

Feast of the Holy Family

Jesus, Mary & Joseph

Saturday, December 28th at 5:15 pm
Joseph Thang Dinh+ (Trish & Johnny)

Sunday, December 29th at 9:00 am
For the People

Monday, December 30th No Mass

New Years Mass Times

Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God

A Holy Day of Obligation

Tuesday, December 31st 5 pm – in Amherstview
Wednesday, January 1st 10 am – in Amherstview

Thursday, January 2nd No Mass

Friday, January 3rd at 9:30 am
Edward & Randy MacDonald+
Theresa & Ray Smith

First Friday Devotions to follow

First Saturday, January 4th at 9:30 am
Skip Hills + (Mary Lou)

Epiphany of the Lord

Saturday, January 4th at 5:15 pm
Deceased Members of the Groenewegen Family+

Sunday, January 5th at 9:00 am
For the People

Liturgical ministries - January 4th & 5th

Saturday, January 4th at 5:15 pm
Lector: M. Barker;
Eucharist: D. DiRocco, P. Hoobin &
J. Lyman.

Offertory Procession: A. & M. Wilson.

Sunday, January 5th at 9:00 am
Lector: N. Scott;
Eucharist: A. Hanley, T. Johnson & M. Seifred;
Offertory Procession: Children;
Helen Henderson: Peter;
Briargate: Paul. Children's Liturgy: Emily.

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Important: We need some **High School Volunteers** to help at parish events – a good way to get volunteer hours...if you can help, please call 613-389-2009.

Blessed Sacrament 2020 Offertory Envelopes: available now at the church entrance. **If you currently do not use Sunday Offertory Envelopes, please consider doing so.** Call the office (613-389-2009) and we will gladly prepare a package of envelopes for you. Pre-authorized donations are also available.

Chilli Feast: Reserve the date - Saturday, January 18th at 6:30 pm. Volunteers needed. Call 613-389-2009. Tickets: Adults/\$10, Children/\$5, Family Pack 5/\$30. Reserved tickets, call Marie at 613-384-8238.

THANK YOU! May each of you and your family enjoy the Blessings of this Christmas season – and a big thank you to all for your many Christmas gifts and your prayers. Thank you so much! ~ **Father Tim Shea, Deacon Bill Gervais & Donna.**

We had wonderful Christmas celebrations!! Thanks to all the decorators, musicians, pageant volunteers, readers, eucharistic ministers etc....

First Communion Meeting: Our Lady of Mount Carmel School on Tuesday, January 14th at 6:30 pm. Grade two students and their parents must attend the meeting to prepare for First Communion.

Parent Night with Dr. Jen Forristal: Parents play such a key role in helping children develop the skills they need to navigate life's uncertainties. The umbrella Project is dedicated to helping you and your children learn these skills of emotional wellbeing in a fun, easy to implement way in order to help your family thrive in all of life's weather. Please join us at Our Lady of Mount Carmel School (97 Park Cres, Amherstview), Thursday, January 30th at 6:30 pm. ~ *Parenting to build resilient children with a growth mindset.* ~ Childcare and refreshments will be provided.

Catholic Women's League – for all women over the age of 16. CWL membership is \$25. (put fees in the collection basket and mark the envelope "CWL") or call Margaret at 613-888-6495 to renew or to begin your Catholic Women's League membership.

Note: If you received your CWL 2020 Standing Committee Chair elections package, there is an error on the Nomination Form. Please cross out **Parish Activities** and replace it with **Spiritual Development.**

Carols of Christmas: Saint Mary's Cathedral, Sunday, January 5, from 2:00-3:30 pm. Fill the Cathedral with your favourite Carols of the Christmas Season, led by Jeffrey Moellman, Festive refreshments provided. Canned good donations will be accepted for the Saint Vincent de Paul Food Bank. Monetary donations will be accepted toward the restoration the Cathedrale organ. Tax receipts available for donations over \$25.

Church Chuckle:

2019 was very educational for Fr. Shea. This past year he learned that a bicycle cannot stand alone because it is too tired...he performed a wedding for a dentist and a manicurist – now they fight tooth and nail...also this year a thief who stole a calendar got twelve months...and a guy who fell onto an upholstery machine is now fully recovered...

A last thought: when the smog lifts in Los Angeles U.C.L.A.

Looking Ahead - Events & Meetings

BINGO

December 30th at 1 pm Darlene & Susan.
January 6th at 1 pm Bev & Mary Lou
January 13th at 1 pm Bev & Norm
January 27th at 1 pm Bev & Susan
BINGO is at Community Spirit Gaming Centre,
900 Montreal Street, Kingston.
Please support our parish.

Prayer Group - Monday evenings at 6:30 pm
(Helen Henderson)

Knights of Columbus - January 7th at 7:00 pm
CWL - Tuesday, January 14th @ 7 pm
Euchre & Bridge - Tues., January 21st at 7 pm

Knights of Columbus General Meeting -
1st Tuesday of the Month at 7 pm

Knights of Columbus Executive Meeting -
No Meeting December 31

Intercessory Prayers

/////Tammy Plourde, Laurie Gartland /
Taelen Bailey
Carol McKenna/
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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.

Pray for recently deceased & all departed especially Harold Whalen.

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

2020 DATE CHANGES

CHILLI FEAST
JANUARY 18TH AT 6:30 PM

FAMILY TRIVIA NIGHT
FEBRUARY 1ST AT 6:30 PM

MOVIE NIGHT
APRIL 1ST AT 7:30 PM