

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.

Rev. Cosmas Ajawara, **Pastor** Rev. Mr. Robert Wojcik, **Deacon** Rev. Charles Ogbuagu, **In Residence**

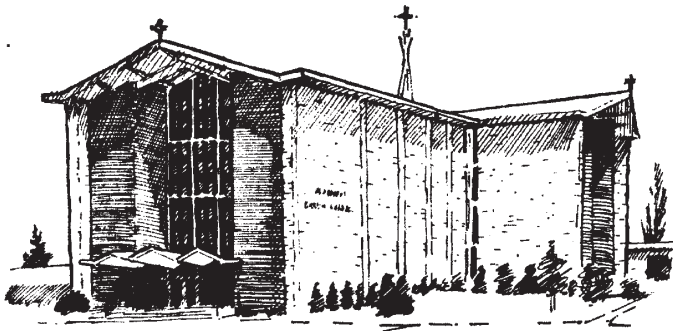
LITURGY SCHEDULE

Weekend

Saturday: 5:15 p.m.
 Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Weekday

Monday: 4:00-5:00 p.m. *Holy Hour for Vocations*
 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 613-542-1575 Ms. S. Fragoso, Principal
 St. Paul's Catholic School, 266 McMahon Ave., Kingston, ON K7M 3H2 613-542-6101 Mrs. L. Bryden, Principal

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Parish Finance Committee	Rev. Cosmas Ajawara, Chair	613-547-5004
Parish Pastoral Council	Mary Ellen Tompkins, Chair	613-547-5004
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St. Joseph's Knights of Columbus, 11670	Patrick Greenwood, Grand Knight	613-547-5004
Lectors	Carol Kavanaugh	613-547-5004
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Ministry at Extencicare	Mary Clancy	613-544-4190
Ministry to Seniors	Johanna Klaassen and Judy Saunders	613-547-5004
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Funeral Choir	Dorothy 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

OFFICE HOURS: 8:30 a.m. -12:00 p.m. 1:00-4:30 p.m. (Monday to Friday) Susan Lett, Secretary

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Times

“Pray continually and never lose heart.”

Introduction

Today’s Gospel reminds us “to pray continually and never lose heart”. As we pray together in our Eucharist we ask God for the faith and courage to carry out this instruction.

Today’s Readings

First Reading: Exodus 17:8-13

Victory comes to Israel as long as Moses can keep his arms raised.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14; 4:2

All scripture is inspired by God and can be used for teaching.

Gospel: Luke 18:1-8

Jesus teaches his disciples to pray continually and never lose heart.

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PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

You are asked to remember in prayer those recently deceased.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Please remember in your prayers the following: Becky Downey; Marcus Hacault; Cathy Camp; Rita Carpenter; Ed Poole; Doug Boufford; Hermina Wester; Michael Lovie.

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

JUNIOR LITURGY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED It has been over two years since we have been able to offer Junior Liturgy at St. Joseph’s Church. If you are interested in volunteering in this ministry, please contact the Parish office or speak with Father Cosmas or Deacon Bob.

MASSES FOR THIS WEEK

Monday, 17 October

5:15 p.m. Gord & Mary Tompkins – Mary Ellen Tompkins

Tuesday, 18 October

9:00 a.m. Etelka Takacs – Barry & Patty Ann Whalen

Wednesday, 19 October

9:00 a.m. Donald Quinlan – Katherine Quinlan

Thursday, 20 October

9:00 a.m. Cristanto Manicat – Candida Powell

Friday, 21 October

5:15 p.m. Intentions of Alana Kae & Pat – Judy Saunders

Saturday, 22 October

5:15 p.m. Intention of Patti & Silvan Fernetich on their Wedding Anniversary – Arlene Fraser

Sunday, 23 October

9:00 a.m. Sean James – The Family
11:00 a.m. People of the Parish

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

ROSARY IN THE CEMETERY will take place on Sunday, 6 November 2022, at 2:00 p.m. We will carry on the tradition of saying the Rosary at St Mary’s Cemetery to remember the “Holy Souls.” All members of the congregation, families and friends are invited to join us at the Statue of Angel of Mercy (northwest corner of St. Mary’s Cemetery) to reflect and pray for the deceased.

THANK YOU to Chris Murphy, Jon McLurg and Noah St. Amand for a perfect afternoon of music, and an opportunity to gather with our friends. If you missed our Fall Concert you can watch it on St. Joseph’s Church You Tube channel. Thank you to Pam Catry for organizing this wonderful concert, as well a special thank you to Margaret-Anne, Chris, Carol, Judy, Johanna, Judy and Kathy for decorating, and serving the refreshments. We have started our planning for our Christmas Concert. Save the date – December 1, 2022.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL Food Bags will be collected this weekend, 15-16 October. Thank you for your support.

Father Cosmas' Reflection

Pray in season and out of season

The Readings of this Sunday urge us to pray without ceasing. To pray to God is to put our faith in him. Prayer and faith are very closely connected. No one can completely live a Christian life without prayer. When we pray only in emergency situation, then we are not following the command of Christ who asks us to pray continually and never lose heart (Luke 18:1). Praying continuously helps us to see the value of prayer. It also strengthens and deepens our relationship with the Lord. In fact, the main purpose of prayer is to foster this relationship with God. The reasons some people lose heart and not praying continually is either they do not put their trust in God or they feel that their prayers are not being answered. A prayer is answered, not when we get what we are asking for, but when we are granted a sense of God's nearness. Prayer may not change the world for us but it can give us the courage to face it. To pray is to put oneself and one's destiny in the hands of God and when my whole being and my destiny are in God's hand, then I am safe. So, do you pray continually?



MOBILITY AIDS St. Joseph's Knights of Columbus have a number of items available for parishioners to borrow to help make life accessible, from canes to bathroom safety equipment. Contact the parish office for further information.

COMMUNITY

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARTER CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

MASS AND DINNER A hundred years ago, in 1922, J.V. Cleary Assemble 0857 received the Knights of Columbus charter. Everyone is invited to attend the **Celebration Mass on October 22, at 5:00 pm at St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston.** A banquet dinner will be held afterward, and all attendees must pre-book. **Dinner is from 6:00 pm-9:00 pm at Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall (588 Division Street, Kingston, ON).** Tickets are \$50/person. For tickets and further details, please contact: William Coppens at lcoppens@cogeco.ca. Deadline for registration: October 12.

HOLLY JOLLY CHRISTMAS SALE ATTENTION CRAFTERS!

Holy Family Parish in Kingston is celebrating our 12th annual HOLLY JOLLY CHRISTMAS CRAFT SALE, Saturday, November 26th at St. Francis of Assisi School, 114 Wiley Street, Kingston. Come join us and earn extra money. Limited spaces available at \$25.00 per table, paid in advance. Tables will be supplied. For further information and to book a spot, please contact Sandy at 613-548-3761, or at orangeladybug99@yahoo.ca.

NEXT WEEK – 22-23 OCTOBER

Date	Lectors	Eucharistic Minister
Saturday, 22 Oct. 5:15 p.m.	S. Eves Sr. L.Kearney	M-A. Wojcik
Sunday, 23 Oct. 9:00 a.m.	M. Sivilotti M. McLaughlin	G.Goncalves
Sunday, 23 Oct. 11:00 a.m.	K. Burbank B. McIver	T. Donoghue
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