

	5pm	9am	11:00am		5pm	9am	11:00am
Jun 20/21 EM	J McKenna G Iasenza	J Melbourne L Coffey	J Langabeer MA Chapelle	Jul 11/12 EM	C Yantha J O'Neill	L De'Araujo J Melbourne	J Sosiak H Dean
Lector	J O'Neill	M McGrath	T Baker	Lector	M Guay	D Bellwood	C Berry
Jun 27/28 EM	M Langille B Prystai	R Ferrante L Head	J MacAlister B Enright-Miller	Jul 18/19 EM	S Langton J Andrews	L Coffey R Ferrante	M Hamilton MA Chapelle
Lector	A Kelly	R Pais	J MacAlister	Lector	R O'Connor	V Williams	J Langabeer
Jul 4/5 EM	J Reed J Muldoon	P Bellwood BA McGrath	R McCullough M Foster	Jul 25/26 EM	MC Shannon S O'Brien	L Head P Bellwood	J MacAlister B Enright-Miller
Lector	J O'Brien	R Terpstra	M Hamilton	Lector	C Yantha	A Garland	H Dean

USHERS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE

Sat. 5:00pm L Vigna, L MacDonald, R Goodridge, **Volunteer**
 Sun. 9:00am H Head, J Power, T McGreevy, D Mulder
 11:00am A McAlpine, R Macaulay, L Enright, **Volunteer**

USHERS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY

Sat. 5:00pm J Reed, C Sugden, J Muldoon, A Froment
 Sun. 9:00am B Brownson, L Coffey, R Brennan, M DeAraujo
 11:00am C Hayes, G Morrissey, **Volunteers**

Our **Prayer Network** has more than 100 people praying every day for our parish, for those who are sick and for special intentions. If you would like to have the Prayer Network pray for you or your loved one, call or e-mail the parish office.

Remember in Prayer: All who are ill, including Fr. Sebastian Amato, Maria Andolsek, Nancy Barre, Lynn Barton, Jan Bernard, Thomas Bowland, Darren Borchardt, Natasha Burkholder, Christopher Caldwell, Theresa Carr, Anna Chapelle, Joan Chesser, Tracie Cochrane, Sarah Coffey, Elizabeth Cooney, Kaye Cordeau, Rayne Cote, Cathy Courmier, Eugene Cummings, Marion Dolan, Marleen Donaldson, Ryatt Drew, Kian Epenfary, Holly Finkle, Sheila Francis, Paul Frechette, Tara Gandier, Garry Gifford, Elvira Gonzales, Nancy Grace, Jean Haslam, Ron Harrison, Shelly Harttbond, Mandy Hunt, Steve Hunter, Donnie Jones, Noreen Kehoe, Grace Kelly, Cecile Kleinschroth, Mary Korchowski, Douglas Livingston, Larry MaGee, Francis Mahoney, Joe Mahoney, Tarra Mason Ward, Anne Marr, Terra Mason-Ward, Janice Masterson, Maynard family, Louis McFaul, Richard Morton, Kathy Mulder, Terry Murphy, Timothy Myers, Denis Newman, Brenda Nishimura, Bill Oliver, Maureen Paddick, Jeffrey Parsons, Nicholas Pineau, Kay Quirt, Bill Rivers, Jack Rizzo, Wendy Robeck, Bert Roseblade, Genevieve Rumsey, Shirley R., Patricia Scott, Camilla Summers, Ronald Swift, Adele Murphy Surowiec, Christel Stolpman, Keith Vallier, Cory Young, Marion Yank, Joan, and Lynn. ✚ **Please pray for the repose of these recently deceased souls;** Henry Jackson, Dennis Hull, John Macaro, P.J. Pailo, Ellen Enright, Robert Meagher, Elmer Cruickshank, Patsy McManus, Joanne Zanette, Jean McKeown-Piitz, Susan Bray, John Sheridan, Carolyn Payette, Sonny Holoway, Frank Seemungal, Vince Di Genova, Rev. Bill Steacy, Denis Hall, Dr. Mary Gwizdal, Barb Bly, Joan Bryden Lattimore, Fr. Stan Alanen, Dr. Edward O'Brien, Donald Cartagena, Murray Mahoney, Laura Medeiros, Don Yantha, Hendrina Parcels, Liz Cotter, Steve Bany, Aurora Mancuso, Joan DeGenova, Joan Roberto, Eldon Burkhart, Tim Gavey, Fran Gravelle, Andre Bernard.

