

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
MASS SCHEDULE
July 8, 2023 - July 16, 2023
I will bless your name for ever,
my King and my God.



Saturday, July 8, 2023

4:00 – 4:30 PM Confession
5:00 PM For the People

Sunday, July 9, 2023

9:00 AM For Vince Perugino
11:00 AM For Anastacio & Roberta Viquiera

Monday, July 10, 2023

10:00 AM For Filomena Pereira

Tuesday, July 11, 2023

5:15 PM For Gerald, Genevieve & Paul Whalen

Wednesday, July 12, 2023

8:30 AM For Kay O'Neill

Thursday, July 13, 2023

4:30 – 5:00 PM Confessions
5:15 PM For Betty Schieck

Friday, July 14, 2023

8:30 AM For Filomena Pereira

Saturday, July 15, 2023

4:00 – 4:30 PM Confession
5:00 PM For Vincent del Rosario Jr.

Sunday, July 16, 2023

9:00 AM In Thanksgiving for the 40th Wedding
Anniversary of Chris & Marie Forster
11:00 AM For Jesusa Bahillo



The month of July is dedicated to the Precious Blood. The feast of the Precious Blood of our Lord was instituted in 1849 by Pius IX, but the devotion is as old as Christianity. The early Fathers say that the Church was born from the pierced side of Christ, and that the sacraments were brought forth through His Blood.

GOSPEL REFLECTION:

In the Gospel today, Jesus says: "Father, you have hidden these things from the wise and the learned you have revealed them to little ones." As we grow in our faith and our commitment to the Lord Jesus, we know that we must grow in humility, for humility brings with it a simplicity and an ability to love like a child. A child is able to embrace life as it is. There is nothing wrong with intelligence, but it carries with it the temptation to look inward and isolates from life with a false assurance that the person knows all. This means a lot of people will not understand us and our values. Humility, simplicity and self-giving love are not prized virtues today. But we know that following Jesus is counter cultural and the values of Jesus are seen as anti-human. Yet Jesus condemns no one. On the other hand, Jesus invites us to embrace his teaching, for it is the only way that brings true life. When Jesus promises that we can rest in Him, he does not promise us lots of riches or all kinds of pleasures. Instead, Jesus is clear that the way to a full and complete life is through the cross. His yoke is easy and His burden is light only if we are willing to walk with him through suffering and death to life. The Gospel is not always an accepted way to live. Yet, once we embrace Jesus and begin to walk with Him, we do find that the cross is easy to bear because He is with us. Being yoked to Him makes all things possible.

ST. PAUL'S 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:
Sandra Malec, Isabella Bush, Joan MacLeod, Aiden Bedard, Kiera Udall, Noreen Brisebois, Alice Hineman, David Fudge, Chris Norman, Cathy Visser and Wanda Dailey, Fr. Mac Burke, Orlando Miguel, John Walton, Margaret Walton, Nicole McKechnie, Linda McKechnie, Raymond Koenders

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for July
For a Eucharistic life

We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

Farewell BBQ for Fr. Paul Mawalla

St Paul the Apostle Parish invites you to a Farewell BBQ for Fr. Paul Mawalla on Sunday, July 30th immediately after 11:00 an Mass. We wish to give Fr. Paul a wonderful send – off and let him know how much we appreciate him.

HAVE YOU CONSIDERED A VOCATION TO THE PERMANENT DIACONATE?

Further information ...

A permanent deacon acts in the name of the believing community as a special servant of the people. Although the deacon's strength comes from the altar, his service is not limited to the sanctuary; his greatest works are those of charity. The permanent deacon is a cleric but retains his identity with the laity. In this way, he can serve as a bridge between the people in the pews and the hierarchy of the church.

Although he is ordained for service to the church, he prioritizes his family and his career over his ministry. Permanent deacons receive an episcopal appointment with ordination and are assigned to serve in various capacities. They usually serve part-time and are not compensated. For more information and admission requirements please contact: Deacon Robert Wojcik, Formation Coordinator, 390 Palace Rd, Kinston, K7L 4T3, 613-548-4461 Ext 16 or diacoforn@archkingston.ca

St. Paul the Apostle Knights of Columbus are happy to have partnered with St. Mary's Cathedral for the **2023 Mary Campeau Memorial Charity Golf Tournament**, in support of St. Rita's Drop-in Centre and Veronica's Veil Overnight Shelter mission. Thanks to all our sponsors, all our golfers, and to our golf committee. This year's tournament was a resounding success! Of net proceeds of \$27,136, we will donate \$21,709 (80%) to this vital Catholic charity. Remaining proceeds will be distributed to other charitable endeavours supported by our Knights Council. Charity, in our community and beyond, is the foremost principle of the Knights of Columbus. If there are men in St. Paul the Apostle parish who are not yet members, interested in finding out how they too can be part of our various projects, please leave a message with the church office and we will be in touch.

One day Pilgrimage to St. Joseph Oratory in Montreal Holy Family Parish is planning a one-day pilgrimage on Wednesday July 19. Seats still available on McCoy bus. The cost is \$90 per person. For more information, please call Marie at 613-539-2348.

5th Annual Rideau Canal Men's Retreat Tues.-Thur., August 15-17, 2023; 8:30 am Seeley's Bay

An invitation to Catholic men 18 years and older (including fathers and sons) to share and deepen their Faith while enjoying male camaraderie - in the context of an outdoor adventure by canoe. Leaving Seeley's Bay Tues., Aug. 15, 8:30 am, paddling 16 kms. along historic Rideau Canal through locks at Jones Falls, with overnight tenting at Davis Locks. On Wednesday, 16 km. route passes through locks at Chaffey's and Newboro into Upper Rideau Lake, with overnight tenting along McNally's Bay. The retreat ends Thursday at 2 pm. Canoes and paddles are supplied, along with main meals. Cost: \$95. Daily Mass, prayer, talks by priests and laymen, socializing, and invigorating exercise makes this annual Catholic men's retreat a popular one. Information and registration: hart.daniel64@gmail.com (613-899-9514); or rrmiron2019@gmail.com (613-218-6497).

2nd Annual Priests vs Parishioners Baseball Game (Fundraiser) Hosted by St. Patrick's Lansdowne & St. Brendan's, Rockport

Sunday, August 6th @ 3:00 pm at Lansdowne Community Bldg. 1 Jessie St. Lansdowne, Ontario
*Rain Date: August 7. Good will offering appreciated **Splash pad and park adjacent to ball park for little ones to play and cool off! Canteen provided by the CWL Hot food and Drinks. All Welcome hope to see you there!

Junior Liturgy: There will be no Junior Liturgy during the month of July.

St Paul's is looking for IT volunteers. If you have experience with maintenance and update of computers, website maintenance, facebook and mail chip, we would like to utilize your skills. Please call the office to indicate your interest.