The Cathedral of St. Mary of the **Immaculate Conception**

The Mother Church of the Faithful of the Archdiocese of Kingston The Most Reverend Michael Mulhall, Archbishop of Kingston

DAVIDE

Look at the proud!

Their spirit is not right in them, but the righteous live by their faith.

Habakkuk 2:4

For in it the righteousness of God is revealed through faith for faith; as it is written, "The one who is righteous will live by faith." Romans 1:17

Now it is evident that no one is justified before God by the law; for "The one who is Galatians 3:11 righteous will live by faith."

"but my righteous one will live by faith.

My soul takes no pleasure in anyone who shrink

debrews 10:38

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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 10 am to 4 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 (no incense) Sunday Masses: 8:00 am (no incense), 10:30 am (incense is used), 7:30 pm (incense is used)

> **Opportunities for Confession: "The Light is On!"** One half hour before each Mass held in the Cathedral

Additionally: Wednesdays 1 pm -5 pm & Saturdays 4 pm -4:50 pm

Masses:

Monday October 7th

7:45 am Leonard & Josephine Byrnes, deceased members of Sullivan & Byrnes families

12:10 pm Intentions of the Pearce family and deceased family members

Tuesday October 8th

7:45 am Deceased members of the Barrett & Cosgrove families

12:10 pm Verna & James Hughes

Wednesday October 9th

7:45 am Warren Irving, 1st anni.

12:10 pm Deceased members of Giugovaz family

Thursday October 10th

7:45 am Living & deceased Brzezicki family members

12:10 pm Flurey family, living and deceased

Friday October 11th

7:45 am Intentions of Murray McGillis 12:10 pm Fr. Shawn Hughes' intentions Saturday October 12th

7:45 am Intentions of Fr. Shawn Hughes 5 pm Sharon Keddy

Sunday October 13th

8 am Harold Kearns, deceased members of Kearns & Overvelde families

10:30 am For the People

7:30 pm Deceased members of Salvoni & Tossi families

Ministries

Saturday. October 12th, 5 pm

Altar Servers	Peter M. Lucas M. Dianne I.		
Lectors	Adora J.	Joel T.	
EM of the	Bernadette E.	Marlene M.	
Eucharist			

Sunday, October 13th, 8 am

Altar Servers	Alan S.	Sharon M.
Lectors	Janet W.	Sarah B.
EM of the Eucharist	Emily R.	Theresa D.

Sunday, Oct. 13th, 10:30 am

Altar Servers	Nick B. Dominic B. Doug S.	
	Simon B.	Gavin T.
Lectors	Farsh A.	Janice L.
EM of the	Connie A.	Bob C.
Eucharist	Domenica B.	Karla C.
	Joe C. Grace G.	Betty G.

Sunday, October 13th, 7:30 pm

Altar Servers	Students	
Lector	Joe A.	Colby P.
EM of the	Pene L.	Mary R. (choir)
Eucharist		

Archbishop Mulhall announces the following clergy appointment, effective immediately:

Rev. Oliver Wekesa is appointed Associate Pastor of the parish St. Peter-in-Chains, Trenton.

27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Knights of Columbus meeting Oct 8th, 7 pm, St. Mary's Parish Centre.

Matthew: The King and His Kingdom continues this Monday Oct. 7th at 9:30 am OR Wednesday, Oct. 9th at 7 pm. See posters. Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA) continues this Tues., Oct. 8th, 7-9 pm.

<u>Catholic Women's League</u> meeting Tues. October 15th, 7 pm at the Parish Centre.

Family Picnic at the Parish Centre: First Sunday of every month Sun. This upcoming Sunday, Oct. 6th, after the 10:30 Mass, at St. Mary's Parish Centre. An opportunity for couples, parents, and children to meet and to enjoy coffee and a simple lunch together. There will be activities for children, all are welcome. Suggested donation \$5 per family. ourladymission@gmail.com.



Life Chain: TODAY Sunday, October 6th, 2019 2:00-

3:00p.m. -the Annual Life Chain will be held across Canada. In Kingston we will gather at the Newlands Pavilion (next to Murney Tower-King St.) at 1:45 p.m. After opening prayers we will walk to King St. across from Kingston General Hospital where more than 39,000 preborn babies have been deliberately killed by abortion. This is a prayerful, silent event remembering all the victims of abortion. Please come and bring friends and families for one hour of silent prayer and witness to the sanctity of human life. More info call Campaign Life Coalition at 613-389-4472 or 613-382-1084

THIS THURSDAY: FALL CONCERT: Thurs. Oct. 10th, the local talents of Chris Murphy, Jon McClurg and Brian Flynn, will entertain at St. Joseph's Church, 392 Palace Rd. from 1-3 pm., in a Thanksgiving Day Concert. Please come, bring a friend or two, and enjoy two hours of music and fellowship. Light refreshments will be served. A free-will monetary offering would be appreciated.



