



EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

January 3 - January 11, 2026

We observed his star at its rising and have come to pay homage to the Lord.

Saturday, January 3

4:00-4:30 p.m. Confessions

5:00 p.m. For The People

Sunday, January 4

9:00 a.m. For Alfredo & Julie Toledo

11:00 a.m. For Agustina Quintana

Monday, January 5

10:00 a.m. For Antonio & Caterina Buragina

Tuesday, January 6

9:30 – 9:50 am Confessions

10:00 a.m. For Stephane Gagnon

5:15 p.m. For the People

Wednesday, January 7

10:00 a.m. For Jim Burns

Thursday, January 8

10:00 a.m. MASS

4:30 – 4:50 pm Confessions

5:15 a.m. In Thanksgiving

Friday, January 9

10:00 a.m. For Gerald McCambridge

Saturday, January 10

4:00-4:30 p.m. Confessions

5:00 p.m. For Jim Murphy

Sunday, January 11

9:00 a.m. For the People

11:00 a.m. For Isidore Boudreau

MASS INTENTIONS: *As you can see from the list of Masses above, we have vacancies for your Mass intentions*

Join livestreamed Mass Sundays at 9:00 a.m. on our website stpaulkingston.com

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

You are asked to remember in prayer those recently deceased
Elizabeth Sischek

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Please remember in your prayers the following:
Aiden Bedard, GF Miller, Marg Walton, John Kelly,
Harry Gurney, Vener Manuel, Ken Burns, Sean Sayle, Carmel Rumleski, Laura McKenney, Joclynn Amaral, Kimberly,
Fr. Bill Steacy, Carol Robinson, and Denis and
Sherry Guenette, Phillip Luckovich, Fr. Stan Alanen,
Yvette DiBenedetti, Jerry Denoble
If there are members of your family or friends who are ill or recently died, and for whom you wish prayers, please contact the office at 613-389-8222

GOSPEL REFLECTION

Epiphany means to reveal. Thus today's feast unfolds the meaning of Jesus' birth as the long awaited Messiah and Saviour. During this season three events are celebrated: the star leads the Magi to the stable; water is changed into wine at the wedding feast at Cana; and Jesus is baptized by John in the Jordan for our salvation. In these events Jesus progressively reveals himself to all peoples with signs comprehensible to them. To shepherds he sends an angel; to the wise who scrutinize the courses of the heavenly bodies he sends a star; to the Jews attached to signs, he gives the sign of baptism and anointing by the Spirit and changing water into wine. Jesus said the signs of the presence of the Kingdom of God are that: "The blind see, the lame walk, the lepers are healed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, the poor have the good news preached to them" (Matt. 11:5). These signs are present for our generation as well. Through us, the Body of Christ, the spiritually blind can receive the light of faith through the word of God; the spiritually lame can find new strength to join the pilgrimage to God's Kingdom; those who are prisoners of any kind of evil can be freed from their chains; the spiritually poor can share in the divinity of Christ. In other words, all people can be converted and live through the power of Christ and his Spirit. However, as in the days of the magi, there are those who are overjoyed by the Epiphany of Christ, and there are those who are threatened by it. Today as in his own time, the revelation of Christ enters a hostile world. As Herod was threatened by a possible rival, we must realize that this spiritual revelation of Christ threatens the worldly and physical life style and world view of many people today. Let us pray that we are the wise people who recognize the signs.

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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF ST PAUL PARISH

Our next general meeting will be on Saturday, January 10 at 9:30 am. All women of the Parish, 16 years and older are welcome to attend. Hope to see you there.



