

**NOVEMBER 12, 2023**

**READINGS** Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25, Psalm 78, Thessalonians 4:13-18, Matthew 25:1-13.

For weekend masses at the St. Regis Mission Church **ALL COVID-19 and FLU RESTRICTIONS APPLY - MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING ARE OPTIONAL BUT HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.**

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 11, 2023 4:00 PM  
ARCHBISHOP MARCEL DAMPHOUSSE**

**Offered for:** Betty Kelly from the funeral collection  
**Sacristan:** Caroline Peters, **Hospitality:** Nicky King  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Caroline Peters **Reader:** Nicky King

**SUNDAY NOVEMBER 12, 2023 10:00 AM**

**Offered for:** Elizabeth Lazore, Tom and Katie Swamp, Ann and Louis Lazore and Narissa Lazore by Edward Lazore  
**Sacristan:** Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Lisa Tarbell, **Reader:** Judy Cole

**WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 15, 2023 10:00AM  
IAHKIHIHSOTHA**

**Offered for:** Josephine Peters Lazore from the funeral collection

**WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 15, 2023 6:00 PM**

**Offered for:** Marion Lazore from the funeral collection

**THURSDAY NOVEMBER 16, 2023 12:10 PM**

**Offered for:** Laura Cree by the St. Regis Mission Family

**FRIDAY NOVEMBER 17, 2023 12:10 PM**

**Offered for:** Carol Caldwell Halstead by Debra Caldwell

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 18, 2023 4:00 PM**

**Offered for:** Thomas James Lazore from the funeral collection  
**Sacristan:** Caroline Peters, **Hospitality:** Nicky King  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Caroline Peters  
**Reader:** Connie Thompson

**SUNDAY NOVEMBER 19, 2023 10:00 AM**

**Offered for:** Robert Mitchell from the funeral collection,  
**Sacristan:** Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Lisa Tarbell, **Reader:** Delinda Comins

**COLLECTIONS UPDATE**

NOV 4-5, 2023 CDN \$404.80 USD \$666.25.  
**NIAWEN:KOWA GOD BLESS!**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** The Liturgy Schedule is provided by the Ministry Chair, Caroline Peters. If there are questions or someone cannot attend the Mass that they are scheduled for they should contact Caroline ASAP. She can be reached by calling her at 613-575-2341 or by emailing her at [caroline.peters@akwesasne.ca](mailto:caroline.peters@akwesasne.ca)

**32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

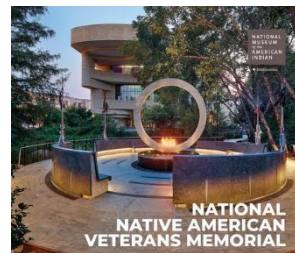


**NATIVE AMERICAN MONTH:**

November is Native American Heritage Month, or as it is commonly referred to, American Indian and Alaska Native Heritage Month. The month is a time to celebrate rich and diverse cultures,

traditions, and histories and to acknowledge the important contributions of Native people especially in the Catholic Church. Heritage Month is also an opportune time to educate parishes and congregations about tribes and First Nations, to raise a general awareness about the unique challenges Native people have faced both historically and in the present, and the ways in which tribal and First Nation members have worked to conquer these challenges.

**NATIVE AMERICAN PRAYER** *O Great Spirit, whose voice I hear in the winds and whose breath gives life to all the world, hear me. I come before you as one of your children. I am small and weak. I need your strength and wisdom. Let me walk in beauty and make my eyes ever behold the red and purple sunset. Make my hands respect the things you have made, my ears sharp to hear your voice. Make me wise, so that I may know the things you have taught my people, the lessons you have hidden in every leaf and rock. I seek strength, not to be superior to my brothers, but to be able to fight my greatest enemy: myself. Make me ever ready to come to you with clean hands and straight eyes, so that when life fades as a fading sunset, my spirit may come to you without shame. Amen. + ~Chief Yellow Hawk of the Sioux Nation And may Almighty God bless us: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.*



**VETERANS DAY NOV 11, 2023**

American Indians and Alaska Natives (AI/AN) serve in the U.S. Armed Services at a higher rate than any other group. There are currently more than 140,000 AI/AN Veterans living in the United States. This month, we especially recognize the immeasurable contribution of American Indians and Alaska Natives who serve in the Armed Forces at five times the national average. We also acknowledge the many American Indians and Alaska Natives who are members of Federal, State, local, and tribal law enforcement and who sacrifice their safety for the security of all. NIAWEN:KOWA.

