

HOLY MASS

October 6, 2013 – 27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

LET US WORSHIP AND BOW DOWN.

READINGS: Habakkuk 1.2-3; 2.2-4 2 Timothy 1.6-8, 13-14
Psalm 95 Gospel: Luke 17.5-10

Saturday, October 5th – 4:00 pm

Offered For: Martha Lafrance – Memorial Mass.
 Requested by husband, Bucky Lafrance & Family

Servers: Justin, Nidia and Jenny

Reader: Bella Dejung

Sunday, October 6th – 10:00 am

Offered For: Charlotte Cole – Memorial Mass
 Requested by Daughters.
Servers: Konwanatison, Kaniiontonkwas & Amanda
Reader: Bernice Lazore

Tuesday, October 8th – 7:00 pm

Offered For: Frank Cook – Memorial Mass

Wednesday, October 9th – 7:30 am

Offered For: Dorothy and Michael Caldwell – Memorial Mass
 Requested by son, Roger Caldwell

7:00 pm HOLY HOUR in spiritual preparation for
 Saint Kateri Tekakwitha's Canonization Anniversary

Thursday, October 10th – 7:30 am

Offered For: Leslie Paul Cree – Memorial Mass

Friday, October 11th - 7:30 am

Offered For: Richard Louis Herne – 3rd Anniversary Mass

Saturday, October 12th - 4:00 pm

Offered For: Elizabeth and David Thompson
 Requested by Vernon Hopps

Servers: Thomas, Albert and Justin

Reader: Harold Caldwell

Sunday, October 13th – 10:00 am

Offered For: Joseph Rourke – Memorial Mass
 Requested by daughter, Gail Rourke
Servers: Nathan, Konwanatison and Kaniiontonkwas
Reader: Janine Rourke & Amanda Rourke

* NIAWENKOWA / THANK YOU *

To all the Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers, Readers and volunteers. Your valued contribution is much appreciated.

Thank you to all our Volunteer Church Cleaners.

Last Week: Team # 2 – Donna Arbour's team.
Your help is always appreciated! God Bless you!
Oct. 9th – Team #5 – Millie Cook & Cook Family
Oct. 16th – Team #6 – Lisa Tarbell's Team

PARISH MEETINGS

Finance Council	October 12 th – 9am The Pastor's Residence
St. Regis Mission Kateri Circle	First Monday Every Month At Kateri Hall at 6:30 pm
Akwasne Kateri Prayer Circle	First Friday every month. 5:00 pm Meeting (Potluck)
Faith Formation Ministry	Wednesday – Nov. 6 th – 6 PM
Communications Ministry	Wednesday – Oct. 9 th – 5 pm
Youth Ministry	Wednesday – Oct. 16 th – 6 PM
Liturgical Ministry	Wednesday - Oct. 23 rd – 6 PM
Family Life Ministry	Wednesday – Oct. 30 th – 6 PM

FINANCE COUNCIL

COLLECTIONS	CANADIAN	US
Weekend	\$457.40	\$605.53

REMINDER: Any and all fundraising events held in order to raise funds specifically for the benefit of the St Regis Mission, and its programs, must be approved by the Finance Committee before such an event can take place. All fundraising events must include the official logo of the Saint Regis Mission clearly indicated on all correspondence (tickets, newspaper ads, etc.)

FALLEN LEAVES FUNDRAISING - The St Regis Catholic Church finance committee is selling fallen leaves in memory of your loved one. Each leaf is \$10 and you may enter as many names on the leaf as you wish. The leaves will be displayed on a memory tree at the church for the Mass on Saturday November 2, 2013 at 4 pm. The money raised from this fundraising activity will be used to help pay for fuel costs for the church and rectory. Contact any finance committee member to purchase a leaf.

SANCTUARY LAMP

HONORING YOUR LOVED ONE.

Our memorial candles burn 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, as a constant prayer vigil for your loved one. Therefore, you are invited to light a Memorial Candle to honor loved ones who are deceased, for the sick, for troubled families or person, for healing and recognition. Please call Shari at 613-575-2753 to reserve one of these memorial candles.

This week the candles are lit in prayer for:

Arthur Bova, by his daughter, Lori Bova.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Next Baptism Seminar is scheduled for October 17, 2013. Please call the Pastor's Residence to obtain an application form and for more information.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

CONGRATULATIONS on receiving the Sacrament of Marriage on October 5th, 2013 to Cheyanne Sunday and Jason Gray. God bless you both for a lifetime of happiness.

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.