A HUGE THANK YOU to the dedicated team of volunteers who watered the flowers in the urns on a daily basis since late May, during the hot summer months and who have continued to do so. Very special thanks to Sarah

Baines, Marla and Robin Cases, Linda Dupuis, Anne Hogarth, Zofia Miksa, Sharon Musgrave and Marietta Tamondong.

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CANCELLATION OF SR. NUALA KENNY PRESENTATION ON OCTOBER 17: Due to poor health Sr. Nuala Kenny's presentation for the Study Day, at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, has been cancelled. We are hoping to reschedule at some point in the future.

St. Mary's Cathedral Parish Prayer Line has over 30 intercessors willing to pray for your needs. To submit a prayer request contact Ann at 613-546-5521 Ext 5; alyng@cogeco.ca
Please pray for our Sick: Mike Baines, Mr. Beharry, Ruth Caron, Louise Doolan, Adam Lachine, Janice Lumb, Maria Matias, Vernon Mulhall and Lynn Orellano.

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other Are you or someone you know unable to get out of your home or are living in a nursing home and would like to receive Holy Communion and a visit from a member of the Parish Pastoral Caring team? To arrange for Holy Communion at home please contact Ann at 613-546-5521 Ext 5; alyng@cogeco.ca

THE NAME OF GOD IS MERCY: Come join us October 24 from 6:30-8:30 p.m., at St. John The Apostle Parish Hall for an evening exploring Pope Francis vision of hope and mercy. This evening will be a conversation on "The Name of God is Mercy." Facilitator: Friar Ed Debono. To register please call Gorett at the Diocesan centre 613-548-4461 ext.112 email ore@romancathoic.kingston.on.ca or on-line https://romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/mercy There is no charge for this evening, but registration is required.



Are you in your 20s or 30s? The Salve Regina Society is a Catholic fellowship group for young adults in Kingston, ON centered on faith, fun, and fellowship.

Upcoming events:

Tuesday October 29th – Theology on Tap: "Rediscover the Joy of Believing"; 7:30 pm @ Queen's Grad Club (162 Barrie St.)

Wednesday November 13th – Theology on Tap: "Theology of Work" 7:30 pm @ Queen's Grad Club (162 Barrie St.)



is looking to welcome new volunteers. Volunteering with Birthright is both rewarding and easy. With a small commitment of 2 and a half hours

per week, you can truly make a difference in the lives of a young mother and her baby. Full training and mentorship is provided for our volunteers so you can truly help the women who need you. If you are interested in this very good work please call at 613-546-5433 or email us at info@kingstonbirthright.ca Visit our website at www.kingstonbirthright.ca

ITALIAN DINNER FUNDRAISER Saturday, November 9th at 6 pm! TICKETS ON SALE!!! BE SURE AND GET YOURS EARLY!

Domenica, Wilma, Pina, Santina and their Italian friends are back COOKING UP A STORM in St. Mary's Parish Centre (260 Brock St.). Authentic Italian Dinner includes homemade ravioli, salad, chicken alla francesca, potatoes, vegetables, dessert, coffee/tea and a glass of wine, for just \$50.00! Funds will go towards the Sanctuary Floor Fund.

The hope of the ladies is to have fundraisers until we can replace the very old thread bare carpet with marble which will never need to be replaced again. For tickets, please contact Domenica Bracciodieta 613-546-4934, Suzanne-Parish office 613-546-5521 ext. 3. Please support this very generous group, many of whom are from parishes all over the city. All the food is being donated so the cost of admission goes 100% to replacing the sanctuary floor. Volunteers needed for serving and cleaning, please contact Suzanne/Domenica to sign up to help.

An Introduction to Prison Ministry: Wednesday Evenings from 6:30–8:30 pm, Oct. 16 to Nov. 20 at the Pastoral Centre, 390 Palace Rd. Have you ever wanted to do some type of Prison Ministry but weren't sure what's involved or how to go about it? This workshop series is designed for you. Over the course of 6 weekly, 2-hour sessions, participants will be introduced to key aspect, skills and themes surrounding this ministry. Some of the topics include: Call to Prison Ministry, Communication skills, boundaries, restorative justice, self-care and prison culture. For more information contact Mary-Jo or Gorett at ore@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/613-548-4461.

