11:15 am † Rosa and Josesa Sa † Michael Reis Req'd Paula Vieito	St. Patrick's, Proton	Parish Bequests: Keep your love for your parish alive. Remember St. John the Evangelist Parish in your will.
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Announcements

Mass Intentions may be made directly to Father or the office. Parishioners are asked to note that Mass Intentions should be one Mass one Intention and must comply accordingly. **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, please make every effort to attend.

Bulletin Advertisement Payments are due on the 1st of January.

Offerings and Donations: Our Parish is now accepting donations and offerings via e-transfer. To contribute, please use the email address provided at the top of the bulletin.

Reflection

The first reading and the Gospel use the image of Marriage to describe the relationship between God and His people. The prophet Isaiah promises that Jerusalem, destroyed and abandoned, will once again be the beloved spouse of God. Jesus works His first "sign" in the context of a marriage feast, and it is the sign of the new Covenant that He has come to celebrate.

By giving His wine that cheers the human heart He transformed the sterile religion of the Jews. Whereas the second reading deals on a very topical point for our communities; it speaks of human charisma (gift) God grants these to each one of us so that we serve our brothers and sisters better. Whenever charisma is used in this way then our communities will be filled with love, cheerfulness and peace. This is the sign of the presence of the "wine" given by Jesus .

TRANSFORMATION AT THE WEDDING FEAST AT CANA

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