St. Joseph Church

† Rev. Rod McNeil - Pastor † Deacon Bill Garland †



**INTENTIONS: for Week of June 21, 2026
 TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Saturday 5:00 PM Paul Temple and Fred Temple
 Sunday 9:00 AM The People of the Parish
 11:00 AM Al Graham
 Monday 9:00 AM Special Intentions of the People on
 St. Joseph Prayer Network List
 Tuesday 9:00 AM John McGinnis
 6:00 PM St. Joseph School Graduation Mass
 Wednesday 9:00 AM Jerry Moher
 - No Mass Thursday -
 Friday 9:00 AM Raymond and Doris Brennan

**INTENTIONS: for Week of June 28, 2026
 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

Saturday 5:00 PM Sonny Holoway
 Sunday 9:00 AM The People of the Parish
 11:00 AM Salvatore Marino

399 Victoria Avenue, Belleville, Ontario K8N 2E7

Parish Office Hours: Monday to Thursday
 9am - 5pm 613-968-9950

Stjoseph.Belleville@archkingston.ca www.stjosephsbelleville.org
 E-transfer stjosephchurch.payment@gmail.com

Sacraments: Anointing of the Sick - Upon request.
 Marriage - at least 6 months' notice.
 Baptism - Call Father Rod to make arrangements.
 Reconciliation - Saturday from 4:15 to 4:45 pm.

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 21, 2026



Children's Liturgy: This Sunday is our last children's liturgy for the season. We will resume again in September at the start of the new school year. Many thanks to all the leaders, assistants and participants.

Bible Study: We will be showing the movie presentation of **The Chosen**, beginning with Season 1, in the parish centre on **Mondays at 10am** after the 9am morning Mass. The next episode is tomorrow, Monday, June 22nd after morning Mass. Discussion time will follow.

Offertory: June 14th - \$ 3,575.00
Diocesan Collections - \$ 80.00

We can now accept e-transfers at
stjosephchurch.payment@gmail.com

Thank you to all who have contributed.



CWL News: Please note our next **CWL General meeting will take place this coming Thursday, June 25 at 6:30pm** before taking a break for the summer months. We hope that many of you will be able to join us. Coffee and treats will be served. If there is anything you would like added to the agenda, please let me know in advance and I will be happy to include it. Thank you again for all that you do for our parish community. I look forward to seeing you on June 25th. God bless, Anne W, and your CWL Executive team (Anne K, Elaine, Jan, Lise, Stella, Maria).



Birthright Bottles for Babies - It's Father's Day this Sunday! Don't forget to drop off your baby bottles this weekend!

Thank you to everyone who is participating in our baby bottle campaign. There is a basket set up to put them in. We appreciate the return of all bottles, even empty ones, to reduce our fundraising costs for next year. Tax receipts are provided for donations of \$15 or more.



Dates to Remember

Mon, Jun 22nd - Movie, The Chosen after each Monday Mass
Wed, Jun 24th - Parish Council, 9:45am
Thurs, Jun 25th - CWL General Meeting, 6:30pm
Sat, Jun 27th - Amnesty International Quinte Speaker, 2 - 4pm
June 27 & 28 - St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Sunday
Tue, Jun 30th - St. Vincent de Paul meeting, 9:45am
Tue, July 14th - Knights of Columbus, 7pm
Aug 25, 26 & 27 - Parish Retreat with Fr. Stephan Pouliot
Sun, Sep 13th - Parish Picnic, 12 - 3pm



Knights of Columbus Council 16308 News: Members please note that we will meet during July and August on the 2nd Tuesday of the month, at 7pm, St. Joseph parish centre.



