

The Cathedral of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception

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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

THIRTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SOLEMNITY OF JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

November is the Month when we are especially mindful of praying for the holy souls in Purgatory with the following traditional prayer: *'Eternal rest grant unto them oh Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.'*

COMING EVENTS:

Mon. Nov. 27th, 7-8 pm, the Billings Ovulation clinic, St. Paul the Apostle Church in room D

Tues. Nov. 28th, 1:30-3:30, knitting group, parish centre. There will be no meeting in December

First Friday, Dec. 1st, the Sacrament of the Sick will be celebrated after the 12:10 Mass.

Fri. Dec. 1st, 8-10 pm, CCO Summit, in St. James' Chapel

Fri. Dec. 1st – morning Sat. Dec. 2nd: All Night Adoration in St. James' Chapel

Sat. Dec. 2nd, 7 pm, Advent Lessons and Carols, here in the Cathedral – please see the advertisement further in this bulletin.

Mon. Dec. 4th, 5:30 pm, Archbishop Cleary Fourth Degree Assembly of the Knights of Columbus Christmas Dinner at Our Lady of Fatima Hall.

Wed. Dec. 6th, Seniors' Lunch following the 12:10 pm Mass, Parish Centre

Fri. Dec. 8th, Diocesan Patronal Feast Celebration of the Immaculate Conception, here at 7:30 pm

Sat. Dec. 9th, Family Movie Night in the Parish Centre see ad.

Wed. Dec. 13th, 6 pm Alpha Reunion Dinner, Parish Centre

Thurs. Dec. 21st, Decorating the Cathedral, beginning at 8:30 am.

Thurs. Dec. 21st, 7 pm Mass for those who have been bereaved this year, in St. James Chapel

Christmas Mass Schedule:

Dec. 24th 5:00 pm & 7:30 pm

Dec. 25th 12 am Midnight, 8 am & 10:30 am

Dec. 25th Christmas Dinner for those who will be alone or unable to have their own dinner immediately following 10:30 Mass. All are welcome.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT: The Pageant will be a little different this year.... hopefully we'll have more participants so that a choir can be formed to lead us in the carols of the pageant.



Mary and Joseph! Angels! Shepherds! Kings! Narrator! More! Needed for our Christmas Pageant under the direction of Laura Raycraft and Jeff Moellman for the 5 pm Mass at the Cathedral on Christmas Eve. Children wishing to participate and a parent/guardian are required to attend rehearsals: Saturdays Dec. 2nd, 9th, and 16th from 10:30 am-11:30 am. Please contact **Laura Raycraft to register your child for a role. Please provide your name, your child's name and age, telephone and email contact information. Thank you for helping to make our Christmas Eve a very special time for all. Anyone interested in helping as well can reply to my email: laura.joel@hotmail.com. Spread the word! The more the merrier!!!**

Masses:

Monday Nov. 27th

7:45 am Elizabeth Ghetskowa
12:10 pm Martha Kromer

Tuesday Nov. 28th

7:45 am Elizabeth Ghetskowa
12:10 pm Victor Kromer

Wednesday Nov. 29th

7:45 am Elizabeth Ghetskowa
12:10 pm Harry Johnston

Thursday Nov. 30th

7:45 am Daniel Wannemacher
12:10 pm Knights of Columbus # 728, living and deceased family members

Friday Dec. 1st

7:45 am Elizabeth Ghetskowa
12:10 pm Jacoba Kraan, Janus Schrama, Huig Kapteyn

Saturday Dec. 2nd

7:45 am Father Charles Gazeley
5 pm Jeffrey Conley

Sunday Dec. 3rd

8 am Elaine Narraway
10:30 am For all parishioners
7:30 pm John Stoesser

Ministries: Sat. Dec. 2nd, 5 pm

Altar Servers	Peter M. Dianne I.	Lucas M.
Lectors	Adora J.	Janice L.
EM of the Eucharist	Mark M.	Ellen H.

Sunday Dec, 3rd, 8 am

Altar Servers	Charles F.	Doug S.
Lectors	Betty R.	Cathy S.
EM of the Eucharist	Ann L.	Maria C.

