

HOLY MASS

Sunday, May 8, 2016 Ascension of the Lord

READINGS: Acts 1.1-11 Psalm: 47
Hebrews 9.24-28; 10.19-23 Gospel: Luke 24.46-53

Saturday, May 7 - 4:00 pm

Offered for: Ann Terrance & Ashley Gray – Memorial Mass
Requested by Dr. Danielle Dubuc & Staff
Altar Servers: Megan and Phillip
Lectors: Caroline Peters and Bella Dejung

Sunday, May 8 – 10:00 am Ascension of the Lord

Offered for: All Mothers Living and Deceased
Altar Servers: Calvin, Cora and Cruz
Lectors: Irving Papineau and Judy Cole

Tuesday, May 10 – 6:00 pm

Offered for: Darlene Oakes – Memorial Birthday (May 4)
Requested by Herbie Oakes and Family

Wednesday, May 11 – 12:10 pm

Offered for: Antoine Delormier – Memorial Birthday
From the funeral collection

Thursday, May 12 – 9:30 am

Tsiionkwanonhsote Adult Care

Offered for: Evelyn Delormier Sr. – Memorial Mass
Requested by Dr. Danielle Dubuc & Staff

Friday, May 13 - 12:10 pm

Offered for: Marianne Cook – 4th Anniversary (May 5)
Requested by God-daughters Liz and Daisy

Saturday, May 14 - 4:00 pm

Offered for: James Mearl Jacobs – 40th Anniversary, and
Elma 'Elmie' Jacobs – Memorial Mass
Requested by Naomi & Francis Lazore & Family
Altar Servers: Megan and Phillip
Lectors: Harold Caldwell and Janine Rourke

Sunday, May 15 – 10:00 am

First Communion Celebration

Offered for: Irene Bero Monture – Memorial Mass,
and Julius Cook – Memorial Birthday
Requested by Leona Cook & Family
Altar Servers: Calvin, Cora and Cruz.
Lectors: First Communion candidates

PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY - BLESSED MOTHER MAY.
St. Kateri Center @ 5 pm; Sweetgrass Manor –
Common Room in Kanatakon at 6 pm; Tri-District
Elders Lodge on Kawehnoke at 6 pm; and
Homemakers in Snye at 6 pm. Everyone is
encouraged to pray the rosary.

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF JESUS INTO HEAVEN

As we contemplate the mystery of the Ascension, may we bear joyful witness to the Lord's resurrection, His loving presence in our midst, and the triumph of His kingdom of life, holiness, and love. (Pope Francis).

Joy is the mark of a true Christian, who should be a living ALLELUIA from top to toe! This joy is a fruit of the presence of the Holy Spirit, promised by Jesus before His ascension into heaven. "You will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses . . . to the ends of the earth."

The disciples returned to Jerusalem after the Ascension and gathered with Mary, the Mother of Jesus to pray for nine days, awaiting the coming of the Holy Spirit. Let us join them in a Novena from Ascension day to Pentecost Sunday, to beg the Holy Spirit to form in us the fruits of His presence: Charity, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Goodness, Generosity, Faithfulness, Modesty, Self-control, and Chastity.

COME, HOLY SPIRIT, FILL THE HEARTS OF YOUR FAITHFUL AND ENKINDLE IN THEM THE FIRE OF YOUR LOVE. SEND FORTH YOUR SPIRIT AND THEY SHALL BE CREATED, AND YOU SHALL RENEW THE FACE OF THE EARTH.

LET US PRAY. O GOD, YOU TEACH THE HEARTS OF THE FAITHFUL BY THE LIGHT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT. GRANT THAT BY THE GIFT OF THE SAME SPIRIT, WE MAY BE ALWAYS TRULY WISE AND EVER REJOICE IN HIS CONSOLATION THROUGH CHRIST OUR LORD. AMEN.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

We offer Holy Mass today for all Mothers, living and deceased. May Our Blessed Mother Mary enfold them in her love. Let us remember especially elderly mothers who are a blessing to be cherished.

PRAYER FOR AGING MOTHERS

Lord, we beg you to bless mothers who are suffering today from loneliness, illness, poverty, or depression. Guide those who must let go of their homes, possessions, health, and independence. Remind them of Your presence through their children who come to their assistance. Give these mothers and their children the wisdom to make sound decisions and the strength to accept them. Fill their relationships with love, understanding, and compassion. Let memories flow to warm their hearts. Let joy bloom each day of their lives. Amen.

