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Oct 4/5 EM	B Prystai J Reed	J Melbourne L Coffey	R Macaulay J Langabeer	Oct 25/26 EM	S Langton J Andrews	J Reed Lise DeAraujo	H Dean M Hamilton				
Lector	R O'Connor	D Bellwood	J Sosiak	Lector	G Stuart	T Barrett	E Goyer				
Oct 11/12	J Muldoon C Yantha	R Ferrante L Head	MA Chapelle B Enright Miller	Nov 1/2 EM	MC Shannon S O'Brien	S HarttBond J Melbourne	R Macaulay J Langabeer				
Lector	B Prystai	V Williams	J MacAlister	Lector	M T Truaisch	K Holtz	R McCullough				
Oct 18/19	D Maloney J O'Neill	P Bellwood BA McGrath	D Hall J Sosiak	Nov 8/9 EM	J McKenna G Iasenza	L Coffey R Ferrante	MA Chapelle B Enright-Miller				
Lector	D Langille	A Garland	E Payette	Lector	C Yantha	P Finnigan	A M Georgekutty				

USHERS FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER
Sat. 5:00pm D Maloney, A Bernard, H Brennan
Sun. 9:00am B Brownson, L Coffey, R Brennan, M DeAraujo
11:00am A Johny, G Fair, M Saju, Praveen Raj

Our **Prayer Network** has more than 100 people praying every day for our parish, for those who are sick and for special intentions. If you would like to have the Prayer Network pray for you or your loved one, call or e-mail the parish office.

 **Remember in Prayer:** All who are ill, including Maria Andolsek, Nancy Barre, David Bartok, Lynn Barton, Jan Bernard, Thomas Bowland, Darren Borchardt, Eldon Burchart, Theresa Carr, Joan Chesser, Elizabeth Cooney, Maureen Corrigan, Rayne Cote, Cathy Cournier, Marion Dolan, Marleen Donaldson, Holly Finkle, Paul Frechette, Tara Gandier, Elvira Gonzales, Nancy Grace, Dr. Mary Gwizdale, Jean Haslam, Ron Harrison, Mandy Hunt, Steve Hunter, Noreen Kehoe, Mary Korchouski, Douglas Livingston, Francis Mahoney, Anne Marr, Laura Medeiros, Richard Morton, Kathy Mulder, Timothy Myers, Brenda Nishimura, Bill Oliver, Jeffrey Parsons, Nicholas Pineau, Jack Rizzo, Wendy Robeck, Bert Roseblade, Genevieve Rumsey, Barry Smith, Camilla Summers, Ronald Swift, Adele Murphy Surowiec, Christel Stolpman, Keith Vallier, Joyce Willemson, Cory Young, Marion Yank, Joan, Anna, Lynn, Bert R. and Janet M.

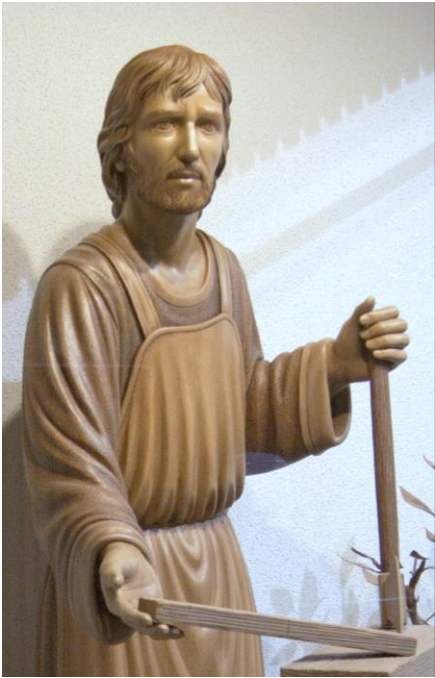
✠ **Please pray for the repose of the souls of** Bill Brady, Rita Quinn, Tony O'Connor, Leo Corrigan, David Fry, Bea Mutton, Brian Henry, Gerry Bibby, Tina Ialacci, Sean Morrissey, Roberto Savini, Brenda MacPhearson, Maurice Villeneuve, Al Corre, Pat McGillen, Steve Corfe, Terry and Maureen Burke, Elaine Webb, Bruna Battistella, Glenda Flesch, Doug Bray, Noreen Hynes, Bernice Ryan, Phillip Ainsworth, James McCauley, James Weldon, Bill McAuliffe, Heather McGrath, Chris Kelly, Karen McPherson, Theresa Dillio, Brian Whalen, Ron Gregoire and Laura Medeiros.

