# St. 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.

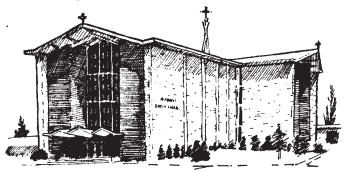
Monsignor M. Joseph Lynch, **Pastor** Rev. Mr. Robert Wojcik, **Deacon** 

#### LITURGY SCHEDULE

Weekend

Saturday: 5:15 p.m.

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



#### 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: 3:30 p.m. Divine Mercy Prayers

4:00-5:00 p.m. Holy Hour for Life

5:15 p.m. Mass

#### 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
St. Paul's Catholic School, 266 McMahon Ave., Kingston, ON K7M 3H2
613-542-1575
Ms. S. Fragoso, Principal
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Mrs. L. Bryden, Principal

#### **PARISH ORGANIZATIONS**

Parish Finance Committee	Msgr. Joseph Lynch, Chair	613-547-5004
Parish Pastoral Council	Mary Ellen Tompkins, Chair	613-544-0782
Catholic Women's League	Colleen Krasna, President	613-544-3598
St. Joseph's Knights of Columbus, 11670	Patrick Greenwood, Grand Knight	613-561-6300
Lectors	Carol Kavanaugh	613-329-7974
Eucharistic Ministers	Carol Kavanaugh	613-329-7974
Ministry to Sick and Homebound	Monna Splinter	613-547-6351
Ministry at Extendicare	Mary Clancy	613-544-4190
Ministry to Seniors	Johanna Klaassen	613-389-5265
Ushers	lan Stewart, Head Usher	613-331-4511
Sacristan	Fran Price	613-544-3492
Culture of Life	Ben Krasna	613-544-3598
Funeral Choir	Dorathy Stanley	613-547-5004
Junior Liturgy	St. Joseph's Parish Office	613-547-5004
Sacramental Preparation/Youth Group	Alison Bogle	613-547-5004
Altar Servers	St. Joseph's Parish Office	613-547-5004
Music Ministry	Shirley Kelliher, Ashley Pixley, Theresa Whalen-Witjes	613-547-5004

#### The Ascension of the Lord

"Now, as he blessed them, he withdrew from them and was carried up to heaven."

#### Introduction

Luke describes the Ascension of Jesus twice: at the beginning of the Acts of the Apostles and at the end of his Gospel. The difference is that, while both depict the departure of Jesus, the Gospel is signalling the end of Jesus' time on earth, whereas Acts signals the beginning of the mission of the Church.

#### **Today's Readings**

#### First Reading: Acts 1:1-11

Following a formal dedication of the book to his patron, Theophilus, Luke tell the story of Jesus' Ascension.

#### **Second Reading: Ephesians 1:17-23**

This concentrates on what faced Jesus after his Ascension – to sit at the right hand of God.

#### **Gospel: Luke 24:46-53**

After Jesus' Ascension, the disciples are overjoyed, even through he has departed. They spend their time praising God in the Temple.

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#### **MASSES FOR THIS WEEK**

Monday, 30 May

5:15 p.m. Intention of Romeo Candido - Amado &

Marietta Marcial

Tuesday, 31 May

9:00 a.m. Ines Nacciso - Amado & Marietta Marcial

Wednesday, 1 June

9:00 a.m. Alfredo & Rosita Bayaca - The Family

Thursday, 2 June

9:00 a.m. Margaret Cuvelier - Frank Cuvelier

Friday, 3 June

5:15 p.m. Irene Leeder - René Murphy & Liz

Adamson

Saturday, 4 June

5:15 p.m. Elizabeth McLaren - Estelle Walsh

Sunday, 5 June

9:00 a.m. John Mekarski (4<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) - Terry

Mekarski

11:00 a.m. People of the Parish

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

#### PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

You are asked to remember in prayer those recently deceased, especially Tuan "Tony" Hoang; Luigi Grossutti.

#### PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Please remember in your prayers the following: Becky Downey; Marcus Hacault; Cathy Camp; Rita Carpenter; Nata Nagy; Audrey Lacey; Jean Mulvihill; Sandy Lethbridge; Mary Brady; Sr. Michael Daniel; Ron P.; Bernie Allard; Sheila Allard; Joseph Beavis; William Hilhorst.

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.

#### **OUR PARISH**

<u>ONLINE MASS</u> Each Sunday, our 11:00 a.m. Mass is streamed for our parishioners at home. For those parishioners attending Mass, please note that you may appear on camera, if you are sitting in the first 4 pews.

**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION** On Sunda, y June 12, 2022, at the 11:00 a.m. Mass, we welcome the candidates who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation, along with their sponsors and families. The first several rows will be reserved for the candidates during this Mass.

