# St. John the Evangelist Parish Community, Dundalk

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

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October 06, 2024 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### 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... 11:00 am
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)
Repose of the soul of:

Antonio Disidoro Req: by Clothilde Disidoro

Jenna Greer Raggazzon Req: by Walter and Anna Benotto

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Bruno Tar who celebrated his birthday yesterday October 5th

## Sunday Proton...11:15 am

Repose of the soul of: -

Michael Reis Req: by Albert and Bertha Reis

Kevin Rice Req: Susan Rice

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is available 15 minutes before 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 us.

**PARISH BEQUESTS** Keep your love for your parish alive. Remember St. John the Evangelist Parish in your will when recommending expressions of sympathy.

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## Reflection

God created humankind in his divine image; in his divine image God created them; male and female, God created them (Gen 1:27)

As we turn to the ideals of marriage in the first paradise, we discover that nothing on earth is to be preferred to one's spouse. Even after God showed the entire universe to the first human being and even stirred the remembrance of Mother and Father, a feeling of loneliness and separation swept over humankind. Nothing proved to be a suitable partner.

According to the ideal, spouses are to place their partner in marriage and their family before anything else-before their work and jobs and advancement, before their wealth, leisure and enjoyment. The bond of union between husband and wife makes them one person. Consequently, they are to approach problems and questions single-mindedly. Neither surrenders to the other, together in sharing ideas and judgments they arrive at what is best i.e. Love. Reciprocal Love between the two.

#### **Announcements**

Personal requests for Holy Mass may be made directly to Father or the office.

Eucharist adoration will be held on this Saturday (October 05) at 9:00 am in Dundalk. Please note this is a Parish affair and make every effort to attend.

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)

Persons whose advertisements appear in the bulletin are asked to note that the renewal for subscriptions with regards to said ads will now become due on the 1st of January of the new year. We would endeavor to notify by email. This has come about because of the arrears that was overlooked prior to this year's payment. Thank you for payments this year.

Parishioners whose children have now reached the age to receive first Holy Communion are asked to note that the necessary training to prepare them for this Sacrament is now being offered at the United Church, Owen Sound Street Shelburne after the 9:00 am Mass. You are required to register with Father or the Office Secretary (519-925-8703) as soon as possible (forms for completion are available).