USHERS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER
Sat. 5:00pm J Reed, C Sugden, J Muldoon, A Froment
Sun. 9:00am M Finnigan, R Metzloff, B Rivers, _____
11:00am D Hall, C Hayey, G Morrissey, _____

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Please remember St. Joseph Church in your will***

St. Joseph Church

† Rev. Rod McNeil - Pastor † Deacon Bill Garland †



**INTENTIONS: for Week of October 26, 2025
THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Saturday 5:00 PM Tony O'Connor
Sunday 9:00 AM The People of the Parish
11:00 AM Sean Morrissey
Monday 9:00 AM Jene Kleinschroth
Tuesday 9:00 AM Alan Corre
Wednesday 9:00 AM Charles Hamilton

- No Mass Thursday and Friday -

Saturday 9:00 AM All Saints Day

**INTENTIONS: for Week of November 2, 2025
ALL SOULS' DAY**

Saturday 5:00 PM Dominic DiTomaso
Sunday 9:00 AM The People of the Parish
11:00 AM Deceased Members of the Goncalves
12:00 PM Instillation of Knights of Columbus
Council #16308

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Sacraments:
Anointing of the Sick - Upon request
Marriage - at least 6 months' notice
Baptism - Call Father Rod to arrange
Reconciliation - Saturday from 4:15 to 4:45 pm

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 26, 2025



Today is Hospitality Sunday - Stop into the parish centre after **9am and 11am Sunday Masses** and enjoy some refreshments and some spooky snacks and an opportunity to socialize with your fellow parishioners!

Getting Our Kids Ready for the Sacraments - Confirmation will take place Tuesday, November 25, 2025 at 7pm. Students who are in grade 7 and have made First Reconciliation and Holy Communion are encouraged to be Confirmed, completing the process of initiation into the Catholic faith.

First Communion parent meeting is this **Tuesday, October 28th at 6pm** in the parish centre. If you have any questions, please call Fr. Rod, (613)968-9950.



Rosary during October: In the month of October, we honor Blessed Mary as the mother of Jesus and our Heavenly Mother. The Rosary will be recited before each weekday Mass at 8:40am in October.



Thanks to everyone who attended our recent purse auction and helped make it such a success! We raised \$3,130.00 which was divided between St. Vincent de Paul store,

Gleaners Food Bank and Hospice Quinte.

Offertory: Sep 28th - \$ 4,265.00
Oct 5th - \$ 5,190.00
Oct 12th - \$ 3,606.75
Oct 19th - \$ 5,625.90
Thanksgiving - \$ 2,095.25
Autodeposit for the month of October - \$ 6,910.00
Diocesan Collections \$ 2,665.00

Dates to Remember

Oct 25/26th - **Today!!** Bundle Sunday & Hospitality Sunday
Tue, Oct 28th - St. Vincent de Paul, 9:30am
Tue, Oct 28th - First Communion Parent Meeting, 6pm
Sun, Nov 2nd K of C Installation of Officers, 12pm
Fri, Nov 14th - Confirmation Retreat, 9:30 - 2:30pm (PA day)
Sun, Nov 16th Cards & Games, 1pm
Thurs, Nov 20th - Providence Associates, 10-12
Sat/Sun Nov 22/23 - Holy Land Wood Art
Thurs, Nov 27th CWL Potluck, 6pm



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE SUNDAY IS THIS WEEKEND- October 25th & 26th, before and after weekend Masses. It's time to clean out your closets and donate those items you no longer use. The St. Vincent truck will be in our parking lot to accept your donations. Please help fill the truck with gently used items, (small appliances, clothing, household items, outerwear, etc.) To arrange pick up of large donations, call the store (613)966-8005. Remember all your donations will stay in our community to help the needy in this area. Volunteer drivers needed. Please call the store if you can help.

