Holy Family Parish

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SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements with the pastor should be made at least 6 months in advance. A marriage preparation course is required.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:30 - 5:00 Prior to any Mass or by appointment

PASTORAL VISITS

Regular pastoral visits are available on request. For visitation of hospitalized or shut-in parishioners, please call the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the 2nd & 4th Sundays of each month following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. A baptismal preparation class is required. Please contact the parish office for further information.

MUSICIANS

Jackie Corcoran Elisabeth Santos Ashley Pixley Tom Ward Theresa Whalen-Witjes 613-548-8904 613-888-4331 613-358-2038 613-766-7939 613-384-6372



SUNDAY EUCHARIST Saturday: 5:15 p.m.

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

JUNIOR LITURGY

(September to June) Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

DAILY LITURGY Please refer to the schedule provided inside this bulletin.

May the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph enlighten, guide & protect us, today & always.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 5, 2017

Saturday	Mar 4	5:15 pm	+ Brian Lee by Debbie	
Sunday	Mar 5	9:30 am	Mass for the People	(
-		11:00 am	+ Charles Jeffries by Josh & Rita Witjes	
Monday	Mar 6		no scheduled liturgy	A
Tuesday	Mar 7	11:00 am	SENIORS' MASS	C AND MAD
-			+ Tony Pavao by Alice Pavao	Ber Contractor
Wednesday	Mar 8	9:00 am	+ Daisy Lee by Wilma Turcotte	- TANK A STREEMAN
Thursday	Mar 9	9:00 am	Our Medical Community	
•		<u>1:00 – 5:00 pm</u>	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & H	Benediction
<u>Friday</u>	Mar 10	8:30 am	Priest's Intention	
·		5:15 pm	THE WAY OF THE CROSS	
Saturday	Mar 11	5:15 pm	+ Connie Pavao by Natalia Correia	
Sunday	Mar 12	9:30 am	Mass for the People	
•		11:00 am	+ Elfrieda Prohaska by the Family	

Liturgical Roles Mar 11 & 12	5:15 p.m.	9:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Readers:	Marianne Thompson	Marie & Armando	Sephora Djomo
	Nicole Chenier-Hogan	Sardinha	Marie Victoria
Eucharistic Ministers:	Bill Eves	David Ibbott	Brian Smith
Musicians:	Jackie Corcoran	Tom Ward	Elisabeth Santos
Greeters:	D. Lee	D. Szumlanski	
		RM Hickey	



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT ENDING WITH BENEDICTION 1:00 - 5:00 PM, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 29TH

"COULD YOU NOT WATCH ONE HOUR WITH ME?" In addition to our personal intentions, may we also pray *that persecuted Christians may be supported by the prayers and material help of the whole Church (intention of Pope Francis for March)*

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL: Please remember in your prayers the following: Dale Ezard, Deacon John Ezard, Elaine Watier, Molly Kirkpatrick, Doreen Saunders, David Tessier, Steve Black, Darlene Smith, Cathy Velley, Bill Eves & Theresa Whalen-Witjes.

WE WELCOME MASS INTENTIONS for deceased family members & friends, for special intentions, birthdays and anniversaries, thanksgiving, return to good health etc. The offering for an announced mass is \$20, while the offering for an unannounced mass is \$10. The offering along with the details of the requested mass may be put in the collection in a separate envelope. Please call the office at 613-542-8587 if you have any questions and we will be happy to answer them.

<u>The Way of the Cross</u> will be held at Holy Family each Friday in Lent at 5:15 pm. All are invited to take part in this beautiful prayer of the church.

<u>A meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council</u> will take place on **Tuesday, March 7th at 7:00 pm** in the parish house.

FROM ARCHBISHOP O'BRIEN

Join the Call for Conscience: February 6 - March 31

The Ontario Government has introduced Bill 84, Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID) Statute Law Amendment Act, which, at present, does not provide conscience protection for doctors and health care providers who conscientiously object to taking part in Medically Assisted Dying. A "Call for Conscience" campaign has been initiated to encourage Ontarians to write to their local MPP's asking them to protect conscience rights – in particular, to support an amendment to Bill 84 that would provide conscience protection for doctors and health care providers and create a care coordination service which protects both patients and health care workers. Further information can be found at <u>www.canadiansforconscience.ca</u>.

<u>Our Monthly Seniors' Mass</u> will be celebrated at Holy Family on **Tuesday, March 7th at 11:00 am** followed by **lunch at the Swiss Chalet**. If you need a ride, please wait near the front entrance after mass. Come and share faith and fellowship with friends!

<u>Fun Fair Bazaar Planning Meeting</u> at Holy Family School library on Friday, March 10th at 3:00 pm to help plan our annual Fun Fair Bazaar on May 10th. The Fun Fair is a joint effort by parish and school and raises much needed income for both while having fun! We need volunteers to help with the various tables. Hope to see you at our planning meeting!

<u>First Reconciliation</u> for Grade 2 students will take place at **7pm on Wednesday, March 8th** in preparation for their First Holy Communion in May. Please pray for these children and their families and teachers.

