

OCTOBER 9, 2022

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

READINGS: *Second Kings 5: 14-17, Psalm 98, Second Timothy 2: 8-13, Luke 17: 11-19*

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

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 8, 2022 4:00 PM
WELCOME HOME FR. JEROME**

Offered for: Richard J. Taylor by Kathleen Neubauer
Sacristan: Caroline Peters **Hospitality:** Nicky King
Eucharistic Minister: Caroline Peters **Reader:** Connie Thompson

**SUNDAY OCTOBER 9, 2022 10:00 AM
WELCOME HOME FR. JEROME**

Offered for: Roxeanne Garrow by Misty Garrow and Children
Sacristan: Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore
Eucharistic Minister: Lisa Tarbell, **Reader:** Rosemary Bonaparte

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 12, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for Nelson Sawatis 4-Year Memorial Anniversary by the St. Regis Family

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 12, 2022 6:00 PM

Offered for: Tanner Jock from the funeral collection

THURSDAY OCTOBER 13, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Nancy White 1-year Memorial Anniversary by the St. Regis family

FRIDAY OCTOBER 14, 2022 12:10 PM

Offered for: Grace Leaf 17 Year Memorial Anniversary by Frank Leaf

SATURDAY OCTOBER 15, 2022 4:00 PM

Offered for: Carl Tarbell Memorial Anniversary Mass by the Tarbell family
Sacristan: Caroline Peters **Hospitality:** Nicky King
Eucharistic Minister: Caroline Peters **Reader:** Victor Martin

SUNDAY OCTOBER 16, 2022 10:00 AM

Offered for: Phil Tarbell Jr. from the funeral collection
Sacristan: Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore
Eucharistic Minister: Lisa Tarbell, **Reader:** Irving Papineau

HOSPITALITY MINISTRY REMINDER: DUE TO INCREASES IN COVID CASES THE MASK REQUIREMENT CONTINUES TO BE MANDATORY INDEFINITELY. THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE AND UNDERSTANDING.

COLLECTIONS UPDATE

**OCT 1-2, 2022 US \$ 592.65 CDN \$ 418.95
NIAWEN:KOWA GOD BLESS!**



**MESSAGE FROM ✕ MARCEL DAMPHOUSSE,
ARCHBISHOP OF OTTAWA-CORNWALL
SEPT. 26TH LETTER PART II**

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ, Peace be with you! Many want to know what we, in the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall, together, are doing to take the next steps on this journey. There are many things happening both in parishes and at the archdiocesan level. I wish to share a few things with you.

I established after the reporting on the graves in Kamloops, British Columbia, an archdiocesan committee composed primarily of indigenous peoples from different backgrounds to help advise me on how to walk together. The Archdiocesan Indigenous and Non-Indigenous Peoples Relations Committee has been formed to advise me on what we need to do to educate Catholic Christians on the history of colonization and the residential schools, to look for resources to share with parishes and to help me grow in understanding of the lived experience of indigenous peoples. I am very grateful for the faith, wisdom and experience of the Committee members and their commitment.

Moving forward, a concrete part of the reconciliation process was the archdiocese's sponsoring of two bus loads of 63 indigenous catholic pilgrims, including one bus from the St. Regis Mission Church, to go to Quebec City to be with Pope Francis together with me, our new auxiliary bishop Yvan Mathieu and indigenous pilgrims from across the archdiocese and beyond our borders. To make it as accessible as possible, the archdiocese covered all the costs of the pilgrimage to Quebec, recognizing the need to help make this journey and encounter possible. For me, a blessing was to spend time together and to grow in our relationships. When we come to encounter one another through shared experience, openness, and the celebration of our faith in Jesus Christ, I believe there is healing. I know I was blessed by sharing in this experience and I look forward to more encounters celebrating our faith and growing in our relationships.

Several parishes in Ottawa-Cornwall have invited indigenous representatives to speak with parishioners and have organized Masses with the community to celebrate with indigenous representatives our common faith, learning firsthand the cultural expressions of faith and growing more aware and appreciative of indigenous languages, culture and spirituality. I encourage these celebrations.

