



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
fr.s.amato@gmail.com

St. Mary's: Fr. Michel Quenneville
fr.michel.quenneville@gmail.com

Deacon Michael Winn
mikewinn2001@gmail.com

Parish Administrator:

Jim Hase
baloo@kos.net

Parish Secretary:

Denise Ford
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St. Mary's Church – Mission
131 Main Street Odessa, ON
K0H 2H0

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.

*Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
November 24th, 2024*

MASS INTENTIONS

November 30th St. Mary's
People of the Parish

December 1st St. Patrick's
+ Vincenza Amato

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

St. Patrick's Sunday Offertory \$1,307.75
St. Mary's Offertory \$615.00

SPECIAL COLLECTION – DECEMBER 2024

Renovation & Maintenance – December 1st
Snow Removal – December 8th

OUR PARISH



NATIVITIES IN THE CHURCH

Nativities will be displayed on the windowsills of the Church from December 1st until January 5th, 2025. If you would like to bring a Nativity, we will be setting up in the Church on **Saturday, November 30th after 1:00 p.m.** If you have any questions, please call Mary Murphy at 613-376-3924.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Our CWL ladies have initiated a food drive for the food bank in Sydenham. Please donate the following items over the next five Sundays. They are to be put in the basket at the Church entrance.

- November 24th – Cereal
- December 1st – Spaghetti Sauce
- December 8th – Brown Beans
- December 15th – Kraft Dinner
- December 22nd – Canned Meats - Tuna, Ham, Salmon

Thank you for participating in this endeavour.



Confirmation registration is now open.

A mandatory parent meeting will take place on **Tuesday, November 26th, 2024** at 7:00 pm in St. Patrick Parish Hall. These meeting won't be longer that 30 minutes.

The meeting will consist of an outline of the program that will be used as well as encouraging you to be supportive of your child and to try your best to be interested in what she or he is doing by participating in preparation for Confirmation. I will also outline the component of parish participation.

If you have a child who has made their first Communion and first Reconciliation and is in grade 7 or 8 or later, it is time to complete their process of being a full member of the Catholic Church. Parents who want to enroll their child for the Sacrament of Confirmation can go to the parish website and download the Registration Form. **You are asked to fill in the required information and include a copy your child's Catholic Baptismal Certificate and bring them to the Parent meeting.**

Please take time to help your child to form a deeper relationship with Jesus. I invite you and your family to participate at Sunday Mass at 11:00am at St. Patrick in Railton or on Saturday at 4:30pm at St. Mary in Odessa on a regular basis. Gathered to worship God as a parish community is the strongest connection to your faith life since it is where the Holy Spirit leads us as the Body of Christ and helps us to grow with others in our relationship with Jesus.

A great benefit for you as a parent is that you will have a spiritually strong bond with your child. It may be a good opportunity for you to learn more about your faith as well since you will be directly involved!

If you and your family attend another parish other than St. Patrick or St. Mary, and you want to celebrate Confirmation there you can contact the Parish Priest of your parish to find out what is involved to prepare for the Sacrament at that parish. Hope to you see at our meeting.

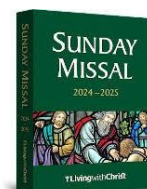
Father Sebastian Amato

Parish Website:

www.StPatrick.Railton@archkingston.ca

SUNDAY MISSALS

The 2024-2025 are available in the parish hall. The cost is \$7.00





CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE – TUK UPDATE

The October shipping boxes are arriving in TUK. Sister Fay is overjoyed with the assortment of articles. She says that people have been very thoughtful in only taking what they need and leaving goods for others. She spoke of one lady who was thrilled with a big, warm, fuzzy scarf and left wrapped, cozy and smiling.

We have shipped 9 boxes with the Canada Post arrangement, a tremendous savings for the CWL. Thank you for your generosity and sharing what you have with the TUK community.

As a special request, Sr Fay has asked if we could send some more warm toques, for men, women or children. Since the darkness and cold have already arrived in TUK, we would like to get a box of toques off to her by mid-November. Sister Fay sends her love and blessings to all.

