

## HOLY MASS

### Sunday, April 24, 2016 Fifth Sunday of Easter Jubilee day for Youth.

READINGS: Acts 14.21b-27 Psalm: 145  
Revelation 21.1-5a Gospel: John 13.1, 31-33a, 34-35

#### Saturday, April 23 - 4:00 pm

Offered for: Joseph Jacobs – Memorial Mass  
Requested by Dr. Danielle Dubuc & Staff  
Altar Servers: Calvin, Cora and Cruz Gibson  
Lectors: Connie Thompson and Nidia Dejung

#### Sunday, April 24 – 10:00 am

Offered for: Ian Seymour – 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
Requested by the Family  
Altar Servers: Megan and Philip Roundpoint.  
Lectors: Bernice Lazore and Cheryl Jacobs

#### Tuesday, April 26 – 6:00 pm

Offered for: Cecelia Ransom – 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary  
From the funeral collection

#### Wednesday, April 27 – 12:10 pm

Offered for: Emily Allen – 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary (April 16)  
Requested by the Family

#### Thursday, April 28 – 12:10 pm

Offered for: Lucas Tarbell – Memorial Mass  
Requested by Allen Montroy

#### Friday, April 29 - 12:10 pm

Offered for: Daniel McDonald – 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary  
From the funeral collection

#### Saturday, April 30 - 4:00 pm

Offered for: Simon King Sr. – 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
Requested by Brenda & Family  
Altar Servers: Calvin, Cora and Cruz Gibson  
Lectors: Norma Sunday and Jenny Dejung

#### Saturday, April 30 – 6:30 pm

#### Tsiionkwanonhsote Adult Care

Offered for: Bernie St. Louis – Memorial Mass  
Requested by the Families  
Altar Servers: Megan and Philip Roundpoint

#### Sunday, May 1 – 10:00 am

Offered for: Josephine Angus 23<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary,  
Theresa & Marie Angus – Memorial,  
Lori Ann Jarvis – Memorial,  
Ray, Steven, Kaygen & Randy – Memorial  
Requested by Jack Angus & Family  
Altar Servers: Calvin, Cora & Cruz Gibson  
Lectors: Children and Youth

### Pope Francis' message for Young People

The Church is celebrating the Holy Year of Mercy, a time of grace, peace, conversion and joy. It is meant for everyone: people of every age, from far and near. There are no walls or distances which can prevent the Father's mercy from reaching and embracing us. The Holy Door is now open in Rome and in all the dioceses of the world.

This grace-filled moment also concerns you, dear young people. I encourage you to take an active part in this celebration and to realize that each of you is a child of God (cf. 1 Jn 3:1).

The Jubilee is a year-long celebration, in which every moment becomes a chance for us to grow in holiness. It is a time when we can discover that life together as brothers and sisters is like a great party, perhaps the most beautiful party we can imagine, the endless party that Jesus has taught us to celebrate by his Spirit. The Jubilee is the party to which Jesus invites us all, without excluding anyone.

"Merciful like the Father". This is the theme of the Jubilee, but it is also the prayer we make for all of you as we welcome you in the name of Jesus. To be merciful means to grow in a love which is courageous, generous and real. It means to grow physically and spiritually. You are preparing to be Christians capable of making courageous choices and decisions, in order to build daily, even through little things, a world of peace.

Yours is a time of life which is full of amazing changes. Everything seems possible and impossible all at once. I repeat what I said to some of your friends: "Remain steadfast in the journey of faith, with firm hope in the Lord. This is the secret of our journey! He gives us the courage to swim against the tide. Pay attention, my young friends: to go against the current; this is good for the heart, but we need courage to swim against the tide. Jesus gives us this courage! With him we can do great things: he will give us the joy of being his disciples, his witnesses. Commit yourselves to great ideals, to the most important things. We Christians were not chosen by the Lord for little things; push onwards toward the highest principles. Stake your lives on noble ideals" (Homily at the Conferral of the Sacrament of Confirmation, 2013).

Don't be taken in by the messages of hatred or terror all around us. Instead, make new friends. Give of your time and always show concern for those who ask your help. Be brave and go against the tide: be friends of Jesus, who is the Prince of Peace (cf. Is 9:6). "Everything in him speaks of mercy. Nothing in him is devoid of compassion" (Misericordiae Vultus, 8).

I realize that not all of you can come to Rome, but the Jubilee is truly for everyone and it is also being celebrated in your local Churches. You are all invited to this moment of joy. Don't just prepare your rucksacks and your banners, but your hearts and your minds as well. Think carefully about the hope and desires you will hand over to Jesus in the Sacrament of Reconciliation and in the Eucharist which we will celebrate together.



