

MAY 15, 2022

READINGS: Acts 14: 21b-27, Psalm 145, Revelation 21: 1-5a, John 13.1.: 31-33a, 34-35

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

SATURDAY MAY 14, 2022 4:00 PM

Offered for: Landon Cook, 2-year Memorial Anniversary by the Cook family
Eucharistic Minister/Sacristan: Caroline Peters
Hospitality: Nicky King **Reader:** Elaine Cook

SUNDAY MAY 15, 2022 10:00 AM

Offered for: James J. Cook 1-year Memorial Anniversary by Jerry, Mary, Mitch, Michelle and Kiesha
Sacristan: Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore
Reader: Jamie Ross

WEDNESDAY MAY 18, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Marsha Barnes Thompson by the family

WEDNESDAY MAY 18, 2022 6:00 PM

Offered for: Alexina Auger by Margaret Snyder

THURSDAY MAY 19, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Anna Jackson by Liz Sunday and Marilyn Tarbell Mother's Day Love Offering

FRIDAY MAY 20, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Nancy Bova Chaussi by Dennis & Maggie Mother's Day Love Offering

SATURDAY MAY 21, 2022 4:00 PM

Offered for: Daniel Tarbell Birthday Anniversary Mass by Elizabeth and Norman Tarbell
Eucharistic Minister/Sacristan: Caroline Peters
Hospitality: Nicky King **Reader:** Norman Tarbell

SUNDAY MAY 22, 2022 10:00 AM

Offered for: Julia and Benny Roundpoint, Birthday Anniversary Mass by the Roundpoint family
Sacristan: Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore
Reader: Patricia Francis

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

**May 7-8, 2022 US \$ 425.35 CDN \$ 673.85
NIAWEN:KOWA GOD BLESS!**

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Knowing his time was limited and that his hour had come, Jesus spoke directly to the heart of the matter. It was a simple commandment: "Love one another."

It was not the first time he had spoken about love. Jesus had offered clear instructions about loving God – above all else. He taught about loving neighbour; loving enemies and doing good to those who inflicted harm. He had been very direct about refusing to hate or seek revenge.

It is even possible to truly love someone who has trespassed against us or someone we hold dear? What is the best way to be loving, fair and kind? We might consider the Gospel for the 3rd Sunday of Easter as an example, where Jesus offered Peter a way back from betrayal. Surely the life of Jesus can guide us.

With God's grace, we can learn to trust the Spirit's quiet inner voice. Listening attentively, we can carefully make our way through times of confusion and struggle to become more faithful disciples. Jesus promised, "See, I am making all things new."

As bread and wine are blessed and shared around the altar, we are strengthened to live a life centered in love. It was said of the early Christians, see how they love one another. May it also be true of us.



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.

MONTH OF MARY-MAY DEVOTIONS: "This is the month in which, in the churches and individual homes, the most affectionate and fervent homage of prayers and devotions from the hearts of Christians are raised to Mary. It is also the month in which from his throne descend upon us the most generous and abundant gifts of the Divine Mercy."

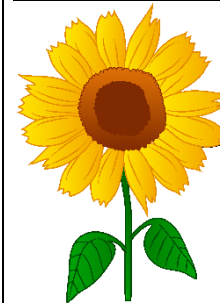
In our own times, we Catholics, wanting to be close to her always, offer her special presents in May: pilgrimages, visits to churches dedicated to her, little sacrifices in her honor, periods of study and well-finished work offered up to her, and a more attentive recitation of the rosary. **MARY: AT CANA:** "In the Gospel, St. John has recorded a wonderful phrase of our Lady. At the wedding of Cana she turned to the waiters and said: 'Do whatever he tells you.' That is what it is all about -- getting people to face Jesus and ask him: 'Lord, what do you want me to do?' " Let us offer to our Mother today: *Prompt obedience, when we are called or asked to do some errand or some act of service.*



MATER DEI COLLEGE FOUNDATION: Attention High School Seniors: Are you a Catholic who is currently in your senior year of high school who currently resides in the Diocese of Ogdensburg and is planning to attend a Catholic College or University in the Fall? The Mater Dei College Foundation is pleased to offer a scholarship opportunity to qualifying students going on to study liberal arts and sciences at a degree-granting Catholic college or university. To request an application form, please email Valerie Mathews, Mater Dei Foundation Scholarship Chair at vmathews@rcdony.org. Application deadline is June 1, 2022.

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:WE - E THO E THO NI A WEN.



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 in the Ukraine.

OCTAVE OF SERVICE: Let your faith make a difference

To commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Diocese of Ogdensburg, parishioners are invited to participate in the Octave of Service from May 19 to May 26. This is an opportunity for parishioners to join together to serve the greater community with the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy and make a difference in the lives of our neighbors. Some suggested projects are:
- A clean-up day at the cemetery, raking leaves, trimming weeds on Saturday morning
- Collecting personal hygiene products for our local resource center – baskets are at the doors
- A group of parishioners will visit the local nursing home and lead a rosary with the residents and deliver greeting cards made by the children in the religious education program.
- A concluding prayer service and ministry fair on the eve of the Feast of the Ascension to pray for an increase in discipleship in our parishes.

You can also gather with fellow parishioners and create your own simple project: invite a lonely neighbor for coffee or dinner at your house or help an elderly neighbor rake their yard. Take a trash bag and pick up the bottles and other trash along your street. Knit or crochet lap blankets for nursing home residents.

For project ideas and other resources please see <https://www.rcdony.org/octave.html>

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FEAST DAY- MAY 13 - PRAYER:

O Most Holy Virgin Mary, Queen of the most holy Rosary, you were pleased to appear to the children of Fatima and reveal a glorious message. We implore you, inspire in our hearts a fervent love for the recitation of the Rosary. By meditating on the mysteries of the redemption that are recalled therein may we obtain the graces and virtues that we ask, through the merits of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Redeemer.



MAY: THE MONTH OF OUR BLESSED MOTHER

Mary, our Blessed Mother, look with compassion on the sick and suffering, especially those at TSIONKWANONHTSO:TE and IAHKIHHSOTHA and all our homebound Akwesasronon Elders during these pandemic times. Lord, if You will, heal: Steve Arquette, 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 Patricia Boots and Wayne McDonald. May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.**

ponder the mystery



Care of Creation
rcdony.org/aboutdiocese/laudato-si.html

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP: Creation Care Tips: "If someone has not learned to stop and admire something beautiful, we should not be surprised if he or she treats everything as an object to be used and abused without scruples." Laudato Si' (# 215)

How do I approach the natural world around me? Do I take time to be in touch with the beauty of God's gift? Springtime can invite us to ponder the mystery of creation before we make our plans on how to provide for our needs.

CLEANING MINISTRY: The cleaning schedule will be posted at the entrance of the church. Please contact Ministry Chair, Jamie Ross if you cannot make your scheduled date.

May 21-22: Team #1, Altar & Rosary Society
May 28-29: Team #2, Finance Council
June 4-5: Team #3, Kateri Circle

MOTHER'S DAY CARNATIONS: Niawen:kowa to the St. Regis Mission Mother's Day Love Offering fund and to the Hospitality Ministry - RJ Dolly McDonald for arranging for the beautiful multi-coloured carnation flowers for our Moms and Tota's for Mother's Day. God Bless!