DIVINE MERCY NOTICE

The Jubilee of Mercy is a reminder of God's abundant compassion for each and every human being. May this celebration of His love and forgiveness remind us that God's mercy will always be greater than sin.

During this Easter time, here at St. Regis Church, Jesus is waiting in the person of his consecrated priest to absolve our sins. Confession times are 3:00 - 3:45 PM on Saturdays; and 9:00 - 9:45 AM on Sundays.



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 – May 8 – Ascension of the Lord.

As the liturgical year – and this Jubilee Year of Mercy – unfolds, we reflect on what Jesus' ascension meant for the first disciples and means now for us. Stay in Jerusalem, Jesus had instructed, awaiting "the promise of the Father. In a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit. You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, throughout Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth" (Acts 1:4-5, 8). Despite Jesus' absence, they wait "with great joy . . . continually in the temple praising God" (Luke 24:52-53). But as we join them, waiting and worshipping, the enduring challenge – theirs and ours – is delivered by "two men in white" (Acts 1:10). In every age, disciples must stop looking at the sky, head down the mountain, and go back into the world, "commissioned," says Pope Francis, "to announce the mercy of God, the beating heart of the Gospel," inviting everyone to find "in our parishes, communities, associations and movements . . . wherever there are Christians . . . an oasis of mercy" (*Misericordia Vultus*, 12).
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WE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND DECEASED

Mary, Help of the Sick, be close to Cecilia Sylvester, Isabel Rourke, Mae Thompson, Marjorie Lazore, Marjorie Thompson, Laurie Connors, Sheila Ransom, Sandra Terrance, Emily Papineau, Hilda Herne, Julia David, Marie Casey, Mae Tarbell, Esther Thompson, George White, Mitch Smoke, Robert Thompson, Everett Lazore, Larry Pyke, Larry Rourke, Clyde Cree, Robert Boots, Francis Cree, Lisa Jacobs and Madeline Papineau.

Mother of Mercy, lead all souls to heaven, especially those in most need of your mercy, the recently deceased: Wilfred Bova, Charles Cook, Tammy Oakes, Debbie Bero, and TJ Jackson. Comfort those who have lost their loved ones. Amen.

Weekend Pilgrimage to Notre Dame de Quebec and St. Anne de Beaupre Shrine – June 25 & 26, 2016. The pilgrimage includes a Mass for all First Nations at 11:00 am at St. Anne Shrine. If you are interested in attending, please contact Caroline Peters – 518-319-6280; 613-575-2610; 613-575-2341m ext, 3269. This is a wonderful trip for the family.

INSPIRE: Called to Love

Bishop LaValley invites all Catholics to **INSPIRE: Called to Love**, the Vocations Summit of the Diocese of Ogdensburg. The Summit will take place on Sunday, September 25, 2016, from 10:30 am to 5:00 pm at the Olympic Arena Complex in Lake Placid. Everyone attending are requested to register online at www.inspirecalledtolove.com. Forms are available at the entrance of the Church for those who do not have access to a computer.

Parish Ministry Meetings

@ St. Kateri Tekakwitha Center

Parish Council	(to be announced)
Finance Council	May 18 – 4:30 pm
Liturgy & Faith Ministry	June 1 – 5:00 pm
Music/Choir Ministry	May 14 – 9:30 am
Altar & Rosary Society	May 14 – 1:00 pm
Maintenance Committee	May 18 – 4:30 pm
Fundraising Committee	May 10 – 5:00 pm
Knights of Columbus	May 19 – 7:00 pm
Kateri Circle	June 5 – 4:00 pm

(at Hogansburg/Akwesasne Fire Dept.)

Collections for May 1, 2016

\$511.97 US \$518.13 CDN

Confirmation class: next class Wed., May 11, 6:00 pm at St. Kateri Center. **First Communion class:** next class is Thurs., May 12, 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 memorium.

Mother's Day is a beautiful reminder in our society to honor and remember our mother (living and deceased), especially our Holy Mother Mary. Please use the envelope for your remembrance offering. Names will be read during Communion on May 8th.