



### Fourth Sunday of Lent

**Saturday, March 14** at 5:15 pm

*Lillian Wilson+*

(Shelley & Ettore Bernabei & Family)

**Sunday, March 14** at 9:00 am

*For the People*

**Sunday, March 14** at **10:30 (Bath)**

**Monday, March 15** at 9:30 am

*Helen & Tom McAvella+*

**Tuesday, March 16** at 9:30 am

*Yvette Nicholls+ (Anne & Brian Nicholls)*

**Wednesday, March 17** at 9:30 am

**Feast of St. Patrick**

*Art Shanks+ (Mike & Theresa Shanks)*

**Thursday, March 18** at 9:30 am

**School Mass**

*Special Intention of Terry Burke*

**Friday, March 19** at 7 pm

**Feast of St. Joseph**

**Mass with Stations of the Cross**

*Theresa Cauley+*

### Fifth Sunday of Lent

**Saturday, March 20** at 5:15 pm

*Lucy McDonald+ (McDonald Family)*

**Sunday, March 21** at 9:00 am

*For the People*

**Sunday, March 21** at **10:30 (Bath)**

### Sacraments

- Meetings for Confirmation start March 16
- First Communion weekend is April 24th and 25th

### Parish Prayer Network

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. (613-389-2009 or [blessedsacrament@cogeco.net](mailto:blessedsacrament@cogeco.net))

### Intercessory Prayers

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 Laurie Ross.

### Year of St. Joseph

March 19th is the Feast day of St. Joseph. Pope Francis has proclaimed this to be the year of St. Joseph. We are invited to honour St. Joseph as the Patron Saint of Canada, the Guardian of Families, the Protector of the Church, the Patron Saint for migrants, workers and carpenters. Next weekend, we will have a special St. Joseph prayer.

### Fourth Sunday of Lent: Reflection

The moment of glory is when Christ is lifted up on the cross for everyone to look at and worship. Just like the bronze serpent in the desert became a symbol of salvation, so, also for us, the crucified Christ is the symbol of our salvation. The cross, Jesus' passion death and resurrection, is an integral part of a truly Christian spirituality.

### Lent News

- Mass with Stations of the Cross Fridays at 7 pm
- Holy Week begins March 28, Palm Sunday
- Easter Sunday, April 4th
- Lenten Confession Times: Wednesday, March 31st at 7 pm and Thursday, April 1 at 2 pm.

**Reminder: Lent is a special spiritual time for us as individuals and as families.**

### 2021 Ontario Conscience Rights Campaign

4 March 2021

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Healthcare professionals need our prayers and support. The federal government is about to expand assisted suicide across Canada. People with disabilities and those with chronic conditions will qualify, even if they are not dying. If passed, this law will lead to disrespect for the dignity of human beings and put vulnerable people at risk.

The federal legislation will have implications for healthcare in the provinces. Now, more than ever, we need doctors, nurses and other healthcare professionals who will ensure vulnerable patients have caring alternatives to lethal injections. But many healthcare professionals with moral convictions are being pushed out of their profession by provincial health regulators. Here in Ontario, you can support vulnerable patients by contacting the Ontario government and asking that legislation be introduced to protect the conscience rights of healthcare workers. I invite you to visit <http://www.canadiansforconscience.ca/ontario/> where you can send an email directly to the Ontario government and learn more about this critically important issue. This truly is an issue of life or death.

Let us continue to pray for those who are sick, vulnerable and alone. Thank you for all that you do to strengthen our faith community, especially during these challenging days.

With prayerful best wishes, I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+Michael Mulhall

Archbishop of Kingston

### Organ Scholarship Available

The Royal Canadian College of Organists (RCCO), Kingston Centre offers scholarships for talented pianists of all ages who would like to be introduced to, and develop their playing skills on the pipe organ. Scholarships provide 10 hours of free organ lessons with a qualified instructor. The application deadline is March 31. Auditions for qualified applicants will be held in April.

The Kingston Centre receives financial support for these scholarships from the National RCCO office, local individuals and churches, and raises funds by sponsoring events. The Archdiocese of Kingston is sponsoring one scholarship under the Name of Sr. Emily Doherty and is inviting local parish musicians to take advantage of this opportunity.

Each student has the opportunity to perform in the student concert in late-winter and is invited to attend all local RCCO events.

Information and application materials are available at [www.rcco-kingston.ca](http://www.rcco-kingston.ca), by emailing [scholarships@rcco-kingston.ca](mailto:scholarships@rcco-kingston.ca) or by calling Aurora at 613-453-6323.

### Church Chuckle:

What do ghosts drink on St. Patrick's Day? BOOS

## **Lenten Reflections on Sunday Scripture Readings**

Tuesdays, until March 23rd; 7:00pm-8:30pm

As a part of the Lenten practices, this year the Archdiocese of Kingston is inviting you to Guided Lenten Reflections on Sunday Scripture Readings (on Zoom) weekly during Lent 2021. Each week a different Leader will introduce us to the upcoming Sunday's Readings.

Leader-Guided Reflections • Prayers • Small Group Discussions and Large Group Sharing

No registration needed. Join in each Tuesday of Lent simply by following the link:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87579519160?pwd=bldQYTBPOW1ldTkzMzMvbHVlcWIKUT09#success>

### **Or manually via Zoom.us/join**

Meeting ID: 875 7951 9160 Passcode: 052444

**For more information** visit our Archdiocesan webpage:  
[www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/lent](http://www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/lent)

If you have any questions or concerns with opening Zoom feel free to contact Elisabeth at [Lenten Reflections on Sunday Scripture Readings](#)

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