Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord MASS SCHEDULE March 23 – March 31. 2024 Hosanna in the highest! Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!



Saturday, March 23, 2024

4:00 – 4:30 PM Confessions 5:00 PM For George & Manuel Teves

Sunday, March 24, 2024

9:00 AM For the People 11:00 AM For the Souls in Purgatory

Monday, March 25, 2024

10:00 AM For Noreen Brisboise

Tuesday, March 26, 2024 – NO MASS AT ST. PAUL'S 10:30 AM Chrism Mass, St Mary's Cathedral

Wednesday, March 27, 2024

8:30 AM For Nathan Freeburn

Holy Thursday, March 28, 2024

6:30 PM Pietro Foto, Vita & Giuseppe Palmiteri 7:30 - 10:00 PM Adoration

Good Friday, March 29, 2024

12 noon_	Passion of Our Lord
3:00 PM	Passion of Our Lord

Easter Vigil, March 30, 2024

9:30 AM	Morning Prayer
8:30 PM	For the People

Easter Sunday, March 31, 2024

For Tony Vella 9:00 AM 11:00 AM For the People



GOSPEL REFLECTION

The essence of Christianity, "Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again." Today the Gospel presents us with the death of Christ, knowing that God raised him from death, thus giving us hope of rising with him. The Cross of Christ has been a potent symbol throughout the ages. Its vertical axis joins heaven and earth, and its horizontal axis joins all ages and races of humanity; everything meets in the broken body of Christ. The Christian faith without the Cross is nothing. The Cross tells us that our goodness is not good enough. We cannot 'achieve' God by our own efforts; nevertheless, we try to possess and shape God to our own desires, needs and image as a sign of our own achievements without the Cross in life. Our ego loves to make God our servant and is always ready to imagine that it has done so in fact. A popular view of Christianity in the lives of most people today is one without the Cross of Christ. It is well to remember that Saint Paul wrote, "we preach Christ crucified." (1 Cor 1:23). The Cross marks a narrow and hard road, but it is the narrow road that leads to life. First of all, the Scriptures, and then the saints and mystics, vouch for this. First the narrow way, then the opening out into the fullness of life. A Christianity without the Cross has never worked and will never do so. It doesn't do justice to the awesome depths of human life and death revealed in Christ Jesus. It takes a crucified Church to bring a crucified Christ before the eyes of the world.

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. "I call upon you, for you will answer me, O God" (Ps 17:6)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL: .

Stephen Noonan, Ursula Connell, Alex Dermott, Lynn Bales, Silvia Peter Mawalla, Rosie Soni, Joan MacLeod. Aiden Bedard, Rose Miguel, Kay Bonvie, Laura DeNoble, Greg and Conrad Van Eyken, Linda Viola, Michelle Matney and Ron Fitzgerald.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE **RECENTLY DIED:** Georgina Elias

You may return last year's blessed palms to the Church on Good Friday.



Chrism Mass – St. Mary's Cathedral Tuesday, March 26 @ 10:30 AM

The Mass of the Lord's Supper Thursday, March 28 @ 6:30 PM

Adoration 7:30 – 10:00 PM *The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ* Friday, March 29 @ 12 Noon and 3:00 PM

Morning Prayer Saturday, March 30 @ 9:30 AM

Easter Vigil Saturday, March 30 @ 8:30 PM

Easter Sunday March 31 @ 9:00 & 11:00 AM

Youth Impact is working on a Lenten Project to collect and donate socks for those in need.

We need your help. Any new socks (men's, women's, kids) are greatly appreciated. There will be a box in the church throughout Lent. Thank you in advance for your support and donations.

The Divine Mercy Novena begins on Good Friday (the day the Lord gave his life for us) and ends on the Second Sunday of Easter, which is known as "Divine Mercy Sunday". You can find the Novena here:

https://www.ewtn.com/catholicism/devotions/novena -13366

Pre Authorized Debit for Parish Collections:

If you would like to participate in the pre-authorized debit for the 1st or the 15th of the month, please pick up the Bank Authorization Form found in the Gathering Area (Atrium); complete and return it to the Parish Office (with a void cheque). For more information, contact the Parish Office. Thank you.

Lasting Tribute:

Please remember Saint Paul the Apostle Parish in your will. At the death of a loved one you might name "Saint Paul the Apostle Parish" Kingston for memorial donations.

Around ^{the}Diocese

*Monthly Meeting for Secular Franciscan Order First Thursday of the month 7:00 pm; St. John the Apostle Parish Hall (88 Patrick Street) *Lenten Faith Sharing Series_Wednesdays, February 14 - April 3, 2024; 7:00 pm Our Lady of Lourdes Parish (490 Days Road, Kingston ON) For one hour each evening, we will pray, read a Gospel passage, watch a short video then discuss in small groups. For more information, please contact Karl Kadwell (613-888-7824) or Matej Goc (matejgoc@gmail.com).

*Archbishop Michael Mulhall Lenten Talk Series Wednesdays during Lent and Easter season; 7:00 pm St. Mary's Cathedral

Archbishop Mulhall will lead us in a spiritual reflection on the Wednesdays of Lent and Easter in the context of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

*Journey into the heart of St. Thérèse of Lisieux's Little Way with the 33 Days to Merciful Love (Group Retreat) Saturdays, March 2-April 8; 11:00 am Holy Name of Mary Parish Basement (7288 Old Hwy 2, Marysville ON) This 6-week parish retreat includes a workbook, group discussion, and talks on DVD by renowned speaker and author Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC. Concludes with a consecration to Divine Mercy on Divine Mercy Sunday. Interested attendees can still register for the retreat). To register, please contact the parish office: 613-396-2846;

holynameofmary@archkingston.ca

*Good Friday Stations of the Cross for Families Friday, March 29; 10:30 am Holy Family Chapel, CFB Kingston (35 Lundy's Lane)

Organized by the Kingston Catholic Girls Club with reflections appropriate for all ages. Outdoors (weather permitting). All are welcome.

Tenebrae, a meditative, candlelit service of chanted Scripture and motets, will be sung by the Trinitas Singers and Trinitas Youth under the direction of Jeffrey Moellman. Wednesday, March 27, at 7:00pm in Holy Name of Jesus Church, Kingston Mills. Freewill offering will be taken up.