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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 10 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 – 5pm & Saturdays 4 pm – 4:50 pm

Examination of Consciences available at all of the entrances of the cathedral.

Masses:

Monday Mar. 9th

7:45 am Doris Hall-Humpherson
12:10 pm Almon F. Doolan & Doolan family

Tuesday Mar. 10th

7:45 am Patricia Kelly
12:10 pm Rev. Robert Flurey, 4th anni

Wed. Mar. 11th

7:45 am Intentions of Angela
12:10 pm Irmgard Fellhofer

Thursday Mar. 12th

7:45 am Herb & Theresa White
12:10 pm Deceased members of North, Poole & Whitelaw families

Friday Mar. 13th

7:45 am Deceased members of the Kelly family
12:10 pm Souls in Purgatory

Saturday Mar. 14th

7:45 am In thanksgiving
5 pm Nort Collins

Sunday March 15th

8 am Mary & James Lyng
10:30 am For the People
7:30 pm Piedade & Joaquim Dourado

Ministries: Sat., March 14th, 5 pm

Altar Servers	Peter M.	Lucas M.
Lectors	Adora J.	Maureen J.
EM of Eucharist	Ellen H.	Mark M.

Sunday, March 15th, 8 am

Altar Servers	Allan S.	Sharon M.
Lectors	Cathy S.	Betty R.
EM of Eucharist	Diane D.	Ann L.

Sunday, March 15th, 10:30 am

Altar Servers	Nick B.	Dominic B.
	Simon B.	Doug S.
	Gavin T.	
Lectors	Janice L.	Carmen B.
EM of Eucharist	Bob C	Carmen D
	Connie A	Hailey McL.
	Brandon McL	Marietta M.
	Domenica B.	

Sunday, March 15th, 7:30 pm

Altar Servers	Students	
Lectors	Evana d'A	Tephania O.
EM of Eucharist	Mary R.	Grace G

Please pray for our Sick: Fr. Mac Burke, Fr. Brian Price, Kim Cabral, Ruth Caron, Michael Egan, Adam Lachine, Janice Lumb, Maria Matias, Lynn Orellano.

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

Matthew: The King and His Kingdom continues this Mon. March 9th at 9:30 am and Wed., Mar. 11th at 7 pm.

RCIA Tues., March 10th, 7-9 pm in the Parish Centre.

NEW PARISH INITIATIVE: DROP IN CENTRE FOR THE HOMELESS AND THE VERY POOR Afternoons, 1 to 4 pm at the Parish Centre, 260 Brock St.

Knights of Columbus Meeting: March 10th at 7 pm

Beginning of the Novena to St. Joseph. This Wed., March 11th

Cursillo Ultreya: Sunday, March 15 at 1 pm

Catholic Womens' League Meeting: March 17th, 1-3 pm.

Solemn Vespers: Wednesday, 7 pm, March 18th, the Eve of the Solemnity of St. Joseph here in the Cathedral.

Unveiling of Icon of Christ Pantocrator by Kingston's Ukrainian Community at St. John the Apostle Church, **Wednesday, 18 March 2020, at 4:30 pm** you are invited.

Salve Regina Society, Wed. March 18th – Theology on Tap:

"Faith & Mental Health" 7:30 pm @ St. Mary's Parish Centre (260 Brock St.)

Ending of Novena to St. Joseph. Thursday, March 19th. The Cathedral parish will gather at 10 am at St. Joseph's to pray the final pray of the novena there.

Mens' Ministry: Sat., March 21st 7-9 am, Parish Centre.

Cursillo School of Leaders: Tues, March 24th at 7 pm

Womens' Ministry: Thurs., March 26th, 7:30-9 pm, Parish Centre.

Mass of Christm: Tues, April 7th, at 10:30 am in the morning.

Looking Way Ahead: in Easter Week, Thursday, April 16th, 150 voices of the world renowned St. Michael's Choir School of Toronto will be here at the cathedral in concert. 7 pm. Save the date.

2nd Annual Men's Ministry Conference: This popular conference is back at the Donald Gordon Conference Centre. Saturday, April 26th, 9:30 am to 4:30 pm. Mass at 9:30 am with Archbishop Mulhall and keynote speakers throughout the day. See the poster on pg. 7.

