Joseph's Catholic Church



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MISSION STATEMENT

Grounded in the gospel of Jesus Christ through liturgy, Eucharistic worship and outreach, Saint Joseph's Parish calls the faithful to an active involvement in parish life and responsible participation in extending Christ-like values to the wider community.

Monsignor M. Joseph Lynch, Pastor

Rev. Mr. Robert Wojcik, Deacon

LITURGY SCHEDULE (effective 1 May 2021)

Weekend

Saturday: 5:15 p.m.

9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. Sunday:

Call 613-547-5004 or email st.josephs@cogeco.ca

to book seats by **NOON** on Friday.



Weekday

Monday: 5:15 p.m. Mass Tuesday: 9:00 a.m. Mass Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. Mass Thursday: 9:00 a.m. Mass Friday: 5:15 p.m. Mass

Confessions: Monday, Friday and

Saturday 4:00-5:00 p.m.

SACRAMENTS:

BAPTISM: Please contact the Parish.

RECONCILIATION (Confession): Monday, Friday, Saturday 4:00-5:00 p.m.

MARRIAGE: Six months' notice is required, as well as a Marriage Preparation Course. Please contact the Parish.

ANOINTING: Please contact the Parish.

PARISH SCHOOLS:

St. Thomas More Catholic School, 234 Norman Rogers Dr., Kingston, ON K7M 2R4 613-542-1575 Ms. S. Fragoso, Principal St. Paul's Catholic School, 266 McMahon Ave., Kingston, ON K7M 3H2 Mrs. L. Bryden, Principal 613-542-6101

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Fifth Sunday of Lent

"Has no one condemned you?... Neither do I condemn you."

Introduction

Isaiah proclaims God's words, "See, I am doing a new deed." So what is so new? Well, it is that God says there is "no need to think about what was done before." Why should we recall the past if God does not? God frees us from sin – let's celebrate that freedom.

Today's Readings

First Reading: Isaiah 43:16-21

One phrase among many from this magnificent reading jumps out at us, when God says, "There is no need to think about what was done before."

Second Reading: Philippians 3:8-14

Paul reflects on what God's forgiveness means for us.

Gospel: John 8:1-11

A woman who has been caught in the act of committing a serious sin is not condemned by Jesus. Instead, she is told to go and sin no more.

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PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

You are asked to remember in prayer those recently deceased especially Margaret Jewitt.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Please remember in your prayers the following: Becky Downey; Marcus Hacault; Cathy Camp; Rita Carpenter; Patricia Rots; Nata Nagy; Audrey Lacey; Jean Mulvihill; Sandy Lethbridge; Blanche McCann; Mary Brady; Sr. Michael Daniel; Ron P.; Bernie Allard.

If there are members of your family or friends who are ill or recently died, and for whom you wish prayers, please contact Susan at the parish office at 613-547-5004.

MASSES FOR THIS WEEK

Monday, 4 April

5:15 p.m. Moira & Harry Ottenhof - Stephen

Ottenhof

Tuesday, 5 April

9:00 a.m. Murray Black - Annetta & Gerry

Pattenden

Wednesday, 6 April

9:00 a.m. Maria Carquez - Cecilia Melo

Thursday, 7 April

9:00 a.m. Larry Swanson - Karin Long

Friday, 8 April

5:15 p.m. Intention for a Friend - Johanna

Klaassen

Saturday, 9 April

5:15 p.m. Rita Donnelly

Sunday, 10 April

9:00 a.m. Derek Bogle - Nigel & Alison Bogle

11:00 a.m. People of the Parish

To join our online Mass each Sunday at 11:00 a.m. visit www.stjosephskingston.ca.

OUR PARISH

STATIONS OF THE CROSS During the weeks of Lent, the Stations of the Cross will be said on Friday evenings, following the 5:15 p.m. Mass. All are warmly invited to this beautiful prayer of the Church.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR On Monday, 25 April, at 5:15 p.m., there will be a special Mass to celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Good Counsel. CWL members are invited to attend a dinner afterwards at Ramekins Restaurant, 1540 Bath Road. A sign-up list will be posted at the General Meeting, or you may call Mary Clancy at 613-544-4190 to confirm that you will be attending the dinner. There will be a special collection taken for Birthright.

<u>CWL EXECUTIVE MEETING</u> The next CWL Executive meeting will be held on Tuesday, 5 April, at 2:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

<u>CWL GENERAL MEETING</u> Following safety protocols, we are please to resume our regular General Meetings starting Monday, 11 April, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

<u>USHERS NEEDED</u> We are in need of ushers for our weekend Masses. Ushers have played a very important role at St. Joseph's over the past several years, warmly welcoming parishioners when they arrive at Mass. There is a particular need for the 9:00 a.m. Mass. If you are interested in volunteering at one of our Masses, please contact the parish office.

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED We would like to invite your children to become Altar Servers at St. Joseph's. Altar servers play an important role assisting the priest and deacon during the celebration of Mass. Being an altar server offers a great way to learn more about our Church and Faith, while also performing an important service to the parish family. What we ask is that they have made their First Communion and that they be available to serve at one of our weekend Masses, once or twice a month. If your children are interested, contact the parish office or speak with Monsignor or Deacon Bob.

FOOD BANK COLLECTION St. Joseph's will be resuming the collection of non-perisable food items for our local food banks. Food Bags will be distributed 9-10 April, 2022, for return on the weekend of 16-17 April. Your food donation will be supporting the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Thank you for your support.

CARD PLAYERS NEEDED! It is certainly good to be



back playing cards on Wednesday afternoons. We are short a few Euchre players. If you are interested in joining us, please contact the parish office.

ARCHDIOCESAN LENTEN COLLECTION This weekend, 2-3 April 2022, the Archdiocesan sponsored collection will take the place of the Share Lent Collection of past years. The faithful are also encouraged to make individual offerings to worthy local, national and international charities. For further information, please see the Archbishop's letter on our website and at our entrance tables.

NEXT WEEK - 9 - 10 April 2022

Date	Lector	Ushers
Saturday 9 April 5:15 p.m.	V. Gowsell	I. Stewart, A. Kelly, S. Ottenhof, D. Mazzolin
Sunday, 10 April 9:00 a.m.	C. Purcell	I. Stewart, R. Audet, F. Cuvelier, M. Stevenson
Sunday, 10 April 11:00 a.m.	S. Krasna	P. Greenwood, F. Asuncion, L. Garrett, J. McLaren
P. Greenwood and R. Couto: Counters		

MASS OF CHRISM Parishioners throughout the Archdiocese are invited to St. Mary's Cathedral on 12 April, at 10:30 a.m. for the Mass of Chrism. Archbishop Michael Mulhall will preside and bless the Oils for the Sacramental life of the Church. The 9:00 a.m Mass at St.

Joseph's Church will be cancelled on this day.

OUR COMMUNITY

NEW LIFE SUPPORT GROUP MEETINGS Are you, or is someone you know, experiencing the trauma of a Separation and/or Divorce? We invite you to join our New Life Support Group Meetings, a Catholic Ministry for the Separated and/or Divorced, every other Tuesday evening, 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. For more information, or to obtain the Zoom link, email newlife@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca Join us on April 5(Zoom): Surviving Broken Relationships (video).

CNEWA Humanitarian Aid for Ukraine: The Catholic Near East Welfare Association is raising humanitarian aid funds for the people of Ukraine. To donate, visit https://cnewa.org/ca/campaigns/ukraine/.

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