



*Twenty-Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time  
September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023*

**SAINT PATRICK'S CHURCH**  
3977 Sydenham Road,  
Railton, Ontario K0H 2T0

**SAINT MARY'S CHURCH (MISSION)**  
131 Main Street  
Odessa, Ontario K0H 2H0

**PASTORAL TEAM**

**Pastor:**

Most Rev. Michael Mulhall,  
Archbishop of Kingston

**Sunday Masses & Sacraments:**

**St. Patrick's:** Fr. Sebastian Amato  
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**Parish Sacristan:**

Anna Wilson

**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.

**Mass Times:**

St. Patrick's Sunday at 11 a.m.  
St. Mary's Saturday at 4:30 p.m.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Please see Fr. Amato after Mass on Sunday or call the parish office to make an appointment.

**Parish Ministries:**

**St. Patrick's:**

Pastoral Council  
Finance Council

**Liturgical Ministries**

Liturgy Committee  
Altar Servers  
Eucharistic Ministers  
Eucharistic Outreach Fred O'Keefe  
Ushers/Greeters  
Lectors  
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 Jerome Clair  
Prayer Group

**St. Mary's:**

**Liturgical Ministries**

Altar Servers  
Eucharistic Ministers  
Eucharistic Outreach  
Ushers/Greeters  
Sacristan  
Choir  
Funeral Receptions  
St. Mary's Cemetery

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

## MASS INTENTIONS

September 30<sup>th</sup> St. Mary's at 4:30 p.m.

People of the Parish

October 1<sup>st</sup> St. Patrick's at 11 a.m.

+ Theresia Poelwyk

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

## LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTION

St. Patrick's Sunday Offertory \$1,485.00

St. Mary's Sunday Offertory \$155.00



## ST. PATRICK'S CEMETERY

### MASS

A cemetery Mass is being held in memory of our deceased family members on **Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m.** at St. Patrick's Cemetery on Keeley Road.

This is also a time for our parishioners to become more familiar with their cemetery. **Please bring a lawn chair to the cemetery.** Refreshments provided at the Bryne Parish Centre following the Mass. If you require further information please contact:

The parish office at 613-376-6695;

Bill Flynn at 613-532-1815;

Pauline Hogan at 613-376-3378 or

Don Murphy at 613-376-3924.

This is a parish event so anyone wishing to volunteer at the Mass, help set up the parish hall for the reception contact Pauline Hogan 613-376-3378 or email

[pahogan@hotmail.ca](mailto:pahogan@hotmail.ca). If anyone wishes to donate food, please contact Jean Myers 613-376-3116.



## CWL - Free Shipping to TUKTOYAKTUK

It is coming up to Canada Post's FREE SHIPPING deal in October. We try to take maximum advantage of this opportunity to mail needy items to our friends in TUK, NWT. Our focus once again - warm socks (large, ex-large), lined work mitts, leggings, men's briefs, underwear for children, and pillow cases. We can ship 11 lbs. (5kg) in a medium-sized carton on each Tuesday of October, a savings of approximately \$50.00 per box. Your donations are most welcome and much appreciated. A basket is located in the Parish Hall on the piano.

**Parish bulletin sponsored by:** Trousdale Funeral Home, 4374 Sydenham Mill, Sydenham, Ontario K0H 2T0  
Office: 613-376-3022 Website: [trousdalefuneralhome.com](http://trousdalefuneralhome.com)

## LIFE CHAIN – SAVE THE DATE

*Life chain – Sunday, October 1, 2023*

As you may know, **Life Chain** is a prayerful witness to the sanctity of all human life. This peaceful and silent demonstration brings awareness to the ongoing injustice of abortion and the harm it inflicts on mothers, fathers, and the community at large. It is a simple but powerful reminder to our fellow citizens of our duty to defend the weakest members of our society.

This year, St Joseph's Parish (on Palace Road, Kingston) is hosting a Life Chain right after their 11 AM Mass. St Patrick's, as well as other Kingston parishes, are invited to join with them. Participants are to assemble in the parking lot just west of St Joseph's Church at noon, and follow the CWL and Knights of Columbus Banners. After the Life Chain, all are invited attend the pot luck hosted by the parish right after the Life Chain. Hope to see you there!

## CLERGY APPOINTMENT

Archbishop Mulhall wishes to announce the following appointment, effective 30 August 2023. ASSOCIATE PASTOR Rev. Adaikalaraj Albert is appointed Associate Pastor of St. Francis Xavier Parish, Brockville.

## BIBLE STUDY

Save the date – Bible Study will begin on **Monday, September 25<sup>th</sup> from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.** in the parish hall.

## 14<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL WOMEN'S FALL RETREAT

*Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.*

*Holy Cross Church, 503 Clothier St., Kemptville, ON*  
Miriam Wright, a well-known speaker, will encourage us to respond wholeheartedly to the call of Jesus, the Bridegroom: "Arise, My Beloved, Come!" (Song of Songs 2:20), so that we may come to love as we are loved. Cost \$70 includes three keynote addresses and follow up discussions, plus lunch and snacks. Register at [www.womensfallretreat.com](http://www.womensfallretreat.com).

## ST. BARNABY'S CEMETERY MASS

*Brewers Mills - October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.*

Their regular Sunday Mass will take place in the cemetery followed by reception in the parish hall.

## PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Please remember in your prayers the following:  
Father Liam Tallon, Stephen Fink, Cathy Dunne, Janet Behm, Bev Huff, Carla Jackson, Joe Dillon, Doug Young, Charlie and Veronica Barry.