

**Fifth Sunday of Lent
MASS SCHEDULE
March 16 – March 24, 2024
Praise and honour to you Lord,
Jesus Christ!**



Saturday, March 16, 2024

4:00 – 4:30 PM Confessions
5:00 PM For Jim Joyce

Sunday, March 17, 2024

9:00 AM For Antonio Peruginio
11:00 AM For the People

Monday, March 18, 2024

10:00 AM For Daniel Whalen
10:45 AM CELEBRATING THE SACRED
TRIDUUM Fr. John Hibbard
6:30 PM CONFESSIONS

Tuesday, March 19, 2024 – St. Joseph

8:30 AM For Elijah Hennessey
9:00 – 9:20 AM Confessions
5:15 PM For Cliff Lessard

Wednesday, March 20 2024

8:30 AM Mass

Thursday, March 21, 2024

8:30 AM For Nathan Freeburn
4:30-5:00 PM Confessions
5:15 PM For Richard Todhunter

Friday, March 22, 2024

10:00 AM Intention for Leo & Margie DelGiudice
10:30 AM Prayers for Vocation
6:30 PM CONFESSIONS

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

Confession Week: This week there are many opportunities for Confession in preparation for Easter. See the schedule above. Visiting priests will be with us.

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.

GOSPEL REFLECTION

Of all the miracles Jesus did, the raising of Lazarus ranks as the most astonishing to the people of his time. Jewish belief was that the soul of the dead remains with the body for three days. After that the soul finally departs never to return, and that is when corruption sets in. When Martha objects to the opening of the tomb and says, “Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days”, she is saying that this is now a hopeless situation. Is that why Jesus delayed coming to the funeral, to let the situation become “impossible” before acting on it? G.K. Chesterton once said, “Hope means hoping when things are hopeless, or it is no virtue at all.” Bringing back to life a person who died four days and decaying is unthinkable as Ezekiel vision of dry bones in the First Reading. For the early Christians the story of Lazarus was more than a pointer to the resurrection of Jesus. Rising on the third day; his body never saw corruption. For them this miracle is a challenge to never give up hope even in the hopeless situations in which they found themselves as individuals or as a church. It is never too late for God to revive and revitalize a person or a church. But first we must learn to cooperate with God.

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 and Michelle Matney.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: Patricia Brennan, Pina Cappelli, Grace Eves, Marian Meagher

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.



Palm Sunday Sunday, March 24 Sat @ 5:00 PM
@ 9:00 & 11:00 AM

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

**Lenten Lecture Series Monday Mornings
(after the 10 am Mass)**

10:45 am to 11:45 am in the Parish Hall

March 18-CELEBRATING THE SACRED

TRIDUUM: A look at the ceremonies of the Easter Triduum and how to participate in them

Fr. John Hibbard

Please use Hall entrance.

**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. We will be collecting at the 9 am and 11 am Masses on March 10. There will also be a box in the church throughout Lent. Thank you in advance for your support and donations.

**Take a course on Personal Prayer
with Fr. Boniface Hicks, O.S.B.**

A 6-session course on Personal prayer on Tuesdays, starting Feb 20 at 7:00 pm in the Church Hall. Please email Michael Mombourquette at michael@mombourquette.com to receive your information.. Each session will involve a 25 min video followed by some discussion time.

Prayer teams available

Our parish prayer teams will be available for individual prayer again on Sunday, between the 9:00 am and 11:00 am Masses. We will be stationed in the Church as usual, starting after the end of the 9:00 am Mass.



***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;**

holynamenameofmary@archkingston.ca

***Catholic Christian Outreach (CCO) Summit**

Friday, March 22; 7:00 pm St. Mary’s Cathedral

Led by the missionaries of CCO and the students of Newman House chaplaincy at Queens, in St. Mary’s Cathedral in the context of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, prayerful praise and worship music accompanied by inspiring testimonies. Confessions will be available.

***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. Free-will offering will be taken up.