

**SEPTEMBER 5, 2021**

**READINGS** Isaiah 35: 4-7a, Psalm 146: 7, 8-9, 9-10, James 2: 1-5, Mark 7: 31-37

Weekend masses at the St. Regis Mission Church have been increased to a **MAXIMUM OF 50 PERSONS** excluding clergy and volunteers. DUE TO THE INCREASE IN COVID CASES IN THE COMMUNITY WE ARE STILL UNDER A STATE OF EMERGENCY AND ALL CURRENT COVID-19 MANDATORY RESTRICTIONS APPLY until further notice, which include: **SOCIAL DISTANCING, SIGN IN, WEARING MASKS, COVID SCREENING AND TEMPERATURE CHECKS AS PER MCA-EOC GUIDANCE.** THERE ARE NO private masses in the chapel **UNTIL AFTER SEPTEMBER 19, 2021.**

**SATURDAY SEPT 4, 2021 4:00 PM**

**FATHER ANDREW AMYOT**

**Offered for:** Reginald Mitchell by Winifred and family  
**Eucharistic Minister/Sacristan:** Caroline Peters  
**Hospitality:** Nicky King

**SUNDAY SEPT 5, 2021 10:00 AM**

**FATHER ANDREW AMYOT**

**Offered for:** Gordon Ransom by Dr. Dubuc and Staff  
**Eucharistic Minister** Bernice Lazore  
**Sacristan:** Mildred White  
**Hospitality:** RJ Dolly McDonald, Eddy Lazore

**TUESDAY SEPT 7 TO FRIDAY 10, 2021**

**NO MASSES**

**SATURDAY SEPT 11, 2021 4:00 PM**

**FATHER ANDREW AMYOT**

**Offered for:** Delsie Day by Dr. Dubuc and Staff  
**Eucharistic Minister/Sacristan:** Caroline Peters  
**Hospitality:** Nicky King

**SUNDAY SEPT 12, 2021 10:00 AM**

**FATHER ANDREW AMYOT**

**Offered for:** Ian Seymour by Jay Roundpoint  
**Eucharistic Minister** Bernice Lazore  
**Sacristan:** Mildred White  
**Hospitality:** RJ Dolly McDonald, Eddy Lazore

**REMINDER:** Regular office hours in the Rectory are WEDNESDAY TO FRIDAY 9AM TO 1PM. The office phone number is (613)-575-2753. Please check our St. Regis Mission FACEBOOK page for daily announcements, prayers and posts at <https://www.facebook.com/stregismission> You can also private message us on our Facebook page for inquiries, questions or requests or email us at [rosealmamcdonald@gmail.com](mailto:rosealmamcdonald@gmail.com)

**LOVE OFFERINGS UPDATE:**

**Aug 28-29, 2021 US \$ 387.00 CDN \$ 391.00**  
NIAWEN:KOWA for your loving generosity.

**23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Those who have faith and have the heart of a child are humble and ready to be in awe of God's wonder. They expect miracles: And Jesus' healing love brings them much joy. Today's Gospel recalls a story of a deaf man being brought to Jesus by other people. They must have heard and seen Jesus performing signs and wonders. It is not their duty, but they beg Jesus to pray for this man. Such love of neighbour welling up makes them forget themselves and be concerned for others' good. These people had child-like faith; and Jesus, Son of the Most High God, modelled being of a child of God. He had all the power to heal but he did it in union with God the Father and Holy Spirit. He looked up to heaven, thanking the Father for his love; with the Holy Spirit he healed with compassion; and he who is the Word spoke Life over the man. Jesus invites us to stay rooted in God's love and then share what we have received with other people. Through his merciful heart and by our caring for others – with words, deeds and prayers – healing and miracles happen. And the first miracle would be genuine joy and real hope in our very own hearts.

ENCOUNTER CHRIST  
In the Eucharist



**YOUNG ADULT DAY OF REFLECTION AT GUGGENHEIM**

a day to rest, pray, socialize, and deepen faith

Including a talk by Fr. Matt Conger and the Young Adult Team, brunch, opportunity for confession, Mass with together with the College Students Retreat at the Point with Bishop Terry R. LaValley, followed by dinner, and plenty of time for personal prayer, reflection, socializing and simply enjoying the beauty and peace of Guggenheim.

Saturday, September 25 from 8am-9pm  
for more information and registration  
[rcdony.org/yamretreat](http://rcdony.org/yamretreat)

reflection and to simply enjoy the beauty and peace of Guggenheim. For more information and to register, go to

[www.rcdony.org/yamretreat](http://www.rcdony.org/yamretreat)



Sept. 21, 2021, Saturdays starting Sept. 25, 2021. Time: Tues: 6-8:30pm or Sat: 9-11am **WHAT IS ALPHA?** Alpha is an opportunity to explore life and the Christian Faith in a friendly, open and informal environment. No pressure. No follow up. No charge. Typically, Alpha runs for about 11 weeks and includes food, a short talk and time at the end where you can share your thoughts. This is a wonderful opportunity to ask about the big questions in life and share with others in an inviting and welcoming environment. Alpha will run in the fall on **Tuesday evenings (6-8:30pm), starting SEPTEMBER 21ST and Saturday mornings (9-11am) starting SEPTEMBER 25TH** at St. Mary's Social Hall. To register for this FREE event that includes a meal contact: 315-769-2469 or go to [www.massencatholics.com](http://www.massencatholics.com) For additional information contact RJ Dolly McDonald at [rosealmamcdonald@gmail.com](mailto:rosealmamcdonald@gmail.com)

**ALPHA IN MASSENA! YOU'RE INVITED!**

Location: St. Mary's Social Hall, 7 Sycamore St., Massena Date: Tuesdays, starting

**THE LORD'S PRAYER (in Mohawk)**

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 ra ke, sa sa ni konr hen, ne ion 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



**DISCOVERY AT THE KAMLOOPS INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL ON THE TK'EMLUPS TE SECWÉPEMC FIRST NATION AND THE COWESSESS FIRST NATION:**

The St. Regis Mission Church is re-opened with restrictions. We continue to be in shock at this

very sad time in the history of Canada and the Church. We ask everyone to continue to pray for the souls of the innocent children that they may rest in peace.