Brenda Lesperance



UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Knights of Columbus Hot Dog Sunday:

December 15th after Sunday Mass

Knights of Columbus Bingo:

Monday, December 2nd at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall

Knights of Columbus Pancake & Sausage Sunday

December 1st after Sunday Mass

Upcoming CWL meeting dates:

Sunday, December 15 @ 9:30 a.m.

St. Patrick's School Mass at the Church:

Wednesday, December 11th at 10 a.m.

OUR COMMUNITY

TRINITAS ADVENT/CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Sunday, December 8th, 2024 at 3:00 p.m.

CFB Kingston Spiritual Fitness Centre

33 Lundy's Lane, Kingston

Featuring the Trinitas Youth Singers and instrumental music for the season. A perfect length for families with children. Refreshments to follow. Invite your friends and family now to share this annual holiday tradition!

Share our Facebook event:

<https://www.facebook.com/share/THZN3ABjksMgdumM>

VERONICA'S VEIL OVERNIGHT SHELTER FOR MEN

Calling all men! Your help is needed! Veronica's Veil Overnight Shelter for Men will open its third season on January 2nd, 2025 and go until the end of April. Shifts run 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m., 12:30 a.m. to 4:30 a.m. and 4:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m., seven nights a week. Volunteers are needed to staff each of these three shifts. Training will be provided. Volunteers work as a team on each shift, so you are never working alone. To sign up for a shift on either a weekly or a substitute basis or for more information, please contact Ann Lyng at veronicasveil@stmaryscathedral.ca Jesus said: *"Whenever you did this to the least of my brothers and sisters, you did it to me."* (Matthew 25:41)



JOHN FISHER DINNER – NEW DATE

Thursday, February 13th, 2025, 6:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Our Lady of Fatima Parish, 588 Division St., Kingston

Please join CCO missionaries and students from Queen's University for a memorable evening. Come and Hear first-hand testimonies of students who have encountered Jesus personally and are becoming leaders in the evangelization of the world. During the program, an invitation will be made for you to financially support the work of CCO in Kingston. There is limited space, so please register at: <https://eventbrite.ca/e/st-john-fisher-dinner-tickets-1035238314667> Those who registered for the original date are not required to register again.

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. Inquiries: paty@stmaryscathedral.ca

Advent Confession Schedule

Advent Confessions – St. Patrick’s Church

Tuesday, December 10th – 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.
 Wednesday, December 11th – 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

Advent Confessions – St. Mary’s Church

Saturday, December 21st – before and after the Mass

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, Darien Rosa, Connie and Mariano Arruda, Joan Griffiths, Mary Baker, Mary Lapratte, Ashley Thompson, Sharon Nolan-Conway, Francine Arsenault, John Beneteau, Charlie and Veronica Barry.

2025 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The 2025 offertory boxes will be available soon. If you do not have an offertory box and would like a box for 2025 please contact the office.

**Gordon F. Tompkins Funeral Homes Township
 Chapel, Central Chapel and
 Robert J. Reid and Sons Funeral Home**

Will be hosting a
Holiday Memorial Service
 on Sunday, December 1, 2024 at 1:00 p.m.
 from the Township Chapel
 435 Davis Drive, Kingston.
 Refreshments to follow.

Please join us for a time to remember your
 loved one with words of encouragement
 for the holiday season and special music.

Please RSVP by November 25, 2024
 to Gordon F. Tompkins Funeral Home 613-546-5150.

Please bring an item for Food Bank donation.



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<https://popesprayerusa.net/>

St. Patrick’s:

Parish Sacristan Anna Wilson

Liturgical Ministries

Liturgy Committee
 Altar Servers Fr. Sebastian Amato
 Eucharistic Ministers Fr. Sebastian Amato
 Eucharistic Outreach Fred O’Keefe
 Ushers/Greeters Sherri Sagriff
 Lectors Denise Ford
 Choir Kimberly Dowling
 Funeral Receptions Jean Myers
 St. Patrick’s Cemetery Bill 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:

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**Please contact the parish office if 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