

## Sunday, November 28, 2021

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**Office Hours:** Tuesday-Thursday, 9am-3pm

### Reconciliation

Fr. John is available for individual confession

Saturday, 4:30pm, Sunday, 8:30am, 10:30am.

### Office Hours this Week

This week the office is open  
Tuesday & Wednesday. (9am-3pm)



### Birthday Wishes & Prayers

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



Dan Garvey, Emy Talusan, Rosendo Talusan (RIP), Carol Pandey, Linda Bayley, Carol & Jarrett Latendresse (Ann), Susan Samulski, Magdalena Samulski, Geraldine Gualandris, Michel Tisi, Gabriel & Carys Latendresse, Zenon Samulski, Louis & Louise Lalonde (Ann)

### Readings for Next Weekend

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Baruch 5.1-9

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Philippians 1.3-6, 8-11

Gospel: Luke 3.1-6



### Homebound Visit

If you are aware of someone homebound and would appreciate a visit and Communion, please call the office.

### SSVP Information

For assistance, please call 905 786 2249, weekdays 9am – 5pm.

The following items are needed for our pantry:  
jam, crackers, cookies, juice, ketchup, mayo, laundry soap, can fruit, ground coffee



### 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

[www.stfrancisnewcastle.ca](http://www.stfrancisnewcastle.ca)



### Financial Information

Deposit	November 20/21
Offertory	\$1,288.00
Mass Stipends	40.00
Capital Fund	372.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,700.00</b>

### Upcoming Collections

Sunday, December 19 – Parish Capital Fund

### Mass Schedule & Intentions (Nov. 29-Dec. 5)

Monday & Tuesday - November 29/30 – **NO MASS**

Wednesday, December 1 - 9:00 am

For Dorothy Scholler (RIP) by

Joe & Joyce Stirbisky

Thursday, December 2

9:00 am – Communion Service

Friday, December 3

11:00 am – Adoration,

12:00 pm – Mass

Saturday, December 4 - 5:00 pm

Sunday, December 5 – 9:00 am

Sunday, December 5 – 11:00 am

Mass for the People



**NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER IN SOLIDARITY WITH INDIGENOUS PEOPLES**

**Saturday, December 11, 2021 at 10 am**  
Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains, Peterborough

Shape of the Morning  
10:00 a.m. beginning

Gathering Prayer  
Homily  
Prayer of the Community  
Personal Prayer Time  
Reflections

More details to follow about Sharing Food Together

### Poinsettias In Memory of a Loved One

Once again, we will be offering poinsettias for sale to adorn our altar for the Christmas season. Order forms are available in the Gathering Room or attached to the weekly email. Please return the form with payment in the collection basket or drop it off to the parish office no later than **Sunday, December 12.**



### Words of Pope Francis

Love rejoices in seeing others grow and suffers when others are anguished, lonely, sick, homeless, despised or in need. Love makes the heart leap; it brings us out of ourselves and creates bonds of sharing and communion.



### Sunday Funny



### First Communion Congratulations

Congratulations to the children who celebrated their First Holy Communion last weekend. *May the love of Jesus shine in your heart now and forever.*



### Baptism Congratulations

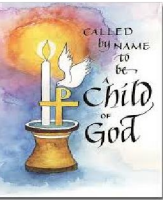
We would like to welcome the following into the church:

Gracie Isabella Kilbane

Olivia Mai Kilbane

Daughters of Kevin & Brianne Kilbane.

*May your children's Baptism be just the start of a life filled with Blessings!*



### Congratulations

Congratulations to Brad Smith who was received into Full Communion this past weekend.



### SSVP Christmas Bells 2021

This weekend please drop your gift card off in the box provided in the gathering room. The families supported by the Society truly appreciate your generosity and this will brighten their Christmas.

**\*\*Please include the receipt with your gift card\*\***



### Knights of Columbus

The Knights first silent auction will start December 1. Some of the items include poinsettias, Raptors tickets, gift baskets from Algoma Orchards, Tim's and the Snug, Fire 7 Tablet, Christmas lanterns and much more.

Start or finish your Christmas shopping here.

The Knights would like to thank those who purchased the cash calendar lottery. We sold 150 calendars, 50 more than our original target. Good luck to everyone.



### Blood Donor Clinic

**When:** Monday, December 6

**Time:** 1:30 pm – 7:30 pm

**Place:** Newcastle Fellowship Baptist Church, 200 King Ave. E.

**Your Donation Matters!**

*It matters to every patient across Canada. It is something we can do today to make others wake up healthier tomorrow.*

