

JUNE 9, 2024

READINGS: Genesis 3: 9-15, Psalm 130, Second Corinthians 4: 13 – 5:1, Mark 3: 20-35

ALL COVID-19 and FLU RESTRICTIONS APPLY - MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING ARE OPTIONAL BUT HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

SATURDAY JUNE 8, 2024 4:00 PM

Offered for: Cecelia Lazore 30-Year Memorial Anniversary and Alex "Bubba" Mitchell 57-Year Memorial Anniversary by Charlotte Lazore.

Sacristan: Caroline Peters, **Hospitality:** Nicky King **Eucharistic Minister:** Caroline Peters **Reader:** Miia Oakes

SUNDAY JUNE 9 2024 10:00 AM

Offered for: Marion Lazore Memorial Anniversary by the St. Regis Mission Family, **Sacristan:** Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore **Eucharistic Minister:** Lisa Tarbell **Reader:** Jamie Ross

WEDNESDAY JUNE 12, 2024 10:00 AM
IAHKIHIHSONHTSO ELDER'S LODGE

Offered for: Ida Forbes by the St. Regis Mission Family

WEDNESDAY JUNE 12, 2024 6:00 PM

Offered for: Elwyn Cook from the funeral collection

THURSDAY JUNE 13, 2024 10:00AM
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Offered for: Richard Peters by the St. Regis Mission family

THURSDAY JUNE 13, 2024 12:10PM

Offered for: Hilda Herne from the funeral collection.

FRIDAY JUNE 14, 2024 12:10 PM

Offered for: Barney Rourke 5-Year Memorial Anniversary by the Rourke family

SATURDAY JUNE 15, 2024 4:00 PM

Offered for: Larry Richard King Memorial Birthday Anniversary and Father's Day by the King Family

Sacristan: Caroline Peters, **Hospitality:** Nicky King **Eucharistic Minister:** Caroline Peters **Reader:** Nicky King

SUNDAY JUNE 16 2024 10:00 AM
HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Offered for: Wayne Thomas Memorial Birthday Anniversary by Debbie Thomas, **Sacristan:** Mildred White **Hospitality:** Eddy Lazore **Eucharistic Minister:** Lisa Tarbell **Reader:** Pete Francis

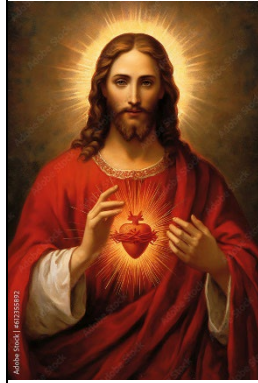
COLLECTIONS UPDATE

June 1-2, 2024 CDN \$ 530.8 USD \$ 588.05
NIAWEN:KOWA GOD BLESS!

ALTAR AND ROSARY SOCIETY MEETING JUNE 9, 2024:

There will be an Altar and Rosary Society Meeting after Sunday Mass at the St. Kateri Tekakwitha Center. It will be the last meeting until fall. Please plan to attend. You may contact President Judy Cole with any questions.

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 please contact Caroline at caroline.peters@akwesasne.ca



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JUNE 7 FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS.

June 7th is the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. This great feast in the Church is always celebrated on the eighth day of the Feast of Corpus Christi, nineteen days after Pentecost Sunday. And it falls the day before the feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

In 1672, Christ appeared to a French Visitation nun, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque. Over a series of visits, Our Lord revealed to St. Margaret Mary the importance of devotion to His Sacred Heart. He asked that His heart, wounded on the cross and continually

wounded by ingratitude of men for his sacrifice for them, be venerated and adored as an embodiment of His Divine mercy and love. Jesus especially asked that all people go to Confession and receive Holy Communion often, especially on the First Friday of each month, and that reparation be made for sins committed against His Sacred Heart and the Eucharist. He requested that the Church observe a feast day specifically for the purpose of this reparation. In 1856, the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart was officially added to the Calendar of the Catholic Church. You can have a devotion to the Sacred Heart by doing as Our Lord asked, by receiving Holy Communion frequently, monthly confession, veneration of an image of His Sacred Heart, and prayers and sacrifices offered out of love for Him and for the conversion of sinners. Jesus gave through St. Margaret Mary special promises to those who kept a loving devotion to the attribute of His infinite love for mankind as represented in His Most Sacred Heart. **Jesus made 12 incredible promises to those who have a true devotion to His Sacred Heart:**

1. I will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life.
2. I will establish peace in their homes.
3. I will comfort them in all their afflictions.
4. I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.
5. I will bestow abundant blessings upon all their undertakings.
6. Sinners will find in my Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
7. Lukewarm souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall quickly mount to high perfection.
9. I will bless every place in which an image of my Heart is exposed and honored.
10. I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who shall promote this devotion shall have their names written in my Heart.
12. I promise you in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Fridays in nine consecutive months the grace of final perseverance; they shall not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their sacraments. My divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.

