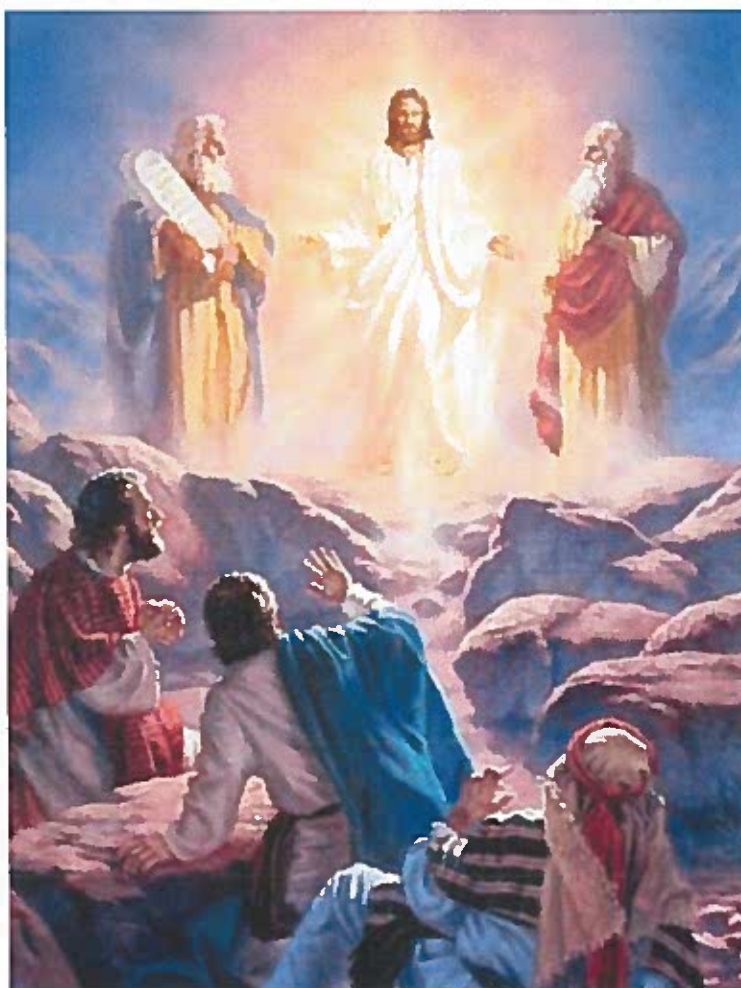


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THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9 to 5 pm, Closed 12 noon to 1 pm

Mass Schedule:

St. James Chapel: Mon.-Sat. 7:45 am Cathedral: Mon.-Fri. 12:10 pm

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm Sunday Masses: 8:00 am, 10:30 am, 7:30 pm

Opportunities for Confession: One half hour before each Mass held in the Cathedral

Wednesdays 1 pm – 5pm

Saturdays 4 pm – 4:50 pm

Masses:

Monday Aug. 7th

7:45 am Special Intention

12:10 pm Joseph Helical

Tuesday Aug. 8th

7:45 am Christopher Jackson's Intentions

12:10 pm Patricia McDonald, deceased members of Murray & McDonald families

Wednesday Aug. 9th

7:45 am Mary (Win) Davidson, deceased family members

12:10 pm Mary Giugovaz

Thursday Aug. 10th

7:45 am Jack Kearns & Kearns & Overvelde families

12:10 pm Deceased members of Cosgrove & Barrett families

Friday Aug. 11th

7:45 am Delzira Ponte

12:10 pm Stefano Rivolta

Saturday Aug. 12th

7:45 am Deceased members of Cosgrove and Barrett families

5 pm Theresa Knott

Sunday Aug. 13th

8 am Denise Kirby

10:30 am For the people of the parish

7:30 pm Theresa Whalen Witjes' Intentions

Ministries: Sat. Aug. 12th, 5 pm

Altar Servers	Peter M.	Lucas M.
Lectors	Mark M.	Cathy H.
EM of the Eucharist	Adora J.	

Sunday, Aug. 13th, 8 am

Altar Servers	Charles F.	
Lectors	Janet W.	Allan S.
EM of the Eucharist	Maria C.	Ann L.

