

**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
MASS SCHEDULE  
January 20, 2024 – January 28, 2024  
The kingdom of God has come near;  
repent and believe the good news!**



**Saturday, January 20, 2024**

4:00 – 4:30 PM Confessions  
5:00 PM For The People

**Sunday, January 21, 2024 - St Vincent**

9:00 AM For Santo Nino Devotees & Intention  
of the Viquiera Family  
11:00 AM For Dorothy Fernandes

**Monday, January 22, 2024**

10:00 AM For Genoveva Barbosa

**Tuesday, January 23, 2024**

8:30 AM For Nathan Freeburn  
9:00 – 9:20 AM Confessions  
5:15 PM For Aaron Bertrand

**Wednesday, January 24, 2024 – St Francis  
de Sales**

8:30 AM For Paddy Joe Moran

**Thursday, January 25, 2024 – The Conversion  
of St Paul**

8:30 AM For Jim and Marie Burns  
4:30 – 5:00 PM Confessions  
5:15 PM For Gerald, Genevieve & Paul Whalen

**Friday, January 26, 2024 – St Timothy  
and St Titus**

10:00 AM For Intentions of Terese Vintar

**Saturday, January 27, 2024**

4:00 – 4:30 PM Confessions  
5:00 PM For Kazimierz Pacyniak

**Sunday, January 28, 2024**

9:00 AM For Joanne Oostrom  
11:00 AM For the People



**GOSPEL REFLECTION**

Silence in the Mass: the introduction of the priest to the Penitential Act begins with an invitation to reflect on the mystery of sin and God's mercy and love. After the priest's introduction, the people are invited to recollect themselves in silence. This is not a time for an examination of conscience, that is, to think of what sins we have committed. Rather it is a time to recall our sinful nature and rejoice in the saving love of God, that is lavished on us despite our unworthiness. Thus, it is a time to focus on the primacy of God's action, who loved us while we were still sinners. It is an opportunity to remember that God first loved us and called us together as a people anointed by the Spirit of Jesus. As an introduction to the Mass, the silent reflection of the Penitential Act helps us spiritually to focus on the heart and central action of the Eucharist: to give praise and thanks to God. Thus it is an invitation and time to prepare our hearts to praise God's mercy.

**ST PAUL PRAYER LINE:** Our team of *Prayer Warriors* will join with you to intercede for your intentions. Simply call Lucienne (613-634-0375) or Miriam (905-979-1189), or email: [StPaulsPrayerLine@gmail.com](mailto:StPaulsPrayerLine@gmail.com). "I call upon you, for you will answer me, O God" (Ps 17:6)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL:**

Orlando Miguel, Nicole McKechnie, Linda McKechnie, Raymond Koenders, Meghan Bennett, Nellie Rutten, Stephen Noonan, Ursula Connell, Alex Dermott, Lynn Bales, Silvia Peter Mawalla, Rosie Soni, Joan MacLeod. Aiden Bedard, Rose Miguel, Kay Bonvie, and Laura DeNoble

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE  
RECENTLY DIED Fr. Allan Hood**

**Parish Prayer Teams** will be available between the 9:00 am and 11:00 am masses on Sunday morning once a month starting on January 21. If you wish to have a prayer team pray for you, please come to see one of our teams who will be available in the church, starting after the 9:00 am Mass up to 15 min. before the 11:00 am Mass. Prayer teams are being formed now, there is still room for a few more people to join a prayer team. Our next meeting is this Saturday, January 13 at 2:00 pm at Michael and Cynthia's home (613 Pimlico Place); 613-650-7530

Thank you for all the prayers, cards, calls, Masses, Mass Enrolments, and flowers at the passing of my son Nathan. It has been a great comfort to me.

*Bernadette*

# Celebrating 40 Years

**St Paul the Apostle Parish 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Potluck Dinner Sunday, January 28 at 5:00 pm**  
Please plan to participate in and contribute to this family-friendly, sit-down dinner to celebrate the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our parish. Please sign up in the gathering space, indicating what you intend to bring (main course, side, salad, or dessert) and how many persons will attend. Cash donations (to defray event expenses) accepted in lieu of food donations.

