Bulletin - November 27, 2022

1st Sunday of Advent

Advent is a time of spiritual preparation for Christmas – the birth of Christ and the beginning of our salvation. Advent is also a time to renew our Christian commitment by opening our hearts to receive Jesus into our lives. Jesus stands at our door but will not come in uninvited. -Desmond Knowles-

The Sanctuary Lamp burns to remind us of Christ's presence in the Blessed Sacrament.

This week the Sanctuary Lamp burns

FOR THE INTENTIONS OF MAXIME BISONNETTE

If you wish to sponsor the sanctuary lamp for one week the stipend is \$10.00

Please do not attend any Mass if you are experiencing any symptoms such as a stuffy or runny nose, cough, sore throat, fever, headache, pink eye, decreased appetite etc...

Mass Intentions

First Sunday of Advent - November 27, 2022

Sat. Nov. 26 -5 pm - for the people

Sun. Nov. 27 - 9:30 am - Roy Gould (Cecile)

Tues. Nov. 29–9:00 am – Bhai & Suresh Kalipershad (Murielle)

Wed. Nov. 30-9:00 am - Mary Boyle (Jack)

Thurs. Dec. 1–9:30 am – Holy Name School Mass at church

Fri. Dec. 2–9:00 am – Mary Boyle (Jack)

2nd Sunday of Advent - December 4, 2022

Sat. Dec. 3 -5 pm - Basil Brosso (estate) Sun. Dec. 4 - 9:30 am - For the People

Holy Name - Note Cards.

Front includes images inspired by Artist, Mary Obrien, who generously donated her talent to support the Raise the Roof fund. Set of 6 cards available for \$12.00 at parish office or see Pete Scott after 9:30 Mass on Sunday. Insides are blank

This Christmas – You could brighten someone's day by sending them a package of cards as a gift or by using a card to send them a personal note.

<u>Catholic Women's League</u> are collecting new adult undergarments for those in need. There is a box in the entryway where you can place undershirts, underwear and long johns. They are in need of men's and women's medium, large, x-large and xx-large.

St. Mary's Drop-In Centre Looking for Volunteers

260 Brock St Kingston Volunteer your time to help one of our teams: We need your help with staffing shifts, collecting/organizing donations, working at our Community Garden, and fundraising. Our guests regard the church as a safe haven and we continually hear that our loving volunteers make all the difference. We strive to see Jesus in all those who come through our doors (Mt 25:40). We are always in need of more volunteers, particularly to staff the shifts at the Drop-In Centre and to provide pastoral care to our guests. To volunteer, please get in touch with **Paty Velazquez**,

Coordinator. Email: paty@stmaryscathedral.ca; Phone: (613) 546-5521

https://stmaryscathedral.ca/dropincentre/

Blessed Sacrament Snowflake Bazaar

Saturday, November 26th 9:00 am – 2:00 pm 3 Briscoe Street, Amherstview, Ontario Pie table, Bake table, Christmas Table, Raffles and Children's Activities (Children's Activities only until noon). See you there!

Holy Family Parish 12th Annual Holly Jolly Christmas Craft and Bake Sale Saturday, November 26th; 10:00 am – 4:30 pm

St. Francis of Assisi School, 114 Wiley Street, Kingston (entrance off Weller Avenue)

FREE ADMISSION –item for Food Bank welcome. SEVENTEEN CRAFTERS and a DRAW TABLE WITH GREAT RAFFLE ITEMS. Pre-loved JEWELLERY, decorative CHRISTMAS ITEMS and a tempting supply of HOME BAKING. After shopping, enjoy a cash LUNCH with family and friends. Have fun and support our parish at the same time! For further information, please call Sandy at 613-548-3761.

A Service of Marian Lessons and Carols at St. Mary's Cathedral

Sunday, November 27th; 3:00 pm St. Mary's Cathedral (279 Johnson Street, Kingston) During the Cathedral's 175th Anniversary Year, we gather in prayer and expectation to celebrate our patroness.

The Choir of St. Mary's Cathedral; Jeffrey Moellman, director & organist Contemplate the Blessed Virgin Mary's unique role in Salvation History with: Sacred Scripture and commentaries drawn from the writings of Evangelists, saints, popes, religious, and contemporary theologians. Stirring hymns and magnificent choral reflections.



Christmas Concert CHANGE OF DATE
Please note the concert date needed to be moved to
Thursday, December 15th, 2022; 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

St. Joseph Parish (392 Palace Road, Kingston)

You are invited to an afternoon of Christmas music, featuring the local talent of Chris Murphy, Jon McLurg and Noah St. Amand, (of the band, Turpin's Trail) in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 392 Palace Road, Kingston, on Thursday, 1 December 2022, from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Join us, bring a friend, or two, and enjoy two hours of music and fellowship. Refreshments will be served in the parish hall; a free-will offering would be gratefully appreciated. A great way to get in the Christmas spirit!

<u>Regiopolis-Notre Dame Catholic High School Musical Production: The Addams Family</u> December 15th-17th,2022; 7:00pm; Matinee December 17th 1:00 pm

130 Russell Street, Kingston, ON: Regiopolis-Notre Dame is proud to present this year's musical production of The Addams Family. Boasting a cast of 35 students, 14 band members, and 9 crew members, staff and community members have been working very hard with them since September to bring you another fun-filled performance.

There are three evening shows from December 15-17, and one afternoon matinee on December 17. Tickets can be bought online by visiting www.reginotredame.ca. Just click on the link provided. You can click here to be directed right to the ticket sales page. Hope to see you there!

K of C Council 11886's 50/50 Draw (Oct-Dec), purchase tickets NLT 30 Dec

Our Knights of Columbus Council is participating in the 50/50 Ontario (Oct-Dec) 2022) quarterly draw with all councils in Ontario and would greatly appreciate your support in this quarter.

Profits from our portion of council's website patrons will go to **St. Vincent de Paul**. The final draw in the last quarter was about \$16,1200. **Yet, we do not know our profits from this draw.**

As well there are two draws of \$500 and four for \$250 on the first of the second and third month or each quarter. These smaller draws will be conducted on 1 Nov and 1 Dec. You can purchase tickets at the QR code shown or at: the link:

https://ontariokofcraffle.5050central.com/?olc=11886

Tickets prices are as follows: 15 tickets for \$10 (or 66 cents per ticket) 40 for \$20 (or 50 cents per ticket or 100 for \$40(or 40 cents per ticket).

Note: If you apprehensive of buying on-line tickets contact the **Robert Charest 613-547-4731 and Jim Laudanski (613-544-9489) who will buy them**, upon payment when you see him next he will give you the photocopy of the email they received of the tickets.



Pray for Ukraine: Prayer of Invocation to Our Lady of All Nations

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the Father, send now Your Spirit over the earth.

Let the Holy Spirit live in the hearts of all nations
that they may be preserved from degeneration, disasters, and the ravages of war.

May Our Lady of all Nations, the Blessed Virgin Mary, be our advocate.

Blessed Mother, Queen of Peace, pray for the people of Ukraine.

Amen.

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