

JANUARY 29, 2023

READINGS Zephaniah 2: 3, 3:12-13, Psalm 146, First Corinthians 1: 26-31, Matthew 5: 1-12.

For weekend masses at the St. Regis Mission Church **ALL COVID-19 and FLU MANDATORY RESTRICTIONS APPLY ESPECIALLY MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING.**

SATURDAY JANUARY 28, 2023 4:00 PM

Offered for: Julia Sawatis 25-Year Memorial Anniversary by Sherry and girls
Sacristan: Caroline Peters **Hospitality:** Nicky King **Eucharistic Minister:** Caroline Peters **Reader:** Connie Thompson

**SATURDAY JANUARY 28, 2023 6:00 PM
TRI DISTRICT ELDER'S LODGE**

Offered for: Jerome Seymour by the St. Regis family

SUNDAY JANUARY 29, 2023 10:00 AM

Offered for: Russell "Hoss" Mitchell 15-year Memorial Anniversary by the Mitchell family
Sacristan: Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore **Eucharistic Minister:** Lisa Tarbell, **Reader:** Jamie Ross

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 1, 2023 12:10pm

Offered for: Lewis "Porky" Garrow from the funeral collection

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 1, 2023 6:00 pm

Offered for: Debbie Conners from the funeral collection

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 2, 2023 12:10 PM

Offered for: Margaret Arquette 20-year Memorial Anniversary by the St. Regis Family

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 3, 2023 12:10 PM

Offered for: Mary Louise Oaks Memorial Birthday by the St. Regis Family

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 4, 2023 4:00 PM

Offered for: Percy Francis, Memorial Birthday by the St. Regis Family
Sacristan: Caroline Peters **Hospitality:** Nicky King **Eucharistic Minister:** Caroline Peters **Reader:** Victor Martin

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 5, 2023 10:00 AM

Offered for: Carl Tarbell and David Tarbell by the St. Regis family
Sacristan: Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore **Eucharistic Minister:** Lisa Tarbell, **Reader:** Irving Papineau

**COLLECTIONS UPDATE
JANUARY 21-22, 2023**

**CDN \$388.75 and USD \$464.35
NIAWEN:KOWA GOD BLESS!**

JANUARY 29, 2023

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



OBSERVING THE SEVEN JOYS AND SORROWS OF ST. JOSEPH

A long-standing tradition in the Church is to prepare for the feast of Saint Joseph by dedicating the seven Sundays before March 19 to Saint Joseph, in memory of his seven sorrows and joys. It is encouraged that one mediate upon these sets of Sorrows and Joys, and conclude by praying the Litany of Saint Joseph.

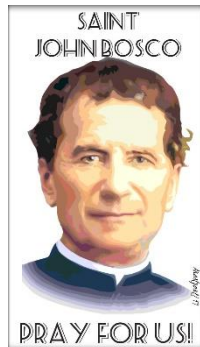
JOSEPH'S SEVEN SORROWS

1. The doubt of St. Joseph (Matt. 1:19) 2. The poverty of Jesus' birth (Luke 2:7) 3. The Circumcision (Luke 2:21) 4. The prophecy of Simeon (Luke 2:34) 5. The flight into Egypt (Matt. 2:14) 6. The return from Egypt (Matt. 2:22) 7. The loss of the Child Jesus (Luke 2:45)

JOSEPH'S SEVEN JOYS 1. The message of the Angel (Matt. 1:20) 2. The birth of the Savior (Luke 2:10-11) 3. The Holy Name of Jesus (Matt. 1:25) 4. The effects of the Redemption (Luke 2:38) 5. The overthrow of the idols of Egypt (Is. 19:1) 6. Life with Jesus and Mary at Nazareth (Luke 2:39) 7. The finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple (Luke 2:46)

PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH *Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, To you God entrusted his only Son' In you Mary placed her trust; With you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, Show yourself a father And guide us in the path of life, Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage, And defend us from every evil. Amen.*

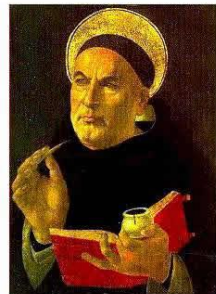
FEAST OF ST. JOHN BOSCO, FATHER AND TEACHER OF YOUTH, JANUARY 31



John Bosco (1815-1888) was raised in a poor family in Piedmont, Italy. After his ordination to the priesthood in 1841, he witnessed the terrible conditions of youth in prisons and resolved to help juvenile delinquents. He formed the Salesian Society named after gentle St. Francis de Sales to help boys with their faith formation and to stay out of trouble. At his canonization in 1934, St. John Bosco was given the title, "Father and Teacher of Youth" by Pope Pius XI. In 2001, Pope John Paul

II was petitioned to declare St. John Bosco "Patron of Stage Magicians" because that holy priest pioneered the art of what is today called "Gospel Magic", using magic and other feats to attract attention of the youth to Christ. The Salesian Priests and Sisters now minister to needy children all over the world.