St. Vincent de Paul BUNDLE SUNDAY - NEXT WEEKEND, June 27th & 28th before and after weekend Masses. It's time to clean out your closets and donate those items you no longer use. The St. Vincent truck will be in our parking lot to accept your donations. Please help fill the truck with gently used items, (small appliances, clothing, household items, outerwear, etc.) To arrange pick up of large donations, call the store (613)966-8005. Remember all your donations will stay in our community to help the needy in this area.

Amnesty International Quinte is hosting a talk by **Shahid Mahmood**, a member of the Global Sumud Flotilla to break the siege of Gaza and was one of the passengers abducted at sea in international waters by Israeli forces. He will be speaking about the experience **Saturday, June 27th from 2-4pm at St Joseph Parish Hall**, 399 Victoria Ave, Belleville. This event is sponsored by Amnesty International Quinte, Independent Jewish Voices, Belleville for Justice and Peace and Global Smud Flotilla. Join us for the free event. Refreshments will be served.

Eastern Deanery Bus Pilgrimage - Join us on the second leg of our pilgrimage to all the churches in our Archdiocese during this special 200th anniversary year! **Wednesday, June 24th** travel via deluxe coach from Marmora/Belleville to the **Eastern Deanery** to visit and learn about the 8 churches there and grow in faith as we journey together. **Cost is \$120** and includes deluxe coach transportation from/to Marmora/Belleville, swag bag and fine-dining experience at Brigadoon Restaurant in Oxford Mills. Bring a packed lunch to enjoy along the St. Lawrence River and fill your Eastern Deanery Travel Passport on this faith-filled and exciting one-day pilgrimage, in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Register by June 18th, contact Nicola Wand (613)380-4900 or Diane Smith (613)403-6205 or Fr. Justin (613)472-2220. Space limited to 45 seats, which are filling up!



St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Women's League invites you to their **Strawberry Social, Saturday, June 27th, 12 - 2pm**. Cost is \$7 including a door prize and gift basket. Donations for the food bank are encouraged.



The Discalced Carmelite Secular Order is open to welcoming people who sense a call of God to discern a vocation to the O.C.D.S. Secular Carmelites seek Union with God and strive to live in the constant awareness of His presence, while actively participating in the Community Apostolate. **All are invited to join a day of reflection** with our Provincial Delegate, Fr. Rajesh D'Sousa OCD at **Our Lady of Fatima Church**, 588 Division St, **Kingston, Saturday, June 27th**. Registration, 8:30 - 9:30am, with coffee and light snacks. The day includes prayers, reflections, Mass at 11am, followed by lunch, (provided). Concludes by 3pm. Contact Catherine, (613)542-7260 or catherinkarremans@gmail.com so we can plan for lunch.

Steubenville Youth Conference - For the 3rd and FINAL year, there will be a group bus arranged for high school teens (Graduating GR8 to Graduating GR12) to go to the Catholic Youth Conference in Steubenville Ohio on the weekend of **June 26th to 28th**. Contact Pat Bailey at bailz77@yahoo.com or 613-921-5236 for more info about attending. For more info on the Steubenville experience see steubenvilleconferences.com/mc2



There they are: a rabbi, priest and minister planning a united front to combat the evil forces of bogeys, double bogeys, hooks and slices.

The CFUW (Canadian Federation of University Women) **Town and Country Garden Tour** will take place **Sat, June 27th, 10am to 4pm**. Pick up your lunch at St. Thomas Anglican Church. If you have purchased a ticket in advance, you can start the tour at any garden. All proceeds go to support scholarships to local students going on to college or university. Cost, \$35 which includes a box lunch. See posters at each church door for information.

