



***SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH***  
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**Mass Schedule**

Saturday Vigil 4:00PM  
Sunday 8:00 and 10:00AM

**Sacrament of Baptism**

1st Sunday of the Month, Please contact the  
Rectory to make arrangements.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturdays at 3:30 P.M. or by calling the  
Rectory for an appointment.

**Sacrament of Marriage**

Arrangements to be made at least six months  
in advance.

**OUR MISSION**

St. John the Baptist Roman Catholic Church is a family of believers in Christ. As sacramental people, filled with God's love, we strive to provide a welcoming community, supporting one another on our journey to salvation. We are committed to each other in a spirit of compassion and love while promoting hope, healing and evangelization in our midst.

**Co-Pastors:** Fr. Paul Bernier  
Fr. Christopher Peschel

**Deacon:** Rev. Mr. Matthew Laird

**Receptionist:** Cindy Dupont

**Music Director:** Mr. Scott Simpkin



**Saturday January 15, 2022**  
**4:00PM** Rhea & Normand Proulx  
 Joan Marques)

**Sunday January 16, 2022**  
**8:00 AM** Joanne Branco (Husband)  
**10:00 AM** Thomas Gleghorn (Family)

**Monday January 17, 2022**  
**8:00AM** Maria & Manuel Cabral  
 (Daughter)

**Tuesday January 18, 2022**  
**8:00AM** Helen Jenson (Bob &  
 Claire Tremblay)

**Thursday January 20, 2022**  
**8:00AM** Nancy Carlstrom (Family)

**Saturday January 22, 2022**  
**4:00PM** Frank Jr. & Peggy Toohey  
 (Family)

**Sunday January 23, 2022**  
**8:00 AM** Barry Beaulieu (Family)  
**10:00 AM** Leonard & Margaret Travers  
 (Larry & Claire Travers)

Masses for 2022 are filling up fast. Please call the rectory for availability. The Mass book for 2023 will be available in March. Keep in mind the candle lightings are available on a weekly basis.

**Rectory Hours**  
**Monday, Tuesday, Thursday**  
**8:30-12:30**

**THE CANDLE at the Foot of *Mary***  
*is burning this week*

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**THE SANCTUARY CANDLE**

is burning this week

***For Your Own Special Intentions***

***THE CANDLE***  
*at the*

***Statue of The Sacred Heart***  
*is perpetually burning in memory of*

***Sarah Valentine***



**Religious Education Classes will not be held this week due to the holiday weekend.**

**There are ten remaining classes to be held this year:**

January 23  
January 30

February 6  
February 13

March 6  
March 13  
March 20  
March 27

April 3  
April 10

**UNCOMING IMPORTANT DATES:**

**Retreat (all day) for Grade 10 Confirmation students will be held January 29th.**

**First Penance: Saturday April 23rd at 11 AM**

**First Communion: Saturday, May 7th at 11 AM**

Contact Colleen Brady  
with any questions or concerns, at  
508-636-5506, or via email at  
[Faithformation.stjb@gmail.com](mailto:Faithformation.stjb@gmail.com)

**REGISTRATIONS IN THE PARISH**

We welcome you to our faith community and invite you to register in the parish. Registration forms are available at the entrance of the church. Return the form to one of our Pastors after Mass.



Through November 2021 we have received \$2,103.40 from Lees Market.  
Thank you for keeping and submitting your Lees Receipts.  
As you can see it really adds up!

Maronite nuns who live on Tucker Rd. in Dartmouth will be joining St. John the Baptist Parish for all our weekend Masses on January 15th and 16th and offering hand made rosaries for sale after all Masses. The proceeds from these rosaries are sent directly to support Christians in Lebanon who have been suffering persecution and government collapse for several years. Please keep these nuns and their work in your prayers.

**SYNOD INFORMATION COMING SOON!**



Pope Francis wants to hear from the whole Church about what is happening in local parishes. He and the bishops would like to know what individuals think

we should all be doing to help make our parishes better. The way he proposed doing this is a synodal process. Synod means "journeying together" and it involves listening to the Holy Spirit and to each other in order to discern the path we are called to walk together.

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