



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

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor:

Most Rev. Michael Mulhall,
 Archbishop of Kingston

Sunday Masses & Sacraments:

St. Patrick's: Fr. Sebastian Amato
fr.s.amato@gmail.com

St. Mary's: Fr. Michel Quenneville
fr.michel.quenneville@gmail.com

Deacon Michael Winn
mikewinn2001@gmail.com

Parish Administrator:

Jim Hase
baloo@kos.net

Parish Secretary:

Denise Ford
 Telephone: 613-376-6695
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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 Saturday at 4:30 p.m.

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: Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Parish Website:

www.stpat-stmary-railton-odessa.com

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.



Palm Sunday
April 13th, 2025

MASS INTENTIONS

April 20th Easter Sunday St. Mary's at 9 a.m.
People of the Parish

April 19th Easter Vigil St. Patrick's at 9 p.m.
People of the Parish

April 20th Easter Sunday St. Patrick's at 11 a.m.
People of the Parish

To book a Mass Intention please call or email the parish office.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

St. Patrick's Collection – \$3,004.00

St. Mary's Collection - \$200.00

UPCOMING EVENTS



CWL MEETING

The next CWL meeting is **April 24th at 7 p.m.** in the parish hall. All ladies are welcome.

Knights of Columbus

Egg McKnight – May 4th

Hot Dog Sunday – May 18th

Knights of Columbus Bingo

Monday, May 5th

Monday, June 2nd

In the parish hall at 7:00 p.m.



CONFIRMATION PROGRAM



All candidates enrolled in the Confirmation program are to attend the following:

Confirmation Retreat **Saturday, April 26th** from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Parish Hall and Church.

The Confirmation Mass is scheduled for **Tuesday, May 6th** at 7 p.m. For further details on the five lessons that are to be completed at home please refer to the two email that Fr. Amato sent in February.

MARCH 2025 – FUNDS COLLECTED

St. Patrick's

Offertory \$9,122.40

Initial Offertory \$20.00

Renovations & Maintenance Fund \$1,680.00

Fuel \$285.00

Food Bank \$133.25

Easter \$70.00

Easter Flowers \$90.00

Catholic Missions in Canada \$75.00

Archdiocesan Lenten Collection \$1,060.00

St. Mary's

Offertory \$1,334.00

Renovations & Maintenance Fund \$185.00

Fuel \$50.00

Archdiocesan Lenten Collection \$380.00

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Our CWL ladies have initiated a Lenten Food Drive for the food bank in Sydenham. Please donate the following items over the next five Sundays. They are to be put in the basket at the Church entrance or you can use a grocery bag that has been decorated by a St. Patrick's Elementary School student. We will use the grocery bags to decorate the altar during Lent.

March 9th – Cereal **81 boxes collected**

March 16th – Baked Beans **162 cans collected**

March 23rd – Kraft Dinner **186 boxes @ 200g and 48 boxes @ 340g**

March 30th – Spaghetti Sauce **72 cans**

April 6th – Canned Meats **136 cans**

CWL UPDATE WEEK # 4 & 5:



Total weight week # 4 & 5 = 310 lbs.

Cereal 4 boxes

Cookies 2 boxes

Kraft Dinner 37 boxes

Ketchup 4 bottles, Raisins 1 bag, Meat 45 cans,

Tuna 83 cans, Salmon 8 cans, Beans 30 cans,

V8 Juice 5 cans, Soup 1 can, Hot Sauce 1 can,

Spaghetti Sauce 72 large cans, Tomato Paste 3 cans,

Tomatoes 3 cans, and Pasta 7 packages.

Thank you for participating in this endeavour.



Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord...since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward.