There are more things happening, like sharing circles, blanket exercises and learning opportunities but I would like to highlight one more special initiative. The Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall has committed to raising \$1.2 million to establish a fund for indigenous peoples led programs and events aimed at fostering healing and reconciliation, education and the support of indigenous culture. This is part of the commitment of the Church in Canada to a national \$30 million dollar campaign to provide resources to the indigenous peoples' communities. It is vital that we support initiatives developed and led by Indigenous peoples, responding to the self-identified needs of the communities, recognizing the skills, wisdom and rich cultural heritage of Indigenous peoples. Our fundraising will start in November with a campaign not only to raise financial resources but also to begin to educate parishioners on the complex, tragic realities of the effects of colonization, unjust treatment of Indigenous peoples, and our participation in the residential school system which was a source of such suffering. May Saint Kateri Tekakwitha support us with her prayers and may God bless you, and your family.

Yours sincerely. ✕ Archbishop Marcel Dampousse

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.



SEPTEMBER 29TH NATIONAL DAY OF TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION HEALING SERVICE NIAWEN:KOWA to the Church of Christ, the United Methodist Church, Mohawk Assembly of God, New Life Christian Church, St. Regis Mission and Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall who supported our healing service on September 29th at the Generations Park Pavilion: Also, the Mohawk Choir, Seven Dancers Coalition and to the organizers and contributors. The focus was prayer, healing, forgiveness and unity.



**TENTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE
CANONIZATION OF ST KATERI
TEKAKWITHA:**

Known as the "Lily of the Mohawks", Kateri Tekakwitha was born in 1656 in Ossemenon (today Auriesville, New York) to a Catholic Algonquin mother and a Mohawk Chief. She received her first Communion on Christmas Day 1677. She also made a vow of perpetual virginity on the Feast of the Annunciation in 1679. In Kahnawake. Kateri was known for her faith and holiness. She taught prayers to children, cared for the elderly and the sick, and would often attend mass at sunrise and sunset. Kateri's

health deteriorated in the last years of her life. She died of tuberculosis on April 17, 1680, shortly before her 24th birthday, and was buried at St. Francis Xavier Mission. Her final words were: "Jesús Konoronkwa" ("Jesus, I love you"). Kateri was declared Venerable by Pope Pius XII on January 3, 1943, and beatified by Pope John Paul II in 1980. Saint Kateri Tekakwitha was canonized by Pope Benedict XVI on **October 21, 2012**, in Rome. She became "the first native North American to be raised to the glory of the altars

LET US PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SUFFERING. Lord, 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, Hazel 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, 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, Shanon Sylvester, Marilyn Tarbell, Ashley Thompson and Donald Thompson. **Console the grieving families of Elizabeth Kelly, Gordon King and Aspen Robertson may their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.**

OCTOBER 10TH HAPPY CANADIAN THANKSGIVING: God, giver of all good, you continually pour your benefits upon us. Age after age the living wait upon you and find that your faithfulness has no end, that your care is unfailing. We praise you that the mystery of life is a mystery of infinite goodness. We praise you for the order and constancy of nature; for the beauty and bounty of the earth; for day and night, summer and winter, seedtime, and harvest; for the varied gifts of loveliness which every season brings. We give you thanks for all the comfort and joy of life, for our homes, for our friends, and for all the love, sympathy, and goodwill of all people. Amen.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA:

Considered as the most important series of Marian apparitions in the Roman Catholic Church, the Blessed Mother appeared on the 13th day of each month for six consecutive months from **May 13 to Oct 13, 1917**. Formally known as Our Lady of the Holy Rosary of Fatima, devotees marked the centennial of the Fatima apparitions in 2017. Catholics around the world honor her by praying the rosary. **Pray the rosary daily with your family.**



RECITATION OF THE ROSARY During the month of October, there will be a recitation of the Rosary before Mass each weekend. The Family Rosary is a powerful prayer to ask Our Blessed Mother to protect our families and preserve each with love and unity. Watch for the times and places where families will be joining to pray the daily rosary.



FEAST OF ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI: Many churches in Canada celebrate the Feast of St Francis of Assisi on October 4 each year. The feast commemorates the life of St Francis, who was born in the 12th century and is the Catholic Church's patron saint of animals and the environment. It is a popular day for pets to be "blessed". Father Jerome will be at the parking lot of the St. Kateri Tekakwitha Center on Sunday **OCTOBER 9, 2022 at NOON** for the annual Blessing of Pets in honor of St. Francis of Assisi. Bring your family pets to the St. Kateri Center for Father to bless.