2026 Seminarian Dinner - Celebrate our Seminarians - Sunday, July 12, 2026 - Meet & Greet with cash bar at 3pm, programming at 4:30pm, Dinner begins at 5:20pm, **Our Lady of Fatima Hall**, 588 Division St, Kingston. Join us for a 4-course Supreme Chicken Dinner hosted by the Knights of Columbus of the Archdiocese of Kingston to provide financial support towards the training of Seminarians and funds direct to each seminarian to help defray their annual costs. \$60 per plate purchase ensures your opportunity to participate. 10 person table sponsorships available. Children's meal available for \$25. Ticket link: <https://www.zeffy.com/en-CA/ticketing/seminarian-dinner--2026seminarian-dinner--2026>



It's Gardening Season again! We are looking for volunteers to help with planting and weeding the church gardens. If you can help once in awhile or on a regular basis, please call the parish office and leave your contact information. **Attention Students:** You can earn community service hours by helping out!!

8th Annual Rideau Canal Men's Retreat: Tues. - Thur., August 4-6, 2026. Cost: \$100. For Catholic men 18 years and older (*plus teenage sons with their fathers*). Travelling by canoe, kayak or pontoon boat from Seeley's Bay to Upper Rideau Lake, with overnight tenting at Davis Lock and along McNally's Bay. Canoes and paddles supplied, along with meals. Daily Mass, Rosary, etc.

October 2026 Pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Fr. Justin & Fr. Price

Join Fr. Justin and Fr. Price on a faith-filled pilgrimage to the Holy Land **Oct 5-15, 2026**. Walk in the footsteps of Our Blessed Lord, deepen your understanding of Sacred Scripture, experience prayer, mercy, healing, and spiritual renewal in the places where the Word became flesh.

Kingston 200 Years of Faith - Celebrate the 200th anniversary of the Archdiocese of Kingston with this inspiring article from *The Catholic Register*: <https://www.catholicregister.org/item/3721-historic-kingston-endures-200-years> Discover how our faith community continues to grow and "endure" with hope.

Your Taxes. Your Choice. Catholic Education - Did you know you can support Catholic education at no extra cost to you? In Ontario, your property taxes include education funding, and you have the right to choose where that support goes. By directing your tax support to Catholic schools, you help strengthen faith-based learning in our community. Whether you own or rent, and whether you have children in school, Catholics can direct their tax support to Catholic education. Your total taxes stay the same, but your choice makes a lasting impact. Choosing Catholic education also allows you to vote for Catholic school board trustees in municipal elections and helps demonstrate strong community support for Catholic schools across Ontario. Learn how to verify or change your Catholic school support status: <https://www.alcddb.on.ca/apps/pages/taxsupport>

Parish Council Members:

Pat Finnigan - Chair
Bonnie Molinski - Secretary
Wayne Leveque - Knights of Columbus representative
Jan Sosiak - Catholic Women's League representative
Harry Holtz
Bob Fair
Helen Lynn MacIntosh
Lou Vigna
Shelly HarttBond
Curtis Hayes
Brian Brownson

e-mail:

stjoseph.belleville@archkingston.ca to get in touch with a member

Are you retired and looking for something to do that will bring consolation to grieving families while also enhancing your faith life? Why not become a **Funeral Altar Server here at St. Joseph Church**. Speak to Father Rod or Deacon Bill if you are interested. Youth altar servers are also welcome to volunteer for weekend Masses. Youth must have made their First Holy Communion. **We would really appreciate a few more parishioners to volunteer to take up the collection at weekend Masses.** Please let the parish office know if we can add your name to our usher roster. Thanks!

Church Children's Activity Bags: 10 bags with quiet activities for children have been created and will be in a bin at the main doors of the church. Please feel free to grab one at the beginning of Mass for your children (one per family please). Please return bags and all contents at the end of Mass.