THIS SUNDAY'S REFLECTION

LET US WORSHIP AND BOW DOWN. Jesus often uses dramatic language to make a point, as he does today: "We are worthless slaves..." Slaves! But we are God's children! Yes, blessed and gifted – and also given responsibilities and held accountable. We must use well the gifts we have received. The Lord will want to know what we have done to build up God' kingdom. We do what we have to do: follow our Master. We use our gifts as they should be used – for our Master's business. Think about the image in the first reading. In a time of violence and injustice, Habakkuk is told to make a sign that shows God's will, a sign that can be seen by a runner passing by. No doubt many runners pass by our churches. Are we a sign to them? What about those who take time from the busy running of their lives to come inside? What signs do we present to one another? Do we show forth God's kingdom in our midst? We are gifted with so much from God – all so that we can build up the kingdom. We are called to feed the hungry, respond to those in need, take a stand against injustice. Are the signs visible that we are doing these things? Let us notice and give thanks for the signs of the kingdom in our midst. And let us nurture them. *Dinah Simmons, Halifax, NS.*

PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK & ELDERLY

PRAY THE ROSARY EACH DAY OF OCTOBER, THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY
A PRAYER FOR OCTOBER 7, 2013 FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY

O Queen of Homes: by the power of the Rosary we beseech you to embrace all the members of our family in the love of your Immaculate Heart. May you abide with us and we with you, praying to you while you pray for us. May you preside in our homes as once you did at Nazareth with Jesus and Joseph, filling them with the holiness of your presence and inspiration.

O Queen of Peace: it is you who have placed the Rosary in our hands. It is you who bid us to recite it daily. By the power of the Family Rosary we beseech you to obtain peace for us--peace within our hearts, our homes, our country, and throughout the world. Through the daily recitation of the Family rosary we beg you to keep sin from our souls, enmities from our hearts, and war from our nation. By the graces received from the devotion of the Family Rosary we pray to be made helpful to one another in following the paths of virtue so that we may be found worthy to be called children of your family, children of your home. Amen.

During the month of the Holy Rosary, let us pray the rosary each day for all who are in need of Our Blessed Mother's help in our parish and in the whole world. May Mary, Health of the Sick, help Thomas Thompson, Gordon Caldwell, Ted Mitchell, Josephine Peters, Cassidy Oakes, Felicia Jock, Yvonne Miller, Wally Jacobs, and all the residents of our nursing homes.

We pray also for families who are mourning the recent death of loved ones, especially for the parents of baby Kenlynn Rayne Oakes-Philips.

HOLY HOUR in spiritual preparation for St. Kateri Tekakwitha's Canonization anniversary will be on Wednesday, October 9 and 16 at 7:00 pm in the Church. All are invited to join in prayer to reflect on the theme "How much have I grown in Faith since the Canonization of Saint Kateri Tekakwitha?" **An Anniversary celebration in Saint Kateri Tekakwitha's honour** will be on Sunday, October 20th, 2013 with Holy Mass at 10:00 am. Bishop Marcel of Cornwall will preside over our Thanksgiving Mass. Please offer a warm Welcome as this is his first visit to our Church. **Additional information** regarding the celebration is detailed on the insert. The insert will be updated as the special day draws nearer.

NEWS / INFORMATION / UPCOMING EVENTS

Welcome Home - Father Jerome has returned from his vacation and will be resuming in our parish beginning October 5, 2013. Please welcome his return, and we pray for him.

Weekday Masses – in Church will resume Tuesday, Oct. 8th, 2013.

Church Choir – next practice is Sunday, Oct. 6th at 2:00 pm in the Church. New members are always welcome.

Sister Christine's new contact information. 518-358-2680, or by mail at 1817 Route 95, Apt. 8, Bombay, New York 12914.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL – next meeting is Saturday, Oct.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

First Communion classes for children in Grade 2 are now in session at the Kateri Hall beginning at 6 pm. Registration is still being accepted. For children in Grade 7 and above, who have not made their Confirmation, the tentative start date is October 13, 2013. Registration is now being accepted. All children are encouraged to attend Sunday masses at 10:00 am and participate in the Children's Liturgy. A sign-in sheet will be available at the entrance of the Church. Please sign-in weekly.

Children's Liturgy Program - Schedule

Oct. 6, 2013 – Team # 4 – Sandra Rourke & Janine Rourke
 Oct. 13, 2013 – Team # 5 – Angie Sunday & Liz Sunday

Children are required to assemble at the entrance All sessions are held in the Sacristy during Sunday Holy Mass. Your volunteerism to our children is greatly appreciated. Niawen.