

MAY 29, 2022

READINGS: Acts 1.1-11, Psalm 47, Ephesians 1.17-23 Luke 24.44-53

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 28, 2022 4:00 PM

Offered for: Catherine Adeline Day by the family
Eucharistic Minister/Sacristan: Caroline Peters
Hospitality: Nicky King **Reader:** Nicky King

SUNDAY MAY 29, 2022 10:00 AM

Offered for: Isabel Francis Memorial Anniversary by the Francis Family
Sacristan: Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore
Reader: Jamie Ross

WEDNESDAY JUNE 1, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Angus Adams Sr. Seven-Year Memorial Anniversary and Danny Joe Adams Memorial Anniversary by the Adams family

WEDNESDAY JUNE 1, 2022 6:00 PM

Offered for: Louise Smoke Johnson, Mother's Day Love Offering by Rose Jacobs

THURSDAY JUNE 2, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Joellene Adams, one-year memorial anniversary from the funeral collection

FRIDAY JUNE 3, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Florence Benedict Birthday Memorial Anniversary by the St. Regis Family

SATURDAY JUNE 4, 2022 4:00 PM

Offered for: Mitchell Sunday Memorial Anniversary by Elizabeth Sunday
Eucharistic Minister/Sacristan: Caroline Peters
Hospitality: Nicky King **Reader:** Elizabeth Sunday

SUNDAY JUNE 5, 2022 10:00 AM

Offered for: Christie Laffin Mother's day Love Offering by Delinda Comins
Sacristan: Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore
Reader: Delinda Comins

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

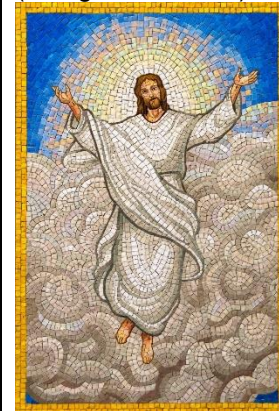
**May 21-22, 2022 US \$ 553.25 CDN \$ 482.25
NIAWEN:KOWA GOD BLESS!**

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

During times of crisis, it has always been easy to find Christians proclaiming that the end is near. Their motivation might be good, but their theology is not. In today's first reading we hear Jesus replying to the disciples, "it is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority."

When Christians imagine that a given natural disaster or plague or politician is a sign of the end, they are usually trying to motivate other Christians to action. The crisis, real or imagined, is an opportunity to rally the troops. But Jesus' words show us the problem with this way of thinking. If it takes the end of the world to motivate us, maybe we haven't really heard the gospel yet.

After telling the disciples that it is not for them to know the time, Jesus continues: "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you: and you will be my witnesses... to the ends of the earth." Jesus contrasts the equipping of the disciples for worldwide mission with their desire for details about the end. In other words, *what you would do to preach the gospel today if you knew the world would end tomorrow is what you should be doing anyway.* (livingwithchrist.ca)



THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD (MAY 29)

For 40 days after his resurrection on Easter Sunday, the Bible says that **Jesus travelled and preached with his apostles, preparing them for his departure from Earth.** Ascension Day marks the moment Jesus literally ascended into heaven before his disciples, at the village of Bethany, near Jerusalem. The time came for him to return to heaven to prepare a place for us, as his earthly ministry had been

fulfilled. The Ascension **serves as an ultimate demonstration of Jesus' power over death, inaugurating his reign over heaven and earth as the Living King.** For many Christians, the fact that Jesus' followers witnessed him ascending into the clouds leaves no doubt that Jesus is alive and with God the Father in Heaven, and is no longer limited to living on Earth. The ascension demonstrates **God's omnipotence**.



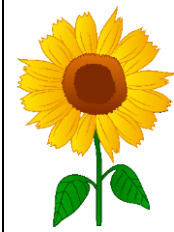
FAMILY GUGGENHEIM: Registration is open

Online Registration is open for the Family Guggenheim program at www.rcdony.org/family-life/fg
Session 1 is August 18 -21.
Session 2 is August 25-28.

Session 3 is October 7-9. **Don't delay...sessions are filling fast.** Family Guggenheim welcomes families of all dimensions to come enjoy a special weekend in the beauty of the Adirondacks. Expect fun family workshops and activities that will have you working and laughing together. Celebrate Christ's presence in your lives through liturgy (often outside) and special prayer services. Take time for great outdoor activities like paddle boat rides, beach volleyball, and hiking. You are never too young or too old to enjoy being family at Camp Guggenheim! For more information, please contact Steve Tartaglia at 315-393-2920 or startaglia@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 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.

PRAYER FOR MEMORIAL DAY

In the quiet sanctuaries of our own hearts, let each of us name and call on the One whose power over us is great and gentle, firm and forgiving, holy and healing:

You who created us, who sustain us, who call us to live in peace, hear our prayer this day.

Hear our prayer for all who have died, whose hearts and hopes are known to you alone ...

Hear our prayer for those who put the welfare of others ahead of their own and give us hearts as generous as theirs
Hear our prayer for those who gave their lives in the service of others, and accept the gift of their sacrifice ...

Help us to shape and make a world where we will lay down the arms of war and turn our swords into ploughshares for a harvest of justice and peace ...

Comfort those who grieve the loss of their loved ones and let your healing be the hope in our hearts...

Hear our prayer this day and in your mercy answer us in the name of all that is holy.

Prayer



Care of Creation
rcdony.org/about/diocesa/laudato-sl.html

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP: Creation Care Tips

"God of creation, guide me to appreciate the warmth of the sun, the tenderness of the night, and the beauty of Your Glory. Lead me to recognize my responsibility as steward of Your creation." [100 Days of Prayer](#) created by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Orange

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.**

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, William Francis, Leonard and Carol Garrow, Martha George, Bennette Herne Grant, 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 victims of COVID. May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.**

UPCOMING CELEBRATIONS: Ascension of the Lord **May 29th**, Memorial Day **May 30**, Corpus Christi **June 16**, Father's Day **June 19th**, St. John the Baptise **June 24th**.

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 28 - Finance Council
- June 4 - Kateri Circle
- June 11 - Religious Education
- June 18 - Food Pantry
- June 25 - Worship & Liturgy

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM We are proud to announce we have seven candidates for First Communion this year. The program is nine weeks long and we are now entering our fourth week. We will be closing admission after this week due to the short length of the program. First Communion is June 12, 2022. We strongly encourage parents to continue to provide us with applications for our next class which will begin in late August. Remember student's attendance at Mass is mandatory. Please remember to sign in every weekend when you attend Mass. God Bless!