Help to build a photo display by sending images to Ryan Polywkan at [ryan.polywkan@gmail.com](mailto:ryan.polywkan@gmail.com) or leaving them at the parish office with Bernadette. Photos will be returned providing they are labelled with contact information.

The next **CWL** will take place on **February 3** at 9:30 am in the parish hall.

**Sanctuary Looking for Help to Prepare for Our next Family.** This past September St. Paul's Sanctuary Refugee Ministry successfully completed it's most recent sponsorship of the Mari family who arrived in September, 2022. And now, in anticipation of our next application to support a newcomer family, we are beginning to raise funds we'll need to house, feed and clothe them, and meet their other needs.

This past fall we applied for, and received, a charity licence from the City of Kingston, allowing us to participate in the charity bingos run locally. We are paid for each bingo shift we volunteer at, helping us raise the money we'll need. Each session requires two volunteers at the bingo facility for two hours. We could use a little more help.

Would you and/or a family member or friend (18 and over) be able to join us for two - two hour shifts each month? Training is provided and standard parish screening is required. If you would like information on this opportunity to support our next family sponsorship please contact Mike Gallagher, [nord853@pm.me](mailto:nord853@pm.me) or 613-888-4986.

**Knights of Columbus council 9652 is changing the timing of our General Meeting** this February we will begin a trial of moving our monthly meetings to the 3rd Saturday morning of the month at 10am to better accommodate members of our council. Please join us on Saturday February 17th for our first meeting in this new time slot in the Mary Campeau Memorial Hall. This replaces our first Tuesday of the month meeting. (No meeting Tues Feb 6)



**\*Monthly Meeting for Secular Franciscan Order**  
First Thursday of the month 7:00 pm;  
St. John the Apostle Parish Hall (88 Patrick Street)  
**\*ALPHA is Coming! (Presented by Holy Family Parish)** Mondays, starting February 5 - April 8, 2024; 6:15 pm - 8:30 pm Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall (588 Division Street, Kingston) This is a FREE course and dinner will be served. ALPHA is a series of 10 videos, about 30 minutes long, that explore the big issues around the Christian Faith, Registration is required. Please contact Holy Family at 613-548-8587 or [holyfamily@archkingston.ca](mailto:holyfamily@archkingston.ca)  
**\*\_Chantuary: Open Chant Sessions West and East Saturdays, January 20, 27; 7:30-9:00 pm St. John the Apostle Church (88 Patrick Street)** Join Melos Choir for Chantuary series on Saturday nights in January, open chant sessions, West & East. Suggested free-will cost per session: \$10 Explore traditional chants: Gregorian; Mozarabic; Byzantine and more. Sing, as able; or simply enjoy listening. January 6: Gregorian chant for Christmas: Puer nobis nascitur January 13: Mozarabic chant: Lamentation/s of Jeremiah (excerpt) January 20: Byzantine chant, TBD January 27: Persian or Sufi song; or Syriac chant, TBD.

**Healing Service (Our Lady of Divine Fire Mission)** Saturday, January 27, 2024, 7:00PM – 9:30PM St. Paul the Apostle Church  
Come and experience God's supernatural love! The evening will include Worship, Gospel presentation on healing, corporate prayers for healing and opportunity for individual healing prayer by Encounter School of Ministry team and students. Free and open to the public. For more information email [kingston@encounterschool.org](mailto:kingston@encounterschool.org)

**Trinitas Youth Singers coming to St. Paul's**  
This 14-voice choir, featuring children from Kingston and the surrounding areas, will lead music for the 11:00am Mass on Sunday, February 4. Hear a sample of their beautiful voices on our Facebook page! Contact the director, Jeffrey Moellman, at [Trinitas.Singers@gmail.com](mailto:Trinitas.Singers@gmail.com) for more information.