MAY 1, 2022

READINGS: Acts 5: 28-32, 40b-41, Psalm 30, Revelation 5: 11-14, John 21: 1-19

Weekend masses at the St. Regis Mission Church have been increased to a <u>MAXIMUM OF 100</u> <u>PERSONS</u>. ALL CURRENT COVID-19 MANDATORY RESTRICTIONS APPLY ESPECIALLY MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING.

SATURDAY APRIL30, 2022 4:00 PM

Offered for: Roy Tarbell by Caroline Tarbell

Eucharistic Minister/Sacristan: Caroline Peters

Hospitality: Nicky King Reader: Stacy Skidders

SUNDAY MAY1, 2022 10:00 AM

<u>Offered for</u>: Marie Johnson, Birthday Memorial Mass by Sam Johnson

<u>Sacristan:</u> Mildred White <u>Hospitality</u>: Eddy Lazore Reader: Rosemary Bonaparte

WEDNESDAY MAY 4, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Phillip Tarbell Jr. from the funeral collection

WEDNESDAY MAY 4, 2022 6:00 pm

Offered for: Mose R. McDonald Jr. from the funeral collection

THURSDAY MAY 5, 2022 12:10 pm

Offered for: Mary Ann Cook 10-year Memorial Anniversary by granddaughters Liz and Daisy

FRIDAY MAY 6, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Lillian M. Herne, Memorial Birthday by the St. Regis family

SATURDAY MAY 7, 2022 4:00 PM

<u>Offered for</u>: Lloyd Lazore and daughter Wendy Lazore Memorial Anniversary by Kim Lazore

<u>Eucharistic Minister/Sacristan:</u> Caroline Peters <u>Hospitality</u>: Nicky King **Reader**: Nicky King

SUNDAY MAY 8, 2022 10:00 AM MOTHER'S DAY

Offered for: Louie and Isabel Francis by the Francis Family and for Betty Sunday by Tim Sunday Sacristan: Mildred White Hospitality: Eddy Lazore Reader: Hilary Lafrance

COVID HEALTH AND SAFETY CONTROL

MEASURES ARE AS FOLLOWS: a face covering is required that covers your mouth and nose indoors; sanitize your hands with hand sanitizer upon entering and leaving the church. Stay home if you feel ill or are sick, do not shake hands.

COLLECTIONS UPDATE APRIL 23-24, 2022 US \$ 556.80 CDN \$ 610.75 NIAWEN:KOWA GOD BLESS!

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

There are times when we feel like the disciples in today's Gospel – not sure when or if the Lord might return and not knowing what we are supposed to do as we await. For me, this was during the pandemic when I was not able to enter a church for nearly a year in order to prevent the spread of COVID. I related to the disciples, not knowing what to do on the edge of such a precipice, without my routine connection to the Lord.

When reading how Jesus appeared to the disciples after the Resurrection, I reflect on times when I did not initially recognize Jesus' presence in my own life, especially during the early days and months of the pandemic. I am reminded that it is not always through his presence in the flesh, but rather the compassionate action of others, that we see Jesus in our lives even today.

Today's Gospel is not just about the challenges of recognizing the Lord. It is also about how Jesus approaches Peter, reminding him that he is forgiven and still invited to follow. This shows us that it is not enough to see Jesus through the actions of others. We must respond to Jesus' invitation and lead by our own actions, so that those whom we meet may also see the Lord. (*livingwithchrist.ca*)



SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA

(APRIL 29) One of four women honoured with the title of Doctor of the Church, Catherine was born in Siena, Italy, in 1347, her parents' twenty-fifth and youngest child. At the age of seven, following a vision of Christ in glory, she is reported to have vowed her virginity to God. She joined the Dominican Third Order in 1365, spending years in seclusion from the world, fasting and praying. In 1368, after a vision where Christ accepted her as his "bride," she felt called to carry this love to others. She cared for

the poor and tended the sick; she corresponded with people from all walks of life, even counselling princes and popes; she was renowned as a peacemaker. She is especially remembered for her spiritual reflections.



SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH FOUNDATION: Grant Application Cycle Now Open:

The Sisters of St. Joseph Foundation is established in the spirit of its charism - to enable service of the 'dear neighbor.' Its goal is to assist in developing leadership for diocesan, parish and church related programs in the North Country. Applicants must be applying for or be currently active in a leadership role in a diocesan, parish or

established program and be sponsored by the director of that program. Applications may be submitted during March and April. Grants will be a maximum of \$4,000, and recipients will be notified by the beginning of June. Applications may be obtained by contacting Sister Ellen Rose Coughlin, SSJ at 1425 Washington Street, Watertown, NY 13601 or by email at ecoughlin@rcdony.org

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



PRAYER FOR UKRAINE AND FOR PEACE FOR THE WORLD: In solidarity with the Ukrainian Bishops of Canada we invite you to join with The Canadian Council of Churches to proclaim together that Christ is Risen, that love overcomes fear, and that life overcomes death and destruction. We invite all worshipping communities to pray for

peace as a sign and celebration of hope.

PRAYER II FOR UKRAINE:

O Lord God of powers, and God of our salvation, O God, who alone work wonders:

look down with mercy and compassion on Your humble servants,

and out of love for mankind hearken and have mercy on us and on the land of Ukraine.

Visit Your mercies and compassions upon Your humble servants,

those who defend Ukraine and her much-suffering people, and hear us who fall down before Your deep compassion. For You are the health and victory and salvation of them that put their hope in You,

and unto You do we send up glory: to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and unto the ages of ages. Amen.

Adapted from the Byzantine liturgical tradition ("Prayer Service Sung in Times of War," in Trebnyk, <u>Book of Needs</u>)



ST. KATERI TEKAKWITHA FEAST MASS SATURDAY APRIL 23, 2022.

Thank you to Herman Ray for his generous donation of the St. Kateri Tekakwitha Relic and to Karla Kozach for the St. Kateri Tekakwitha Banner commissioned by the St. Regis Mission Altar Rosary Society. Other special guests were Sister Kateri Mitchell and Harold Caldwell (author of the St. Kateri Prayer). Thank you to the Mohawk Choir, Cole Phillips, the St. Regis Mission Religious Education Program, the Kateri Circle for food donations and to the Altar Rosary Society for organizing and hosting the St. Kateri Tekakwitha Feast Service

and the dinner at the St. Regis Recreation Center.

MAY: THE MONTH OF OUR BLESSED MOTHER Mary, our Blessed Mother, look with compassion on the sick and suffering, especially those at TSIIONKWANONHTSO:TE and IAHKIHIHSOTHA and all our homebound Akwesasronon Elders during these pandemic times. Lord, if You will, heal: Steve Arguette, Peter Back, Lily Benedict, Hazel Bero, Jimmy Bero, Bruce Bombard, Marie Casey, Laurie Conners, Ashley Cook, Jerome Cook, Leona Cook, Francis Cree, Julia David, Marita Francis, Leonard and Carol Garrow, Martha George, Bernadine Herne, Hilda Herne, Vernie and Toni Herne, Brian Jacobs, Christian Jock, Felicia and Hubert Jock, Joyce Kelso, Matthew Lamesse, Elizabeth Lazore, Hattie Jackson Lazore, Loran Lazore, Dr. Richard Loder, Viola Marshall, Raymond McDonald, Memphis Pyke Mitchell, Norman and Nancy King, Herbie Oakes, Charles Peters, Lucille Peters, Richard Phillips, Helen Pyke, Sheila Ransom, Troy Skidders, Greg Snyder, Margaret Snyder, Jimmy Sunday, Marilyn Tarbell. Ashley Thompson and Donald Thompson. *Mother Mary* console the grieving families of Leonard Garrow and Julia Roundpoint, May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in

NEXT SUNDAY IS MOTHER'S DAY. On Mother's Day we are reminded to express our loving gratitude for the gift of life our mothers have given us and for the many sacrifices they have made to nurture us. Konnorónhkwa and God Bless!

THE MONTH OF MAY IS DEDICATED TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY. Remember to offer a family rosary every day of this month in remembrance of the Blessed Mother of God.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM ANNOUNCMENT:

Applications for First Communion classes are still available at the entrance of the church and at the St. Regis Mission Rectory. First Communion classes will commence Wednesday May 11, 2022 at 6:00pm. The program will be from May 11th until July 6, 2022. First Communion will be July 10, 2022 THE DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS IS APRIL 30, 2022. For more information call Lucy Papineau at the St. Regis Mission Rectory at 613-575-2753 Wednesday to Friday 9am to 1pm or email rosealmamcdonald@gmail.com.