St. Joseph Good Works – 7% of your offertory donations are set aside to aid local, national, and international charitable causes. Recent donations included: \$1000 to Eastminster Church for their meal program, \$1000 to Gleaners Food Bank, \$1500 to Hospice Quinte, \$2000 to Belleville St. Vincent de Paul Society Thrift Store, and \$1000 to St. Francis Xavier Church in Attawapiskat First Nation to help with the rebuild of their church which was destroyed by fire.



The Journey is now available from the Journey website:

<https://romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/journey>

Associates of the Sisters of Providence of St. Vincent de Paul meet on the third Thursday each month at St. Joseph Church, Belleville. Associates are united and inspired by the charism, spirituality and mission of the Sisters of Providence of St. Vincent de Paul by sharing a common call to compassionate service. No meetings in the summer. Sessions will begin again in September. For more information, phone 613-544-4525 ext 148 or visit www.providence.ca/associates

Monthly Meeting for Holy Rosary Franciscan Fraternity - First Thursday of the month: following 5:30 pm Mass at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Parish (169 North Park Street, Belleville). Come and See! Holy Rosary Franciscan Fraternity gathers monthly on the 1st Thursday, following 5:30pm Mass at Holy Rosary. ALL are welcome!



Gleaner's Food Bank needs your financial and food donations to provide hope to those in need during these tough times. Please remember there are bins at each of the church doors for **Gleaners** non-perishable food donations. Please be generous to those less fortunate. We must all pull together to fight hunger as food costs continue to rise.



Communion for the Sick: As part of our parish's outreach to the sick, we bring Holy Communion to people who are unable to make it to Mass. If you or someone you know would like to receive Communion in their home, contact the parish office 613-968-9950.

Hospice Quinte makes a tremendous impact in our community every day by providing comfort and support for individuals and families living with a terminal illness or coping with grief and loss. Our programs and services are provided at no charge, and we rely on the generosity of community support and donations to keep providing these vital services. Making a donation to Hospice Quinte's programs and services is the greatest, most meaningful way to say "Thank You!" and to ensure compassionate care remains available at no cost. You can make an online donation to Hospice Quinte in honour of a loved one, or become a lifetime donor, host a fundraiser or provide a "Day of Care". Please visit Hospice Quinte website for more information <https://hospicequinte.ca> By donating, you are enhancing hospice palliative care and bereavement support services for our region.

**Parish Finance
Committee Members:**

Marie Durling
Jack Hanley
Elaine Wilkinson
Bob Fair
Connie McMann

The Franciscans: Is God Calling You? - The Gospel and the "following of Jesus Christ" were not idealistic but rather "dynamic values" for St. Francis and his followers. People inspired by the Gospel values that they saw in Francis wanted to follow him. These values are the substance of Franciscans today: the Poor Clares, the Secular Franciscans (for women and men, single or married) and of the Friars. Is God "calling" you or "inviting you to be a part of the Franciscan mission? Order? Please send an email to Friar Reto Davatz at FrRDavatz@archkingston.ca.



The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul - <https://www.ssvp.ca> - A lay Catholic organization whose mission is to live the Gospel message by serving Christ in the poor with love, respect, justice and joy. St. Vincent de Paul store, as well as the committee are in need of volunteers. If you can spare some time on a regular basis, please call the store, (613)966-8005.

Our Lady Seat of Wisdom College - Our Lady Seat of Wisdom College is a faithfully Catholic liberal arts college in Barry's Bay, Ontario, offering a three-year Bachelor of Catholic Studies degree. Small class sizes and a strong academic program set students up for success in the classroom and in all future pursuits. Faculty take their Catholic faith seriously and profess an oath of fidelity to the Magisterium of the Church. A vibrant campus life, men's and women's residence houses, and ample spiritual opportunities create a Catholic culture that forms the whole person. Students build life-long friendships, and often discern their vocations. The tuition is affordable, and financial aid is available. Please visit www.seatofwisdom.ca.

