

**PALM SUNDAY April 13, 2025**  
**PASSION OF THE LORD**  
**St. John the Evangelist Parish Community,**  
**Dundalk**  
(Missions: Shelburne and St. Patrick's Proton)

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**HOLY WEEK AND EASTER MASS SCHEDULE**

**April 17 Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper: 6PM Dundalk**

**April 18 Good Friday Celebration of the Lord's Passion: 3PM Proton**

**April 19, Holy Saturday Easter Vigil: 7PM Shelburne**

**April 20 Easter Sunday: 9 AM Dundalk.....11:15 AM Proton**

**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 Req: by Peter Furtado

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

Repose of the souls of Mary Joe Baptista requested by Clothilde Disidoro

- 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.

**Reflection**

**BULLETIN REFLECTION**

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**Passion or Palm Sunday- Sixth Sunday of Lent: Year C**

Luke 19:28-40. (Gospel for the procession) Luke's account of Jesus' messianic entry into Jerusalem heightens the struggle which Jesus will face in the city and temple, and announces the final destruction of the Holy City, especially in the fuller account in Luke 19: 28-40.

Is 50: 4-7. In the prophecy of Isaiah the third song of the suffering servant combines attentive listening and abject humiliation with dignified strength.

Phil (2: 6-11.) Jesus emptied himself of his divine dignity to be incarnated in our midst and suffer the humiliation of the cross, as a way to glory and divine exaltation.

Luke 22: 14-23:56. The passion according to Luke portrays Jesus more frequently than the other gospels in prayer, in forgiveness, in concern for others and attracting them to follow, even to take up His cross like Simon of Cyrene.

## **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. Persons whose advertisements appear in the bulletin are asked to note that the renewal for subscriptions with regards to said ads has now become due.
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: -

[stjohndundalk@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:stjohndundalk@hamiltondiocese.com)

(2) interact (e-transfer) facility to the Parish' email address indicated above

7. Tax receipts for the year 2024 are now available. Please contact the office or Father after Holy Mass

8) Ladies who have expressed and interest in becoming a member of the CWL are asked to let Father know, as a matter of urgency (within the next two weeks) if they are interested in assuming any of the undermentioned positions: -

President

Vice president

Secretary

9. First Communion Classes have begun since the first week of April, anyone who wishes to receive First Communion can still join the class as of today. It should be noted that First Communion is scheduled to take place on the first Sunday of May (May 04) at Proton Church.

10. Persons who are willing to participate in the liturgical washing of the feet carried out on Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper are asked to please inform Father. ASAP



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