

EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 20, 2025

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(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 Dundalk11:00am

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

This Mass is offered for

(1) Robert Stewart requested by Helen (Carman) Redmond and family

(2) The repose of the soul 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

REFLECTION

EASTER SUNDAY

“song”

Because He Lives, I can face tomorrow

Because he lives, all fear is gone

Because I know He holds the future

And life is worth, the living

Just, because He lives.

Beloved today is Easter Sunday. Jesus our hope is risen, Death could not hold him Captive and because He lives, we can face tomorrow, Peter uses this same thought as his introduction to his first epistle when he said “Blessed be the God and Father, Our Lord Jesus Christ who according to His abundant Mercy has begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead” (1 Pet 1:3)

Today, both the sequence and the gospel pericope enumerated the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ from the dead. Death and tomb could not hold him back because He manifested the truth of the son of God destined to die and reconcile humanity back to God, we owe him in recompense a good and worthy life full of repentance and love as he we celebrate the Easter let us pray for those whose faith are shaken like the Jews to firmly return to God their creator.

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
(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 an 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. Parishioners are reminded that this Good Friday collection (originally initiated by Pope John Paul II) is for the support of the Church in the Holy Land.



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