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

We will pray the Stations after every 12:10 pm Mass, Monday to Friday, and 40 minutes before the Saturday 5 pm & Sunday 10:30 am & 7:30 pm Masses.



IRISH DINNER: Sunday, March 15, 6:30-9:30

pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall, 490

Days Road, Kingston. \$35: Traditional Irish

Dinner, Dessert & Wine included. Music by

Mary's Merry Minstrels. A fundraiser for the parish buildings.

Contact: 613-389-1276; 613-389-4368; 613-389-3532.

Banns of Marriage.

There is a promise of marriage between PABLO GAVALDON FERNANDEZ and CATALINA MEDINA GARCIA. If any one knows the cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, you are asked to declare it. This is the SECOND publication."

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Ash Wednesday Collection for St. Vincent De Paul Society totalled \$7,213.85. God bless you all for your wonderful generosity.



Holy Land Wood Art HLWA Inc.

The main income for the Christian community of Bethlehem-The Birth Place of Jesus-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 especially this year with the corona virus affecting world travel. Some Christians responded by fleeing the Holy Land, and the absence of a living Christian community is very dangerous for the Holy Sites such as the Church of The Nativity. *On Saturday and Sunday, March, 28th & 29th* we will be having some of their beautiful art for sale in an effort to strengthen the Christian presence in the Holy Land.



***Save the date!* The renowned St. Michael's Choir School will be**

performing a splendid concert of sacred music with approximately 150 choristers aged 10 to 17! Thursday, April 16, 7:00pm at St. Mary's Cathedral. Free-will offering. Proceeds from the performance will benefit the Cathedral organ project. Invite your friends and family now for this evening of enjoyable and beautiful music sung by the next choral generation!

Great Reflection for Lent: Catechism of the Catholic Church 1427-1429: Jesus calls us to conversion. This call is an essential part of the proclamation of the kingdom: "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent, and believe in the gospel." In the Church's preaching, this call is addressed first to those who do not yet know Christ and his Gospel. Also, Baptism is the principal place for the first and fundamental conversion. It is by faith in the Gospel and by Baptism that one renounces evil and gains salvation, that is, the forgiveness of all sins and the gift of new life. Christ's call to conversion continues to resound in the lives of Christians. This second conversion is an uninterrupted task for the whole Church who, "clasping sinners to her bosom, [is] at once holy and always in need of purification, [and] follows constantly the path of penance and renewal." This endeavor of conversion is not just a human work. It is the movement of a "contrite heart," drawn and moved by grace to respond to the merciful love of God who loved us first. St. Peter's conversion after he had denied his master three times bears witness to this. Jesus's look of infinite mercy drew tears of repentance from Peter and, after the Lord's Resurrection, a threefold affirmation of love for him. The second conversion also has a communitarian dimension, as is clear in the Lord's call to a whole Church: "Repent!"

Father Gabriel von Wendt, LC



EVERYONE, But especially families please take note of the following:

As we approach the feast day of St. Joseph on March 19, let's begin to ask for his fatherly intercession. In a time where the family — and fatherhood in particular — is under attack, we need our spiritual father. St. Joseph, pray for us!

The Central Deanery's Novena to St. Joseph

Under the leadership of Dean J. Brennan of Our Lady of Lourdes, it was decided at the central deanery of priests' meeting that all the parishes of the central deanery of the Archdiocese of Kingston would pray a Novena to St. Joseph for Canada. Novenas are opportunities to ask the saints for guidance and special prayers to help make decisions and rely on God's grace. St. Joseph is the principal patron of Canada. The novena would begin on

March 11th and end on March 19th, the Solemnity of St. Joseph. March 19 is the feast day of St. Joseph, the earthly father of Christ and, therefore, our father. In a time where the family — and fatherhood in particular — is under attack, we need our spiritual father. Not only is he named Protector of the Church, but the titles of St. Joseph also include Pillar of Families, Head of the Holy Family and Diligent Protector of Christ. Besides the Blessed Mother, there is no one more equipped to intercede for our world — and you as an individual — today. The Novena prayer will be prayed after all Masses.