Sunday, Dec. 3rd, 10:30 am

Altar Servers	Doug S Tiago F. Nick B.	Marietta M. Bohdan Y.
Lectors	Sally R.	Larry R.
EM of the Eucharist	Betty G. Janet W. Connie A	Domenica B. Teresa K. Ed M Gail M

Sunday, Dec. 3rd, 7:30 pm

Altar Servers	Students
Lector	Hannah Q. Michelle S.
EM of the Eucharist	Anne H. Doug S.

Please pray for our Sick:

Anog Beltram, Jack Coleman, Carmen Davies, Lois Furrie, Patrick Gambin, Lidwien Gräfe, Lois Hopkinson, Matthew McDonald, Joan Sherwood and Jim Wakelin.

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Anointing of the Sick: Every First Friday after the 12:10 pm Mass. Anyone diagnosed with i) a serious illness, ii) newly admitted to hospital, or iii) anyone whose illness has worsened since their last anointing, or iv) who is having serious surgery, or v) for reasons of age should receive the Sacrament of the Sick. The Sacrament is offered every first Friday after the 12:10 pm Mass. The Sacrament is available as needed. Please phone the rectory and let us know and one of the priests will come. If you are at hospital and it is an emergency there is a priest on call 24/7. You just need to tell the nurse or doctor you would like the priest on call to come and they will page them. If no one comes don't hesitate to call the rectory (even in the middle of the night). At night the phone rings in Father Shawn's suite and he will come right away. Anyone seriously ill should be anointed. If you are able to prepare for the Sacrament the best way is to go to confession first. Then you are able to receive all the graces available to you in the anointing and in your reception of Holy Communion.

FAMILY Movie Night



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**St. Mary's Parish Centre
December 9th at 6:30 PM**



ST MARY'S REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP: MEET YOUR NEW NEIGHBOURS

On Sunday, November 12th, our parishioners were able to meet the newly arrived members of our second refugee family after 10:30 Mass. Below please find an introduction to our new neighbours, some news on what they are doing during their first month in Canada, and a request for community connections.

Currently, the father of the family, Gerard, and his four sons are beginning English as a Second Language (ESL) at Kingston Employment and Youth Services (KEYS.) Some of the sons have placed in the top level (7/8) of ESL, whereas others will need additional study.

Gerard is a European-qualified veterinarian engineer/technician. When he has completed ESL, he would love to find employment in his field, preferably agricultural veterinary work.

Arnaud-Tresor (25) has completed three years of university in (Business) Management and Administration, and the third year of a program while in Rwanda last year. He intends to continue his studies at St. Lawrence College and then, hopefully, at Queen's.

Faby-Derrick (24) was about to complete his Computer Engineering degree program when he left for Canada. Good news, he is arranging to do his final thesis/dissertation via video conferencing in December of this year. Faby-Derrick is hoping to pursue a Masters program at Queen's.

Amy Doux (22) has completed Grade 12. He, too, is interested in pursuing studies at St. Lawrence College.

Guy Rodrigue (19) has completed Grade 11. He intends to complete Grade 12, most likely at Loyola School of Adult and Continuing Education.

Since the family is more fluent in French than English, Gerard and Seconde would really appreciate a French-speaking family doctor. If anyone can help make this connection/referral, or if anyone is interested in volunteering with the St. Mary's Refugee Sponsorship Committee, please Angela Gambin at stmarysrefugee@gmail.com.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT AT ST. JOSEPH'S Join us for an afternoon of Christmas music, featuring the local talent of Chris Murphy, Jon McLurg and Brian Flynn, (three members of the band, Turpin's Trail) in the church on Thurs. 14 Dec. from 1-3 pm, at **St. Joseph's Church**, 392 Palace Rd., Kingston. Refreshments will be served in the parish hall; a free-will offering would be gratefully appreciated.



COAT DRIVE UPDATE: We have seen a record number of visitors during the first nine days of the Coat Drive and winter has yet to arrive! We have welcomed 265 visitors to date (128 men, 137 women, 3 children) distributing 452 articles of clothing. (243 coats and 209 accessories including sweaters, scarves, toques, mitts). Yet another way of reaching out and serving Christ in serving those in need. An emergency city-wide appeal has been issued for donations of more warm winter clothing.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN ST. JAMES' CHAPEL: Because winter is a more difficult time for many of our seniors, we need extra help to supplement any of the hours throughout the winter months. If you are able to make an ongoing commitment to a particular hour please prayerfully consider it and contact us. The Lord may be calling you to commit to spending an hour with him. Deepen your relationship with the Lord and gain 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*, the Coordinator of Eucharistic Adoration. nholland@cogeco.ca or 613-876-1801.