OKTOBERFEST 2019 - BLESSED SACRAMENT Church Hall: Knights of Columbus COUNCIL 11524, SAT. OCTOBER 26th @ 6:30 pm, 3 Briscoe St., Amherstview. Music Provided By: Tim Hallman Good Friends, Good Food, Good Music Cost: \$20.00 per person - ADVANCE TICKETS ONLY Ticket Sales Cut off Oct. 20th Call: Paul Godfrey at 613-384-2671.



Seamstresses and/or Tailors needed: Christmas Pageant Angels' and Shepherds' attire need some sprucing up! It seems like Christmas is a long way away however, thoughts have already been given to sprucing up the pageant attire. If you are a competent seamstress or tailor and would be able to sew from a simple commercial pattern would you please give a bit of your time to sewing one costume. They are basically tunics so the

patterns are quite simple. Your assistance would be most appreciated. If you are able and willing to help would you please contact Laura Raycraft at laura.joel@homail.com. Many hands make light work! Please be generous with your time and talent.

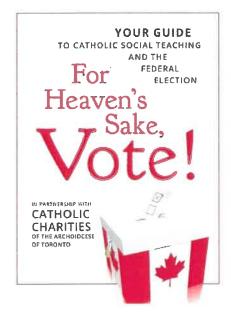


MANY THANKS TO ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

At their most recent meeting of the Catholic Women's League the members decided to pay for the beautiful vestments that you see being worn this weekend. They purchased a purple set last year and this brings to completion the vestments for Mass. The previous set was purchased by Father Hibbard when he was the rector here in the late 1987-1994. We will continue to use the previous set for weekdays and use the new set for Sunday celebrations of the Eucharist. Thank you so very much to the Ladies of League for their great generosity.



WOW!!! The Ministry Fair: a huge success with a record number of 60 parishioners signing up to volunteer in sixteen different ministries at the cathedral. We warmly welcome all our new volunteers to ministry and sincerely thank all our current volunteers for their dedicated and ongoing commitment of generous service to our parish family. May God abundantly bless each one of you.



This booklet is available at the doors of the Church for \$3 each. Please pick one up and take it home and prayerfully study it as you prepare your vote. Our actions matter, and so does our vote, because it can turn our country's government towards greater justice. Our vote can lead to greater economic security and opportunity, or marginalization and hopelessness – for the peoples of Canada and for our brothers and sisters in need around the world. In this booklet, learn more about what the Catholic Church teaches about seven key topics: human dignity • poverty • homelessness • health care • Indigenous issues • newcomers • the environment. As you prepare to cast your vote in the federal election, find out how the various parties plan to address these issues. Your voice matters – so for heaven's sake, vote!

This booklet is available at the doors of the Church for \$3 each. Please pick one up and take it home and prayerfully study it as you prepare your vote.

N.B. Please don't just vote the way you always have or how your family always voted. The parties have each changed drastically in what they do and do not value that even in the past 20 years. They have all changed their values,

some for better, some for worse. Our responsibility as Christian citizens is to vote for those candidates whose values are aligned (or closest aligned if none are directly aligned) to the values taught by Our God in the Flesh, Our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

One journalist, Andrew Coyne, in reflecting on the way journalists cover elections opined: "We have an unfortunate tendency in our trade to cover the campaign, rather than the election – who's up, who's down, how the parties are or should be positioning themselves on a given issue, as opposed to what's right, what's wrong and which party's position is closest to truth." National Post. p. A6, Sept. 12, 2019.

In informing ourselves as for whom we will vote as Catholics we surely should be focussed on what's right and what's wrong and vote for the party whose position, we have ascertained is closest to the truth.

October is the month dedicated to the Most Holy Rosary. We will be praying the Rosary before all Sunday Masses in October. If you are not already praying the rosary at home it is a great prayer to pray on your own, with your spouse or your entire family.

SEARCHING FOR AND MAINTAINING PEACE by FATHER JACQUES PHILIPPE

We live in a day and age characterized by an extraordinary amount of agitation and lack of peace. This tendency manifests itself in our spiritual as well as our secular life. In our search for God and holiness, in our service to our neighbor, a kind of restlessness and anxiety take the place of the confidence and peace which ought to be ours. What must we do to overcome the moments of fear and distress which assail us all too often in our lives? How can we learn to place all our confidence in God and abandon ourselves into his loving care? This is what is taught in this simple, yet profound little treatise on peace of heart. Taking concrete examples from our everyday life, the author invites us to respond in a Gospel fashion to the upsetting situations we must all confront. Since peace of heart is a pure gift of God, it is something we should seek, pursue and ask him for continually. This book and the study of it is here to help us in that pursuit. This study will be led by Father Shawn. PLEASE NOTE DATE CHANGES: It will be offered Thursdays, 7-9 pm and repeated Fridays, 2 - 4 pm beginning Nov. 14/15 and continue for four sessions to Dec. 5/6. To register and order your book please contact Ann Lyng at alyng@cocego.ca

