Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time MASS SCHEDULE

God has given us the victory through Jesus Christ Saturday, March l

4:00 – 4:30 p.m. Confessions 5:00 p.m. For For Barbara, Cazimier,

Yvonne & Gregory Wierzbicki

Sunday, March 2

9:00 a.m. For Cesar "Tet" Aguirre 11:00 a.m. For the People

Monday, March 3

10:00 a.m. For the Intention of Bill Wright

 Tuesday, March 4

 8:30 a.m.
 For Bernardo (Ben) LaDuca

 9:00 – 9:20 a.m.
 Confessions

 5:15 p.m.
 Mass

Ash Wednesday, March 5

9:00 a.m. For Nathan Freeburn5:30 p.m. For the People7:00 p.m. For the Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, March 6 -Sts Perpetua and Felicity

8:30 a.m.For Eden Llegado Lavandere4:30 – 5:00 pm. Confessions5:15 p.m.For Francois Bellerose

Friday, March 7

10:00 a.m. Mass **7:00 p.m. Adoration**

<u>Saturday, March 8</u>

4:00 – 4:30 p.m. Confessions 5:00 p.m. For the People

Sunday, March 9

9:00 a.m. For Sixto Villena 11:00 a.m. For Pal Soni

Join livestreamed Mass Sundays at 9:00 a.m. on our website StPaulTheApostle.com

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

You are asked to remember in prayer those recently deceased *Carmo Fernandes, Harriett Hill and Bren Eric Gunn*

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Please remember in your prayers the following: Aiden Bedard, Samara Lively, GF Miller, Lynn Bales, Tony Waller, Matilda Sarzotti, Linda MacKechnie, Mateo Miguel, Claudette Winchester, Sean Sayle, Debra Milette, Elwood Hodgin, Maricel and Maverick Kian Andres, Andrew Asselstine, Frances Campbell, Ken Burns, Thomas Callery, John Callery, Jagat Soni, Joyce Bauan, Florentina Soriano, Fhely Catapang, Harry Gurney and Aunna Polywkan.

If there are members of your family or friends who are ill or recently died, and for whom you wish prayers, please contact the parish office at 613-389-8222

GOSPEL REFLECTION

The Gospel today picks up from last Sunday, which urged us not to judge (that is, condemn) others and to love even our enemies. Today, we are reminded of the reason why. We are blind guides. Our judgment of others comes from a blindness to our own faults. It predisposes an attitude that we are perfect and others are not. Sometimes our intolerance of others arises from our own lack of accepting our own faults. Christ's anecdote is to look inward and see our need for conversion and know the forgiving love of God. We must train ourselves to give thanks for the good things that come from God, including our own life and abilities. Therefore, as we examine our own life, attitudes and behaviour, let us be award of the Lord's loving forgiveness, lest we be overwhelmed by our sinfulness. Recognizing that we are sinners helps us to accept the imperfections of others.

CONFIRMATION PARISH SESSIONS BEGIN:

Session 5: March 2 at 12:15 pm or March 6 at 6:30 pm

JUBILEE YEAR 2025

In addition to calling the Church to renewed vigor through repentance and acts of faith, hope and charity, each Jubilee Year has a particular focus. Pope Francis has designated this Jubilee with its motto: Pilgrims of Hope. After the effects of the pandemic and unsettled condition throughout the world, he writes: "We must fan the flame of hope that has been given us and help everyone to gain new strength and certainty by looking to the future with an open spirit, a trusting heart and far-sighted vision. ... This will indeed be the case if we are capable of recovering a sense of universal fraternity and refuse to turn a blind eye to the tragedy of rampant poverty that prevents millions of men, women, young people and children from living in a manner worthy of our human dignity. Here I think in particular of the many refugees forced to abandon their native lands. May the voices of the poor be heard throughout this time of preparation for the Jubilee, which is meant to restore access to the fruits of the earth to everyone." [Letter of Pope Francis]

REQUESTED A BOX OF ENVELOPES?

Please check in the gathering space for your box of envelopes and take them home.



ST PAUL'S YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Impact for Grades 5 -8, Wednesday in the Parish Hall @ 6:30 pm contact: youthimpact@stpaulkingston.com

IGNITE High School Group generally runs on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month in the Parish Hall @ 7:00 pm, contact: **ignite@stpaulkingston.com**

YOUTH IMPACT

We will be collecting socks again for Socks Kingston as our Lenten Project. Socks Kingston collects and donates socks to those in need within the city. Any new and unused socks (men's and women's) are greatly appreciated. Starting March 8th bring in socks! We will continue collecting until April 16th. Thank you for your support!

Please pray for Pope Francis and his recovery to ministry as the successor of St. Peter.



We unite in prayer as a global faith community, standing in solidarity for Pope Francis' healing. Grant the Catholic Church strength, unity, and hope as they

navigate this time of uncertainty. May faith be renewed, and may hearts be drawn closer to You.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

World Day of Prayer is Friday, March 7, 2025. On this day we will join other Christians around the world to pray for peace and justice. This year's theme is "I Made You Wonderful" (Psalm 139:1-18). Edith Rankin Memorial United Church at 4080 Bath Road will host a service and fellowship, for the Kingston West churches. The service will begin at 1:30 pm in the church's Sanctuary and a social gathering will follow in their Welcome Center. All areas are accessible, and all are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Michelle Iliescu at <u>eiliescu@cogeco.ca</u>.



Wednesday Night Reflections from Archbishop Mulhall:

St. Mary's Cathedral (279 Johnson Street) We have begun our Wednesday 7:00 pm spiritual reflections in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament again, I look forward to you joining me.

<u>Steubenville 2025</u> June 27-29, 2025

Franciscan University of Steubenville, Ohio

St. Michael's Parish in Belleville is organizing another trip this year for teenagers to attend their youth conference, and opening this opportunity for youth across the archdiocese. Patrick Bailey is the coordinator. For more information, please contact him at 613-921-5236 or by email <u>bailz77@yahoo.com</u>

Jubilee Year of Hope Pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes, Rome

and Assisi Please join Father Justin Pulikunnel and Father Shawn Hughes who will travel November 5 to November 17 to Europe to receive the great graces of pilgrimage in this Jubilee Year. For further information please do not hesitate to contact Ann Lyng at ann@stmaryscathedral.ca

<u>School of Identity (Our Lady of Divine Fire Mission)</u> Friday, March 7; 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm & Saturday, March 8; 8:15 am - 4:00 pm Holy Name of Mary Parish Centre (7288 Old Hwy 2, Marysville, ON)

A learning opportunity to help you grow in your identity as a beloved son or daughter of God. Learn about personal transformation, intimacy with God and hearing his voice. living the supernatural life and being baptized in the Holy Spirit! Registration required. Regular admission \$30, Couples \$50, Students \$20 (Lunch INCLUDED) Registration and details at: https://ourladyofdivinefire.regfox.com/2025-school-of-identity

The son of a long-time parishioner at Holy Family Parish

is in urgent need of a living liver transplant. He is the father of four young children and requires type O blood. The liver is an amazing organ that quickly rejuvenates for a living donor. <u>Information about the Living Donor Program at</u> https://www.uhn.ca/Transplant/Living_Donor_Program If you might consider this special act of generosity and love, please call Donna at 613-547-0062.





Whole 40: Making a Spiritual Plan for Lent

Sit down with Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Elizabeth Klein to discuss the purpose of the season of Lent, how to prepare for it, and why it is such a fruitful season in our life of faith.

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