Bulletin - May 14, 2023

Happy Mother's Day !



6th Sunday of Easter

This gospel is not about easy victories. In the struggle to build a better world we are his instruments, charged with opening ears, eyes and hearts to what is good, true and beautiful in His Kingdom. -Desmond Knowles-

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

FOR A SPECIAL INTENTION

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

Mass Intentions

6th Sunday of Easter- May 14, 2023

13 - 5:00 pm - for the people Sat. May 14- 9:30 am - members of the Catholic Women's League both living and Sun. May deceased Tues. May 16-9:00 am - No Intention Wed. May 17 9:00 am - No Intention Thurs. May 18-9:00 am – No Intention Friday May 19 - Funeral Mass at 10:30 am for Madeleine Reitz Ascension of the Lord- May 21, 2023 13 - 5:00 pm - for the people Sat. May 14- 9:30 am - Matthew Thomas (Joice Thomas) Sun. Mav

- <u>Our Catholic Women's League</u> will be 'selling' Roses at Masses this weekend. The CWL sponsors two families overseas and the funds raised will go to help those families. You will receive a rose for your donation to this worthy cause.

Plant Sale!! Catholic Women's League Plant Sale is back!! The sale will take place after all Masses on the May 20/21 weekend. If you have perennials in your garden that you can split and donate the CWL would be so grateful! You can drop off your donations from the 18th to the 20th and leave them in the parking lot right next to church entrance. Please label with the name of the plant and the colour. Thank you so much for your support!

Rain Barrel Sale Fundraiser by the Knights of Columbus for St. Vincent de Paul.

If you require a rain barrel of 220, 240 or 1000 litre tanks we have the best prices in Kingston. All profits made will go to the St. Vincent de Paul Society who distribute weekday lunches, conduct an emergency food bank, and donate clothing/household goods to the less fortunate. **Sale ends 22 May.** After that contact the email address below for availability.

Visit <u>rainbarrel.ca/kingstonkofc</u>/ Delivery available in Kingston will be determined on a case-bycase basis . **Questions?** Email <u>11886.kofc@gmail.com</u> Need more info? <u>WWW.knightsdeals.ca</u>

BIRTHRIGHT is celebrating Mother's and Father's Day again this year by distributing baby bottles on Mother's Day weekend. If you want to make a difference in this CHANGE FOR LIFE campaign, please take a bottle, fill it with coins, paper money or cheques and return it on Father's Day weekend. The money we raise will enable us to offer positive assistance and aid to pregnant women and girls who find themselves facing a difficult or un planned pregnancy. Thank you for your support. "The Essence of Birthright is Love; and where love is, miracles happen."

9th Annual Fancy Hat Tea Party 2023 (Great Mother's Day Gift!)

Saturday, May 13th; 2-4:00 pm St. Joseph Parish Hall (392 Palace Road, Kingston)

Hosted by the St. Joseph Catholic Women's League in their Parish Hall. Hot tea, savoury bites, mini-desserts and warm scones with homemade jam and thick cream! There are \$10 prizes for the best 5 Hats: Elegant; Colourful; Homemade; Offbeat and Flowery; plus a Silent Auction and Doorprizes! **Tickets are \$20 each** – in advance only – starting May 1st at the Parish Office (392 Palace Rd), weekdays 9am-12pm / 1pm-4pm (e-transfers accepted). AND at the church doors May 6th and 7th, before and after Masses. State any dietary or mobility issues then please. Last day to purchase: Wednesday, May 10th. Questions? Call Susan at 613-547-5004. Come have some fun!