FEAST OF ST. THOMAS AQUINAS JANUARY 28. St. Thomas Aquinas (1224-1274),



Thomas Aquinas was the greatest of the Scholastic philosophers. He produced a comprehensive synthesis of Christian theology and Aristotelian philosophy that influenced Roman Catholic doctrine for centuries and was adopted as the official philosophy of the church in 1917. His prayer before Holy Communion reveals his humility and love. St Thomas Aquinas is known primarily as a brilliant theologian and

philosopher and is the patron saint of universities and scholars.

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.



FEAST OF CANDLEMAS, FEB. 2ND

Candlemas is celebrated on 2 February and marks the return of light, a symbol of protection and prosperity. This Christian festival commemorates the presentation of Jesus at the Temple of Jerusalem, referring to him as the light of the people

of Israel. On Candlemas Day, February 2, followers of Jesus celebrate his Presentation at the Temple and the Virgin Mary being purified, with many of the faithful bringing candles to their churches to be blessed. The Presentation of Jesus at the Temple is an early episode in the life of Jesus that is celebrated by the Church on the holiday of Candlemas. It is described in the Gospel of Luke of the New Testament in the Bible. Within the account, "Luke's narration of the Presentation in the Temple combines the purification rite with the Jewish ceremony of the redemption of the firstborn (Luke 2:23–24)." The traditional Candlemas celebrates three occasions: the presentation of the child Jesus, Jesus' first entry into the temple, and the Virgin Mary's purification or blessing.



FEAST OF SAINT BLAISE, FEB. 3RD

Blaise is best known for the tradition of blessing throats linked to him. An Armenian bishop, Blaise suffered martyrdom during the persecution of Licinius in the early 4th century. While little is known about him it is said that religious oppression forced him to live as a hermit in a cave. According to legend, Blaise performed a miraculous cure on a boy who was choking to death. Blaise has long been associated with cures for afflictions of the throat, and the blessing of throats may take place on this day in memory of him. He is patron of wool-combers and of all who suffer from afflictions of the throat. He is also a patron of wild beasts, as legend suggest he had a remarkable calming influence on animals.

Through the powerful intercession of Saint Blaise, may God protect you from ailments of the throat and spare you from sickness of body and spirit. Amen

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, Dave Back, Peter Back, Hazel Bero, Marie Casey, Laurie Conners, Ashley Cook, Jerome Cook, Leona Cook, Julia David, William Francis, Carol Garrow, Martha George, Dave Hall, Bennette Herne Grant, Bernadine Herne, Hilda Herne, Vernie and Toni Herne, Brian Jacobs, Rose Jacobs, Christian Jock, Felicia and Hubert Jock, Joyce Kelso, Doreen King, Matthew Lamesse, Hattie Jackson Lazore, Loran Lazore, Vanessa Lavare, Dr. Richard Loder, Viola Marshall, Jim "McDuck" McDonald, Raymond McDonald, Memphis Pyke Mitchell, Norman and Nancy King, Herbie Oakes, Charles Peters, Lucille Peters, Richard Phillips, Helen Pyke, Sheila Ransom, Brenna Roundpoint, Greg Snyder, Angie Sunday, Jimmy Sunday, Marilyn Tarbell, Ashley Thompson, Donald Thompson, Tim Thompson, Allan White and Gary White. **O Lord, Console the grieving families of Elizabeth M. Thompson and Perry J. Point may their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.**

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Please complete applications for baptism and provide a copy of your child's Birth Certificate for the sacrament of baptism. Interviews are required with Father Jerome. Baptisms are the THIRD SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH PROMPTLY AT 10:00 AM. Call 613-575-2753 Wednesday – Friday 9AM -1PM for more information.

NIAWEN:KOWA TO DONALDSON'S FUNERAL HOME

Thank you to Chad Green of Donaldson's Funeral home for donating the beautiful 2023 calendars to our St. Regis Mission Church. God bless!!

There will be BLESSING OF CANDLES and BLESSING OF THROATS by Fr. Jerome on **FEBRUARY 4th** (Saturday at the 4:00pm Mass) and **FEBRUARY 5th** (Sunday at the 10:00am Mass). Candles will be available at the entrance of the church. Donations for the candles would be greatly appreciated.

TO ARRANGE FOR A PASTORAL VISIT CONTACT FR. JEROME B. PASTORES

at the St. Regis Mission Rectory by calling (613)-575-2753 or by emailing him at jeromebpastores@hotmail.com

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND FAITH FORMATION UPDATE:

First Communion classes are anticipated beginning **March 22, 2023**. The classes will be Wednesdays March 22 and 29, April 5, 12, 19, 26 and May 3, 10, 17 with First Communion **SUNDAY May 21st, 2023**. The St. Kateri Tekakwitha Center is still experiencing serious funding limitations and there continues to be 2022 audit findings that remain outstanding. COVID restrictions continue to be in effect. Any donations to our program would be greatly appreciated for snacks and supplies. Sign up forms will be available starting February 18-19. Connie Thompson and Lucy Papineau are the First Communion Catechists. RJ Dolly McDonald is Director of Religious Ed and Faith Formation. Part III Lector Training is being planned. Tentative dates are Feb 23 or 24 and Feb 28 or March 1st.

