

AUGUST 7, 2022

READINGS: Wisdom 18:6-9, Psalm 33, Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19, Luke 12:32-48

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 AUGUST 6, 2022 4:00 PM

Offered for: Arthur Tarbell Memorial Anniversary Mass and Carl Tarbell by the Tarbell family
Eucharistic Minister: Caroline Peters, **Hospitality:** Nicky King **Reader:** Lucy Papineau

SUNDAY AUGUST 7, 2022 10:00 AM

Offered for:Joellene Adams from the funeral collection
Sacristan: Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore
Eucharistic Minister: Lisa Tarbell, **Reader:** Jamie Ross

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 10, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Phil Tarbell Jr. from the funeral collection

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 10, 2022 6:00 PM

Offered for: James E. Lazore from the Father's Day Love Offerings by Robbie & Joan Lazore and family

THURSDAY AUGUST 11, 2022

Offered for: Mose McDonald Jr. from the funeral collection

FRIDAY AUGUST 12, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Louie Laffin and Jimmy Ransom from the Father's Day Love Offerings by Delinda Coimins

SATURDAY AUGUST 13, 2022 4:00 PM

Offered for: Robert Allen Day by the Day family
Eucharistic Minister: Caroline Peters, **Hospitality:** Nicky King **Reader:** Connie Thompson

SUNDAY AUGUST 14, 2022 10:00 AM

Offered for: A.J. Adams 2 year Memorial Anniversary by the Adams family
Sacristan: Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore
Eucharistic Minister: Lisa Tarbell, **Reader:** Rosemary Bonaparte

THE FIRST COMMUNION CLASS OF 2022 WILL HAVE ALTAR SERVING TRAINING AUGUST 11 AND 18TH AT THE CHURCH FROM 6:00 TO 7:00 PM. PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR ATTENDANCE.

COLLECTIONS UPDATE

July 23-24, 2022 US \$ TBD CDN \$ TBD
July 30-31, 2022 US \$ TBD CDN \$ TBD

NIAWEN:KOWA GOD BLESS!

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

As we learn in today's Gospel, much will be required of the person to whom much is entrusted. As Christians, we have been entrusted with all that God has desired to offer the human race. This does not mean that we should live in fear of failing to meet God's expectations, falling into a spiritual perfectionism that cripples our joy and strains our faith. Rather, it means that our hearts are to be undivided to be about one thing alone – loving God.

How are we to prepare, to make ourselves ready for the coming of the Son of Man? We can reject all banal pursuits motivated by our own self-interest, which provide only a false sense of security and control. We are children of God and as such we are to pray, give alms and offer sacrifices. If we make God's will and the salvation of souls and treasures of our heart, and like Abraham live by faith, not knowing where we are being led, we will be ready when the Son of Man comes.

Do not fear, have faith in things unseen; the Father is pleased to give us the kingdom. This life is fleeting: all we'll take to heaven is our love for God and the relationships we have formed here on earth. (Living with Christ)

PILGRIMAGE TO ST. ANNE DE BEAUPRE: Pictured are the two indigenous pilgrimage groups sponsored by the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall who went to Quebec City for the Papal visit of Pope Francis last week. One group represented 36 Indigenous Catholics and residential school survivors from the Ottawa area and the second group represented 33 Akwesasronon St. Regis Mission parishioners.

We wish a very grateful and heart felt thank you to Archbishop Marcel Damphouse for sponsoring our Akwesasronon pilgrims for the Papal visit which included the costs for hotel, buses, food, meal expenses, tickets to the venues and everything else associated with the pilgrimage.

A heartfelt thank you also to Father Geoffrey Kerlake, Ted Hurley, Donna Naughton, Christian Veselovsky, Genevieve Bonin-Labelle and Dr. RJ Dolly McDonald for the many weeks of planning, emails, Zoom meetings and conference calls that were required to organize our historical pilgrimage.

The pilgrimage was an amazing success and healing experience for all of us. It was wonderful to see Pope Francis in person, to hear his heartfelt apology for the horrors of the residential schools and to build new relationships between the St. Regis Mission and the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall. GOD BLESS everyone who attended the pilgrimage and who assisted in so many ways with the logistics along the way. **NIAWEN:KOWA!**



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.



