

The Ascension of the Lord

Saturday, May 11th at 5:15 pm

Lillian & George Wilson+
(Shelley & Ettore Bernabei)

Sunday, May 12th at 9:00 am

For all Living & Deceased Mothers

Monday, May 13th at 9:30 am

Special Intention

Tuesday, May 14th at 10:00 am

Deceased Members of the Garrah & Simpson
Families+ (The Family)

Wednesday, May 15th at 11:00 am

Mass at Helen Henderson

Mary & Jack Boyle+

Thursday, May 16th

No Mass

Friday, May 17th at 9:30 am

Intentions of Juliette Bélanger (Nina Martin)

Adoration at 10:00 am

Coffee in the parish hall starting at 10:30 am

Pentecost Sunday

Saturday, May 18th at 5:15 pm

In Thanksgiving for Blessed Sacrament Parishioners
(Stephanie Crowley+)

Sunday, May 19th at 9:00 am

For the People

Saturday, May 18th at 5:15 pm

Lectors: Leslie Callaghan / Pat Hoobin
Eucharist: Ben Greenwood
Greeters: Shirley McDonald / Andrea Glover
Offertory Procession: Gord & Shirley McDonald

Sunday, May 19th at 9:00 am

Lectors: Darlene Raditsas / Laurie Day
Eucharist: Paul Godfrey
Greeters: Lyle Arcand / Stan Petric
Offertory Procession: Dianne Gratto / Darlene Raditsas
Children's Liturgy: Lisa

Dates to Remember

- Crowning of the Statue of Blessed Virgin Mary: **Sun., May 12th at 9:00 am**
- Pastoral Council Meeting: **Tues., May 14th at 11:00 am**
- CWL General Meeting: **Tues., May 14th at 6:00 pm**
- Euchre: **Tues., May 21st at 7:00 pm**
- Parish Potluck: **Sat., May 25th at 6:00 pm**
- Knights of Columbus: **Tues., Jun 4th at 7:00 pm**

Bingo

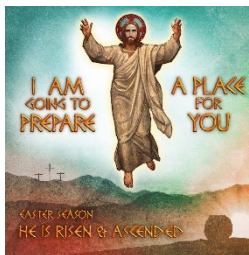
- **May 23rd at 1:00 pm:** Dan Jaynes / Darlene Raditsas
- **May 30th at 1:00 pm:** Susan Aubin / Mary Myers

Food Drive

Each month our parish will collect for the Food Bank. **The next parish Food Drive is June 1/2.** Please make cheques payable to: "Partners In Mission Food Bank".

Collections Last Weekend

Sunday Offering=\$2,370 (includes EFT), Insurance=\$40, Charities=\$481.05, Donations=\$350. Keep up the great work! **Upcoming Special Collections – Education of Seminarians Fund June 15/16.** Words to live by: "Give to the poor and you will never be in need." (Proverbs: 28:27)



Welcome to our Parish!

We are glad you are attending Mass here! If you are not using Offertory Envelopes, please call Donna at: 613-389-2009 or email BlessedSacrament@archkingston.ca to have a box of envelopes registered in your name.

Coffee & Chat

Friday, May 17th from 10:30 am until noon in the parish hall. CWL is hosting a Coffee/Tea 'n Chat. Drop in and say hello to other parishioners. Light refreshments will be provided.

Gospel Summary

This weekend, we celebrate Christ's Ascension into heaven. As a good Son, He has returned to His Father to render a complete account of his work on earth. As Christ's disciples, we rejoice because we celebrate Jesus' final victory over death and evil. Although evil and all its signs of death are present in our world still, they have been defeated. The Ascension of the Lord reminds us that Christ has conquered this world with all its current problems and challenges. Furthermore, the Ascension reminds us that we are on a journey in this life with a final destination not in this world but in heaven, alongside our Lord to live forever.

Caretaker at Blessed Sacrament

A caretaker is needed 5 to 8 hours per week plus snow shovelling. If you can lift 50 pounds and can shovel snow (when needed) call Donna at: 613-389-2009 for more details.

Potluck Dinner

Join us for a farewell potluck dinner in honour of our pastor, Father Americo Santos, at Blessed Sacrament church on **Saturday, May 25th at 6:00 pm** (after Mass) in our parish hall. A pork dinner will be provided by the Catholic Women's League & Knights of Columbus, with potluck side dishes (cold salad, rice, beans, scalloped potatoes) OR a dessert provided by each family attending. Your dish should be enough to feed 6-8 people. All parishioners invited! Everyone must be registered either by picking up a registration form at Mass, downloading from our website or by calling Donna at: 613-389-2009. **DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS: Sunday, May 12th** or until maximum capacity. NOTE: Maximum seating: 120 people. Please book early! If you would like to volunteer to help, please call the parish office. A basket will be available for cards at this event!

Fundscrip Gift Cards

Blessed Sacrament CWL is taking orders for gift cards for gifts or personal use (e.g., gas, groceries, or a nice dinner out). The CWL will receive a percentage of the face value of cards purchased. Fundscrip order forms are available now at the entrance to the Church (and on our website) for you and your friends. **Campaign will end: May 19th.** Further info-Danna 613-634-9621. Place completed forms with payment in an envelope marked "Fundscrip" and drop into the collection basket or place in Blessed Sacrament's internal mailbox (3 Briscoe).

Clothing Donations

As you sort through your clothing, preparing for the upcoming season, please consider donating your clean, gently used clothing items that you won't be needing to St. Vincent de Paul, Amherstview Sharing Centre and the Integrated Care Hub. Place your used items in a bag, box or container. Label each package clearly as SVP, ICH or ASC. Drop your packages off at the entrance to the church on any Saturday or Sunday Mass. Thanks so much the clothing it is desperately needed.

Transitional Diaconate Ordination of Mr. Jude Thusiar

On **Saturday, May 18, at 10:30 am** at St. Michael the Archangel Parish (Belleville), the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Kingston will gather in joy and thanksgiving for the Ordination of Mr. Jude Thusiar to the Transitional Diaconate by The Most Rev. Michael Mulhall, Archbishop of Kingston. All are welcome to join the celebration. Please keep Mr. Thusiar and his family in your prayers.