Attention: Adults seeking Baptism and full communion with the Catholic Church: RCIA meetings will begin at St. Joseph Church Wednesday, September 17th from 7 to 8pm in the parish centre. Meetings will continue each Wednesday. Zoom Meetings will be an option when needed. Speak to Deacon Bill or Fr. Rod for details.

Holy Land Wood Art Sale - Bethlehem's Christian community relies on selling handcrafted olive wood religious artifacts to visiting pilgrims, forming its primary income. Declining tourism has hit them hard in recent years, leading some Christians to leave The Holy Land, posing a threat to key sites like the Church of The Nativity. Mark your calendars for **November 22nd & 23rd** when we are hosting a sale featuring beautiful artifacts. Your purchase will contribute to strengthening the Christian presence in The Holy Land. Blessings, Jenny - Holy Land Wood Art. Contact: 647-292-4462 or jihanwoodart@hotmail.com.

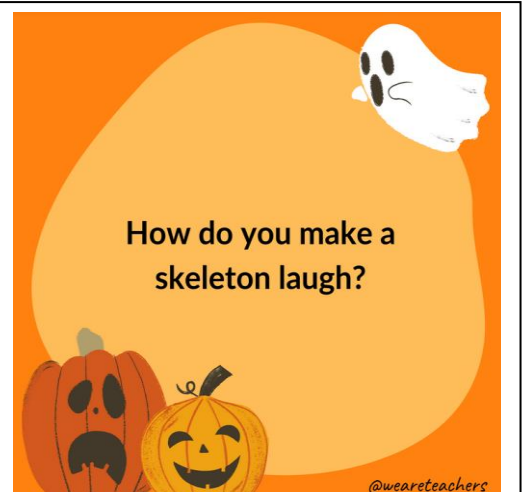


Junior Liturgy takes place each Sunday during the 9am Mass. Children aged 4 to grade 3 welcome. New volunteer leaders are always welcome. (training provided/screening required).

Church Children's Activity Bags: 10 bags with quiet activities for children have been created and will be in a bin at the main doors of the church. Please feel free to grab one at the beginning of Mass for your children (one per family please). Please return bags and all contents at the end of Mass. Evaluation forms are located beside the bin at the middle doors of the church near the bookcase. Thank you in advance for your valuable input.

St. Joseph Good Works – 7% of your offertory donations are set aside to aid local, national, and international charitable causes. Recent donations included: \$1000 to Eastminster Church for their meal program, \$1000 to Gleaners Food Bank, \$1500 to Hospice Quinte, \$2000 to Belleville St. Vincent de Paul Society Thrift Store, and \$1000 to St. Francis Xavier Church in Attapiskat First Nation to help with the rebuild of their church which was destroyed by fire.

Blessed Sacrament Snowflake Bazaar - 3 Briscoe Street, Amherstview, Saturday, Nov 15, 9am – 2pm. Join us for a festive day featuring local crafters, a Bake Table, Christmas Shoppe, fun Children's Activities, a Soup 'n Sweets luncheon, and a tempting Pie Table!



How do you make a skeleton laugh?

Tickle her funnybone!

Upcoming Pilgrimages

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. Please see the attached information and registration forms. For further information please do not hesitate to contact Ann Lyng at ann@stmaryscathedral.ca

Monthly Meeting for Holy Rosary Franciscan Fraternity - First Thursday of the month: following 5:30 pm Mass at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Parish (169 North Park Street, Belleville). Come and See! Holy Rosary Franciscan Fraternity gathers monthly on the 1st Thursday, following 5:30pm Mass at Holy Rosary. ALL are welcome!



Stretch and Flow Yoga Class - Tuesdays & Thursdays, 4:30pm - St. Joseph parish centre. This one-hour class is designed for people of all ages! Perfect for those who want to add more flexibility and strength into their weekly routine. Led by Olivia, who is a certified instructor, with years of experience. Drop-in fee is \$10 per class or save when you pay \$40 per month. Come and join us every Tuesday & Thursday at 4:30pm. **Don't forget to bring your mat.**



Gleaner's Food Bank needs your financial and food donations to provide hope to those in need during these tough times. Please remember there are bins at each of the church doors for **Gleaners** non-perishable food donations. Please be generous to those less fortunate. We must all pull together to fight hunger as food costs continue to rise.