SOLEMNITY OF THE FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY INTO HEAVEN

The Feast of the Assumption is one of the most important feast days of the year and a Holy Day of Obligation on the official Roman Catholic Church calendar.

By tradition, the holy day is observed every August 15th. This year, the Feast of the Assumption occurs on Monday, August 15, 2022. According to Roman Catholic theology,

Mary was "assumed body and soul into heavenly glory" several years after her son, Jesus, ascended into heaven.

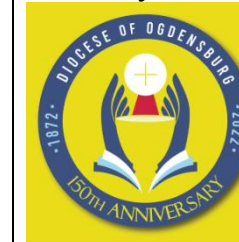
The importance of this event in Mary's life is only surpassed by her role in the virgin birth of Jesus Christ. The moment of Mary's ascension into heaven has been depicted in dozens of painting masterpieces and became a central theme in Renaissance art.

In the Eastern Orthodox Church, the miracle of the Assumption is called the Dormition and also celebrated on August 15. By either name, the day marks Mary's triumph over earthly existence as she is transported body and soul into heaven by her son, Jesus Christ.

REVERENCE FOR THE HOLY EUCHARIST, THE BREAD OF LIFE

The story is told that St. Philip Neri, a great lover of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist, was saddened because one woman of his congregation always raced down the aisle, right out the door of church after she had received the Sacred Host. She seemed to have no time for silent adoration or thanksgiving for Holy Communion. St. Philip wondered if the woman really believed in the Divine Presence within her. He decided to give her a gentle reminder. He asked his altar server to carry the lighted processional candle behind that woman all the way down the aisle and outdoors to her car, so that Jesus would receive the thanksgiving and reverence He deserves. That woman was awakened in faith in the Real Presence within her after the reception of Communion. Thereafter, she even remained in church after Mass to praise and thank God for His wondrous gift. What a great change she experienced in her life and that of her family!

LET US PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SUFFERING. Lord, 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 Arquette, Peter Back, Lloyd Benedict, Hazel Bero, Jimmy Bero, Bruce Bombard, Marie Casey, Laurie Conners, Ashley Cook, Jerome Cook, Leona Cook, Julia David, Marita Francis, William Francis, 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, Jerry McDonald, 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. **Console the grieving families of Francis Cree and Richard Lebehn, may their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.**



CELEBRATING 150 YEARS; ANNIVERSARY MASS (WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10TH AT 1 P.M.) To give praise and glory to the Lord for the One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary of the Founding of the Diocese of Ogdensburg, His Excellency, The Most Reverend Terry R. LaValley, cordially invites you and all the faithful to a

special Eucharistic Celebration of Thanksgiving at 1:00pm on Wednesday, August 10, 2022, The Feast of Saint Lawrence at St. Mary's Cathedral, 415 Hamilton Street Ogdensburg, New York 13669. A picnic will immediately follow on the Cathedral Lawn. For those unable to attend, the Mass will be livestreamed at www.rcdony.org/livemass. The program will be available at the same link shortly before the Mass. **We are requesting our St. Regis Mission lay leaders to attend this event. Please contact Fr. Jerome at 613-575-2753 or RJ Dolly McDonald for more information at rosealamcdonald@gmail.com**



POPE FRANCIS ON TWITTER: "Dear brothers and sisters of the Indigenous Peoples I now return home bearing in my heart the treasure of all those who have left a mark on me, your faces, smiles and words, stories and places will always remain with me. Thank you all from the bottom of my heart."

During his visit to Canada the Pope called on Church leaders in Canada to overcome the many challenges that hinder the proclamation of the joy of faith, emphasizing that to proclaim the Gospel "the Church must also be credible". He asked the forgiveness of all the victims, and, referring specifically to the ongoing process of healing and reconciliation with the Indigenous peoples of Canada, reiterated that "never again can the Christian community allow itself to be infected by the idea that one culture is superior to others or that it is legitimate to employ ways of coercing others."

