

# St. John the Baptist Parish

Walking with, and Serving Our  
Community, Together in Faith



## St John the Baptist 175th Anniversary Prayer

Generous and merciful Father, we give you thanks for 175 years of graces and blessings upon our local church, St John the Baptist in Burlington.

From our first building at Pearl and Pine and The Little Flower, to the current structure at Brant and Blairholm, you gather a people to praise you and manifest your presence in the world, faithful and generous women and men of generations past, present and yet to follow.

In this year of Jubilee, we ask you to touch our hearts anew with the love of your Son, Jesus Christ. Enlighten our minds with your Holy Spirit and strengthen our hands for service so that day in and day out, our parish will continue to grow as a welcoming and friendly community.

Through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Perpetual Help, St Joseph, Patron of the Universal Church, and our own Patron St John the Baptist, hear our prayers and aid us on our journey to the kingdom where you live and reign Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, One God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

