



St. Patrick's Church
3977 Sydenham Rd, Sydenham, ON
K0H 2W0

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor:

Most Rev. Michael Mulhall,
Archbishop of Kingston

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St. Patrick's: Fr. Sebastian Amato
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St. Mary's Church – Mission
131 Main Street Odessa, ON
K0H 2H0

Mass Times:

St. Patrick's Sunday at 11:00 a.m.
St. Mary's **Church Closed until further notice**

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

St. Patrick's: Please see Fr. Amato after Mass on Sunday or call the parish office to make an appointment.

St. Mary's: **Church closed until further notice**

Parish Ministries:

St. Patrick's:
Pastoral Council
Finance Council

Welcome to New Parishioners

St. Patrick's and St. Mary's welcomes new members to our faith community. Please visit or email the Parish Office to register.



**Sunday, March 29th,
2026**

MASS INTENTIONS

St. Mary's - Church closed until further notice
St. Patrick's

April 4th - Easter Vigil at 8 p.m.
People of the Parish

April 5th - Easter Sunday at 11 a.m.
+ Fr. Bill Steacy C.Ss.R.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS
St. Patrick's Collection \$1,837.00

Thank you for your continued generosity.

PONTIFICAL COLLECTION – GOOD FRIDAY



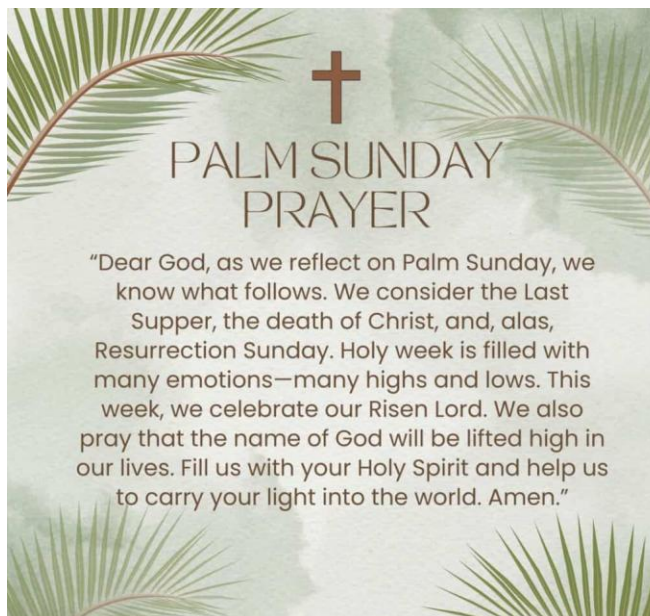
The Good Friday Collection helps to maintain the Church of the Holy Land by providing educational, pastoral, and social support of Catholic youth and families committed to living their faith in the land where Christ lived, and by maintaining the Holy Sites that are so important to the faith of Christians everywhere. At the request of the Holy See, this Pontifical Collection will be taken during the **Good Friday celebration on April 3, 2026**. Those who are unable to attend the service, or who prefer to contribute online, may use Credit Cards, Interac, or Canadahelps, accessible at: www.commissariat.ca in the "Support Us" link.

Fr. Robert Mokry, o.f.m.,
Commissary of the Holy Land in Canada



St. Patrick's Holy Week Schedule

- April 2nd - Holy Thursday Mass at 7:30 p.m.
- April 3rd - Good Friday Service at 3:00 p.m.
- April 4th - Easter Vigil at 8:00 p.m.
- April 5th - Easter Sunday at 11:00 a.m.



PALM SUNDAY PRAYER

"Dear God, as we reflect on Palm Sunday, we know what follows. We consider the Last Supper, the death of Christ, and, alas, Resurrection Sunday. Holy week is filled with many emotions—many highs and lows. This week, we celebrate our Risen Lord. We also pray that the name of God will be lifted high in our lives. Fill us with your Holy Spirit and help us to carry your light into the world. Amen."

CONFIRMATION PROGRAM



Please check your emails regularly for updates from Father Amato. If you did not receive any of Father Amato's emails or have any questions, please contact him at fr.s.amato@gmail.com

FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAM



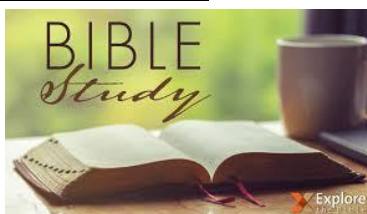
The next session for the children enrolled in the First Communion Program will be on **Tuesday, April 21st at 6:30 p.m.** in the parish hall.

ROSARY GROUP

Our Rosary Group meets every Wednesday morning at 10 a.m. in the parish hall. All are welcome.



BIBLE STUDY



The Bible Study group will meet on **Monday March 30, 1:30-3:30pm** in the Parish Hall, to

continue its study on the Epistle of James. We will be studying verses James 1:19-27. It is not necessary to attend sessions in sequence to benefit from studying the Epistle. Questions? Need further information? Please contact Brother Knight Chris Thurgood by email (stpatsbiblestudy2023@gmail.com) or call me at 613-532-1255.



PANCAKE SUNDAY



The Knights of Columbus are hosting their monthly Pancake & Sausage breakfast on **April 12th** following Mass.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – BINGO

The upcoming dates for the Knights of Columbus bingo are **Monday, April 13th** and **Monday, May 4th** Starting at 7 p.m. in the parish hall. All are welcome. Bring a friend.