<u>Knights of Columbus Council #728</u>, with membership from Holy Family, St. John the Apostle and St. Mary's Cathedral parishes, will hold a Breakfast on Sunday, March 12th from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at St. Mary's Parish Centre, Brock Street at Clergy. The menu includes juice, scrambled eggs, sausages, hash browns, toast and tea or coffee at a cost of \$7.00 per person. Come and enjoy the Knights' hospitality and support their good works!

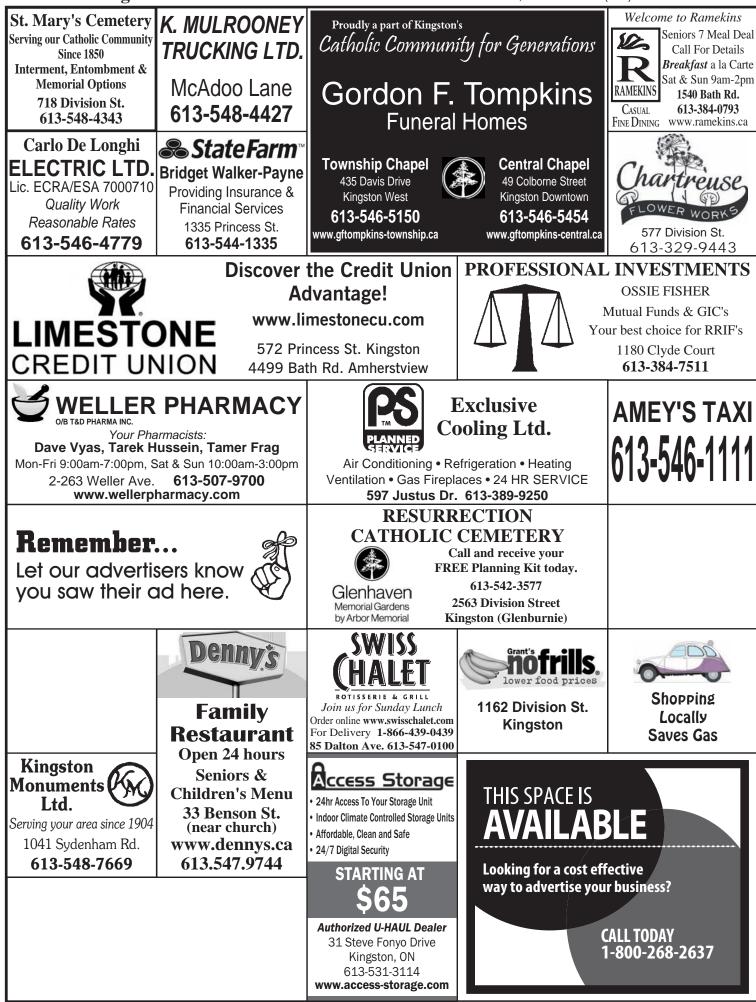
Women in Paraguay: Today in the bulletin, you will find the Development and Peace Mini-magazine. It will describe the lives of women who are contributing in very positive ways to their communities in the Global South. The women of Paraguay work with a farming association to help defend their right to use the land to grow food. In 1979, D&P led a campaign to support the Grandmothers in Argentina whose children had disappeared under the military dictatorship. We give thanks for their strength and courage.

The Discernment of Spirits: An Ignatian Guide for Everyday Living Saturday Mornings: March 11, 18th, April 1, & 8th at St. Mary's Parish Centre, Brock Street at Clergy, 9:30 am to 12 noon

Something fundamental in every life of faith are the alternations of joy and fear, peace and anxiety, hope and discouragement that every human heart experiences as it journeys toward God. These alternations matter. The joy of experiencing God's closeness instills new energy into the effort to love and serve. The darkness of discouragement and fear chills that quest and may overwhelm it completely. All faithful persons in all walks of life (lay, consecrated, clergy) experience some form of these inner spiritual fluctuations; times of energy and desire for the things of God, and other times when that energy and attraction wane. We are not helpless in the face of such contrasting movements of the heart. There is a way for us to understand these complex spiritual experiences. We can learn to respond wisely to these changes in our hearts. This is the wisdom at the heart of the spiritual life and it is called the Discernment of Spirits. Join Father Shawn as he explores St. Ignatius of Loyola's Rules of Discernment to gain the insights that are necessary for spiritual growth today. These four "workshops" are for all who desire a greater awareness of God's action in their daily spiritual lives. So that we can plan handouts and hospitality please register by emailing smarys@cogeco.net or call Suzanne in the parish office, 613-546-5521 ext. 3.

Day of Reflection: "Lent: A time for renewal and hope" Mon Mar 20, 9-3pm with Deacon Bill Gervais. Grow in our relationship with God and deepen our commitment to a way of life, rooted in our baptism. An opportunity to pray more deeply, consider how to deal with temptations in our life and allow us to stand at the Cross of Christ where Jesus is saying something to and about us and the consequences of obedience even unto the Cross. Call to register by Mon Mar 6 / Cost: \$25. Providence Spirituality Centre 613-542-8826

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