

St. Patrick's Church 3977 Sydenham Rd, Sydenham, ON K0H 2W0

#### **PASTORAL TEAM**

#### Pastor:

Most Rev. Michael Mulhall, Archbishop of Kingston

#### **Sunday Masses & Sacraments:**

**St. Patrick's:** Fr. Sebastian Amato

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Deacon Michael Winn mikewinn2001@gmail.com

#### **Parish Administrator:**

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## **Parish Secretary:**

Denise Ford

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# St. Mary's Church – Mission 131 Main Street Odessa, ON K0H 2HO

#### **Mass Times:**

St. Patrick's Sunday at 11:00 a.m. St. Mary's Saturday at 4:30 p.m.

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

**St. Patrick's:** Please see Fr. Amato after Mass on Sunday or call the parish office to make an appointment. **St. Mary's:** Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

### **Parish Website:**

www.stpat-stmary-railton-odessa.com

#### **Parish Ministries:**

St. Patrick's:

Pastoral Council Finance Council

### **Welcome to New Parishioners**

St. Patrick's and St. Mary's welcomes new members to our faith community. Please visit or email the Parish Office to register. Epiphany of the Lord January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025

MASS INTENTIONS January 11<sup>th</sup> St. Mary's + Sheila Mc Ginn

January 12th St. Patrick's

People of the Parish

## **OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS**

St. Patrick's New Year's Collection \$1,045.00

St. Patrick's Initial Offertory \$265.00

St. Mary's Collections TBA



# CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Thank you for participating in this endeavour.

Total weight collected over the campaign totalled 981

pounds. Thank you to everyone for your generosity!!!!



# <u>CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE 2025</u> <u>MEMBERSHIP</u>

CWL memberships for 2025 renewals and new members registration fee is \$35.00 which can be paid anytime now by cheque payable to St Patrick's CWL or Cash. Please see Barb Baird or Maryanne Takala.

# **ELECTRONIC BULLETIN**

If you would like to have an electronic copy of the bulletin sent to your email, please contact Denise at StPatrick.Railton@archkingston.ca



# **2025 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES**

The 2025 offertory boxes are available for pickup at the back of the church. If you do not have an offertory box and would like a box for 2025 please contact the office.



As the dawn breaks on a new year, let us give thanks for all we hold dear: our health, our family and our friends.

Let us release our grudges, our anger and

our pains, for these are nothing but binding chains. Let us live each day in the most loving ways, the Godconscious way. Let us serve all who are in need, regardless of race, color or creed.

Let us keep God of our own understanding in our hearts and to chant God's name each day. Let us lead the world from darkness to light, from falsehood to truth and from wrong to right.

Let us remember that we are all one, embracing all, discriminating against none.

May your year be filled with peace, prosperity and love. May God's blessings shower upon you and bestow upon each of you a bright, healthy and peaceful new year.

## - Rev. Marcy Sheremetta



# <u>Upcoming CWL dates:</u> Sunday, January 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.

Meeting in the parish hall before Mass

# Saturday, January 18th at 11:00am

The Christmas Potluck will take the form of a Potluck Brunch to be held at the Parish Hall



## **Knights of Columbus Bingo**

In the parish hall at 7 p.m. on the following dates: Monday, January 6<sup>th</sup> Monday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>

## Knights of Columbus Hot Dog Sunday January 19<sup>th</sup> after Mass

## St. Patrick School Mass

Wednesday, February 12<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m.



## **LOW GLUTEN HOSTS**

We now have Low Gluten Hosts available, if anyone requires a low gluten host, please see Father Amato before Mass.

Thank you to everyone who shared their Nativities with the parish throughout Advent and the Christmas season.



## PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Please remember in your prayers the following: Father Leo Bryne, Stephen Fink, Cathy Dunne, Janet Behm, Bev Huff, Carla Jackson, Marlayne Roy, Sally Fink, Jamie Myers, Trudie Thurlby, Connie and Mariano Arruda, Joan Griffiths, Mary Baker, Mary Lapratte, Ashley Thompson, Sharon Nolan-Conway, Francine Arsenault, John Beneteau, Charlie and Veronica Barry.

## PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED



You are asked to remember in prayer those recently deceased, especially Darien Rosa.

## **OUR COMMUNITY**

## **Pray with Pope Francis** For The right to an education - January 2025

Let us pray for migrants, refugees, and those affected by war, that their right to an education, which is necessary to build a better world, might always be respected.

Transform the world through prayer and action with the Pope's Official Worldwide Praver Network. https://popesprayerusa.net/

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT BIRTHRIGHT**



Do you want to provide practical positive and assistance to women facing an unplanned or difficult pregnancy? Are you a noniudgmental and individual who wants to make a difference in the life of a woman and her child? Then

come and see and hear what we do at Birthright Kingston. No experience is necessary, and we provide training. Please call us at 613-546-5433 or email info@kingstonbirthright.ca. Visit our website at www.kingstonbirthright.ca

#### VERONICA'S VEIL SHELTER FOR HOMELESS MEN

NO ONE SHOULD HAVE TO SLEEP OUTSIDE IN THE WINTER



OPEN JANUARY TO APRIL 260 BROCK STREET

SEVEN NIGHTS A WEEK FROM 9 PM TO 8 AM

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO STAFF OVERNIGHT

SHIFTS: 8:30 pm - 12:30 am 12:30 am - 4:30 am 4:30 am - 8:30 am

TO VOLUNTEER OR FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Ann at 613-546-5521 Ext 5 or ann@stmaryscathedral.ca

"Just as you did to one of these the least of my brothers, you did it to me" Matthew 25:40

## ST. RITA'S DROP-IN CENTRE

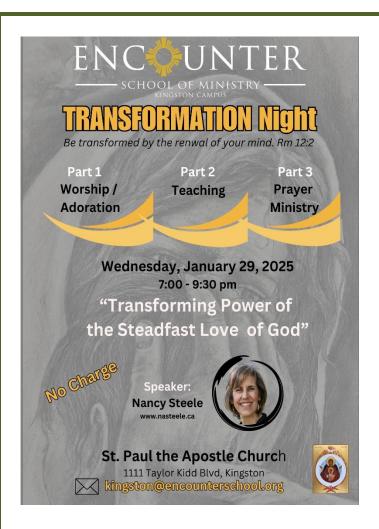
St. Mary's Cathedral Outreach to the homeless and poor of the city. 1:00-3:30 pm, Monday to Friday. Providing safety, great food, showers, and good Christian hospitality and dignity. For further inquiries please email: paty@stmaryscathedral.ca



# THE FRANCISCANS: Is God Calling You?

The Gospel and the "following of Jesus Christ" were not idealistic but rather "dynamic values" for St. Francis and his followers. People

inspired by the Gospel values that they saw in Francis wanted to follow him. These values are the substance of Franciscans today: the Poor Clares, the Secular Franciscans (for women and men, single or married) and of the Friars. Is God "calling" you or "inviting vou be part of the Franciscan mission? Order? Please send an email to Friar Reto Davatz at FrRDavatz@archkingston.ca





St. Patrick's:

Parish Sacristan Anna Wilson

#### **Liturgical Ministries**

Liturgy Committee

Altar Servers Fr. Sebastian Amato Eucharistic Ministers Fr. Sebastian Amato

Eucharistic Outreach
Ushers/Greeters
Lectors
Choir
Fred O'Keefe
Sherri Sagriff
Denise Ford
Kimberly Dowling

Funeral Receptions Jean Myers

St. Patrick's CemeteryBill Flynn & Don Murphy

Screening Committee Pauline Hogan

## **Catechetical Ministries:**

Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation & R.C.I.A. Fr. Amato

#### **Service Ministries:**

Catholic Women's League Maryanne Takala Knights of Columbus Chris Thurgood Rosary Group St. Mary's:

## **Liturgical Ministries**

Altar Servers

Eucharistic Ministers Eucharistic Outreach Ushers/Greeters

Sacristan Nancy Hamilton

Choir

**Funeral Receptions** 

St. Mary's Cemetery Maureen Lavigne

Please contact the parish office is you are interested in any of the parish ministries. Email:

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Find the latest event updates on the archdiocesan website at:

romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/calendar