**ATTENTION CARD PLAYERS** We are looking for a few more players, or even a table of players, to join us on Wednesday afternoon, from 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. If you are interested, contact the parish office at 613-547-5004.

<u>CWL EXECUTIVE MEETING</u> The next Executive Meeting of CWL will be held on Tuesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m .in the Parish Hall.

**CWL PRESENTATION OF SERVICE PINS** Please join members of the Catholic Women's League on Monday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at the 5:15 p.m .Mass. We will then have a Presentation of Service Pins to our members who have reached special milestones for the years 2020, 2021 and 2022. Afterwards, we will meet for a Potluck Dinner in the parish hall. Please bring your favourite dish and have an enjoyable evening.

**FANCY HAT TEA PARTY - THANK YOU!** The St. Joseph's Catholic Women's League would like to thank all who attended our recent Fancy Hat Tea Party. Special thanks to the ladies who organized the event, contributed to prizes, prepared and served the luncheon, and made sure everything ran smoothly. It was a fun afternoon. See you next year!

#### YOUTH GROUP BOWLING & MEET-AND-GREET The

St. Joseph's Youth Group first and only get-together for this season will be our year-end Bowling Party and Luncheon, on Sunday, 5 June 2022. Come on out to the Cloverleaf Lanes Bowling Alley at 12 noon sharp - Bowl with friends you know - and, some you don't! A light luncheon will follow. Enjoy a day of faith and fellowship with parish youth - all ages from grade 2 up are welcome! Contact Alison at <a href="mailto:bogle@alcdsb.on.ca">bogle@alcdsb.on.ca</a> or Angela at 613-547-8116, for more information. If you plan to attend, you MUST register by Wednesday June 1, so don't miss out!

<u>CUSHIONS AVAILABLE</u> Cushions are available at the back of the church for your use at Mass.

**NEXT WEEK** - 4 June - 5 June, 2022

Date	Lectors	Eucharistic Minister	Ushers
Saturday, 4 June 5:15 p.m.	S. Ottenhof P. Scott	M-A.Wojcik	I. Stewart S. Ottenhof A. Kelly D. Mazzolin
Sunday, 5 June 9:00 a.m.	M. Sivilotti M. McLaughlin	P. Croxford	R. Audet I. Stewart F. Cuvelier M. Stevenson
Sunday, 5 June 11:00 a.m.	C. Kavanaugh S. Broekhoven	F. Levesque	P.Greenwood J. McLaren L. Garrett F. Asuncion

D. Mazzolin and K. Turkington: Counters

#### **OUR COMMUNITY**

**JOURNEY NEWSLETTER** The May edition of the Journey is now available online and can be accessed at <a href="http://romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/journey">http://romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/journey</a>.

**DIALOGUE WITH GOD** Our Lady of Divine Fire Mission invites you to an 8-week, self-paced online course to deepen your relationship with God. Weekly discussion groups (Zoom), Wednesday, June 1 to July 20, 2022 from 7:00 pm. to 8:00 p.m. Registration is \$68.00, closing: May 27. For more information and to register: https://ourladyofdivinefire.regfox.com/dialogue-with-god

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 the Zoom link, email newlife@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca Join us on May 31 on Zoom - Breakups Don't Have to Leave You Broken.

#### **CULTIVATING EMPATHY, HOPE AND HEALING IN**

A LONELY WORLD Join us for Spiritual Resources for Theological Reflection and Person Growth on June 18, 2022, 9:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m., at St. Paul the Apostle Church Hall, Kingston. Presented by Robert Mundle, Palliative Care Chaplain. Register by June 16 by emailing ore@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca or call 613-548-4461 ext. 112. No cost for this event.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES PICNIC You are cordially invited to celebrate the 10<sup>th</sup> World Meeting of Families on June 26, 2022. Please join us for 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral in Kingston. Pack a lunch and walk or drive to City Park after Mass to enjoy a picnic with other families from across the Archdiocese. Soccer games for various age groups will be organized from 1:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. All are welcome!

ST. FRANCIS: A SAINT FOR OUR DAY? Come join us for an evening where we look at how St. Francis lived the Gospel and his deep connection with God, Others, and Nature. We will discuss and share our spirituality and faith practices and how we can use St. Francis as an example on our life journey today. Facilitated by Friar Ed Debono and JC Trottier, OFS. Email Gorett at ore@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca or call (613) 548-4461 ext. 112 to register before June 3<sup>rd</sup>. There is no fee, but registration is required.

PRISON MINISTRY INFORMATION NIGHT An information and exploratory session will be held on Tuesday, June 21, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Pastoral Centre (390 Palace Road). We will be hosting an information night for anyone interested in exploring Prison Ministry volunteering. Additionally, there will be a Prison Ministry volunteer Training Program, which will take place in the Fall of 2022. Further information will be available in early September. Please email Mary-Jo to sign up for the June 21st evening at maryjo@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca.

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