

# St. John the Evangelist Parish Community, Dundalk

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

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**February 02, 2025**

**Today we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord**

## **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

Rest of the soul of Julie Furtado Req: by Peter Furtado

-Sunday Shelburne Rest of the soul of Francis Dick Manyanga Sr. (United Church 200 Owen Sound Street) 9:00 am

- Sunday Proton...11:15 am

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 us.

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

### **Reflection**

Forty days have passed since Christmas and the church goes back with nostalgia, to the great mystery just celebrated. It does so in order to tell us that the Lord, on coming into the world, has brought about our purification as children of the most high God. We were “like unclean before now, all our deeds like polluted rags all withered like leaves (Is 64: 5) But God did not abandon us, He went ahead to send us a messenger a Prophet in the person of Jesus to reconcile us to him and make us once more pure. However, the first reading from Malachi promises His coming and the second reading develops the theme: The son of God has chosen to be one of us and to share our human destiny. This is why he can help us in our trials. Whereas the Gospel shows the fulfillment of this promise by God

### **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 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.
5. Parishioners are asked to note that mass intentions should be one mass one intention and must 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

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