VERSO L'ALTO

GRADES 1-4 Every 2nd Saturday

10:00 am – 12:00 p.m. Room E

January 3

January 17

January 31

February 14

Get to know our friends in Heaven the saints, play games, and make crafts, as we deepen in our Faith together, and ascent to the heights! **PREREGISTER ON OUR WEBSITE:**

<https://stpaulkingston.churchcenter.com/people/forms/1054108>

PLEASE SIGN UP FOR THE PARISH POTLUCK LUNCH, JANUARY 25

Come celebrate the Feast of the Conversion of St Paul! Sign up for the parish potluck lunch that will take place in the Mary Campeau Memorial Hall on Sunday, January 25, immediately after the 11 am Mass. There is a single signup sheet to attend, bring food, and volunteer to assist with the event. You can sign up now online using the following link: <https://shorturl.at/4jgoL> or by scanning the QR code below. Beginning 10 January, you can sign up by filling out a paper form in the gathering space before or after Sunday Masses (including the 5 pm Vigil Mass) where volunteers will be available to answer your questions.

On January 25, if you are attending 11 am Mass, please drop off your food in the hall beginning at 10:30 am. If you are not attending 11 am Mass, plan to arrive with your food any time after 11:30 am. Please note the guidelines for bringing food on the signup form. Grace will be said at 12:15.

To reduce dishwashing, please bring your own dinner plate and cutlery, and take them home to wash after the supper. Beverage cups and dessert plates will be provided. Please bring a container for leftovers. For additional information, call Nancy, 613.328.1003.



ENVELOPE PACKAGES

for 2026 will be available for pickup in the gathering space this weekend. If you notice that your address is wrong or missing, or you do not have a package, please fill out your information on the sheet on the clipboard. Please put your name and address on envelopes for the first month in 2026. Do not use old envelopes if you have been assigned a new number. We have deleted numbers due to many are using the PAD Method of Donating.



Prison Ministry Opportunity – St Joseph Parish is exploring the potential for Dismas Information Evenings, offering fellowship, monthly gatherings that provide hope and community for those returning from prison. For more info: contact Mary Jo: religioused@archkingston.ca | 613-548-4461 ext. 115 www.dismasfellowshipnetwork.com

Gentlemen, We Need Your Help!

Veronica's Veil Overnight Winter Shelter for Homeless Men is preparing to open — but we cannot do it without more volunteers. Coverage needed: **January 1st – April 30.** Just four hours once a week Shifts: **8 pm–12 am** **12 am–4 am, 4 am–8 am**, please contact Ann Lyng at veronicasveil@stmaryscathedral.ca Training and orientation will be provided.

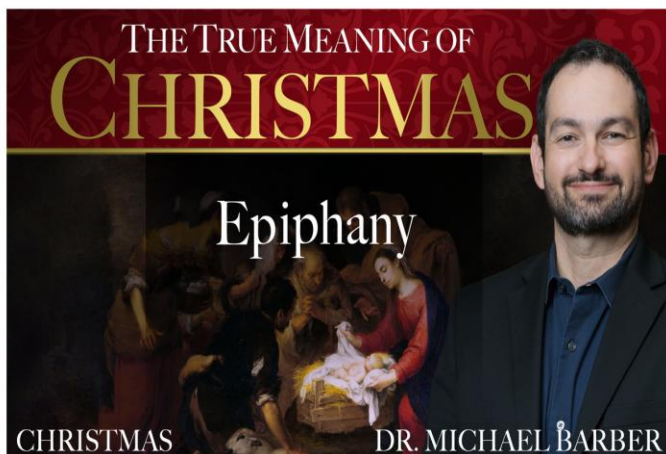


SERVICE OF ANOINTING THE SICK **January 27, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. at St Paul the Apostle Parish**

You are cordially invited to a service of Prayer and Anointing of the Sick to mark the beginning of the Celebration of the 200th

Anniversary of the Creation of the diocese of Kingston. The Sacrament of the Sick is intended for those facing serious distress due to illness or old age. There will also be prayer teams for those seeking intercession for lesser concerns or family members or problems after the service. Family members and friends are also invited to accompany and support their ill friends and family members.

January 27, 2026 marks the date that the Pope established the diocese of Kingston, Ontario. We will celebrate this at our two daily Masses on this date. Please look at the back cover page of the CBW III Hymnal see the prayer we will recite throughout 2026. Also note the hymn for the 200th



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