

**Twenty Ninth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
MASS SCHEDULE
World Mission Sunday
Oct. 21, 2023 – Oct. 29, 2023**



**We remember your work of faith and labour of
love and steadfastness of hope**

Saturday, October 21, 2023

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

Sunday, October 22, 2023

9:00 AM For Sam Cadamuro
11:00 AM For Jose & Almerinda Pereira

Monday, October 23, 2023

10:00 AM Mass

Tuesday, October 24, 2023

8:30 AM For Patsy Villanueva
9:00-9:20 AM Confessions
5:15 PM For Gerald, Genevieve & Paul Whalen

Wednesday, October 25, 2023

8:30 AM Mass

Thursday, October 26, 2023

8:30 AM For Vincent del Rosario Jr.
4:30 – 5:00 PM Confessions
5:15 PM For the Intention of Shirley Wright

Friday, October 27, 2023

10:30 AM Funeral for Harold Renaud

Saturday, October 28, 2023

4:00 – 4:30 PM Confessions
5:00 PM For Juan Francisco Del Castillo J. Sr.

Sunday, October 29, 2023

9:00 AM For the People
11:00 AM For the Deceased Member of the
Wright/Vande Vrande Families

**Hollowe'en is Tuesday, October 31. There will be
no 5:15 pm Mass that evening. Let's use that day
to remember and celebrate God's grace in all the
Saints who have hollowed our lives and revealed
God's mercy and grace for all humanity.**

GOSPEL REFLECTION:

Today's First Reading reveals a new discovery for Israel and for the prophet. The God of Israel is also the God of all the nations. Previously it was thought that each nation had its own god. Now the prophet sees that God is working through a pagan king to fulfill God's plan of returning the exiled Jewish people to their own homeland. There is only one God, and He is God of all nations and peoples. He can use anyone for his purpose. When God's will is followed there is harmony between religion and state. The clash between religion and the secular state is not new, and it is a sign that God's will and plan of salvation are not uppermost in people's mind and action. The history of the world is largely a history of this conflict. But these opposing claims of God and state are, in reality artificial, for there is only one God and he is the Lord and Master of the whole universe and of all people and history. It is human beings who separate them, in order to claim power, honour and wealth for themselves, at the expense of others and God. But there remains the warning of Jesus, in the Sermon on the Mount, that "no one can serve two masters; one cannot be the slave of both God and wealth" (Mt 6:24).

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, Meghan Bennett, Nellie Rutten, Stephen Noonan, Ursula Connell, Alex Dermott, Fr. Liam Tallen, Lynn Bales.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE
RECENTLY DIED: Harold Renaud**

**IN 2024, THINKING OF CHANGING FROM
ENVELOPES TO: Pre Authorized Debit for Parish
Collections?** If you would like to participate in the pre authorized debit for the 1st or 15th of the month, please pick up the Bank Authorization Form found in the gathering space; complete and return it to the Parish Office (with void cheque). We will switch you over and you will receive a small box of envelopes for special collections.

Youth Impact – Trunk or Treat!

We are off to a great start! There is still time to register youth Grades 5-8 for weekly fun, games, and great discussion. Visit the parish website or use the QR code on the Youth Bulletin board to register. The Youth Impact Core Team is hosting Trunk or Treat for all families. This night is filled with fun Halloween activities and trick or treating for all. To make this night possible, we need parents and parishioners to decorate their car and hand out candy. Oct 25th 7-8:30 pm Visit the Family and Youth Ministry page or email youthimpact@stpaulkingston.com for the car sign up link.

Sale of Olive Wood items from the Holy Land

This weekend after all Masses, a group representing the Christian community of Bethlehem will be selling their beautiful art here at St Paul's to help strengthen the Christian presence in the Holy Land. The main income for the Christian community is selling their handcrafted olive wood religious items to the pilgrims who visit the area. The past few years have been extremely hard for the community as a result of declining tourism and some have decided to flee. Please support their sale to help Christians in the Holy Land.

Parish Prayer Teams Forming

We are forming prayer teams (2 people each) who will pray for individuals who come up after select Sunday masses. We are looking for parishioners who are interested in becoming a member of a prayer team. If you feel the call to pray for others and participate in this new ministry, please let us know at michael@mombourquette.com. We will be holding our first orientation meeting Saturday October 28 at 9:00 am in the parish hall. Come see what we are all about.

World Mission Sunday October 22

The second last Sunday during October is known as World Mission Sunday. Catholics throughout the world are invited to pray for and give to the missions. The funds collected assist some 1,250 mission dioceses under the responsibility of the Congregation for the Evangelization of Peoples.

Knights of Columbus and Catholic Women's League Memorial Mass Thursday, November 9 @ 5:15 Mass



***Monthly Meeting for Secular Franciscan Order
First Thursday of the month 7:00 pm; St. John the Apostle Parish Hall (88 Patrick Street, Kingston)**

***Harvest Supper (Take-Out)**

**Sunday, November 12; 4:00-6:00 pm
St. John Bosco Parish (175 Windsor Drive, Brockville)**

Make a Difference. Birthright Kingston needs someone like you! Volunteer for 2.5 hours a week, morning or afternoon, with a commitment for a year. Must be able to use a computer and lift 20lbs. Free parking. Any questions call Suzanne 613-767-7084 or the Birthright Office 613-546-5433

Grief Retreat (Project Rachel) Friday, October 27-29, 2023. Project Rachel at St. Mary of Egypt Refuge (located near Madoc) is offering a retreat We minister to those grieving the loss of their child from abortion. For more information, phone us at (289)691-6840, email projectrachel@stmarysrefuge.org, or visit www.stmarysrefuge.org/rachel.

Spirituality of Advent Two Part Series Tuesday November 14 & 21, 2023

6:30 pm to 8:30 pm Diocesan Centre, Kingston
No charge but registration is required. Register by Friday November 10 Please contact Gorett at :613-548-4461: ext 112, or email: pastoralservices@archkingston.ca
Deacon Bill Gervais presenter

This two part series on Advent offers a time of reflection and prayer and an invitation to enter more deeply into the spirituality of the Advent Season so that our spirits might encounter more deeply the meaning of God's coming to us in Jesus. The theme will be guided by scripture, church traditions, guided imagery and traditional forms of prayer suitable for the season.

Please hold in prayer, the **Sisters of Providence of St. Vincent de Paul** as they prepare for and deliberate at their General Chapter October 30 – November 4, 2023, where they will set future directions.