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11th & 12th Sundays in Ordinary Time

June 13 & 20, 2021

PUBLIC MASSES RESUME: Effective Friday, June 11, places of worship in Ontario can open to 15% capacity. Therefore, we have returned to public Masses with 15% capacity following the pandemic protocol that we have had in place in our church for over a year. Pre-registration is not required since our church has always had ample space to safely accommodate our numbers.

IT'S TIME: Now that vaccinations are rolling out quickly, and restrictions are gradually being lifted, it's time to start thinking about your return to the celebration of Mass and the reception of the Holy Eucharist. After months of uncertainty, warranted and unwarranted fears, and nearly unhealthy doses of hopelessness, the Mass is precisely the place we can bring those feelings — anxiety, fear and nervousness — and lay them down at the altar with Christ.

IN YOUR PRAYERS, PLEASE REMEMBER:

- the needs of the Indigenous Peoples in Canada as they continue to experience the pain and suffering of their past; that all Canadians would courageously fulfill the challenges placed before us in the recommendations of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission;
- those who have been affected by the coronavirus: the sick, the dying, their families and care givers; those who struggle with fear, anxiety and depression; those who have lost their jobs and are suffering economic hardship;
- for blessings on our fathers who - in the image of God the Father - have given us life and love;
- parishioners who are sick; and those who have died, especially our fathers.

Prayer for the Evangelization Project – Diocese of Pembroke

Almighty God and Father,
we give you thanks for the gift of your Son,
given to us in Word and Sacrament,
and for the many blessings and graces
that you have poured out upon the Diocese of Pembroke.

Increase in us a longing for you,
form us into your holy image and unite us in one Body.

Lord Jesus, support our communities in search of renewal
so that we may rediscover the Gospel in all its freshness.

Bless and strengthen our marriages and families,
and renew our clergy and religious.

Enlighten us with your Holy Spirit,
to illuminate any darkness that is around us.

Give us your Heart of Mercy,
a heart that seeks the lost, ministers to the suffering,
touches the lonely, and calls disciples into deeper relationship with you.

Show us today those who, along our path, need you,
and bestow upon us the courage of faithful witness in our words and actions.

All praise and glory be to You, Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
God, forever and ever. Amen.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us.
Saint Joseph, pray for us.
Saint Columbkille, pray for us.

11th Week in Ordinary Time

June 15-17

- Wednesday 9:00 a.m.** +Bud & Vi Barrett *by Sharon Sewter*
- Thursday 9:00 a.m.** Special Intentions *by Michael & Marie Howlett*
- Friday 9:00 a.m.** +Dorothy McCabe *by The Family*

✠ 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠

June 20, 2021

- Saturday 3:45 p.m.** Confessions
- 4:30 p.m.** +Audrey Poole *by Bernard Peplinskie*
- Sunday 9:30 a.m.** Intentions of the People (*Missa pro populo*)

12th Week in Ordinary Time

June 23 -25

- Wednesday 9:00 a.m.** +Brandon Tripp *by Kimberley Schroeder*
- Thursday 9:00 a.m.** Solemnity of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist
+Jack Dorzek *by Lucien Cloutier*
- Friday 9:00 a.m.** +Robert Emmett Lee *by Bob & Sandy Lee*

✠ 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠

June 27, 2021

- Saturday 3:45 p.m.** Confessions
- 4:30 p.m.**
- Sunday 9:30 a.m.** Intentions of the People (*Missa pro populo*)

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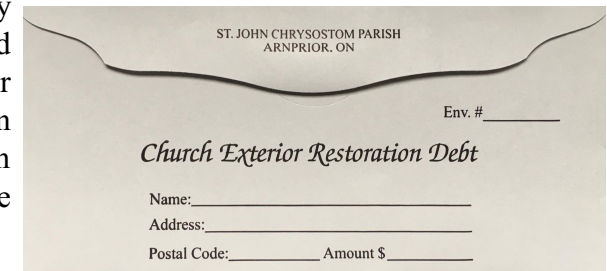
SUNDAY OFFERING: June 13 - \$4,043.50

Thank you for your continuing commitment during these difficult times. **Sunday Envelope Offerings can also be put through the mail slot on the parish office door.**

DIRECT DEPOSIT: Why not use direct deposit for the sake of convenience and for the continual support of our parish? Just call the parish office to set it up! We have 53 parishioners who have chosen this option.

CHURCH EXTERIOR RESTORATION COLLECTION: The amount of \$3,870.00 from the month of April was recently sent to the Chancery Office in Pembroke. Thank you!

This monthly appeal continues on the last Sunday of the month using a special envelope and collection dedicated to the Church Exterior Restoration Debt. These envelopes have been inserted into every box of Sunday Collection envelopes and are also available on the racks at the entrance of the church.



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SUPPORT THE FUTURE OF YOUR CHURCH: Consider a bequest to St. John Chrysostom Exterior Restoration Project through your will and leave an extraordinary legacy gift for the glory of God and to ensure that future generations continue to have a home to celebrate our Christian Faith.

ECCLESIA: There is a survey on the last page of our diocesan newspaper that the editorial committee would appreciate you filling out and returning in the collection basket at any Mass. Deadline for the surveys to be submitted is July 30th. Thank you for your participation in this endeavor. Please note that the May issue of Ecclesia can now be found on our website at <https://pembrokediocese.com/ecclesia/>.

THE EVANGELIZATION TEAM: As many of you may know, the great project of evangelization of our diocese has been underway under the direction of Bishop Desrochers and the Evangelization Team members. In order for this to become a success, we need your help. A prayer has been written and adopted by our Evangelization Team, and we ask that you pray this prayer for the success of this project and for the benefit of all the people of our diocese. Prayer cards will be arriving soon.