Notice to All Those Who Have Taken the Cursillo (Cursillistas) in the Archdiocese of Kingston

- You are cordially invited to attend an Ultreya (Cursillo Follow-up) scheduled for 2:00 pm, Sunday, December 10th, 2017, at St. John the Apostle, [88 Patrick Street, Kingston](http://88PatrickStreetKingston.com). Contact Lionel Ryan at [613-634-9588](tel:613-634-9588).



Christmas Concert: One of our choir members & cantors, Michelle Kasaboski, invites you to her Christmas concert at the Isabel Bader Performance Centre on December 9th from 7-9 PM. Details can be found at <http://www.queensu.ca/theisabel/content/michelle-kasaboski-christmas>.

Campaign Life Coalition Christmas Cakes: delicious custom baked Christmas Cakes will be sold after all Masses on December 2/3rd and December 9/10th, 2017. For a donation of \$25.00 to CLC's Pro-life work you will receive a beautiful boxed deluxe Christmas cake. We also have a regular bar cake for \$18.00. They make great Christmas gifts! Parish Contact: Betty Roy or CLC at 613-389-4472.

NEXT WEEKEND AT ALL MASSES AND AT LESSONS AND CAROLS!!!



**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE
CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE**

RELAX, ENJOY THE SEASON AND LET US DO YOUR CHRISTMAS BAKING! HOMEMADE CHRISTMAS COOKIES, CANDY AND MORE!!!

DECEMBER 2 AND 3, 2017

ALL PROCEEDS WILL BE USED TO SUPPORT OUR PROJECTS AT ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL



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The Knights of Columbus are starting a new initiative! We want to help those of you who need help shoveling snow over the course of the winter. The service will be offered by members of our parish's Knights of Columbus #728 at no cost to you! If you wish to volunteer even if you are not a knight, please send your name as well! If you are interested in this service, please contact Jude Thusiar at (647) 701-9256 or my email at grandknight728@gmail.com.



**ALL NIGHT ADORATION
in ST. JAMES' CHAPEL:
THIS FRIDAY, Dec. 1st
COME AND SPEND ONE HOUR
(OR PART OF AN HOUR) WITH THE LORD!!!**


BEAUTIFUL ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR SALE: Our stunning stained glass nativity windows have been captured and turned into beautiful Christmas cards. Some are horizontal with a Nativity Scripture passage. Some are vertical with blank insides. 5 for \$10.



MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK!!!!

WE NEED HELP WITH THE CHRISTMAS DECORATION OF THE INTERIOR OF THE CATHEDRAL!!!

Anyone willing and able to assist with the putting up of the Christmas trees, assembling the Christmas Manger Scene or assisting in any other way, are encouraged to help decorate the cathedral on **Thursday, Dec. 21st** beginning at 8:30 am. Please contact **Janice Lumb** if you can help: 613-389-1305. Many hands do make light work!!!!



Archdiocese of Kingston:

Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception.

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered on the occasion of the Archdiocesan Celebration of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary here at St. Mary's Cathedral on Friday,

December 8th at 7:30 pm.

Archbishop Brendan O'Brien presiding.

Reception to follow at École Cathédrale.

Christmas Decorations in Memory of Your Loved Ones: If you would like to make a contribution towards the Christmas Decorations (Trees and Flowers) in memory of a deceased member of your family, or for a living member's intentions, your family member will be prayed for at the 5 pm and 7:30 pm Masses offered on Christmas Eve. Please feel free to use one of the envelopes at the entrances to the cathedral or to fill out the form below and deposit it into the collection basket or drop it off to the parish office.



CHRISTMAS FLOWERS OFFERING

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Env. No.: _____ Amount: \$ _____

For the repose of the soul of: _____

OR for the intentions of _____



ADVENT LESSONS & CAROLS

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