

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Parish

Pastor: Fr. Ramon Jose Oncog JCL



Confession Schedule:

Saturday (4:00 – 4:45 PM) & Sunday (5:00 – 5:45 PM) or call for appointment

PARISH UPDATE 01/19/2025

This is just to relay to you a communication from Financial Administrator of the Archdiocese: On December the 30th of 2024, the Government of Canada announced an extension to the deadline for making donations eligible for tax support in the 2024 tax year, until February 28, 2025. What does this mean for us here in the parish? It does mean that our books will remain open to receive your parish support donations until the end of February. However, it does not mean that your donations will be included in the 2024 donation receipt. What will happen is that aside from the 2024 donation receipt, you will receive from our parish office a separate receipt good for January and February 2025 donations which you may choose to use or not against your 2024 earnings. At the end of the year 2025, of course, you will receive one more receipt good for March to December donations..... I would like to take this opportunity to convince those who are still not using the parish donation envelopes to do so. It is in this way that the parish office can furnish you with a donation receipt at the end of the year which would entitle you to a tax refund from the Government. You might feel it is not appropriate to claim the refund because you have given wholeheartedly to the Church and want nothing in return. But, you see, if you do not claim that money, it does not go to the Church; it stays with the Government. If you want, you can claim the refund and donate it back to the Church. Otherwise, you keep it for your family as it is hard-earned money..... I have submitted our parish statistics to the office of the Archbishop for the year 2024. I would like to share this data with you:

- No. of Baptisms – 12
- No. of First Communicants – 21
- No. of Confirmations – 13
- No. of Weddings – 5
- No. of Funerals - 3

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MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

SATURDAY

Jan 18 // 5PM- Eternal repose of Emil Dominic Pascasio – req. Pascasio family

SUNDAY (Second Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Jan 19 // 11AM- Eternal repose of John Buhler

Jan 19 // 6PM- For the intentions of all parishioners

MONDAY

Jan 20 // No Mass

TUESDAY

Jan 21 // 7PM - For the intentions of all parishioners

WEDNESDAY

Jan 22 // 7PM- For the intentions of all parishioners

THURSDAY

Jan 23 // 7PM- For the intentions of all parishioners

FRIDAY*

Jan 24 // 10AM- For the intentions of all parishioners

SATURDAY

Jan 25 // 5PM- For the intentions of all parishioners

SUNDAY (Third Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Jan 26 // 11AM- For the intentions of all parishioners

Jan 26 // 6PM- For the intentions of all parishioners

UPCOMING EVENTS*

- ◆ Children's Choir Practice- January 24th//7PM
- ◆ Children's Rosary and Mass- February 1st//4:30PM
- ◆ *Misa en Español* (Mass in Spanish)- February 9th//6PM
- ◆ Registration for Adult Confirmation- February 24th- March 9th

ANNOUNCEMENTS

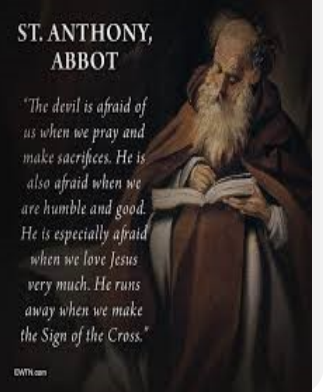
- ◆ Please submit Mass Intentions and Announcements by Friday noon for inclusion in the Sunday bulletin.

Answers of 01/12/2025
1. John the Baptist 2.A Dove

◆ Weekly Bible Quiz

1. What is the central theme of the Gospel reading for the Second Sunday of Ordinary Time?
 - a. The Baptism of Jesus
 - b. The Wedding at Cana
 - c. Jesus the Lamb of God
 - d. The Sermon on the Mount
2. Where did Saint Anthony Abbot live a life of solitude and prayer?
 - a. The Holy Land
 - b. The Egyptian desert
 - c. A Roman cathedral
 - d. A mountaintop monastery

Saint Anthony the Abbot (c. 251-356), founder of Christian monasticism, lived a life of prayer, asceticism, and solitude in the Egyptian desert. Patron of farmers, animals, and those with skin diseases.



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