

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 <u>fr.s.amato@gmail.com</u>

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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.

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 17th, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS November 23rd St. Mary's People of the Parish

November 24th St. Patrick's + The Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus 12309

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS St. Patrick's Sunday Offertory \$937.00 St. Mary's Offertory \$175.00

SPECIAL COLLECTION – NOVEMBER 2024

The Food Bank Collection is on the weekend of **November 17th.** The money collected in St. Mary's, Odessa is given to the Partners in Mission Food Bank that serves Amherstview and Kingston. The money collected in St. Patrick's, Railton goes to the Southern Frontenac Community Services Corporation (SFCSC) food bank in Sydenham that services the South Frontenac area. This collection is in cooperation with the Knights of Columbus Food for Families program. The Knights contribute an extra \$100 for every \$500 collected locally up to a maximum contribution of \$500. Please give generously as the use of food banks is increasing."

OUR PARISH

SUNDAY MISSALS

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





Congratulations to our First Communicants as they were enrolled into this year's Sacramental Program. Please remember to pray for them.

FUNERAL AT ST. PATRICK'S

The funeral for the late Sheila McGinn will be celebrated at St. Patrick's Church, on **Saturday, November 23rd at 11:00 a.m**. Celebrant is Father Sebastian Amato.



Confirmation registration is now open.

A mandatory parent meeting will take place on **Sunday**, **November 17th**, **2024**, following the 11:00am Mass (approximately at 12:15pm) in the St. Patrick Church building. If you are not able to be there on that day the same meeting content will take place on **Tuesday**, **November 26th**, **2024** at 7:00 pm in St. Patrick Parish Hall. These meetings 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

<u>Parish Website:</u> <u>www.StPatrick.Railton@archkingston.ca</u>

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE - TUK MEMORIAL MASS 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 Sundays:

November 17th & December 15th after Sunday Mass

Knights of Columbus Bingos:

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, November 17 @ 9:30 a.m. Sunday, December 15 @ 9:30 a.m.

St. Patrick's School Masses at the Church:

Wednesday, November 13th at 10 a.m. Wednesday, December 11th at 10 a.m.

Advent Confessions – St. Patrick's Church

Tuesday, December $10^{\text{th}} - 7 \text{ p.m. to } 8 \text{ p.m.}$ Wednesday, December $11^{th} - 1$ p.m. to 2 p.m.

<u>Advent Confessions – St. Mary's Church</u> Saturday, December 21^{st} – before and after the Mass

Thank you to the volunteers who assisted with our Annual Memorial Mass. Also, a BIG THANK YOU to Mary Jean who has cleaned every headstone in the cemetery that can be cleaned, tremendous effort and a big improvement in the looks of the cemetery. Many comments from visitors about the cemetery and headstones are often mentioned.

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.

OUR COMMUNITY

ARCHDIOCESAN APPOINTMENT

Archbishop Mulhall wishes to announce the following appointment, effective 5 November 2024. A. Pastoral Minister: Rev. Deacon Lindsay Reinelt has been appointed to the parish of Sacred Heart of Mary, Wolfe Island, ON.

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

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT BIRTHRIGHT



Do you want to provide practical and positive assistance to women facing an unplanned or difficult pregnancy? Are you a non-judgmental and caring 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 website our at www.kingstonbirthright.ca





St. Joseph's Catholic Church Solemn Vespers and Benediction Sunday, November 24, 2024 4:30 p.m.

Pray and sing the psalms as a community of faith and be blessed for the holy season of Advent.

St. Patrick's: Parish Sacristan Ar

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 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 MinistriesAltar ServersEucharistic MinistersEucharistic OutreachUshers/GreetersSacristanNaneChoirFuneral ReceptionsSt. Mary's CemeteryMau

Nancy Hamilton

Maureen Lavigne

Please contact the parish office is you are interested in any of the parish ministries. Email: StPatrick.Raiton@archkingston.ca

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Find the latest event updates on the archdiocesan website at: romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/calendar