Sunday, Aug. 13th, 10:30 am

Altar Servers	Jude T.	Simon B.
	Glen M.	Nick B
	Steve H	
Lectors	Ed M.	Gail M.
EM of the Eucharist	Dianne I	Betty G
	Carmen D.	Domenica B.
	Betty G.	Jose C.
	Bob C.	Rita F

Sunday, Aug 13th, 7:30 pm

Altar Servers	Students	
Lectors	Michelle S.	Taylor C.
EM of the Eucharist	Ellen H.	Anne H.

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Please pray for our Sick: Allen Barclay, Dorthy Battalia, Jack Coleman, Bev Dickison, Mary Ellen Douglas, Lidwien Gräfe, Rina Gupta, Lucy Huisman, Rita Murray, Crystal St. Aubin, Cathy Veley Sharon Willard, and Sandi Wilson.

Latin Mass 08/06/2017 at 3 pm in St. James Chapel of the Cathedral. Father Brian Price will preside. All are welcome.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN ST. JAMES' CHAPEL:



following hours; *Thursday from 9 am to 10 am for the month of August, and Saturdays from 2pm to 3pm.* are needing coverage. The Lord may be calling you to commit to spending an hour with him at these times. It would deepen your relationship with the Lord and gain you untold graces in

prayer before Him exposed in the Blessed Sacrament. If you can answer His call to you at one of these times please contact Natalie Holland, nholland@cogeco.ca or 613-876-1801.



Our Sacristan Leslie Darling:

You will have noticed that our sacristan, Leslie Darling, has been off for the last couple of months and that her name was on the prayer list for many weeks. Leslie had knee surgery on the Tuesday after Easter Sunday and has been convalescing for the past three months and thus off by doctor's order on sick leave. Recently Leslie informed me that she wouldn't be returning to her position here at St. Mary's. In the three months that she has been off her elderly father's health has worsened and requires continual care. Leslie is returning to her home in Virginia to join her brother and his wife in caring for their dear father. We wish her the very best

and send her with our prayers for her and for her father. Leslie was very gracious in her letter of resignation expressing her gratitude for the job and her deep appreciation of her time here at St. Mary's. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Leslie for all her work since commencing here at St. Mary's in October of 2014. The other half of Leslie's job was as our chef. We have had a temporary chef since Leslie's sick leave began.

You probably have noticed Marian Meagher about again. Marian agreed to return to her former paid position while Leslie was on sick leave and has temporarily agreed to continue her paid position as acting sacristan until we find a replacement for Leslie. The following ad went out this week to be included in the bulletins of the parishes in Kingston.

Sacristan Position Available at St. Mary's Cathedral.

The Sacristan's position is a 50% position. The duties require the cleaning and upkeep of all vestments, linens used for Mass, altar cloths, altar servers' robes, choir members' robes, sacred vessels and everything required for the upkeep of the sanctuaries of the cathedral and St. James' chapel. Interested applicants should be very particular about cleanliness and be a very proficient seamstress/tailor. Extra duties would involve setting up for all Sunday Masses and being present at the 10:30 am Sunday Mass at the cathedral, at any celebration for which the archbishop is present, and for funerals and weddings. Please apply in writing to Father Shawn Hughes, the rector of St. Mary's. fathershawnjhughes@gmail.com.

MEN'S MINISTRY

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Saturday, August 12 from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Lake Ontario Park (920 King Street West - Kingston)
Wives, children and friends welcome!

Are You or Someone You Know thinking of becoming a Catholic or interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith?

Consider joining The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). RCIA is an Initiation Process into the Catholic Faith for Adults who a) have never been baptized, b) are Christians baptized in another Faith Tradition seeking now to be received into full communion with the Catholic Church, and c) for Catholics who are baptised, but who have not received either their first Holy Communion and/or the Sacrament of Confirmation and who now wish to complete their Christian initiation.

RCIA is a process of formation and education into the life, worship and mission of disciples of Jesus Christ in the Catholic Church. We will gather on Tuesday evenings from 7 pm to 9 pm beginning in September, continuing and including the great celebration of the Great Easter Vigil and the initiation and reception of candidates into the Catholic Faith, and concludes a few weeks later after a period of postbaptismal catechesis. Father Shawn and Deacon Blaine will head up the Formation Team this year. All those planning on taking the course must meet initially with Father Shawn, fathershawnjhughes@gmail.com or Deacon Blaine at bbarclay31@me.com. Please contact one of us for an appointment.

For members of the parish: if you know someone who is interested let them know about this process or give their contact information to Deacon Blaine or Father Shawn. Missionary Disciples go out of their way to draw people to Jesus Christ and His Church.

