



# St. John the Evangelist

## Roman Catholic Church (1857)

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### Kenilworth Contact:

Julie Goetz : 519-993-0833

### Bookkeeper: Mary Raftis

### Finance Committee:

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Sacristan: Louise Dingman

Caretaker: Jim Janssen

### Mass Times

#### Arthur:

**Tuesday:** 7:00 pm

**Wednesday-Friday:** 9:00 am

**Sunday:** 10:30 am

(Rosary 30 minutes before Mass)

#### Palmerston:

**Wednesday:** 10:30 am

**Saturday:** 4:00 pm

#### Kenilworth:

**Friday:** 10:00 am

**Sunday:** 9:00 am

(Rosary 30 Minutes before Mass)

**St. John School:** 519 848 2445

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***Sunday, July 2, 2023***

***13th Sunday of Ordinary Time***

***Sunday July 9, 2023***

***14th Sunday of Ordinary Time***

*Welcome to*

***St. John the Evangelist, Sacred Heart and  
St. Mary the Immaculate Parishes***

We extend a warm welcome to all our parishioners and visitors and hope that you feel at home in every parish. For information on registration and to find out how you can get more involved with parish activities, please contact us by:

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**July 7, 2023**

**Kenilworth:**

9:00 - 10:00 am

**Arthur:**

6:00- 7:00 pm

Followed by Mass.

**We wish all students,  
teachers, school staff  
and school bus drivers  
a happy and safe summer,  
filled with God's blessings!**



***Happy  
Canada  
Day  
Weekend  
Everyone!***

### Confession

*After Daily Mass & 1st Friday*

*Saturday 2.30—3 p.m.*

*or upon request*

### Adoration—First Friday

*6:00 pm - 7:00 pm (Arthur)*

*9:00am—10:00 am (Kenilworth)*

*(Mass to Follow Adoration)*

### Baptism

*Please contact the office at least four months in advance*

### Marriage

*Please contact the office at least four month in advance.*

## ARTHUR MASS SCHEDULE

**SUNDAY** **July 2**

**10:30am + Int. for all Parishioners**

**TUESDAY** **July 4**

**7:00pm + Franz & Erich Clausing**

*Req. by Theresa & family*

**WEDNESDAY** **July 5**

**9:00am Special Intention**

*Req. by Carolyn Wright*

**THURSDAY** **July 6**

**9:00am + Collette Deshevy**

*Req. by Rita Gagnon*

**FRIDAY** **July 7**

**7:00pm - First Friday**

**+ Stephane Zarav**

*Req. by The family*

**SUNDAY** **July 9**

**10:30am Int. for all Parishioners**

**Sunday School today!**

**TUESDAY** **July 11**

**7:00pm + Souls of Clausing & Lukas**

**families - Req. by Teresia & family**

**WEDNESDAY** **July 12**

**9:00am Intention of Maria & Jose**

**Pereira - Req. by Gloria & Joe**

**THURSDAY** **July 13**

**9:00am + Jim Gagnon**

*Req. by Rita Gagnon*

**FRIDAY** **July 14**

**9:00am + The Deshevy Family**

*Req. by Rita Gagnon*

**SUNDAY** **July 16**

**10:30 am Int. for all Parishioners**

### Arthur Offerings:

**Sunday, June 18**

Collection: \$734.00

Maintenance: \$20.00

**Sunday, June 25**

Collection: \$ 829.30

Maintenance: \$ 75.00

Care Retired Priests:\$20.00

*Thank you  
all for  
your  
financial  
support of  
St. John the  
Evangelist  
Parish*

## Congratulations

On behalf of St. John the Evangelist Parish we extend congratulations to Pieter Frank Falkena and Genna June (Wright) who received the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony on Saturday, June 24, 2023. We ask the almighty Father to bless Pieter and Genna with love, happiness and guidance during their married life, and bless their parents Stuart and Carolyn Wright and Simon and Marijke Falkena.



## Sacrament of Baptism

*We wish to congratulate:*

Elizabeth and Christopher Newman on the occasion of the baptism of their son Nicholas Christopher.

and

Jan (John) and Daphne Haramule on the occasion of the baptism of their daughter Marla Daphne.

We pray for Nicholas and Marla so that they may come to know by the example of their parents, godparents and family the love that God has for them.



## Graduation

We wish to congratulate the grade 8 class of St. John Catholic School as they close this important chapter in their education. It was wonderful to journey with them as they gained knowledge and wisdom and grew in their faith at St. John's.

We also wish to congratulate all those students in Grade 12 who have now reached this major milestone in their lives. Whatever your chosen path, as you celebrate graduation may you recall fond memories from your past and dream exciting visions of your future.

**May the Lord continue to bless and protect you all as  
you start another phase in your life journey.  
Congratulations and God Bless!**



## Altar Server Ministry

**Thank you** to our dedicated team of altar servers for serving with such care and joy at the Lord's altar and for making of this service a real school of learning the faith, and charity toward your neighbour. Remember that being an altar server means something much more than helping the priest during the celebration of Mass. It also means that you are someone very special to Jesus, for he is the One you are really serving. You are his friend. **Thank you** to your parents and guardians - for the support you provide for your son or daughter's desire to serve at the altar. Thank you for all you are doing to foster in your children a love of Jesus, of prayer and of the Mass. **Children & youth are invited to speak to Father Stephen or Louise for more information on training as an altar server.**  
**Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!**





