



**Easter Vigil, Saturday, March 31<sup>st</sup>**  
1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Easter at 8:00 pm

**Easter Sunday, April 1<sup>st</sup>**  
Easter Morning Mass at 9:00 am

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**Easter Monday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> No Mass**

**Easter Tuesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7 pm**  
Liturgy of the Word with Communion

**Easter Wednesday, April 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:30**  
Liturgy of the Word with Communion

**Easter Thursday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am**  
Liturgy of the Word with Communion  
Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 pm (in the Church)

**Easter (First) Friday, April 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am**  
Liturgy of the Word with Communion followed by First  
Friday Devotions  
Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 pm (in the Church)

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**Second Sunday of Easter  
(Divine Mercy Sunday)**

**Saturday, April 7<sup>th</sup> at 5:15 pm**  
Joyce O'Connor+

**Sunday, April 8<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am**  
For the People of the Parish

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**Next Weekend Liturgical Ministries**

**Saturday, April 7<sup>th</sup> at 5:15 pm**  
Lector: M. Wilson; Eucharistic Ministers: Deacon,  
A. Glover & M. Garrah.  
Offertory Procession: Gord & Shirley McDonald.

**Sunday, April 8<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am**  
Lector: R. Ethridge; Eucharistic Ministers: Deacon,  
N. Scott & T. Johnson.  
Offertory Procession: Children's Liturgy;  
Helen Henderson: Ben & Myrna;  
Helen Henderson: Paul G. & T. McParland.



**Easter Sunday** is the greatest day of the Christian year. We praise God for all his wonderful works of creation and salvation, but especially for raising Jesus from the dead, and declaring him Lord. Jesus is the Saviour, the centre of salvation history. We rejoice today with all Christians, for our heavenly Father has made us sharers in the grace of his Son. By baptism we die with him, are buried with him in death and are raised with him to glory. We share in this victory and his abundant new life.

**Easter Season**  
The seven weeks from Easter to Pentecost are celebrated as one great feast! Saint Athanasius called these fifty days 'The Great Sunday'. We sing the Easter Alleluia throughout this Season of Joy.

**Novena of Divine Mercy – started Good Friday**  
The Novena of Divine Mercy started Good Friday and ends on Divine Mercy Sunday (April 8<sup>th</sup>). The Lord promised by this Novena: "I will grant every possible grace to souls". Remember to pick up a copy of this Novena at the Church entrance **or see our Parish Website**. This year, On Mercy Sunday afternoon (Sunday after Easter), the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed in SAINT MARY'S CATHEDRAL where the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be sung at 3 pm. (There will be a Mass at Saint Mary's at 2 pm).



**Easter Flowers – Thanks!!**  
You can contribute to our Easter flowers using a white envelope marked "Easter Flowers", placed in the "Easter Box" at the Church entrance. To receive a tax receipt at the end of the year, include your name, address, phone and Church Offering Envelope number (if you use envelopes).

**For those who are gluten intolerant:**  
**Father Shea has low gluten Hosts at Communion or receive Communion from the Chalice.**

**Special Collections for Holy Week and Easter**  
Share Lent is still being received. Good Friday's collection is split, so that ½ goes to support Holy Land Churches and ½ goes to pay off our parish debt. Easter envelopes are in with your Sunday Offering Envelopes – additional ones are in your pew.

**Birthright Baby Shower – April 10<sup>th</sup>**  
Please join us for a baby shower to help Birthright. Mark the date: April 10<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm. Games and snacks provide. Monetary donations gratefully accepted.

**Blessed Sacrament KofC Garage Sale & CWL Bake Sale will take place SATURDAY APRIL 28<sup>th</sup>, from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm. Please save the date!! More info next week!**

**Helen Henderson Volunteers – April 30<sup>th</sup>**  
**Volunteer Appreciation 2-4 pm RSVP: 613-384-4585**

**A Day of Reflection – "Who is God? Who are we?"**  
Monday April 23, 9am – 3pm with **Deacon Bill Gervais** – A day of reflection will explore through prayer, reflections and sharing our images of God, how that shapes our thinking and responses to life situations and creates our unique identity. To register: call 613-542-8826 or email info@psck.org Register by April 9th. \$25, includes lunch. Providence Spirituality Centre, 1200 Princess St., Kingston. www.spiritualitycentre.ca

**Spread the news: Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 am there will be a blessing of motorcycles in our parking lot.**

**FR TOM ROSICA OF SALT AND LIGHT TV DINNER AND PRESENTATION** on April 7<sup>th</sup> at Our Lady of Fatima Hall. Theme is "Pope Francis at 5! Where is the Bishop of Rome leading the Church? "Dinner Tickets \$38 per person includes \$10 charitable receipt. Or come for the Presentation only (at 7PM) \$10. Details at [www.knightsdeals.ca](http://www.knightsdeals.ca).

**Dinner & Dance – Saturday, April 14<sup>th</sup>**  
At Rideau Acres from 5-10 pm. Featuring Still Standin' Band. Catering by Greek Islands. Tickets: \$55 online at [neeje.ca](http://neeje.ca) or call Irene at 613-549-7421.

**Church Chuckle**  
**Six-year-old Angie and her four-year-old brother Joel were sitting together in church. Joel giggled, sang and talked out loud. Finally, his big sister had enough. "You're not supposed to talk out loud in church." "Why? Who's going to stop me?" Joel asked. Angie pointed to the back of the church and said, "See those two men standing by the door? They're hushers."**

**Looking Ahead - Events/Meetings**

**BINGO**  
April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6 pm Susan & Mary Lou.  
April 9<sup>th</sup> at **10 pm** Bev & Mary Lou.  
BINGO is at Community Spirit Gaming Centre,  
900 Montreal Street, Kingston.  
Please support our parish.

**Euchre & Bridge Night**  
Tuesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm

**Garage & Bake Sale - April 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Movie Night - May 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**Blessing of Motorcycles - May 5<sup>th</sup>**

**First Communion - May 12<sup>th</sup>**  
**Confirmation - May 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Blessed Sacrament Golf Tournament - June 24<sup>th</sup>**

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**Intercessory Prayers**  
/ Jim McGinn, Laurie Glecoff, Letty Hessels, Carolyn Irwin, Angie & Jim Fowler, Harold Whalen / / Curtis Stewart, Dale Ezard / Norene Geris, Roman Masyk / / / Shelley Mallen, Bonny Greavett /

*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.*

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**... Please pray for the recently deceased and for all the departed especially ...**  
**Jim Coulter**

**Parish Prayer Network - See back cover for info! Please ensure that new prayer intentions are phoned in or emailed to the parish by **Monday at 9 am** to ensure they are on the prayer network for that week.**

**LITURGY SCHEDULE - NOW AVAILABE AT CHURCH ENTRANCE**