HOT DOG SUNDAY



The Knights are hosting their monthly Hot Dog Sunday after Mass on **April 19th**.

CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE LENTEN FOOD DRIVE

Our CWL ladies initiated a Lenten Food Drive for the food bank in Sydenham. Thank you to everyone who donated food items over the past five weekends.



- February 22nd – Pancake Syrup
- March 1st – Canned Tomatoes
- March 8th – Brown Beans
- March 15th – Canned Peas
- March 22nd – Mayo - 38 jars and Cooking Oils - 36 bottles**



Update – Week # 5

- Maple Syrup – 1 bottle
- Spaghetti Sauce – 1 jar
- Chili – 4 cans
- Beans – 7 cans
- Peas – 6 cans
- Soup – 3 cans,
- Tomatoes – 3 cans
- Bathroom Tissue – 4 pkgs.
- Total weight collected: 218 lbs.**

We donated a total weight of 808 lbs. over the five weekends of our Lenten Food Drive. Amazing people at St. Patrick’s. So generous and so needed.



PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Please remember in your prayers the following: Stephen Fink, Cathy Dunne, Bev Huff, Carla Jackson, Marlayne Roy, Sally Fink, Jamie Myers, Trudie Thurlby, Connie and Mariano Arruda, Mary Lapratte, Ashley Thompson, Francine Arsenault, Graham Dodd, Jerome Clair, Darlene Nolan-Dillabough, Charles Thompson, Sharon Nolan-Conway, Mary Smith, Barbara Stewart, Zach Waller, Wendy Harrison, Charlie and Veronica Barry.

OUR COMMUNITY

ST. RITA’S DROP-IN CENTRE

St. Mary’s Cathedral Outreach to the homeless and poor of the city. 1:00-3:30 pm, Monday to Friday. Providing safety, great food, showers, and good Christian hospitality and dignity. Inquiries: paty@stmaryscathedral.ca

PILGRIMAGE OCTOBER 2026



Pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Fr. Justin & Fr. Price

Join Fr. Justin and Fr. Price on a faith-filled pilgrimage to the Holy Land from **October 5–15, 2026**. Walk in the footsteps of Our Blessed Lord, deepen your understanding of Sacred Scripture, and experience prayer, mercy, healing, and spiritual renewal in the places where the Word became flesh. Space is limited to 40 pilgrims, with 13 already reserved, so early registration is encouraged. Please pick up a copy of the **itinerary in the parish hall**.

BIRTHRIGHT - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



Birthright is looking for committed volunteers to help at the office. We need your help to assist women facing difficulties due to pregnancy. Time commitment is 2 and a half hours per week. Training is provided. Please call or email for more information - 613-546-5433 or info@kingstonbirthright.ca We are also in need of the following items if you can help: baby shampoo, baby soap, baby wash, baby lotion, Diapers- size 3,4,5,6.



MASS OF CHRISM

TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 2026

10:30 AM

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL
279 JOHNSON STREET, KINGSTON

MOST REVEREND MICHAEL MULHALL
ARCHBISHOP OF KINGSTON
WILL PRESIDE AND BLESS THE OILS
FOR THE SACRAMENTAL LIFE OF THE
CHURCH.

ALL PRIESTS AND DEACONS OF
THE ARCHDIOCESE WILL
RENEW THEIR COMMITMENT
TO SERVICE.



*Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving
St. Mary's Cathedral
279 Johnson Street
Saturday April 18 at 10:30 am*

The Faithful are cordially invited to join in the Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving to offer praise and gratitude to God for the abundant blessings bestowed on our Archdiocese over the past 200 years.

For your convenience parking is available at
Our Lady of Fatima Church, 588 Division Street.

Shuttle Bus Service:

- Our Lady of Fatima to St. Mary's Cathedral: 9:00 am to 10:15 am
- St. Mary's Cathedral to Our Lady of Fatima: 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm
- Our Lady of Fatima return to St. Mary's Cathedral: 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Celebratory buffet luncheon immediately following Mass

Our Lady Fatima Parish Hall: 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm
Archbishop Mulhall will offer Grace before the meal

For planning purposes, parish groups arriving by charter coach bus please contact **Mary Hitchcock at 613-541-9222** for charter bus parking information.

"To know Christ and the power of His Resurrection." Phil 3:10

St. Patrick's:

Parish Sacristan Anna Wilson

Liturgical Ministries

Liturgy Committee

Altar Servers Fr. Sebastian Amato

Eucharistic Ministers Fr. Sebastian Amato

Eucharistic Outreach Fred O'Keefe

Ushers/Greeters Sherri Sagriff

Lectors Denise Ford

Choir Kimberly Dowling

Funeral Receptions Jean Myers

St. Patrick's Cemetery Bill Flynn & Don Murphy

Screening Committee Pauline Hogan

Catechetical Ministries:

Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation &
R.C.I.A. Fr. Amato

Service Ministries:

Catholic Women's League Maryanne Takala

Knights of Columbus Chris Thurgood

Rosary Group

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Liturgical Ministries

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Ushers/Greeters

Sacristan Nancy Hamilton

Choir

Funeral Receptions

St. Mary's Cemetery Maureen Lavigne

Please contact the parish office if you are interested in any of the parish ministries.

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Find the latest event updates on the archdiocesan website at:

romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/calendar