<u>Pentecost Transformation Night (Our Lady of Divine Fire Mission)</u> Saturday, May 27th; 6:30-9:30 pm St. Paul the Apostle Church (1111 Taylor-Kidd Blvd,

Kingston) Join us as we pray for a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the eve of Pentecost, Saturday, May 27 6:30 - 9:30 pm at St. Paul the Apostle Church (1111 Taylor-Kidd Blvd, Kingston). Fr. John Hibbard will speak about the Holy Spirit and the transformation of Pentecost. The evening will also include Adoration, prayer ministry and fellowship. NO CHARGE. <u>https://ourladyofdivinefire.regfox.com/transformation-night-may-2023-pentecost</u>

Totus Tuus Summer Camp 2023 Registration NOW OPEN

Totus Tuus is a Catholic summer camp in the Archdiocese of Kingston filled with faith and fun! Campers will enjoy a week-long summer program packed with skits, songs, games, sports, crafts, and engaging faith activities. For more information on Totus Tuus and for the registration link, please visit our webpage: <u>https://romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/totustuus</u>. If you have any questions please contact <u>totustuus@archkingston.ca</u>. Regular registration open until June 30th.

Pilgrimage to Italy, France, Spain & Portugal September 18th – October 2nd, 2023

Under the spiritual leadership of Fr. Cosmas Ajawara. 15-day pilgrimage from September 18 – October 2, 2023. Cost: \$4,990.00 (Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal departure, incl. taxes & tips). For further information contact International Heritage Tours – 1-877-999-8868 or email Stan – <u>stan@ihtours.com</u> or Liliana – <u>liliana@ihtours.com</u>

<u>Multicultural Food Festival</u> Sunday, June 11th, 2023; 12noon – 3:00 pm St. Paul the Apostle Parish Hall & Outdoors (1111 Taylor Kidd Blvd. Kingston, ON)

The CWL & Knights of Columbus have collaborated to host a Multicultural Food Festival to showcase the many countries represented at our parish! Taste foods from around the world. Enjoy music, a fun photo booth, and a craft corner for young/old alike. All proceeds go towards the parish fundraising efforts. Admission by Goodwill Offering.

Save the Date: "Concrete Ways to Renew Practices of Family Holiness" (Free Webinar from CCCB)

Saturday, June 3rd, 2023; 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm We are pleased to invite you to a free (and open to all) webinar hosted by the CCCB Office for Family and Life, as part of our ongoing national networking workshops. This webinar is intended for anyone involved in dioceses, eparchies, parishes, or family groups that accompany couples and families in faith.

The webinar will be presented by Msgr. Philippe Bordeyne, President of the John Paul II Pontifical Theological Institute for the Science of Marriage and the Family, Rome, Italy. It will be recorded for later broadcast and presented in French with simultaneous English translation. **Registration link coming soon.**

Accompaniment and the Good Death

June 10, 2023; 9:30 am - 2:00 pm

St. Paul the Apostle Parish Hall (1111 Taylor Kidd-Blvd, Kingston)

You are invited to attend a conference on end-of-life issues sponsored by the Archdiocese of Kingston. A time for accompaniment, discernment, and respect for human dignity. **Speakers:** Archbishop Michael Mulhall; Dr. Leonie Herx, MD, PhD, CCFP (Palliative Care Specialist); Deacon Bill Gervais, BA, MDiv, DMin (Former Director of Pastoral Care at HDH). Admission is free, but registration is required, and space is limited. Please register by Monday, June 5, by calling Elisabeth at (613)548-4461, or by email: religioused@archkingston.ca. Lunch is provided. Please indicate if you have any food allergies.

Annual Chicken Barbecue and Raffle Saturday, July 8, 2023; 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm Annunciation o the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish Hall (66p Church Road, Enterprise) We are sponsoring our annual Chicken Barbecue and Raffle on Saturday July 8, 2023 at the Parish Hall, 669 Church Rd., Enterprise, ON. Serving will be 4 to 7 pm rain or shine. Mass will be at 4 pm. Prices \$18 Adults; \$12 students age 6-13, Free for children 5 and under. All are welcome. Music will be provided, Raffle draw and Silent Auction table available. Come for a wonderful dinner and great entertainment.

St. John the Evangelist 150th Anniversary Celebration

Sunday, August 20, 2023; 11:00 am Mass 3529 Flinton Road, Flinton

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Flinton will be celebrating their 150th Anniversary on August 20th. Mass is at 11:00 am and a light lunch will follow at the Flinton Recreation Centre on 72 Edward Street. Please RSVP by August 6th if you plan to attend the lunch, by contacting Maude at 905-449-2160, or by email <u>stjohntheevangelist3529@gmail.com</u>