



SAINT PATRICK'S CHURCH
3977 Sydenham Road,
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SAINT MARY'S CHURCH (MISSION)
121 Main Street
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PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor:

Most Rev. Michael Mulhall,
Archbishop of Kingston

Sunday Masses & Sacraments:

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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.

2022 Offertory Envelopes – are available please visit or email the parish office.

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 18th, 2022

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
Ushers/Greeters
Lectors
Choir
Funeral Receptions
St. Patrick's Cemetery

Fred O'Keefe

Kimberly Dowling

Jean Myers

Bill Flynn

Don Murphy

Pauline Hogan

Screening Committee

Catechetical Ministries:

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

Service Ministries:

Catholic Women's League
Knights of Columbus
Prayer Group

Maryanne Takala

Jerome Clair

Pauline Lacey

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 24th St. Mary's at 4:30 p.m.

People of the Parish

September 25th St. Patrick's at 11 a.m.

People of the Parish

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

ST. PATRICK'S CEMETERY MASS

A cemetery Mass is being held in memory of our deceased family members next Saturday, September 24th at 10 a.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.**

Luncheon 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.

In case of rain the Mass will be held at the Church.

CWL OCTOBER FREE SHIPPING TO TUK

Canada Post allows us to ship a parcel (5kg/11lbs.) FREE each Tuesday in October. This is a tremendous saving for the CWL, as an average mailing cost could be \$55.00.

Here's how you can help us to help our friends in Tuktoyaktuk, NWT.

Donations of: Children's leotards/leggings, undershirts, warm socks, lined work gloves, toques, coloured markers, activity books, or pencils/ pens. New, or Clean 'Nearly New' items can be placed in the TUK hamper on the piano in the Parish Hall. Thank you.

AN INTRODUCTION TO PRISON MINISTRY

October 5th to November 9th, 2022

Wednesday evenings from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Francis J. Spence Pastoral Centre

390 Palace Road, Kingston

Have you ever wanted to do some type of Prison Ministry but weren't sure what's involved or how to go about it? This workshop series is designed for you. Over the course of six weekly, two hour sessions, participants will be introduced to key aspects, skills and themes surrounding this ministry. Some of the topics include:

- Call to Prison Ministry
- Communications Skills
- Boundaries
- Restorative Justice
- Prison Culture, Self-care and more!

QUEEN ELIZABETH

"I willingly join all who mourn her loss in praying for the late queen's eternal rest and in paying tribute to her life of unstinting service to the good of the nation and the Commonwealth, her example of devotion to duty, her steadfast witness of faith in Jesus Christ, and her firm hope in His promises."

Pope Francis

LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTION

St. Patrick's Sunday Offertory \$1,340.00

St. Mary's Sunday Collection \$223.35

Thank you for supporting the parish. God Bless you for your generosity.

PROJECT RACHEL GRIEF RETREAT

Project Rachel at St. Mary of Egypt Refuge (located near Madoc) is offering a retreat November 4-6. They minister to those grieving the loss of their child from abortion. For more information call 289-691-6840 or email at projectrachel@stmarysrefuge.org or visit www.stmarysrefuge.org/rachel

MOUNT CARMEL SPIRITUAL CENTRE RETREAT: LET GO OF WORRIES & FEAR AND FIND YOUR PEACE

Date: September 23-25th, 2022 **Cost:** \$325

Location: 7020 Stanley Avenue, Niagara Falls, ON

Do you struggle with being consumed with worry and fear? If you do, you're not alone. Worry and fear will rob us of our joy, our peace and contentment. It wastes precious moments of our lives and takes us away from what we value most. This retreat will provide you with tools to find the root cause of your worries and fears and give you practical guidance on how to control your anxieties instead of having them control you. Learn how to start worrying less and living more and find peace of mind.

Presenter bio at www.annaracine.org

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Deacon Peter Kelly, Tracey Trites, Stephen Fink, Mary & Patricia O'Keefe, Jamie, Frank and Ron Cadeau, Janet Behm, Lloyd and Jamie Kirkham, David Quesnel, Laura, Beverly Huff, Marian & Kevin Brunette, Vick de Christaforo, Andrew Grainger, Alan Douglas, Trish Lewis, Ray O'Neil, Adam, Fr. Don Cummings, Pauline Masotti, Leanne O'Connell, David Brumfield, Maurie Lyne Troyer, Dan Brady, Cathy Taul, Christina Kennedy, Bob Howard, Michael Burns, Fr. Bill, John, Mary Brady, Morag Dunn, Liz, Jackie Blakely, Ellen, Kim, Pat Allen, Dan Williams, Janet McIntyre, Sheila Davidson, Steven Fink.

Find the latest event update at:

www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/calendar



**Statement by Bishop Raymond Poisson,
Bishop of St-Jérôme-Mont-Laurier and
President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops
on the Passing of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II**

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB) receives the news of the passing of Her Majesty, Elizabeth II, Queen of Canada, with profound sadness. I join my brother Bishops and all of the Catholic faithful of this country in praying for the repose of her soul and in extending sincerest condolences to the members of the Royal Family.

Generations of Canadians have lived under Queen Elizabeth's long reign. She will be forever remembered for her remarkable service to the people of our country and the entire Commonwealth. We grieve her loss, with all her subjects, and recall in a special way the Church of England, of which she was Supreme Governor.

There is immense inspiration to be found in the life the Queen lived. From the onset of her reign, Queen Elizabeth II vowed to dedicate her life to the service of others. She fulfilled this promise without stint or reservation.

Born on 21 April 1926, Queen Elizabeth II entered this world amid one of the most turbulent periods in history. Having grown up amid the chaos and destruction of the Second World War, as Queen, she guided her subjects in its aftermath and beyond, providing stability and hope.

She visited Canada 22 times. On each occasion, Canadians found in her an example of service, patriotism, respect for humanity, and devotion to God. In 1971, when delivering a speech in Toronto, she remarked: "I want the Crown to be seen as a symbol of national sovereignty belonging to all. It is not only a link between Commonwealth nations, but between Canadian citizens of every national origin and ancestry." Queen Elizabeth resonated with Canadians from all walks of life.

On this day of great sadness, we do well to reflect on all that is to be learned from the life of Queen Elizabeth II and we pray: Grant her eternal rest, O Lord, and may everlasting light shine upon her.

8 September 2022