Communion for the Sick: As part of our parish's outreach to the sick, we bring Holy Communion to people who are unable to make it to Mass. If you or someone you know would like to receive Communion in their home, contact the parish office 613-968-9950.



The Jubilee 2025 edition of Journey is now available from the Journey website:
<https://romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/journey>

Spiritual Reflections with Archbishop Mulhall - Wednesdays; 7pm, St. Mary's Cathedral (279 Johnson Street, Kingston). We will be reflecting on the Beatitudes of St. Matthew's Gospel Chapter 5 as well as a series of Psalms of the Old Testament which we pray each day at Mass. We will also give time to the liturgical celebrations of Lent/Easter as we pass through the year. It is good to remember that there is no starting point or end point as in a series of lectures or an academic course. The Lord, in whose presence we will pray together will always provide the grace, consolation, and strength that we need to make steady progress in our life of faith.

Prison Ministry Opportunity – Dismas Information Evening Dismas Fellowship offers monthly gatherings that provide hope and community for those returning from prison. St. Joseph's Parish, Kingston, is exploring the potential for starting this ministry locally. An information evening will be scheduled soon. To express interest or learn more, contact Mary Jo: religioused@archkingston.ca 613-548-4461 ext. 115
www.dismasfellowshipnetwork.com

Hospice Quinte makes a tremendous impact in our community every day by providing comfort and support for individuals and families living with a terminal illness or coping with grief and loss. Our programs and services are provided at no charge, and we rely on the generosity of community support and donations to keep providing these vital services. Making a donation to Hospice Quinte's programs and services is the greatest, most meaningful way to say "Thank You!" and to ensure compassionate care remains available at no cost. You can make an online donation to Hospice Quinte in honour of a loved one, or become a lifetime doner, host a fundraiser or provide a "Day of Care". Please visit Hospice Quinte website for more information <https://hospicequinte.ca> By donating, you are enhancing hospice palliative care and bereavement support services for our region.

St. Joseph's Good Works fund is financed by your donations to the parish. Every month 7% of the offertory is deposited to a separate fund and the money is used to support local, national and international charities. We recently made donations to Grace Inn Shelter, Gleaner's Food Bank, Hospice Quinte, St. Joseph School and St. Francis Xavier in Attawapiskat First Nation, (Hearst-Moosonee Diocese). St. Francis is one of the churches that was burnt to the ground in April, 2021 and they have been rebuilding a new church. Thank you everyone, for your generosity which enables us to help others.

Associates of the Sisters of Providence of St. Vincent de Paul meet on the third Thursday each month at St. Joseph Church, Belleville. Associates are united and inspired by the charism, spirituality and mission of the Sisters of Providence of St. Vincent de Paul by sharing a common call to compassionate service. No meetings in the summer. Sessions will begin again in September. For more information, phone 613-544-4525 ext 148 or visit www.providence.ca/associates

Parish Council Members:

Pat Finnigan - Chair
Bonnie Molinski - Secretary
Roy Goodridge - Knights of Columbus representative
Jan Sosiak - Catholic Women's League representative
Bill McAuliffe (RIP)
Harry Holtz
Bob Fair
Mourasia Duffus
Helen Lynn MacIntosh
Lou Vigna
Shelly HarttBond
Patricia Hamilton
Curtis Hayes

The Franciscans: Is God Calling You? - The Gospel and the “following of Jesus Christ” were not idealistic but rather “dynamic values” for St. Francis and his followers. People inspired by the Gospel values that they saw in Francis wanted to follow him. These values are the substance of Franciscans today: the Poor Clares, the Secular Franciscans (for women and men, single or married) and of the Friars. Is God “calling” you or “inviting you to be a part of the Franciscan mission? Order? Please send an email to Friar Reto Davatz at FrRDavatz@archkingston.ca.

