



Sunday, August 29, 2021

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Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 9am-3pm

Reconciliation

Fr. John is available for individual confession
Saturday, 4:30pm and Sunday, 9:30am.

Office Closed

The Parish Office will be closed Fridays until
after Labour Day.



Birthday Wishes & Prayers

We wish God's Blessings to the
parishioners and our loved one's
and those who have gone before us
celebrating an Anniversary or
Birthday in August especially...

Kevin Money & Susana Gomes

(Ann), Jayden Pearce,

Colleen & Tibor Kovacs (Ann),

Mike Pearce, Susan Samulski, Ethan Money-Gomes

Michel & Joan Tisi (Ann), Jarrett Latendresse



Readings for Next Weekend

1st Reading: Isaiah 35.4-7

2nd Reading: James 2.1-5

Gospel: Mark 7.31-37



Homebound Visit

If you are aware of someone homebound and would
appreciate a visit and Communion from Fr. John,
please call the office with the information.

SSVP Information

For assistance, please call 905 786 2249.



Children's Bulletin

Parents can access this weekly bulletin
online to learn about our faith in a fun
way. <https://thekidsbulletin.com>



St. Francis of Assisi Website

Please take a few minutes to visit the
parish website.

www.stfrancisnewcastle.ca



Financial Information

Deposit	August 22/21
Offertory	\$1,103.00
Mass Stipends	220.00
Candle Money	115.00
Capital Fund	115.00
TOTAL	\$1,500.00

Upcoming Collections

Sunday, September 12 – St. Vincent de Paul

Sunday, September 19 – Parish Capital Fund

Mass Schedule & Intentions (Aug.30-Sept.5)

Monday, August 30 – NO MASS

Tuesday, August 31 – NO MASS

Wednesday, September 1 – 9:00 am

10:30 am @ SFA School (Staff Mass)

Thursday, September 2 – 9:00 am

Friday, September 3

Adoration – 11:00 am

Mass – 12:00 pm

Saturday, September 4 – 5:00 pm

Mass for the People

Sunday, September 5 – 10:00 am

Special Intention for Carole & Doug Penn



We are pleased to announce the following update for
St. Francis of Assisi Church:

- There is no capacity limit for churches, however,
physical distancing of 2 meters (6 feet) is still
required between parishioners attending Mass who
are not from the same household. Face mask use
remains mandatory.
- Contact tracing is required for funerals only.
- Weekday Mass will continue to be celebrated every
Wednesday and Thursday at 9:00 am and Friday at
12:00 pm following Adoration at 11:00 am
(please check the updated weekly Mass
schedule in the bulletin for any changes)
- We continue to celebrate weekend Mass on
Saturday at 5:00 pm & Sunday at 10:00 am.
- The parish office is open. Please email
office@stfrancisnewcastle.ca or call 905 987 5446.

Words of Pope Francis

Let us ask the Lord to help us be
consistent and to courageously
combat anything that can lead us
away from the truth and from the
faith we profess. Only thus can we
truly build unity and fraternity.



Sunday Funny



From the Choir's Corner

Planning for the Fall Season has
started. We know that you all
love to sing out loud again and
we are hopeful that we may be
able to do that soon. Please
consider this invitation to help lead and enrich our
congregation's song by joining one of our choirs. There's
always room for you. You don't need to be able to read
music (although that might be helpful), and any training you
need will be accessible to you. Please contact the office.



Senior's Exercise Classes

Senior exercise class resumes in the
parish hall on **Thursday, September 9,
10-11am**. We will continue Mondays
and Thursdays. All are welcome.

Work at your own pace.

Bring your water bottle, wear
comfortable running shoes and
clothes. We will be following Covid protocol. Mask required
upon arrival and sign-in. Volunteer leaders are Dennie
Radcliffe and Jenny Kerry. For further info please call Dennie
289-312-0462



SSVP Pantry

The following items are needed for
our pantry: *dish soap, jam, crackers,
juice, ketchup, mayo, laundry soap,
cheese whiz, canned fruit*



Year of Saint Joseph Pilgrimage

You're invited to celebrate the year of
Saint Joseph on September 11, 2021
at St. Stephen High School.

1 to 4 pm - Free BBQ, games,

Confession and prizes, 4:30 pm - Mass

& Litany of St. Joseph with Bishop

Miehm. *Bring your own face mask
and lawn chair.*



Blood Donor Clinic

Monday, September 13 at
the Newcastle Fellowship
Baptist Church from 1:30
pm to 7:30 pm.

Book now at blood.ca or
call 1-888 2 Donate

