



St. Andrew's, Killaloe

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A Joyous Welcome to Everyone Visiting our Parishes Today

2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)

April 7th, 2024

Monday, April 8	9:00 a.m.	Helen Harrie by Tim & Anne Knox
Tuesday, April 9		No Mass
Wednesday, April 10	10:00 a.m.	Deceased parishioners of both parishes by the Knights of Columbus <u>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</u> (from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.) Chaplet of Divine Mercy prayed in common at 3:00 p.m.
Thursday, April 11		No Mass
Friday, April 12	9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Errol d'Silva by Moses & Ninette Martins

3rd Sunday of Easter

April 14th, 2024

Saturday, April 13	5:00 p.m.	Steve Edwards by George Edwards
Sunday, April 14	9:00 a.m.	Glen Prince by Glenn & Mila Pereira

Lay Ministries

Lector

Rosary 1/2 hour before Mass by Initiative

Sacrament of Penance: 30 minutes before Mass times

Saturday, April 13th

Judy Kuiack

Sunday, April 14th

Ann Lepine



PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK OF OUR PARISHES AND FAMILIES:

Lillian Blank

George Paul Dienesch

Geraldine Lacombe

Yantha Family

Adele Bozak

Jean Forsyth

Mila Pereira

Deacon Daniel Dauvin

Raymond Hennion

Edna Yutronkie

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Confessions: The priest will try to be available one-half hour before Masses. If you wish to make a confession, please try to come early, as the Priest needs to prepare himself before Mass. He will exit the confessional at least ten minutes before the celebration.

Printed Material: No printed material should be placed in the church without prior authorization from the Pastor or Administrator.

Parish Council: Every parish is to have a property and finance council and a pastoral council. In smaller parishes, one council is often formed. Such is the case at St. Andrew's. Usually, a specific term is set for membership but, again, it may be longer due to few parish members. Presently, some of the members have been on the council for several years and some may not be able to continue serving at this time. Consequently the Council will be reconstituted. Members are appointed by the Pastor/Administrator. A term limit may/can be set. This Committee is strictly consultative with final decisions being made by the Pastor/Administrator. Please know that any practising parishioners are welcome to attend meetings.

Sacramental Dates: Dates have been set for the sacraments as follows: Sunday, April 14th after the 9:00 a.m. Mass for First Confession; Sunday, May 5th during the 9:00 a.m. Mass for First Communion; and Thursday, May 2nd (evening) for Confirmation.

Divine Mercy Celebration: St. James Parish in Eganville on Sunday, April 7th, starting at 3:00 p.m. On the program: Divine Mercy Chaplet, Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction, Confessions, Renewal of Baptismal Promises, and a talk by Father Real Ouellette. Refreshments will be served after the celebration. All are welcome!

Brahms' Requiem: Sunday, April 21st at 7:00 p.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church, 357 Miller Street, Pembroke. Adults \$15/advance - \$20 at the door. Students under 13 are free.

Our Lady of the Angels, Brudenell

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Tuesday, April 9 th	1:00 p.m.	Funeral of Anna Hubers
Thursday, April 11 th	7:00 p.m.	Jason Cull by Mark & Debbie Prince
Saturday, April 13 th	7:30 p.m.	Intentions of the parishioners of both parishes

Lector: Maureen Recoskie

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OLA Parish Council: The Parish Council will meet on Thursday, April 11th after the evening Mass in the Sacristy.

The Significance of the Holy Oils: At the Chrism Mass celebrated each Holy Week three oils are blessed by the bishop for use in the celebration of the Sacraments. They are the Oil of the Sick (used to anoint those who are aged, ill or dying), the Oil of Salvation (used to anoint those who will be baptized) and the Holy Chrism (used for anointing at Baptism, Confirmation and the ordination of priests). The Jerusalem Catecheses (teachings of the early Church for new members) says this about the oils:

“The oil of gladness with which Christ was anointed was a spiritual oil; it was in fact the Holy Spirit himself, who is called the oil of gladness because he is the source of spiritual joy. But we too have been anointed with oil, and by this anointing we have entered into fellowship with Christ and have received a share in his life. Beware of thinking that this holy oil is simply ordinary oil and nothing else. After the invocation of the Holy Spirit it is no longer ordinary oil but the gift of Christ, and by the presence of his divinity it becomes the instrument through which we receive the Holy Spirit. While symbolically, on our foreheads and senses, our bodies are anointed with this oil we see, our souls are sanctified by the holy and life-giving Spirit.”

Divine Mercy Sunday: The second Sunday of Easter was designated Divine Mercy Sunday by St. John Paul II. St. Faustina received from the Lord messages asking us to put our trust in His Divine Mercy in all of our needs and, especially, in our hope for eternal salvation. On this Sunday various celebrations are held in parishes including the praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet. We are encouraged to pray this chaplet every day at 3:00 p.m. (the hour that Jesus died; the hour of His Mercy) or at other times, and whenever people are on their deathbed. The manner of praying the chaplet is as follows:

On Ordinary Rosary Beads: Pray first—You expired Jesus but the source of life gushed forth as an ocean of mercy. Unfathomable Divine Mercy envelope the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us. O Blood and Water which gushed forth as a fountain of Mercy, Have Mercy on Us. (This last invocation is said three times).

Then pray one Hail Mary, one Our Father, and the Apostle’s Creed.

On the larges beads before each decade pray: Eternal Father, I offer You the body and blood, soul and divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

On the 10 small beads of each decade pray: For the sake of His Sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

After the five decades pray three times: Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

LAST WEEK’S OFFERING & ATTENDANCE

St. Andrew’s: 40 envelopes \$1,595; Loose \$219.50; Easter: \$1,665; Share Lent \$672.15
(250 Good Friday/55 Easter Vigil/185 Easter Sunday)

Our Lady of the Angels: 24 envelopes \$667; Loose \$53; Share Lent \$542 (75);
Latin Mass \$734.35

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