It was also decided at that meeting that the parishes would each gather for one hour at St. Joseph's Church on March 19th to complete the novena, pray the rosary of St. Joseph and offer prayer and song during their hour interceding for our country, Canada. The Cathedral's hour on March 19th is 10 am to 11 am. I would encourage as many of you as possible to join me at St. Joseph's for that time of prayer interceding for Canada. Prayer will extend from 10 am to 5 pm with other parishes covering the other hours. If you can't make it during our hour (10 am to 11 am) I would encourage you to stop in to St. Joseph's at some point on that day and pray the final prayer of your novena and the rosary of St. Joseph. I would encourage everyone else to pray them at home. If you unable to get out please join us in praying this novena at home. Our country needs us praying for it!!!!

NINE-DAY NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH

Novenas are opportunities to ask the saints for guidance and special prayers to help make decisions and rely on God's grace.

Please pray this prayer for nine days for your specific intention and for Canada. Then let go and let God. Trust that whatever is the outcome of your novena is truly what is best for you in accordance with the will of God.

O Saint Joseph, whose protection is so great, so strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I place in you all my interests and desires.

O Saint Joseph, assist me by your powerful intercession and obtain for me from your Divine Son all spiritual blessings through Jesus Christ, Our Lord; so that having engaged here below your heavenly power, I may offer my thanksgiving and homage to the most loving of Fathers.

O Saint Joseph, I never weary contemplating you and Jesus asleep in your arms; I dare not approach while He reposes near your heart. Press Him in my name and kiss His fine head for me, and ask Him to return the Kiss when I draw my dying breath. Amen

O Saint Joseph, hear my prayers and obtain my petitions. O Saint Joseph, pray for me. (Mention your intention)

Memorarae to St. Joseph

Remember, O most chaste spouse of the Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who implored your help and sought your intercession were left unassisted.

Full of confidence in your power I fly unto you and beg your protection.

Despise not O Guardian of the Redeemer my humble supplication, but in your bounty, hear and answer me. Amen.

St. Joseph Rosary

The St. Joseph Rosary may be prayed just as Marian rosary is prayed, substituting the following prayer for the "Hail Mary":

Joseph, son of David, and husband of Mary; we honour you, guardian of the Redeemer, and we adore the child you named Jesus.

Saint Joseph, patron of the universal church, pray for us, that like you we may live totally dedicated to the interests of the Saviour. Amen.

Mysteries of the St. Joseph Rosary

1. **The First Mystery:** The Betrothal to Mary (Mt 1:18).

"Now the birth of Jesus the Messiah took place in this way. When his mother Mary had been engaged to Joseph, but before they lived together, she was found to be with child from the Holy Spirit."

2. **The Second Mystery:** The Annunciation to Joseph (Mt 1:19-21).

¹⁹ Her husband Joseph, being a righteous man and unwilling to expose her to public disgrace, planned to dismiss her quietly. ²⁰ But just when he had resolved to do this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary as your wife, for the child conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. ²¹ She will bear a son, and you are to name him Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins."

3. **The Third Mystery:** Birth and Naming of Jesus (Mt 1:22-25).

²² All this took place to fulfill what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet:

²³ "Look, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall name him Emmanuel," (Isaiah 7:14) which means, "God is with us." ²⁴ When Joseph awoke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him; he took her as his wife, ²⁵ but had no marital relations with her until she had borne a son; and he named him Jesus.

4. **The Fourth Mystery:** The Flight into Egypt (Mt 2:13-15).

¹³ Now after they had left, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream and said, "Get up, take the child and his mother, and flee to Egypt, and remain there until I tell you; for Herod is about to search for the child, to destroy him." ¹⁴ Then Joseph got up, took the child and his mother by night, and went to Egypt, ¹⁵ and remained there until the death of Herod. This was to fulfill what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet, "Out of Egypt I have called my son." (Hosea 11:1)

5. **The Fifth Mystery:** The Hidden Life at Nazareth (Mt 2:23).

²³ There he made his home in a town called Nazareth, so that what had been spoken through the prophets might be fulfilled, "He will be called a Nazorean." (Judges 13:5,7: Numbers 6:1-21) And (Lk 2:51-52)

⁵¹ Then he went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them. His mother treasured all these things in her heart. ⁵² And Jesus increased in wisdom and in years, and in divine and human favor.

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for the

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