



Sunday, April 28, 2024

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Readings for Next Weekend
 1st Reading: Acts 10.25-26,34-35,44-48
 2nd Reading: 1 John 4.7-10
 Gospel: John 14.23



Homebound Visit
 If you are aware of someone homebound and would appreciate a visit and Communion, please call the office.

SSVP Information
 For assistance, please call 365 404 2000 weekdays 9am – 5pm.

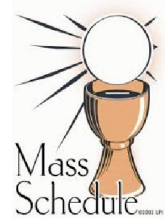


Children's Bulletin
 Parents can access this children's weekly bulletin online to learn about our faith in a fun way <https://thekidsbulletin.com>. Please look out for our Sunday School Spot table at the back of the church. There will be activities, a kindness kid jar, take home colouring sheets and a weekly Father John joke and of course, the lollipop jar. Any Sunday School information will be located there. If you have any suggestions for our family faith formation please contact susan.samulski@gmail.com.

Financial Information (April 20/21)

Offerings	Deposit
Offertory	2,728.00
Mass Stipends	80.00
Choir Appeal	15.00
Candles	302.00
Capital Fund	380.00
TOTAL	\$3,505.00

Mass Schedule & Intentions (April 29 – May 5)
 Monday, Tuesday, April 29/30 – **NO MASS**
 Wednesday, May 1 – 9:00 am
 For John Darcy (RIP) by Esther & Family
 Thursday, May 2
 For Rosaria Filipe (RIP) by Joe & Laurinda Goncalves
 Friday, May 3, 11:00 am – Adoration
 12:00 pm – Mass – Unannounced Intention
 Saturday, May 4 – 2:00 pm – Wilmot Creek
 Saturday, May 4 – 4:00 pm
 For the deceased members of the Cuccio & LaBreque Families by Frank & Pauline Cuccio
 Sunday, May 5 – 9:00 am – Mass for the People
 Sunday, May 5 – 11:00 am
 For Alfred De Cruz (RIP) by Lou Ranin



Easter Flowers
 The beautiful Easter Flowers adorning our Altar are in memory of the deceased family members listed below.

Saturday, May 18, 4pm Mass will be in memory of:
 John & Margaret Baur, Rosa Cecavac, Edward Duff, All deceased family members of the Duff/Wilks Family, Anne Dugas, The deceased members of the Dugas & Hibbs Family, For All who have died (and have no one to pray for them), Margarita Escobar, Adri Fair, Lilly & Hans Gampe, Hedwig Gandor, Renato Gomes & Fernando Gomes, Betty Glavin, Catherine H., Dr. John, Louis Lalonde



Sunday, May 19, 9am Mass will be in memory of:
 Farncomb Legresley, Balfour Legresley, Stefanie Leitmann, Joseph & Theophilia Maziarczyk, Brendan McGrath Sr., Deceased Members of the McKenna & Hadden Families, Maria Jose Medeiros, Antonia Mezzaucella, Lorenzo Mezzaucella, Don Naughton, Gayle Newby, The Deceased members of the Elcome/Newby Families

Sunday, May 26, 11am Mass will be in memory of:
 Gord & JoAnne Nieuwendyk, Joseph O., Julie Owen, Brenda Palewandrem, Albert Pauchard, Angelo Popoli, Daniel Richard & Laurie Richard, Alex & Ellen Smith, James & Isabella Smith, Sylvia Smith, Chester & Wanda Sniechowski, Deceased Members of the van Boxtel & van Lith Families, Manuel Vi Larinho, Bill Wilks, Greg Wilks, Earle Wilson Wong, Al Yaworski

2024 National March for Life

God's promise, "I will never forget you" (Is 49:15), is not only a reminder of his enduring faithfulness, but a call to witnesses to dignity of each person. On Thursday, May 9, join Canadians from all walks of life on Parliament Hill in Ottawa for the 2024 National March for Life and peacefully stand up for the dignity of human life from conception to natural death. The Knights of Columbus are pleased to sponsor a coach bus to Ottawa leaving the St. Joseph Church parking lot at 8am returning at 8pm. Those 12 and under ride free; students pay just \$20, \$40 for all others. Lunch generously provided by Catholic Women's League of St. Joseph Church. Only 28 seats available. Reserve your place or get more information by contacting Michael Feeley at (647) 989 1104 or mjfeeley104@gmail.com or Michael Sullivan at 905 926 4655 or ms@michaelsullivan.ca.



Young Mom's Group!
 We are excited to be extending the invitation to all mothers, especially those with young children who are interested in meeting together for coffee/tea and some fellowship! We hope to share some time together to get to know one another and form friendships in our parish community while the little ones play! Our goal is to meet once a month, on the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 9:30 am (following Wednesday morning Mass) in the parish hall! We will provide a sheet in the gathering room after Mass this weekend for those interested in getting more correspondence about this lovely new group in our community! Any questions contact the parish office.

Birthday Wishes & Prayers

We wish God's Blessings to these parishioners, our loved one's and those who have gone before us celebrating an Anniversary or Birthday or any special occasion in April/May especially...
 Aurora Talusan (RIP), Carlito Lampano, Maureen Rego, Ron Gabriel Delos Reyes, Ronel Delos Reyes, Deacon Doug, Liberty Talusan, Tomas Kovacs, Mikaela Gualandris, Peter & Geraldine Gualandris (Ann), Lisebeth Mendoza, Aurora Talusan (RIP), Ambrose Samulski, Jenna Rego



Life Corner

Did you know that Canada is the leading country in the world for providing Assistance in Dying? Did you know that Canada's abortion numbers were almost 10,000 higher in 2023 than those reported for 2022? May God forgive us! Let us pray for a greater respect for life, and a greater respect for God's deep love of every single person, however young, however old, and with whatever challenges.
 Blessings to all. Choose life.



First Communion Mass

Students have been preparing for and will receive their First Eucharist on **Sunday, May 5, 1:00 pm.**



Knights News

Our Knights of Columbus '40 Cans for Lent' final tally is 2,110.9 pounds collected. The parish came through! We topped the previous year's total by 20%! The cash total was \$2,054.15 donated!