**Restoring our Common Home**



**Care of Creation**

[rcdony.org/about/diocese/youdate-sL.html](http://rcdony.org/about/diocese/youdate-sL.html)

**ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP:**

Labor Day is an invitation to celebrate our God-given abilities to express ourselves through our work. During the Season of Creation that began on **SEPTEMBER 1 AND EXTENDS THROUGH OCTOBER 4** on the Feast of St. Francis, our Church calls the global family to awaken to the urgent need to work together to heal our relationship with creation and each other. This year's theme is "Restoring Our Common Home." You can find ways to pray, learn and act with others on Seasons of Creation web page.

**BLUE MASS:** Bishop Terry R. LaValley cordially invites all Police, Corrections, Fire and EMS Personnel to the Diocese of Ogdensburg **BLUE MASS AT 2 P.M. ON SEPTEMBER 26, 2021.** This year the Blue Mass will be at **NOTRE DAME CHURCH, 11 CHURCH PLACE, MALONE.** The entire New York North Country Community is invited to join in prayer for the safety and wellbeing of all first responders and public safety personnel. For more information contact, Fr. Chris Carrara 315-605-1039 or [ccarrara@rcdony.org](mailto:ccarrara@rcdony.org).

**PRAYER FOR LABOR DAY:** *Dear God, on this Labor Day, we give You thanks for all those who work in stores and markets, in mines and fields, on ships and planes, in the armed forces, in factories and warehouses, in hospitals and churches, in offices and classrooms. God, we benefit from the labor of so many people, many of whom we never see. Thank You for their good work and faithful service. And thank You for our market economy that provides jobs and benefits to so many people. May our work always glorify You. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.*

**PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SUFFERING**

Lord, look with compassion on the sick and suffering, especially those at TSIIONKWANONHTSO:TE and IAKHIHSOHTHA and all our homebound Akwesasronon Elders during these pandemic times. Lord, if You will, we commend to you: Alexina Auger, Lily Benedict, Hazel Bero, Jimmy Bero, Bruce Bombard, Marie Casey, Laurie Connors, Ashley Cook, Jerome Cook, Francis Cree, Julia David, Marita Francis, Leonard and Carol Garrow, Daniel George, Martha George, Bernadine Herne, Vernie and Toni Herne, Brian Jacobs, Christian Jock, Felicia and Hubert Jock, Joyce Kelso, Matthew Lamesse, Elizabeth Lazore, Hattie Jackson Lazore, Loran Lazore, Viola Marshall, Jed McDonald, Mose R. McDonald Jr., Raymond McDonald, Memphis Pyke Mitchell, Norman and Nancy King, Herbie Oakes, Charles Peters, Lucille Peters, Richard Peters, Richard Phillips, Helen Pyke, Sheila Ransom, Michel Sands, Troy Skidders, Greg Snyder, Mariella Stehlin, Marilyn Tarbell, Ashley Thompson and Donald Thompson. **Console the grieving family of Harold White, O Lord, and grant him eternal rest. May his soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.**

**COMMISSIONED LAY MINISTERS ANNUAL MEETING AND BBQ:**

For St. Lawrence, Franklin, and Adirondack Deaneries the Commissioned Lay Ministers Association in SLFA Deaneries are invited to attend an annual meeting and barbeque. **SUNDAY, SEPT. 19, 2021 from 1pm - 4pm, at: Camp Guggenheim, in Saranac Lake, NY.** There will be a celebration of Mass with Bishop LaValley at 1pm. It is free to attend, it is a good opportunity to enjoy the beautiful scenery and a hotdog and hamburger cookout. **Registration to attend is required at:** [www.rcdony.org/clm-event](http://www.rcdony.org/clm-event)



**REMINDER FOR THE DIOCESE OF VALLEYFIELD PILGRIMAGE "TOGETHER ON THAT JOURNEY"**

Let us remember that, with St. Joseph, we are *Together on that Journey...* this is the theme of the pilgrimage in this special year dedicated to St. Joseph, which is taking place **AUGUST 19-SEPT 27, 2021.** Over this period of 40 days, as an individual pilgrim, you are invited to walk 100km. It is also possible to experience this pilgrimage *as a family*, in which case you will be offered a distance of 250km. 15 min = 1 KM per day. You can also take part in this pilgrimage, by **PRAYING A ROSARY TO ST. JOSEPH EACH DAY and keeping track of your progress in your Pilgrim's Notebook that we have provided.** For more information contact RJ Dolly McDonald, Bernice Lazore, Lisa Tarbell, Caroline Peters or Debbie Thomas.

**PRAYER AND ADORATION: CALLING COMMISSIONED LAY MINISTERS:** Wednesday, **SEPTEMBER 15** and every third Wednesday, 6:30pm -7pm, Sacred Heart Church, Massena, NY. **PLEASE JOIN US FOR ROSARY, PRAYER AND ADORATION**