FAITH ON FIRE: One Day Life in the Holy Spirit Seminar at St. Paul the Apostle Church Hall, Sat. Nov. 2nd. Hosted by the Faith on Fire Prayer Community. Speakers: Fr. Ben St. Croix, CC, Miriam Wright & Fr. Richard Whalen. Registration fee \$30 (students \$15); pay at the door. Please register by Oct. 28th. For more information and to register please contact Cheryl at 613-929-0777, email faithonfirekingston@gmail.com.



SOMETHING TO REALLY PONDER!

A very inspiring reflection by Saint Vincent de Paul, priest,(1551 – 1660 AD) whose feast day we celebrated on September 27th. (Epist. 2546: Correspondance, entretiens, documents, Paris 1922-1925, 7)

Serving the poor is to be our first preference

Even though the poor are often rough and unrefined, we must not judge them from external appearances nor from the mental gifts they seem to have received. On the contrary, if you consider the poor in the light of faith, then you will observe that they are taking the place of the Son of God who chose to be poor. Although in his passion he almost lost the appearance of a man and was considered a fool by the Gentiles and a stumbling block by the Jews, he showed them that his mission was to preach to the poor. He sent me to preach the good news to the poor. We also ought to have this same spirit and imitate

Christ's actions, that is, we must take care of the poor, console them, help them, support their cause.

Since Christ willed to be born poor, he chose for himself disciples who were poor. He made himself the servant of the poor and shared their poverty. He went so far as to say that he would consider every deed which either helps or harms the poor as done for or against himself. Since God surely loves the poor, he also loves those who love the poor. For when one person holds another dear, he also includes in his affection anyone who loves or serves the one he loves. That is why we hope that God will love us for the sake of the poor. So when we visit the poor and needy, we try to be understanding where they are concerned. We sympathize with them so fully that we can echo Paul's words: I have become all things to all men. Therefore, we must try to be stirred by our neighbors' worries and distress. We must beg God to pour into our hearts sentiments of pity and compassion and to fill them again and again with these dispositions.

It is our duty to prefer the service of the poor to everything else and to offer such service as quickly as possible. If a needy person requires medicine or other help during prayer time, do whatever has to be done with peace of mind. Offer the deed to God as your prayer. Do not become upset or feel guilty because you interrupted your prayer to serve the poor. God is not neglected if you leave him for such service. One of God's works is merely interrupted so that another can be carried out. So when you leave prayer to serve some poor person, remember that this very service is performed for God. Charity is certainly greater than any rule. Moreover, all rules must lead to charity. Since she is a noble mistress, we must do whatever she commands. With renewed devotion, then, we must serve the poor, especially outcasts and beggars. They have been given to us as our masters and patrons.

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Automatic Debit allows St. Mary's parishioners to make their regular Sunday offering using "Direct Debit" system. Automatic Debit is an option, not a requirement! It is being used throughout the Archdiocese of Kingston. We would like to make it available to those St. Mary's parishioners who would like to take advantage of it. When you participate in the automatic debit system, your regular Sunday offerings are only withdrawn from your account **once** a month, on or about the 30th day of each month and deposited into the parish account. It does not include any special collections including cathedral restorations/ preservations.

You will be able to contribute to all special collections, cathedral restorations/preservations using your envelopes.

WILL I STILL USE ENVELOPES?

Envelopes will continue to be issued to all parishioners who request them. Those who choose to use the automatic debit system can simply write PAD (pre-authorized debit) on their regular offertory envelope and drop them into the collection basket. You can also use your envelopes for the special collections not covered by your automatic debit offering.



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Automatic Debit is convenient. Your offering is deducted automatically. You will no longer need to search for your cheque book, buy cheques to use for your Church offerings, or stop and withdraw cash from the bank on the way to Mass.

Automatic debit allows you to support St. Mary's when you are away — a benefit for the church since expenses continue all year long. Most importantly, it's safe and secure. You are protected by very strict banking rules that guarantee your money and account is safe. It's flexible; you can increase, decrease or withdraw from the program at any time simply by dropping a signed note into the collection basket or Parish office 30 days prior to the

next withdrawal.

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Fill out the **Automatic Debit Authorization** below. Also, include a blank cheque marked "VOID" and place both in a sealed envelope. Place the envelope in the collection basket or drop it by the parish office or mail it in. Strict confidentiality is always observed in all parishioner financial transactions.

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