### The Lord's Prayer

Ta kwa ien ha, ne, ka ron hia ke, te si te ron, a ie sa sen na ien, a ie sa wen ni ios ta ke, a ie sa wen na rak wa. Ta kwa nont, ne, ken wen te, ia kion he kon, nia te wen ni se ra ke, sa sa ni konr hen, ne ion kwa ri wa ne ren, tsi ni iot, ni, i, tsi on kwa ni konr hens. O the non, ion ki ni konh rak sa ton, non kwe; to sa, a ion kwa sen ni, ne ka ri wa ne ren, ak we kon, e ren, sa wit, nio tak sens. NE NE KA NA KE RAH TSHE RA, NE NE KA SATS TENH SE RA, KA IA TA NE HRA KWAH TSHE RA, SA WEN'K NON:WA NOK TSI NEN:WE – E THO E THO NA IA WEN.

### Jubilee Year of Mercy – April 24 – Fifth Sunday of Easter and Jubilee Day for Youth

This Sunday's "Youth Jubilee" previews July's World Youth Day in Krakow. Its theme from Matthew 5:7, "Blessed are the merciful," echoes Pope Francis' warning that "the practice of mercy is waning in the wider culture." In countercultural witness, therefore, "the time has come," says Francis, "for the Church to take up the joyful call to mercy once more. It is time to return to the basics and to bear the weaknesses and struggles of our brothers and sisters." Jesus affirms the same in today's Gospel. "As I have loved you, so you also should love one another" (John 13:34). Francis concludes, "The Church's very credibility is seen in how she shows merciful and compassionate love." Jesus too asserts, "This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another" (John 13:35). Thus mercy "makes young" the Church, the world, and everyone. "Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope" (Misericordiae Vultus, 10).

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### Feast of St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen – April 24

Mark Roy was born in Swabia (Germany) in 1578. He held doctorates in philosophy, canon law and civil law, and served as a tutor to nobles in France, Italy and Spain. Known as the 'lawyer of the poor,' he gave up practicing law to enter the Capuchins in Freiburg, Switzerland, in 1612; he accepted the name Fidelis of Sigmaringen. A dynamic preacher, he was appointed by the Congregation for the Propagation of the Faith to preach to the Calvinists in Switzerland. He met with much resistance and was assaulted and slain in 1622. He is a patron of lawyers.

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Please remember in your prayers all who are ill at home, in the hospitals, and in the nursing homes -- especially Cecilia Sylvester, Marie Casey, Michael Herne, Julia David, Kevin Phillips, Florabelle Anderson, Debbie Bero, Robert Sunday, Francis Cree, Sandra Terrance, Everett Lazore, Hilda Herne, Norman Tarbell, Clyde Cree, Chico Arquette, Larry Rourke, Larry Pyke, Esther Thompson, Laurie Connors, Sheila Oakes, Sheila Ransom, Mae Tarbell, Florence Benedict, Beatrice Cole, Charlotte Lazore, Marjorie Thompson, Hubert Jock, Jerry Thompson, Marjorie Lazore, Anthony Jackson, Mae Thompson, Isabelle Rourke, Robert Boots, and all others who need our prayers.

*We pray for all those who have died, especially Joseph Benedict. May his soul rest in peace. AMEN.*

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Do you like spending time with children? The Early Childhood Development Program of the St. Regis Mohawk Tribe is seeking elders to spend time in classrooms of children age 5 and under. If interested, please call 518-358-2988, for more information.

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Welcome our newest Church community members: Ellah Joan Mitchell-Cole and Jace Michael Lazore as they receive the Sacrament of Baptism. God Bless them and their families.

### Parish Ministry Meetings

*@ St. Kateri Tekakwitha Center*

Parish Council	April 27 – 5:00 pm
Finance Council	May 18 – 4:30 pm
Liturgy & Faith Ministry	May 4 – 5:00 pm
Music/Choir Ministry	May 14 – 9:30 am
Altar & Rosary Society	May 1 – 12:30 pm
Maintenance Committee	May 18 – 4:30 pm
Fundraising Committee	April 25 – 5:00 pm
Knights of Columbus	May 19 – 7:00 pm
Kateri Circle	May 1 – 4:00 pm

*(at Hogsburg/Akwesasne Fire Dept.)*

### Collections for April 10, 2016

\$468.38 US      \$478.47 CDN

**Confirmation class:** next class Wed., May 4, 6:00 pm at St. Kateri Center. **First Communion class:** next class is Thurs., April 28, 6 pm at St. Kateri Center. All students should be attending all classes and attend Mass on the weekends.

**CAMP GUGGENHEIM (Saranac Lake):** Registration for Camp Guggenheim 2016 is now open! For youth age 12 – 18. If interested, please contact Laura Morris for additional information.

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Next Baptism Seminar: Tues., May 10 at 5:30 pm at St. Kateri Center. The child(ren) must be pre-registered with a copy of their Birth Certificate.

**Devotional Candles:** Large candles and votives are available for a donation of \$10.00 or \$1.00, if you wish to light a candle for a loved one, living or deceased, to honor for healing, or as a memoriam.