PRAYER: *Dear Jesus, I firmly believe that You can grant me the grace I implore, even though it should require a miracle. You have only to will it and my prayer will be granted. I admit that I am most unworthy of Your favors, but this is not a reason for me to be discouraged. You are the God of mercy, and You will not refuse a contrite heart. Cast upon me a look of mercy, I beg of You, and Your kind Heart will find in my miseries and weakness a reason for granting my prayer. Grant me the grace for which I humbly implore You through the Immaculate Heart of Your most sorrowful Mother. You entrusted me to her as her child, and her prayers are all-powerful with You. Amen.*

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.



WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE SANCTIFICATION OF PRIESTS:

The World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests is an annual observance in the Catholic Church that takes place on the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, which falls on June 7, 2024. Its purpose is to encourage priests to reflect on the dignity of their vocation and renew their priestly commitment to serving Christ and His Church.

It also invites the faithful to pray for their priests, that they may be faithful stewards and strengthened in their service to the Gospel. We can observe this day by offering special prayers for the sanctification of priests, praying for seminarians, and praying for an increase in vocations to the priesthood. We can also express gratitude and support for the priests who serve our parish communities, acknowledging the challenges they face in carrying out their ministry.

This occasion provides an opportunity to:

- Pray for the sanctification of priests.
- Pray for seminarians to become holy priests.
- Pray for new priestly vocations.
- Encourage people to pray for specific priests.
- Hear testimonies from (holy) priests.
- Inspire young people to follow Christ as holy priests.

Suggested activities to honor our priests:

1. **Visit Elderly and Retired Priests:** Nothing warms a priest's heart like a kind visit from young people.
2. **Send Appreciation Cards:** Invite young people and parishioners to write messages of recognition and encouragement on cards or postcards. These simple yet sincere words can bring comfort and joy to priests dedicated to their ministry.
3. **Other Creative Ideas:** Perhaps you could organize a special prayer vigil for priests or create posters or videos to raise awareness of their role or share a community meal with priests. Together, let's celebrate and support our priests in their journey towards holiness.

FATHER'S DAY JUNE 16. Father Jerome will be blessing the Fathers, Grandfathers, Great Grandfathers, Stepfathers and all the men in the parish for Fathers Day. Please plan to attend to celebrate all the fathers in our Akwesasronon families.

LET US PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SUFFERING.

Lord, look with compassion on the sick and suffering, especially those at TSIIONKWANONHTSO:TE and IAHKIHIHSONHTSO and all our homebound Akwesasronon Elders and parishioners. 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, Lydia Garrow, Martha George, Dave Hall, Vernie and Toni Herne, Julia Jacobs, Margaret and Brian Jacobs, Rose Jacobs, Christian Jock, Felicia Jock, Doreen King, Matthew Lamesse, Sean Latulipe, Hattie Jackson Lazore, Loran Lazore, Chuck Lazore, Dorothy Lazore, Patty Lazore, Dr. Richard Loder, Jim "McDuck" McDonald, Raymond McDonald, Memphis Pyke Mitchell, Norman and Nancy King, Herbie Oakes, Lucille Peters, Richard Phillips, Helen Pyke, Sheila Ransom, Brenna Roundpoint, Greg Snyder, Earl Spinner, Angie Sunday, Jimmy Sunday, Sr. Mary Christine Taylor, Lois Terrance, Marilyn Tarbell, Norman Tarbell, Lois Terrance, Ashley Thompson, Donald Thompson, Tim Thompson, and Gary White. **O Lord, Console the grieving family of Nicole S. Garrow, may her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND FAITH FORMATION UPDATE CONFIRMATION CLASSES began April 18,

2024 on Thursdays 6pm-7pm with Melissa assisted by Connie Thompson and RJ Dolly McDonald. Final classes are June 13 and 20. **Confirmation will be SATURDAY JUNE 29, 2024 at 11:00AM** with Bishop of Valleyfield Noel Simard presiding.

IMPORTANT REMINDER: Children are required to attend classes, as well as, weekly Masses at either 4:00 pm on Saturday or 10:00 am on Sundays. A sign in sheet will be at the entrance of the church which your child is required to sign to confirm their attendance.

MASS INTENTION REQUESTS - IMPORTANT NOTICE: Anyone requesting Mass Intentions for their loved ones and family members are reminded that requests must be made at least **ONE TO TWO MONTHS IN ADVANCE** of a desired date or memorial anniversary. We are doing our very best to accommodate requests as they are received. Please contact Verda Tarbell for bookings Wednesday-Friday 9am to 1pm at 613-575-2753.

UPCOMING CELEBRATIONS: Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus June 7, Father's Day June 16, St. John the Baptist June 24, Confirmation June 29, Canada Day Weekend July 1-2, 2024



NIAWEN:KOWA to Fr. Jerome for the beautiful Corpus Christi 2024 procession on Sunday June 2 and to everyone who made the day so wonderful and special. Niawen:kowa to the volunteers, altar servers, Parish Choir, Altar and Rosary Society, Liturgy Ministry, Parish Council, Hospitality Ministry, Communications, clan families, parishioners and so many others who helped to make Corpus Christi a huge success. God Bless!!