**ARCHBISHOP O'BRIEN'S 30TH
ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION:**

I cannot tell you how grateful I am for all those who contributed and worked so hard to make Archbishop O'Brien's 30th anniversary celebration the great success it was. His Grace was deeply moved by the whole event and he thanked the cathedral parish for "the spectacular celebration of the Eucharist and luncheon following." Thank you to each and every one who contributed and to all who honoured the Archbishop by your presence. The Archbishop's sister spoke on behalf of the family at a dinner in the evening. She said they have been at a lot of celebrations for His Grace over the years but they have never felt as welcomed as they did at the cathedral and during the luncheon. Many, many thanks to all.



Thank you to all the volunteers assisting with reception for Archbishop O'Brien:
Thank you to the ladies from the parish who donated home baked desserts: Doreen Brackenbury, Marla Cases, Barbara Delaney, Bridget Fagan, Lisa Fitch, Rita Fjarlie, Grace Goncalves, Lidwien Gräfe, Lola Halligan, Lois Halligan, Ellen Hawman, Catherine Holland, Natalie Holland, Lola Hulton, Dianne Irving, Catherine Karremans, Linda Kenney, Lori Keyes, Erin Levac, Janice Lumb, Ann Lyng, Louise Meloche, Zofia Miksa, Cathy Murphy, Gail Murray, Sharon Musgrave, Liz Neely, Donna North, Mary Overvelde, Caroline Positano, Laura Raycraft, Betty Roy, Michelle Savoie, Audrey Sims, Cathy Summers, Margit Thompson, Brenda Thurgood, Margaret Vallieres and Dorothy Wadeck

Thank you to the Volunteers for the Set up and Take down of the reception: Robin Cases, Mark Hitchcock, Stephen Holland, Ann Lyng, Glen MacDonald, Kevin Maloney, Fraser McLaren, John Palmer, Joel Raycraft, Father Shawn, Father Francesco, Father Killian, Father Dan

Thank you to the Volunteers assisting with advance food preparations: Marla and Robin Cases, Bridget Fagan, Mary Hitchcock, Anne Hogarth, Catherine and Stephen Holland, Janice Lumb, Ann Lyng, Sharon Musgrave, Laura Raycraft, Audrey Sims, Jill Terrill

Thank you to the Volunteers assisting on the day of the reception: Marla and Robin Cases, Linda Dupuis, Bridget Fagan, Catherine and Stephen Holland, Mary and Mark Hitchcock, Anne Hogarth, Fraser McLaren, Pene Lucas, Janice and Richard Lumb, Ann Lyng, Kevin Maloney, Marian Meagher, Nenette O'Donnell, John Palmer, Joel Raycraft, Marietta Tamondong, Margaret Vallieres

With Special thanks to:

1) To Ann Lyng for her coordination and leadership of the spectacular luncheon on the lawns.

2) Kevin J. Blaney Florist – for the reduction in cost of the beautiful floral arrangements for the Eucharist and the reception.

3) Mary and Mark Hitchcock - for the use of their truck and trailer to haul tables and all the food from the Parish Centre to the Cathedral

4) Margaret Vallieres - for her great work in preparing the gardens in advance of the reception

5) Mark Levac – for lending tables and chairs for the reception

6) Pat Stenson – for lending the two smaller tents

7) Robin Cases – for taking photos before and during the reception

8) To All the remaining parish staff who have covered so many unseen details

Suzanne Brown-Stevenson, Parish Office Administrator, Douglas Snider, Custodian & Grounds keeper assisted by Jude Thusiar; Marian Meagher, Acting Sacristan; Angelina Howell, Acting Chef

Also Many, many thanks to

Jeffrey Moellman, Organist and Director of Music, the cathedral choir, Gwyn Bergman, cantor and Clara Moellman and Jonathan Moellman, guest violinists

Also a special thank you to Nick Beadle, Master of Ceremonies and his team of servers and to our lectors, collectors, extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist and ministers of hospitality.



A Little History on our Father Francesco:

Father Francesco Msofu (rhymes with tofu M-so-foo) began his time as the Associate Pastor here at St. Mary's Cathedral this past Tuesday, August 1, 2017. Father Francesco was born on June 22, 1970, in Ukami, Tanzania. He is the first born of James Msofu and Jamlaya Kaguho who are both now deceased. His other siblings are Yusta Msofu, who is also deceased (she left one child – Yusto Kanyika) and his younger brother Jauson Msofu who is married to Seduma. They have three children. Fr. Francesco was baptized when he was 17 years old.