COLOSSIANS 3:23, 24



FIRST COMMUNION

SCHEDULE of sessions

- 1) Tues. Mar. 18th 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. **completed**
- 2) Tues. Apr. 29th 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
- 3) Tues. May 20th 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. **rehearsal for First Communion**
- 4) Sun. May 25th at 11:00 a.m. Mass **reception of First Communion**



PONTIFICAL COLLECTION – GOOD FRIDAY

The annual Good Friday Collection is the only yearly request asked by the Holy See of dioceses and parishioners throughout the world. The collection helps the Church of the Holy Land to maintain Christian sites, so important for Christians everywhere, and to provide pastoral, educational, and social works among the small Christian population. The Church and our Christian brothers and sisters count on your help to retain a faith filled Christian presence in this land of our Lord. Please give generously during your parish's Good Friday celebrations on April 18, 2025. If you are unable to attend the service, it is possible to contribute online by going to Commissariat.ca/supporting-us and donating via CanadaHelps or Interac e-transfer. Receipts will be issued. On behalf of the Franciscan Custody of the Holy Land, to whom the Holy See has entrusted this ministry for nearly 700 years, I sincerely thank you for your support.

Fr. Robert Mokry, o.f.m.,

Commissary of the Holy Land in Canada

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Please remember in your prayers the following:

Stephen Fink, Cathy Dunne, Janet Behm, Bev Huff, Carla Jackson, Marlayne Roy, Sally Fink, Jamie Myers, Trudie Thurlby, Connie and Mariano Arruda, Joan Griffiths, Mary Baker, Mary Lapratte, Ashley Thompson, Sharon Nolan-Conway, Francine Arsenaault, John Beneteau, Graham Dodd, Patricia Grainger, Lloyd Wright, Charlie and Veronica Barry.

OUR COMMUNITY



ORDINATION OF REV. MR. JUDE THUSIAR

The Archdiocese of Kingston will celebrate the ordination to the Sacred Order of the Priesthood for Rev. Mr. Jude Thusiar. Jude grew up in Toronto, Ontario, and his family currently attend a parish in Mississauga. He studied at

St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto and served with Father Richard Whalen at the parish of St. Michael the Archangel in Belleville for his pastoral year and was assigned to St. Paul the Apostle for his diaconate service. I invite you to join us at St. Mary's Cathedral on **Saturday, May 3rd**, for the Ordination Mass, which will begin at 10:30 a.m. A reception will follow on the grounds at St. Mary's Cathedral. Please mark your calendars for May 3rd and continue to pray for Deacon Jude Thusiar as he prepares for his ordination.



MARCH FOR LIFE - SAVE THE DATE

A bus will leave Kingston for the National March for Life on **Thursday, May 8th, 2025**, from St. Joseph's parking lot at 392 Palace Road at 7:00 am to arrive on time for Mass at St. Patrick's Basilica, 220 Kent St. at 10 am. The cost is \$40.00 per person. For more information about the March, see www.campaignlifecoalition.com and click on March for Life.

You can reserve your seat by registering in person with Susan at St. Joseph's Parish Office Monday-Friday 8:30 am-12noon and 1:00 pm-4:30 pm OR by e-transfer at kingstonmflbus@proton.me



PROJECT RACHEL

Project Rachel at St. Mary's Refuge is offering a weekend retreat, **May 2-4, 2025**, for women who have been hurt by abortion. You can speak with someone who understands and cares, and have a chance to begin the healing from loss and grief. Phone 289-691-6840, or e-mail ProjectRachel@stmarysrefuge.org.



MASS OF CHRISM

TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 2025

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.



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Holy Week Schedule



St. Patrick's Holy Week Schedule

April 17th - Holy Thursday Mass at 7:30 p.m.

April 18th - Good Friday Service at 3:00 p.m.

April 19th - Easter Vigil at 9:00 p.m.

April 20th - Easter Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

St. Mary's Holy Week Schedule

April 18th - Good Friday Service at 3:00 p.m.

Triduum: *Please attend St. Patrick's, Railton*

April 20th - Easter Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION



*For the use of the new
technologies - April 2025*

Let us pray that the use of the
new technologies will not replace human
relationships, will respect the dignity of the person,
and will help us face the crises of our times.

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

St. Mary's:

Liturgical Ministries

Altar Servers

Eucharistic Ministers

Eucharistic Outreach

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