

# Fifth Sunday of Lent

Mass Schedule –Apr 2-10

#### 5th Sunday of Lent Saturday Apr 2

Frank & Betty Cosgrove ~ Cosgrove Family 9:00 am

Howard Farrell ~ Mary Hamilton 11:00 am Sunday Apr 3 4th Sunday of Lent

For the People of the Parish 11:00 am Brian Houlahan~ Lorraine Houlahan

Tuesday Apr 5

9:00 am

4:30 pm June Bourgeau ~ Larry Pilon

WednesdayApr 6

9:00 am Paul Kelly ~ Brian Brosso & Family

Thursday Apr 7

12:00 pm Everett Bowes ~ Pennett Family

Friday Apr 8

Teresa Shafer ~ Shirley Kindellan 9:00 am Holy Adoration & Benediction 9:30 am

Stations of the Cross 7:00 pm

Saturday Apr 9

5:15 pm Harold Valliquette ~ Mary Valliquette

Sunday Apr 10 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the

Lord

INTS: Jimmie Doyle ~ 9:00 am

Jack & Judy & Noel Punnett & Elise Filion

11:00 am For the People of the Parish

Mass Requests: stjohnperthmass@gmail.com or Parish Office

### MEETINGS - Two Weeks at a Glance

Most St John Meetings are held in the St John Narthex.

Thu Apr 7 9:30aSJCHS Mass

7:00p First Confession, St John Church

Sat Apr 9 4:30 pm ~ Take Out Only! The Table New!

> Community Dinner at St. James Anglican Church

Wed Apr 13 7:00p KOC, Local 3531 meeting, 15 Church

15 Church - Parish Meeting Centre - remains closed for Weddings, Funeral receptions, and Parish Meetings.

Sun. Offering: Mar 27 \$4875 ~ Thank you for your contributions!

### **PRAYERS**

In your prayers, please remember the sick. In your prayers, please remember the deceased including Arlene Dean mother-in-law of Dawn Strome.

### In need of prayer? Jesus, I trust in You

Contact: Parish Office

Connect with our strong prayer warriors, Father Charles, Father Brian, or one of our Parish Prayer teams through the Parish Office (for St John's Pastoral Care, CWL, or KOC Prayer group). Jesus, I trust in You.

# Pray for Ukraine: Prayer of Invocation to **Our Lady of All Nations**

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the Father, send now Your Spirit over the earth. Let the Holy Spirit live in the hearts of all nations that they may be preserved from degeneration, disasters, and the ravages of war. May Our Lady of all Nations, the Blessed Virgin Mary, be our advocate. Blessed Mother, Queen of Peace, pray for the people of Ukraine. Amen.

#### SACRAMENTS & MASSES

#### **Mass of Chrism**

St Mary's Cathedral, Kingston, ON

Tue., Apr. 12th, 10:30AM

Archbishop Michael Mulhall will preside and bless the Oils for the sacramental life of the Church. All Priests and Deacons of the Archdiocese will renew their commitment to service.

# **Sacraments: Registration & Important Dates**

Grade 2 (1st Rec. & 1st Com.) & Grade 6 (Confirmation)

Parish Office: 613-267-1043

Register online: stjohnperthontario.com/Sacraments

#### Confirmatino Formation Meeting ~ Apr 10 Sun. 12:10pm

3 Sacramental Preparation Meetings (Parent & Candidate)

• 1st Communion: St John; Sun. 12:10p - Apr 24th; & May 15th

First Confession: Thu. Apr 7<sup>th</sup>, 7pm, St Johns

First Communion: May 28-29<sup>th</sup>, Weekend Masses St Johns

### PARISH FEATURE & FOCUS

Today, Jesus saw a lonely, frightened woman, manipulated by cruel, self-righteous men for their own sinister ends. Jesus saw the potential for change, and he accepted her totally.

We will find a great deal of happiness and peace in our lives if, on the one hand, we can really grasp the attitude of God to the sinner, and if, on the other, we can make that attitude our own in our relationship with others.

Let us be guided always by this Scripture: "Do not let resentment lead you into sin; the sunset must not find you still angry. Do not give the devil his opportunity" - Ephesians 4:26-27.

### LENT

#### **Stations of the Cross**

Fri, 7pm, St John's Narthex

#### **Lent & Easter Confessions**

Sun Apr 3, 5p, St John's Narthex

Here is our confession schedule for our Deanery.

- Sun Apr 3 3p St Francis de Sales, Smiths Falls
- Sun Apr 3 -5p St John the Baptist, Perth
- Sun Apr 10
  - 3p Athens
  - 4:30p West Port
  - 5p Toledo
  - 5p Carlton Place



### PARISH GROUPS & MINISTRIES

### Annual CWL Convention - Registration Open

Annual CWL Convention Kingston Fri-Sun., Apr. 30- May 01 Registration Contact: Colleen

#### **CNEWA Humanitarian Aid for Ukraine**

Donate: https://cnewa.org/ca/campaigns/ukraine/

The Catholic Near East Welfare Association is raising humanitarian aid funds for the people of Ukraine.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### Free CPR Course! (Certification Also Available)

St John Parish, Narthex Sat. Apr 30, 2022

Cost: Free; Optional Certification: \$60 (includes book) Certification Registration deadline: Apr 20, 2022 Register online: stjohnperthontario.com

#### LOOKING AHEAD

#### **LENT & EASTER**

Fridays	<b>7pm, Station of Cross</b> (during Lent)
Apr 10	Palm Sunday – Sat 5:15p, Sun. 9 & 11am
Apr 14	7pm - Holy Thursday Mass
Apr 15	<b>Good Friday</b> - 10am Stations of the Cross;
	3pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion
Apr 16	7:30p Holy Saturday Easter Vigil
Apr 17	Easter Sunday Sun 9 & 11 am

"The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy." *Psalm* 126