

HOLY MASS

Sunday September 14th 2014
Exaltation of the Holy Cross
READINGS: Numbers 21.4-9, Psalm 78
Philippians 2.6-11 Gospel John 3.13-17

Saturday September 13th 4:00pm
Offered for: Mose Mitchell
Requested by the family

Sunday September 14th 10:00am
Offered for: Agnes, Alex, Sam and Roxanne Garrow
Requested by the Garrow family
Bruce Edward Thomas 14th Memorial Birthday
Requested by the family

Tuesday September 16th 6pm
Offered for: Stanley Francis 3rd Memorial Birthday
Requested by the family

Wednesday September 17th 10:00am
lakhisotha
Offered for: Cody Sunday 10th Anniversary
Requested by Jamie, Dicki, & Cheyenne Sunday

Thursday September 18th 12:10pm
Offered for: Viola Rourke
Requested by the Balcom Family

Friday September 19th 12:10pm
Offered for: Martha Faye Lafrance 3rd Anniversary
Requested by the family

Saturday September 20th 4:00pm
Offered for: Nancy Hopps 13th Anniversary
Requested by Vernon Hopps

Sunday September 21st 10:00am
Offered for: Gerald Thompson 1st Anniversary
Requested by wife and family

Church Cleaners
Niawenkowa to Donna's team
September 17th Lisa's team
September 24th Connie's team
Show your love for the church, help us **Keep the Lord's House** clean and tidy. Please call to sign up your team. 613-575-2753
In the case of Funeral on your Mass intention day it will be said the following Mass. Including lakhisotha or Tssionkwanonhsote Masses.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Next Baptism Seminar
Every third Thursday of the month
September 18th 4:00pm
Must be pre-registered
Please call the rectory for the application forms

Parish Meetings

Finance Council	September 20 th 9:00am K.H.
Parish Council	September 24 th 5:00pm K.H.

Regular Sunday Collections
For the week of September 7th 2014
CA \$ 402.15 US \$811.41

Faith Ministry	October 1 st 6:00pm K.H.
Liturgical Ministry	October 8 th 5:30pm K.H.
Youth Ministry	September 12 th 5:30pm K.H.
Communications Ministry	September 17 th 5:00pm K.H.
Family Ministry	September 25 th 5:00pm K.H.

EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Following the news these days is not an easy or comfortable activity. The gifts God has given us to nourish our bodies and our spirits—water that refreshes, earth that is fruitful, air that is clean—we have squandered and continue to squander. It is a time when parents feel terrible anxiety for their children's future, the sick and the elderly worry about what will happen to them, and the fate of the poor, the marginalized, and the powerless seems bleak in this harsh, fearful and self-centered climate. Yet none of this is necessary, we could make different decisions. But, we don't. The future looks hopeless and many of us, feeling small and helpless to do anything about it, fall into a kind of apathy and despair about the world. So we simply shrug our shoulders, give up and look away. John's Gospel today offers a message that stands out like a shining light in this paralyzing darkness. Our world, this damaged, suffering, neglected, bleeding world, is loved! And we, both the authors and the victims of our choices, we, who have acted out of selfishness, greed, foolishness, blindness, and just plain wickedness, are not only loved, but can be saved, made worthy again of God's gifts, and given another divine gift: Life that is inexhaustibly rich and meaningful. It's there for us right now. We simply need to turn to see it.

Patrick Gallagher, Toronto, ON



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 ra kwa ke, non wen tsia ke, tsi ni iot, ne, ka ron hia ke, kie sa wen na rak wa. Ta kwa nont, ne, ken wen te, ia kion he kon, nia te wen ni se re ke, sa sa ni konr hen, ni on 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.



Financial Information

Repeat Announcement (first announced in the bulletin of 17th August 2014)

Our Needs: We are in need of some office equipment like a new standard photocopier (about a thousand dollars), desktop computer for the Administrator's office (500 dollars). Whoever could help us or whatever donation that could be made in this regard is welcome with appreciation. Feel free to talk with me or call anytime (613-575-2753)

- Meanwhile Esther Jock has made a donation of \$100 (one hundred) dollars towards this office equipment project. We are grateful to her.
- Do you know that one other way to support our Church is to include her in your will?

FEAST OF THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS
"We adore You, O Christ, and we praise You because by Your Holy Cross, You have redeemed the world!"

We pray for all those who are bearing the cross of illness, especially Laurie Connors, Anne Terrance, Sandra Terrance, Clyde Cree, Eva Seymour, Gabriel Mitchell, Chester Thompson, Catherine Cook, Michael Smoke, Gus MacDonald, and Betty Swamp. Strengthen and console all in our nursing homes and hospitals, all undergoing dialysis and surgery this week, and our brothers and sisters throughout the world who suffer from war, violence, famine, and oppression. Lord grant Eternal rest unto the souls of John "Sweets" Thompson and Linda Oakes Hale; and to all our deceased relatives and parishioners.

WHY THE CROSS?

Why the cross? Because Jesus takes upon Himself the evil, the filth, the sin of the world, including the sin of all of us, and He cleanses it -- He cleanses it with His blood, with the mercy and the love of God. Let us look around: how many wounds are inflicted upon humanity by evil! Wars, violence, economic conflicts that hit the weakest; greed for money that you can't take with you and have to leave. When we were small, our grandmother used to say, "A shroud has no pocket." Love of power, corruption, divisions, crimes against human life and against creation! And-- as each one of us knows and is aware-- our personal sins: our failures in love and respect toward God, toward our neighbor, and toward the whole of creation. Jesus on the cross feels the whole weight of the evil, and with the force of God's love, He conquers it. He defeats it with His resurrection. This is the good that Jesus does for us on the throne of the cross. Christ's cross embraced with love never leads to sadness but to joy -- to the joy of having been saved and of doing a little of what He did on the day of His death. (Words of Pope Francis)

The Food Bank – items needed

Baby food,	juices all flavors	canned milk
diapers,	cold cereals	baby formula
oatmeal	canned veggies	canned meat
flour, sugar	potatoes	pasta sauce
rice	macaroni	spaghetti
egg noodles	crackers	canned fruit
can soup	mac & cheese	canned ravioli
baby wipes	hamburger helper	dry soup
crackers	garden veggies	peanut butter
baby powder	stove top stuffing	ketchup
mustard	mayonnaise	

We thank all the anonymous donors to our Food Bank. If you know anyone who would like to donate a working refrigerator, please have him/her call the rectory 613-575-2753. If you need someone to come and pick up donated groceries please give us a call.

Niawenkowa- Thank you

Leadership Weekend 2014

The Office of Youth Ministry is pleased to be offering a Leadership weekend at Guggenheim for teens in grades 9-12. We will be meeting the weekend of October 3-5. The weekend will include various workshops on being a dynamic leader, liturgies, penance service and much more. The registration fee will be \$40. We are only taking 60 teens so sign up quickly. All information can be found at: www.rcdony.org/Youth Click on the "events" tab.