After his baptism and confirmation, he joined St. Cafasso minor seminary at Tosamaganga preparatory seminary for one year and then he joined St. Kizito minor seminary at Mafinga for six years. After completing the minor seminary, he was assigned as a formator at Tosamaganga preparatory seminary for one year, as a preparation for joining the major seminary, St. Augustine Major Seminary, Peramiho, Tanzania. After doing his Philosophy and Theology at St. Augustine seminary, before his ordination to a diaconate, he

stayed at Ilole Parish for one year for pastoral experience. In December 28, 2001, the Feast of the Holy Innocents, he was ordained a deacon and in July 3, 2002, the Feast day of St. Thomas the Apostle, he was ordained a priest for the diocese of Iringa, Tanzania. After his ordination he served for few months as an Assistant Pastor at Ulete Parish and in 2003 he was appointed as the pastor of Wasa Parish

(www.mwendo.org). From 2010 - 2013 he was in Lugano, Switzerland and then in Venice, Italy to study Canon Law and Comparative Religious Studies. While he was in Lugano, he served as an Administrator of the parish at Santa Maria Assunta, Villa Luganese. From 2010, he came to St. Paul University in Ottawa for further studies in Canon Law. From September 2015, he served as a chaplain at Providence Manor and from August 1, 2017 he has been appointed as Associate Pastor at St. Mary's Cathedral.

Father Francesco will be continuing to celebrate one of the Masses each day and will be part of the homily team as well as being available for spiritual counselling, confessions and assisting with the formation of couples to be married and with families bringing their children forth for baptism. He can be reached at 613-546-5521 ext. 6, or francescomsofu@gmail.com



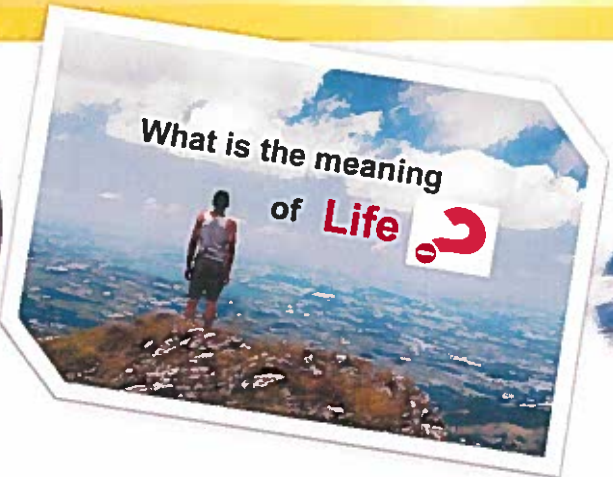
DAY OF REFLECTION AND RENEWAL FOR ALL INVOLVED IN MINISTRY Sat. Sept. 30th from 10 am – 3 pm @ Providence Spirituality Centre, Kingston. Cost \$10 (includes lunch). For more info and to register please contact Goret: Catholic Pastoral Centre 613-548-4461 or ore@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca

St. Barnaby's Catholic Women's League pilgrimage to Sainte-Marie Among the Hurons and Martyrs Shrine, in Midland, Sept. 16th. Coach bus leaves St. Barnaby's at 7 am. Cost is \$50 per person but may be reduced depending on Fundraising efforts. This is a family trip and there is plenty of room on the bus for strollers, coolers and picnic lunches. To register, please contact Stephanie Weiler at StBarnabyCWL@gmail.com

Conference in Kingston – “The Word of God in the Sacraments of the Church” We are called to hear and reflect on the Word of God to more deeply become the word of God ourselves and proclaim it by our lives. This gathering will focus on the place God's Word has in the preparation for Baptism, Confirmation and First Holy Communion as well as the implications of having the Word of God at the heart of the initiation process (RCIA). This event is for all baptized, especially those who prepare people to celebrate Sacraments of Initiation. **Fri. Sept. 15, from 7–9 pm and Sat. Sept. 16 from 9 am–3 pm at the Providence Spirituality Centre, 1200 Princess St. Kingston, ON.** This Conference is sponsored by the Christian Initiation Committee, Ontario Liturgical Conference, A Consultative Body of the Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario. Cost for commuters is \$50. For more information/Registration Form please see the Archdiocese of Kingston/Liturgy website, or call the Liturgy office at 613-548-4461.

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