



Easter 2019

Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 20th
1st Mass of Easter at 8:00 pm

Easter Sunday, April 21st
Easter Morning Mass at 9:00 am

Easter Monday, April 22nd No Mass

Easter Tuesday, April 23rd No Mass

Easter Wednesday, April 24th at 10:30 am
(Helen Henderson)
Margaret Dalton+

Easter Thursday, April 25th at 9:30 am
Fr. Mario Ghietti+ (Matilda)
Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 pm (in the Church)

Easter Friday, April 26th at 9:30 am
Val Jasvins+ (CWL)
Adoration following Mass
Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 pm (in the Church)

First Communion Mass Saturday, April 27th at 11 am

Second Sunday of Easter
(Divine Mercy Sunday)
Saturday, April 27th at 5:15 pm
Vera & John Farrell+
Sunday, April 28th at 9:00 am
For the People of the Parish

Liturgical Ministries:
Saturday, April 27th at 5:15 pm
Offertory Procession: A. & M. Wilson.
Sunday, April 28th at 9:00 am
Offertory Procession: Children's Liturgy;
Children's Liturgy: Kim.
Helen Henderson: Frank O. & Peter;
Briargate: Paul G.

(Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers have been notified).
Schedule for May out next week.



**CHRIST THE LORD
IS RISEN TODAY!**

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

Easter Season: Seven weeks – Easter to Pentecost – celebrate one great feast! Saint Athanasius called these fifty days 'The Great Sunday' in which we sing the Easter Alleluia throughout this Season of Joy.

Novena of Divine Mercy began on Good Friday – The Novena of Divine Mercy extends from Good Friday to Mercy Sunday, April 28th. The Lord promised "I will grant every possible grace to souls". Novena: **see our Parish Website**. This year, on Mercy Sunday afternoon, (Sunday after Easter), the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be sung in SAINT MARY'S CATHEDRAL at 3 pm. (There will be a Mass at Saint Mary's at 2 pm).



Easter Flowers – Thank you! Contribute to our Easter flowers in 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).

Gluten-intolerant Parishioners: Father Shea has low-gluten Hosts for Holy Communion or you may receive Holy Communion from the Chalice.

Special Collections for Holy Week and Easter: Share Lent still being received. Good Friday's collection is split with ½ to Holy Land Churches and ½ toward our parish debt. Easter envelopes are in your Sunday Offering Envelopes – additional ones in your pew.

Spread the News: Saturday, May 25th, 10 am there will be a Blessing of Motorcycles in our parking lot.

MURDER MYSTERY DINNER: Tickets still available! Join us in our hall for a fun-filled Murder Mystery Dinner on April 27th at 6:30 pm. Mingle with the cast of characters during the delicious turkey dinner and observe suspicious activity with a chance to correctly identify *the murderer*. Dinner & Show \$30. Only 60 tickets – first-come, first-served. Call Shirley or Gord at 613-389-9810. No reserved tickets or door sales.

Blessed Sacrament KofC Garage Sale & CWL Bake Sale: Get ready for **SATURDAY May 4th** from 8 am to 3 pm. All good condition donations are gratefully accepted, but no TV'S or Computers. For info or item pick up, call Paul at 613-384-2671 or Donna at 613-389-2009. Items may be dropped off at the parish hall on Friday, May 3rd from 7 pm to 9 pm.

Parish Prayer Network: Each day, 50 parishioners pray for our intentions, our well-being and for those who are sick or in need. If you wish to join us, call the office to sign up and receive a prayer card. Our first annual Prayer Network Dinner will be Wednesday, May 22nd after the 5:30 pm Mass. This free dinner is for all prayer network members. Details will follow.

Campaign Life Coalition Meeting: Join us in the hall at Saint Paul's this Tuesday, April 25th from 7-9 pm. 1111 Taylor-Kidd Blvd. Jim Hughes, President Emeritus of CLC and VP of International Right to Life will be our guest speaker. More info: 613-389-4472.

Friday, April 26th is the Feast of Our Lady of Good Counsel – our CWL Patroness. As Catholic women, we promise to honour, invoke and imitate her. In 1910, the World Union of Catholic Women's Organizations organized in Brussels. In Montreal, Canada, the Catholic Women's League organized in June, 1920 and the WUCCWO, who had chosen Mary, under the title Our Lady of Good Counsel, as their patroness, invited Canada's CWL to affiliate with the world-wide federation. In 1923, the CWL adopted Our Lady of Good Counsel as the League's patroness. This Friday, after Mass and Adoration, you are invited to join us for coffee and muffins!

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 22 at 6 pm Bev & Darlene
April 29 at 1 pm Susan & Bev
BINGO is at Community Spirit Kinging Centre,
900 Montreal Street, Kingston.
Please support our parish.

Prayer Group - Blessed Sacrament Church
Monday evenings at: 6:30 pm

First Communion - April 27th

Garage & Bake Sale - May 4th

Knights of Columbus May 7th

CWL - May 14th
Euchre & Bridge Night

Tuesday, May 21st at 7:00 pm

Blessing of Motorcycles - May 25th at 10 am

Confirmation - May 29th

Intercessory Prayers

Shelley Mallen, Bonny Greavett/ Tammy Plourde,
Jim McGinn, Laurie Gartland // / Lois Halligan,
Letty Hessels, / Dale Fisher, John Malicki, Sister
Mary Joe /Taelan Bailey, Velma Downing/

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.

... Please pray for the recently deceased and for all the departed especially ...

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.