# Sacred Heart RC Church Kenilworth

9139 Highway 6 Kenilworth, ON N0G 2E0

## Kenilworth Offerings:

### **Sunday, June 18**

Collection: \$ 588.00  
Maintenance: \$22.00

### **Sunday, June 25**

Collection: \$1438.00  
Maintenance: \$

*Thank you all for  
your financial  
support of Sacred  
Heart Parish.*

## **SUNDAY July 2**

**9:00am + Leona Brown**

*Req. Harold & Judy Keelan*

## **FRIDAY July 7**

### **First Friday**

**10:00am Special Intention**

## **SUNDAY July 9**

**9:00am Intentions of Mark &**

**Nadine Goetz** *Req. by CWL*

## **FRIDAY July 14**

**10:00am + Leona Brown**

*Req. Paul & Mary Lou Bolen*

## **SUNDAY July 16**

**9:00am Special Intention**

The Carmel of St. Joseph Guild invites all members, families and friends to attend the **FEAST OF OUR LADY MOUNT CARMEL MASS** to be held at the Carmel of St. Joseph Monastery, St. Agatha on Sunday, July 16, 2023 at 2:00 pm.

The Rosary will precede the Mass.  
The celebrant will be Auxiliary Bishop Wayne Lobsinger.

## **Thoughts from the Holy Father**

“How wonderful it would be if, while discovering faraway planets, we could also rediscover the needs of our brothers and sisters who orbit around us.”



# St. Mary the Immaculate Palmerston

365 Main St E. Palmerston, ON N0G 2P0

## Palmerston Offerings:

### **Sunday, June 18**

Collection: \$135.00  
Maintenance: \$ 10.00

### **Sunday, June 25**

Collection: \$ 290.00  
Maintenance: \$

*Thank you all for your  
financial support of St. Mary  
the Immaculate Parish.*

## **SATURDAY July 1**

**4.00 pm + Phyllis Mayne**

*Req. by The estate*

## **WEDNESDAY July 5**

**10:30am + Earl Speers**

*Req. by Lori Speers*

## **SATURDAY July 8**

**4.00 pm + Elaine Mayne**

*Req. by The estate*

## **WEDNESDAY July 12**

**10.30 am + John McDonough**

*Req. by The estate*

## **SATURDAY July 15**

**4.00 pm + Joseph Mayne**

*Req. by The estate*

Eternal God,  
whose reign  
extends from sea  
to sea and whose  
care endures throughout the ages,  
hear our prayers for our country:  
grant wisdom to those who  
govern it and respect for human  
life and dignity to every citizen,  
so that justice may flourish and  
all peoples live in unity and peace.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ,  
your Son, who lives and reigns  
with you in the unity of the Holy  
Spirit, on God for ever and ever.  
Amen.

(National Catholic Broadcasting Council)



Please remember in your prayers our benefactors, volunteers and those who have left bequests.



**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention**  
**July 2023**

***\* For a Eucharistic Life \****

**We pray that, Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.**

**C.W.L. NEWS**

**St. John Arthur**

**Save the Date:** On Sunday September 24, 2023, St. John Catholic Women's League will be celebrating their 70th Anniversary. We will begin with the celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, followed by a reception in the hall. Please keep the date open. More info to follow.



**DIOCESE OF HAMILTON**

**Living as Catholics in the Public Square**

**THE COMMISSION FOR JUSTICE AND PEACE** of the *Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB)* has released a Pastoral Letter with the title *Living as Catholics in the Public Square: Freedom of Religion and Conscience in Canada*. The letter emphasizes the significance of freedom of religion and conscience in our democratic society and explores the role of Catholics in courageously living out their faith in the public square. Catholics are encouraged to champion the common good and contribute to public debates, conscious of the importance of religious freedom for all people.

Read the letter [here](#).

**DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

***... let us pray for***

Mon. July 3 - Most Rev Matthew Ustrzycki  
Tues. July 4 - Fr. James Petrie  
Wed. July 5 - Institute of Kkottongnae Sisters of Jesus  
Thur. July 6 - Fr. Fadi Rizk  
Fri. July 7 - Fr. Francesco Cucchi  
Sat. July 8 - Fr. Grzegorz Ogorzalek  
Mon. July 10 - Rev. Msgr. Edward Sheridan  
Tues. July 11 - Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos  
Wed. July 12 - Society of Christ (S. Chr.)  
Thur. July 13 - Very Rev. David Wynen  
Fri. July 14 - Very Rev. Msgr. Murray Kroetsch  
Sat. July 15 - Very Rev. Adrian Lee

***PRAY FOR VOCATIONS.***

**The Month of July is dedicated to the Precious Blood of Jesus Christ**

July is the month we honor the Precious Blood of Jesus. Falling right between June's devotion to the Sacred Heart and August's devotion to the Immaculate Heart, July is an ideal time to connect our devotion to Jesus and Mary into deeper gratitude for the bond they share as well as to heighten our connection to the blood of the Lamb of God. How can you more closely align your life to the Precious Blood....



The cup of blessing that we bless, is it not the sharing of the Blood of Christ?

**1. Pray the Fatima Morning Offering:**

Celebrate the Precious Blood's association with the Sacred Heart of Jesus and Immaculate Heart of Mary by praying the Fatima Morning offering daily, as it offers up the Blood of Christ joined to our own prayerful devotion, and ends with these words, invoking the Precious Blood along with the Twin Hearts:

*Precious Blood of Jesus, save us!*

*Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us!*

*Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us!*

*Amen.*

**2. Spend some time in Eucharistic Adoration:**

This month, we're called to focus on the reality of the presence of the blood of Christ in the Eucharist. Adoration provides us with the opportunity to do our humble part to console the tears of blood that Christ shed in Gethsemane, and throughout His Passion. (Aletia.org)

***Thank you for joining us today!***  
***We look forward to seeing you next time!***

*Happy Summer*  
Enjoy Every Moment