

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 27th at 5:15 pm

Buzz & Helen Hanley+ (Malcolm & Rose Reid)

Sunday, July 28th at 9:00 am

For the People

Monday, July 29th

No Mass

Tuesday, July 30th at 9:30 am

Mike Shanks+ (Gail Northcott)

Wednesday, July 31st at 9:30 am

Ken Callahan+ (Mary Garrah & Family)

Thursday, August 1st at 9:30 am

Intentions of Margaret Whittle

(Elizabeth Burton)

Divine Mercy Chaplet in the church at 3:00 pm

First Friday, August 2nd at 9:30 am

Anne Turcotte+ (CWL)

Adoration from 10:00 – 11:00 am

Prayer for Vocations

First Saturday, August 3rd at 9:30 am

Nathan Freeburn+ (Gord & Shirley McDonald)

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, August 3rd at 5:15 pm

Harold Hepburn+ (Gail Northcott & Family)

Sunday, August 4th at 9:00 am

For the People

Saturday, August 3rd at 5:15 pm

Lectors: Gail Raymond

Eucharist: Danna Dobson

Greeters: Rose Reid / Shirley McDonald

Offertory Procession: Terri Smith / Bernice Gallagher

Sunday, August 4th at 9:00 am

Lectors: Meghan Summers

Eucharist: Paul Godfrey

Greeters: Lyle Arcand / Stan Petric

Offertory Procession: Stan Petric / TBD

Children's Liturgy: Lucy



Welcome to our Parish!

We are glad you are attending Mass here! If you are not using Offertory Envelopes, please call Donna at: 613-389-2009 or email BlessedSacrament@archkingston.ca to have a box of envelopes registered in your name.

Collections Last Weekend

Collection July 14: Sunday Offering=\$2,006. Keep up the great work! Words to live by: "Give to the poor and you will never be in need."

Thank you!

Thanks to all those who stayed after Mass last Saturday to welcome Fr. Charles. A big thank you to Danna Dobson for coordinating this event. Much appreciation goes to all who baked, organized and cleaned up!

Food Drive

Each month our parish will collect for the Food Bank. **The next parish Food Drive is August 3/4.** Please make cheques payable to: "Partners In Mission Food Bank".

Garage Sale

The Knights of Columbus will hold their annual garage sale on **Saturday, September 14th** from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Save your used items and drop them off on Friday, September 13th no later than 5:00 pm. If you have items to donate and need pick up, call Gord McDonald at 613-389-9810. No electronics please.

CWL Virtual Silent Auction

Mark your calendar for **September 21-22** for our virtual silent auction. This year the auction will be held over 2 days...lots of time to bid on your favourite items! New/unused items will be collected at the end of the summer. More information: Call Shirley at 613-389-9810.

NEWS FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE:

The 4th World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly: July 28th

This year's theme is "Do not cast me off in my old age" (Psalm 71:9). Resources to help celebrate the day in parishes can be found on the Archdiocesan website:

<https://www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/grandparent>.

Plenary Indulgence: The Vatican has granted a plenary indulgence to anyone who visits a sick, lonely, or disabled elderly person on the fourth annual World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly on July 28th. Those who are grandparents or elderly themselves can also receive a plenary indulgence, as well as anyone who participates in religious functions connected to the celebration, as long as the usual conditions are fulfilled. The usual conditions to obtain a plenary indulgence are to be detached from all sin, to receive sacramental confession and holy Communion, and to pray for the pope's intentions. A person who cannot leave his or her home due to sickness, infirmity, or another serious reason can also obtain the plenary indulgence if they "unite themselves spiritually to the sacred functions" of the day, "offering to the merciful God the prayers, pains, or sufferings of their lives, especially during the various celebrations which will be broadcast through the media," De Donatis decreed.

The Holy Mass of Christian Burial

The remains of the 55 Irish immigrants were discovered during an excavation in 2021 at Kingston Health Science Centre (KHSC), and 52 of these individuals were laid to rest within the consecrated ground of St. Mary Cemetery at the end of June with the Rite of Christian Burial performed at that time. The Holy Mass of Christian Burial for the remains of all Irish immigrants will take place on **August 7th at 2:00 pm at St. Mary's**

Dates to Remember

- Parish Council Meeting: **Thurs., Aug. 1st at 7:00 pm**
- Knights of Columbus: **Tues., Aug. 6th at 7:00 pm**
- Euchre: **Tues., Aug. 20th at 7:00 pm**
- CWL General Meeting: **Tues., Sep. 10th at 6:30 pm**
- Garage Sale / Bake Sale: **Sat., Sep. 14th**
- Silent Auction: **Sat., Sep. 21st – Sun., Sep. 22nd**

Bingo

- **August 1st at 1:00 pm:** Mary & Darlene
- **August 8th at 5:00 pm:** Peter & Darlene

Cathedral in the presence of the remaining three individuals (one man, one woman, and one child). Their interment will occur at St. Mary's Cemetery following Holy Mass, at approximately 3:15 pm. All are welcome to attend on August 7th where our prayers will join together in remembrance of these 55 individuals and all who perished and were buried in haste at this time of great suffering and hardship.

6th Annual Rideau Canal Men's Retreat

Tuesday-Thursday August 6-8, 2024

This is an invitation to Catholic men 18 years and older (including fathers and sons under 18 years) to share and deepen their faith while enjoying male camaraderie - in the context of an outdoor adventure by canoe. The group will leave Seeley's Bay **Tuesday, August 6th at 8:00 am**, paddling 16 km along historic Rideau Canal through locks at Jones Falls, with overnight tenting at Davis Locks. On Wednesday, the 18 km route passes through Chaffey's and Newboro Locks into the Upper Rideau Lake, with overnight tenting along McNally's Bay. The retreat ends Thursday at 2 pm. Canoes and paddles supplied, along with main meals. Cost: \$95. Daily Mass, prayer, opportunities for Confession, talks by priests and laymen, socializing and invigorating exercise make this annual Catholic men's retreat a popular one. Information and registration:

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