Faith on Fire Prayer Weekly Prayer Meetings - The "Faith on Fire" Prayer meetings have resumed on Tuesday evenings and continue weekly from 7 – 8:30pm on Zoom. All are welcome to join us for prayer and teachings as we seek to grow in the Lord. Please email Maame Addai at faithonfirekingston@gmail.com for the Zoom link.

Ministry of Accompaniment - Resources and events supporting the Ministry of Accompaniment can be found on the Archdiocese of Kingston webpage <https://romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/accompanimentministry>

The Archdiocese of Kingston Announces On-line Support Resources for the following:

WORKSHOPS available from the Archdiocese of Kingston - Children's Liturgy - Lectors and Communion Ministers - Pastoral Care. Please visit our website romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/religious-education for details on each workshop. For more information on any of these workshops, please contact Mary-Jo MacKinnon-Simms at religioused@archkingston.ca or by phone at (613)548-4461 ext. 115

1) **Newman College** offers a number of certificate courses in a virtual format that are open to adults and youth. These courses can be taken individually or as part of Certificate Programme in Catholic Studies. Check out their website for more information. If you have any questions, please contact Mary-Jo Mackinnon- Simms by email at maryjo@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca or call 613-548-4461 extension 115. <https://www.newman.edu/CCS>

2) **The New Directory for Catechesis** was released in 2020. It provides universal guidelines and norms around catechesis and evangelization. It emphasizes the importance that each baptized person has a missionary call to find new ways to communicate the faith through Mercy, Dialogue and Witnessing. Check out these resources for more info or to order a copy: https://en.novalis.ca/search?q=The*+New*+Directory*+for*+Catechesis*

The Bishops of Canada, as a tangible expression of their commitment to walk with the Indigenous Peoples of this land along the pathway of hope, are making a nationwide collective financial commitment to support healing and reconciliation initiatives for residential school survivors, their families, and their communities. Click the links below to read more about the Apology recently issued and the National Financial Pledge: [CCCB NATIONAL FINANCIAL PLEDGE \(Sept. 27, 2021\)](#) [CCCB APOLOGY TO INDIGENOUS PEOPLES \(Sept. 24, 2021\)](#)

If you would like to contribute to St. Joseph Church on a monthly basis by Automatic Debiting of your account please print the form below and attached a VOID cheque and send to St. Joseph Church or drop it in our mailbox at the rectory door. We will set it up for you. Thank you for your support. You can also e-transfer a donation at stjosephchurch.payment@gmail.com

Name _____	Pre-Authorized Monthly Chequing Program	
Address _____	Apt. _____	‘Void’ Cheque enclosed
City _____	Prov. _____	Postal Code _____ (Required for pre-authorized transactions)
Telephone _____	E-mail _____	
I (we) authorize St. Joseph’s Church, Belleville, Ontario to process a debit, in paper, electronically or by other form in the amount		
of: \$ _____	on my (our) account on the 16 th day of each month beginning in _____.	
	(month)	(year)
Signature _____	Date _____	
Signature _____	Date _____	

Parish Contacts

Parish Secretary	Kathleen Henry	968-9950
Parish Council	Pat Finnigan - Chair	968-9950
Parish Finance	Elaine Wilkinson - Secretary	968-9950
CWL	Ann Weldon	968-9950
Grand Knight 16308	Harold Head	mr29hand56@hotmail.com
Deputy Grand Knight 16308	Philip Walsh	inapicklephil@yahoo.ca
Franciscans	Deacon Bill Garland	968-9950
Senior Choir	Meaghan Love	meaghansings01@gmail.com
Youth Choir	Brian Weldon	968-9950

E-mail or call the parish office for contact information stjoseph.belleville@archkingston.ca