FORMED St. Joseph Church now has access to this Free Catholic Resource! **FORMED** is now **FREE** to everyone within the parish boundaries of St. Joseph Church, our gift to you! Visit: **FORMED.org/signup**. Type our parish postal code **K8N 2E7** or **St. Joseph Church, Belleville** to bring up our parish name. Click on it. Register your name and email and you are in! This parish-sponsored “**Catholic Netflix**” has approximately 4000 resources for every age. Movies, children's programs, and a wonderful variety of DVDs, audiobooks, ebooks, etc. Check it out! Use your browser, or download the app on Android or Apple devices, Roku, FireTV and Apple TV.

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The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul - <https://www.ssvp.ca> - A lay Catholic organization whose mission is to live the Gospel message by serving Christ in the poor with love, respect, justice and joy. St. Vincent de Paul store, as well as the committee are in need of volunteers. If you can spare some time on a regular basis, please call the store, (613)966-8005.

Faith on Fire Prayer Weekly Prayer Meetings - The “Faith on Fire” Prayer meetings have resumed on Tuesday evenings and continue weekly from 7 – 8:30pm on Zoom. All are welcome to join us for prayer and teachings as we seek to grow in the Lord. Please email Maame Addai at faithonfirekingston@gmail.com for the Zoom link.

Our Lady Seat of Wisdom College - Our Lady Seat of Wisdom College is a faithfully Catholic liberal arts college in Barry’s Bay, Ontario, offering a three-year Bachelor of Catholic Studies degree. Small class sizes and a strong academic program set students up for success in the classroom and in all future pursuits. Faculty take their Catholic faith seriously and profess an oath of fidelity to the Magisterium of the Church. A vibrant campus life, men’s and women’s residence houses, and ample spiritual opportunities create a Catholic culture that forms the whole person. Students build life-long friendships, and often discern their vocations. The tuition is affordable, and financial aid is available. There are still spots available for 2023-2024! Please visit www.seatofwisdom.ca.

Ministry of Accompaniment - Resources and events supporting the Ministry of Accompaniment can be found on the Archdiocese of Kingston webpage <https://romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/accompanimentministry>

The Archdiocese of Kingston Announces On-line Support Resources for the following:

WORKSHOPS available from the Archdiocese of Kingston - **Children’s Liturgy - Lectors and Communion Ministers - Pastoral Care**. Please visit our website romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/religious-education for details on each workshop. **For more information on any of these workshops, please contact Mary-Jo MacKinnon-Simms at religioused@archkingston.ca or by phone at (613)548-4461 ext. 115**

1) **Newman College** offers a number of certificate courses in a virtual format that are open to adults and youth. These courses can be taken individually or as part of Certificate Programme in Catholic Studies. Check out their website for more information. If you have any questions, please contact Mary-Jo MacKinnon-Simms by email at maryjo@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca or call 613-548-4461 extension 115. <https://www.newman.edu/CCS>

2) **The New Directory for Catechesis** was released in 2020. It provides universal guidelines and norms around catechesis and evangelization. It emphasizes the importance that each baptized person has a missionary call to find new ways to communicate the faith through Mercy, Dialogue and Witnessing. Check out these resources for more info or to order a copy: https://en.novalis.ca/search?q=The*+New*+Directory*+for*+Catechesis*

The Bishops of Canada, as a tangible expression of their commitment to walk with the Indigenous Peoples of this land along the pathway of hope, are making a nationwide collective financial commitment to support healing and reconciliation initiatives for residential school survivors, their families, and their communities. Click the links below to read more about the Apology recently issued and the National Financial Pledge: [CCCB NATIONAL FINANCIAL PLEDGE \(Sept. 27, 2021\)](#) [CCCB APOLOGY TO INDIGENOUS PEOPLES \(Sept. 24, 2021\)](#)

If you would like to contribute to St. Joseph Church on a monthly basis by Automatic Debiting of your account please print the form below and attached a VOID cheque and send to St. Joseph Church or drop it in our mailbox at the rectory door. We will set it up for you. Thank you for your support. You can also e-transfer a donation at stjosephchurch.payment@gmail.com

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