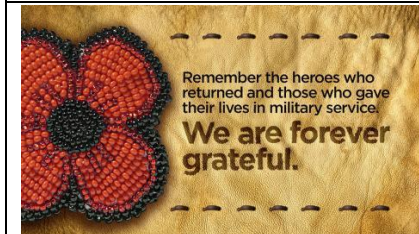


**FACTS ABOUT NATIVE AMERICANS AND THE CATHOLIC CHURCH:**

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, approximately 2.9 million people identified themselves as Native Americans or Alaska Natives in the year 2008. Of this total, it is estimated that 580,000 are Roman Catholics. More than 340 parishes in the United States serve predominantly Native American congregations. Most of those ministering to Native American Catholics are members of religious orders; those most likely to be Native American themselves are lay ministers and deacons. Currently, one archdiocese is headed by a bishop of Native American ancestry. St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Lily of the Mohawks, is the first Native American saint in the United States and Canada. She is a symbol of the link between Catholicism and the indigenous peoples of Canada and the USA. St. Kateri Tekakwitha pray for us.

**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



**NOV 8TH, 2023  
NATIONAL INDIGENOUS VETERANS DAY.**

National Indigenous Veterans Day is an opportunity to recognize the military service and sacrifices made by First Nations, Inuit, and Métis Peoples. This acknowledgement day was established in Canada in 1994. More than 12,000 Indigenous Peoples have served in the First and Second World Wars, as well as the Korean War. This Indigenous commitment spans over 200 years of military services. Niawen:kowa to our Indigenous Veterans whom we remember and honour for their brave sacrifices, achievements and for their valiant fight for freedom and peace.



**FALLEN LEAVES** Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some stay for a while and leave footprints on our hearts, and we are never the same. Each of us has loved ones, family and friends, who have left footprints on our hearts. We cannot forget them in our prayers. Holy Mass, the Memorial of Christ's Passion, Death and Resurrection is the greatest gift we can give to our departed loved ones. During the month of November remember them in the Masses offered at the St. Regis Mission Church.

**FALLEN LEAVES** forms are available on the table at the entrance of the church. Please drop your completed form in the basket provided. A donation would be greatly appreciated. The names of your loved ones will be read during the weekend Masses throughout the month of November.

**PRAYER FOR THE SOULS IN PURGATORY** *Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, those in my own home and within my family. AMEN. Prayer of St. Gertrude the Great.*

**NATIONAL VOCATION WEEK: NOV 5-11:** As we celebrate National Vocation Week, the Church takes this opportunity to reflect on the call to holiness given to us at the time of our Baptism. We believe, as Catholics, that God has a plan for our lives! He calls some to marriage, some to the priesthood, others to the consecrated life or to live as generous single people. As we live our own vocations faithfully, let us encourage and teach our young people how to discern and be open to God's call.

**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, Dave Back, Peter Back, Hazel Bero, Marie Casey, Ashley Cook, Jerome Cook, Leona Cook, William Francis, Carol Garrow, Martha George, Dave Hall, Bernadine Herne, Vernie and Toni Herne, Brian Jacobs, Rose Jacobs, Christian Jock, Felicia Jock, Doreen King, Matthew Lamesse, Kim Lawrence, Hattie Jackson Lazore, Loran Lazore, Vanessa Lavare, Dorothy Lazore, 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, Earl Spinner, Angie Sunday, Jimmy Sunday, Sr. Mary Christine Taylor, Marilyn Tarbell, Ashley Thompson, Donald Thompson, Tim Thompson, and Gary White. **O Lord, Console the grieving families of Verlain Elizabeth White and Catherine N. Martin, may their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.**

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT DEADLINE:** To submit announcements for the St. Regis Mission Bulletin the deadline is **MONDAYS AT NOON**. To make a submission email [rosealmamcdonald@gmail.com](mailto:rosealmamcdonald@gmail.com)

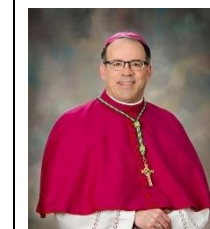
**2023-2024 LIVING WITH CHRIST SUNDAY MISSALS ARE FOR SALE** at the entrance of the church. They are available for a donation of \$5.00.

**RCIA CLASSES** will be held on the 16th and 30th of November 2023 at 5:30pm at the Rectory.

**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 at 10 AM. Call 613-575-2753 for more information.

**TO ARRANGE FOR A PASTORAL VISIT CONTACT FR. JEROME B. PASTORES** at the Sr. Regis Mission Church by calling (613)-575-2753 or by emailing him at [jernspastor3360@gmail.com](mailto:jernspastor3360@gmail.com)

**ST PETER'S PARISH ANNUAL BAZAAR** St. Mary's Social Hall, Massena NY **Saturday November 11 from 10AM to 6PM.** Big Money Raffle, fried bread dough, food concession all day. Ticket Central, Turkey Raffles, Quilt Raffle, Cake Walk, Children's Games and Activities. **ALL are welcome!**



**ARCHDIOCESE OF OTTAWA CORNWALL** Welcome to Archbishop Marcel Damphousse who will celebrate on **NOVEMBER 11 (SATURDAY) at 4:00 PM**, the anticipated Mass at St. Regis Mission Church. Let us join His Excellency in the celebration of the Holy Eucharist.

