

### Third Sunday of Advent



**Saturday, December 16<sup>th</sup> at 5:15 pm**  
Noelle Kennedy+ (The Family)

**Sunday, December 17<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am**  
For the People of the Parish

**Monday, December 18<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am**  
Michelle & Ken Beneteau+ (Margaret & Family)  
7 pm Parish Confessions

**Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am**  
Sr. Monica Hammond+ (Pat Wright)

**Wednesday, December 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm**  
School Advent Mass  
Intentions of the students of Our Lady of Mount Carmel School

**Thursday, December 21<sup>st</sup> No Mass**

**Friday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> at No Mass**

**Saturday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10 am**  
Parish Confessions

### Fourth Sunday of Advent

**Saturday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5:15 pm**  
Herb Robertson+

**Sunday, December 24<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am**  
For the People of the Parish

### CHRISTMAS at BLESSED SACRAMENT

MASSES on CHRISTMAS EVE: 5:00 pm & 9:00 pm  
MASS on CHRISTMAS DAY: 10:00 am

MASS on NEW YEAR'S DAY: 10:00 am

### CHRISTMAS at SAINT LINUS in BATH

MASS on CHRISTMAS EVE: 7:00 pm



**Christmas Confessions**  
Monday, December 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm

### Christmas Party

35 children attended the Blessed Sacrament Christmas party! A big "thank you" to the organizers. A good time was had by all!

**Parish Ice Time on Wednesday, December 27<sup>th</sup>**  
1:00 pm Family Skating.  
Bring your friends!

**Parish Ice Time on Thursday, December 28<sup>th</sup>**  
2:00 pm Kids Hockey – 3:00 pm Adult Hockey.  
Sign up for hockey at the back of the church.  
Full equipment necessary!

### Change for Life: The Baby Bottle Drive

THANK YOU from Birthright – Parishioners from Blessed Sacrament Parish donated \$510.75.

### CHILI FEAST – January 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 6:30 pm

#### Good Food – Fun Night – Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall

Vegetarian and Gluten Free Options. Door Prizes. TICKETS on sale NOW with ONLY 120 TICKETS available. Adults \$10 each. Family Pack of 4 is \$30/Additional \$5. VOLUNTEERS are WELCOME. Please call Marie at 613-384-8238.



### Attention All Parents of Grade Two Students

The meeting for First Communion has been moved to Wednesday, January 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm in the school gym. It is for Parents, Students, Teachers & Priest.

### JOB POSTING – Archdiocese of Kingston

The Archdiocese is seeking a full-time receptionist for the offices of the Pastoral Centre in Kingston. Please see our website for details: [www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca](http://www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca).

### Feast of the Holy Innocents – December 28<sup>th</sup>

On the Feast of Holy Innocents, **Thursday, December 28<sup>th</sup>**, there will be Mass at Saint Mary's Cathedral at 7:00 pm. On this day of the Christmas Season, when we remember the Holy Innocents and the babies killed by Herod seeking the Christ Child, we will gather to pray for our "innocents", the thousands of victims of abortion. Please join us. For more information call Campaign Life Coalition at 613-389-4472.

**Be one of the Toronto Maple Leafs fans at the Air Canada Centre watching the Vancouver Canucks on Saturday, January 6, 2018!** \$210 includes your ticket, coach transportation, with dinner in our own Gondala Suite, plus a \$40 tax receipt. Bus leaves the Saint John's Church, Gananoque parking lot at 2:00 pm and the Kingston Toys R Us parking lot at 2:30 pm. Contact Mary at 613-382-9876 or Lise at 613-382-2017.

### Relic of Saint Francis Xavier Pilgrimage – January 10<sup>th</sup>

Join us, at Saint Mary's Cathedral on Wednesday, January 10<sup>th</sup> for Mass at 12:10 pm with Archbishop O'Brien and public veneration of the relic from 12:45 to 6:30 pm. At 7:00 pm, there will be a talk and testimony given by missionaries of Catholic Christian Outreach. Further public veneration continues from 7:30 pm to 10:00 pm with the Sacrament of Reconciliation available continuously from 1 pm to 10 pm.

### CHURCH CHUCKLE:



### Looking Ahead - Events/Meetings

#### BINGO

**December 22<sup>nd</sup> at 1 pm Dan & Susan.**  
**January 1<sup>st</sup> at 6 pm Dan & Mary Lou.**  
BINGO is at Community Spirit Gaming Centre,  
900 Montreal Street, Kingston.  
Please support our parish.

**Christmas Confessions**  
**Monday, December 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm**

**Euchre & Bridge Night**  
**Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm**  
(Double Share the Wealth)

**Family Skating:** Wednesday, December 27, 1 pm.  
**Parish Hockey:** Thursday, December 28  
2 pm Kid's hockey and 3 pm Adult hockey

#### Intercessory Prayers

/Roman Masyk //Rose Keates, Grace Centen/ Kim Watson,  
Karen Itterman, Bonny Greavett / Hugh Hagan, Paul Godfrey /  
Jim McGinn, Joyce O'Connor, Joe Garrah, Laurie Glecoff, Chuck  
Thirnbeck, Letty Hessels ///

**We also pray for our family members and friends who are chronically ill and for all whose sickness, impairment or personal situations keep them from joining us at Eucharist or from living a full and happy life. We also pray for our troops and all who are away from home at this time.**

...pray for the recently deceased and for all the departed especially... Tony Myers and Joanna Grossi

#### Parish Prayer Network

Thank you to all who have joined our parish prayer network. Every day, over 50 parishioners are praying for you, for our parish and for special intentions. If you have an intention or if you know of someone in need, please call the parish office to have the prayer network pray for your request (please let us know if your request is for a recently deceased loved one or if it is for someone not deceased but who needs prayers). Also, if you want to join the prayer network and pray for others, please call the parish office.

#### Liturgical Ministries

**Saturday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5:15 pm**

Lector: P. Hoobin,  
Eucharistic Ministers: M. Knorz, D. DRocco &  
J. Lyman.

Offertory Procession: A & D Wylie.  
**Sunday, December 24<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am**

Lector: T. McParland;  
Eucharistic Ministers: P. Godfrey, L. Callaghan &  
B. Hanley.

Offertory Procession: Children's Liturgy.  
Helen Henderson: Antje & Sherry; Briargate: Tim J.