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28 th Week of Ordinary Time				
Date OCT	Place	Time	Liturgy	Intention/Donor
Sat 9	SHJ	5pm	28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Needs and Intentions of our Parish Family
Sun 10	SJM	9am		Bryan Vanattan [RIP] Jo & Ed Vanattan & Family
	SFA	11am		Anne Nicholson [RIP] Her Family
			Monday, October 11 Happy Thanksgiving!	
Tue 12	SFA	9am	Ferial Followed by <i>Coffee Morning</i>	
Wed 13	SJM	3:30pm	Ferial	
Thr 14	SFA	9am	Ferial	
Fri 15	SJM	10am	St. Teresa of Jesus	
Sat 16	SHJ	5pm	29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Needs and Intentions of our Parish Family
Sun 17	SJM	9am		Shirley Martin [Int] The Hardy Family
	SFA	11am		Michael Hendrick [RIP] Veronica Hendrick

While Fr. Don is away, Fr. Joe Machaj will preside at all weekend Masses
 from 25-26 September until 16-17 October inclusive.

Lay Ministers

Date	Sacred Heart	St. James	St. Francis
Saturday, Oct 9	Lector – Al Bourgeois	Lector – Susan Kostya	Lector – Karen Partridge
Sunday, Oct 10	Usher – K. Foster	Usher – B. Kerby, G. Gravel	Usher – G. Austin

Church Seating Capacity - is on the basis of **first-come, first-seated**: SJM: 87 seats, SHJ: 16 placements, SFA: 16 placements. **COVID Protocols remain unchanged**: Social-distancing, mask-wearing; handwashing.

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October is Mary's Month



The Month of the Rosary

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Widows' Social Group – begins Tuesday, October 12th - Social time on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at the Oasis Restaurant in Frankford at 1:00pm. Just stop in if it suits you!

Join us for *Coffee Break* in Sacred Heart church hall every Thursday 10-11:30am. Covid protocols are in place.

Knights of Columbus News: “*Foodless Dinner*” We ask you to help us help others by making a donation towards our fundraising effort “A foodless dinner”. Throughout October, a member of the Knights will be handing out an envelope after Mass. If you would like to donate toward our cause, please deposit this envelope with your donation in the collection box. We appreciate your support.

Garden of Remembrance, Stirling – you are invited to the Blessing of this quiet, non-denominational park on Gore street in Stirling on Saturday, October 23rd 2-2:30pm. RSVP to Helen & Gary Wright hgwright@gmail.com

UNDERSTANDING THE MASS EVEN BETTER

The Pastoral Offices of the Archdiocese of Kingston invite you to join us on Zoom as we explore the Mass on a deeper level with presenters like Archbishop Paul Andre Durocher, Bishop of Gatineau and Rev. Fr. John Hibbard, pastor of St. Paul The Apostle Church, Kingston; Sessions include video presentations followed by small group discussions and sharing of insights. They will be held over 4 Thursdays: 7:00pm – 8:15pm -

October 7th and 21st, November 4th and 18th. To join each session, use the same link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84078863068?pwd=c1JiNEJJdytLanorQ0sva2lyN2hFZz09>

Meeting ID: 840 7886 3068 Passcode: 946387. The link is also available on the archdiocesan website

<https://www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/> For more info, or to receive the link by email, please contact Gorett at ore@romancatholic.kingston.on.ca tel. 613. 548-4461 ext.112

World Youth Day (Diocesan) 2021 – On the Feast of Christ the King Pope Francis invites local dioceses to celebrate a local world youth day. Plans are in the works to offer something virtually for youth on that Sunday, November 21st. Check out romancatholic.kingston.on.ca/youth.

“Let’s Get Floored!” Campaign

We have set a timeline of two years to complete this project – July 1, 2021 until June 30th, 2023 with anticipation of the flooring being installed during the summer of 2023. The committee invites you to donate generously to our St. James the Minor ‘Let’s Get Floored’ Fund. Think about an ongoing monthly donation - \$20.00 a month or whatever

fits your budget! All donations will receive a tax donation receipt at year end. Call Donna at the rectory for more info – 613-398-6745. Also, please feel free to speak to any member of the committee: Joanne Belanger, Heather Bailey, Jim Best, Debbie and Jim Forestell, Brian and Donna Kerby.



<u>Summer 2023</u>	<u>\$50,000</u>
<u>October 5, 2021</u>	<u>\$9625.</u>
<u>September 28, 2021</u>	<u>\$9565.</u>
<u>August 31, 2021</u>	<u>\$9180.</u>
<u>July 27, 2021</u>	<u>\$8610.</u>
<u>June 15, 2021</u>	<u>\$5170.</u>



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If you would like to support our fundraising effort, you will find specially marked envelopes beside the collection boxes at each Church. **OR**, you may donate to this fund, or to our Parish to help us cover our financial obligations in the following ways:

- Pre-Authorized deposit – call the parish office (613-398-6745) for form.
- There are mailboxes beside the front doors of the office (288 Riverside Pkwy, Frankford) and at St. James Church (236 Edward St., Stirling).
- E-transfers can be sent to assisifrankford@gmail.com. Then email us at assisi@sympatico.ca to let us know the password.
- Mail your donation to St. Francis of Assisi Parish, PO Box 339, Frankford, ON K0K 2C0.

We are grateful for all donations and for your support of our Parish.

The following message has been submitted by a parishioner:

Message de Marie, Reine de la paix à Sulema le 6 octobre 2012 :

Récitez le saint Rosaire qui est l'arme puissante en ces temps. Par lui, vous pouvez obtenir du Seigneur les grâces de conversion et celles de changer les coeurs; vous pouvez obtenir le retour de toute l'humanité à Dieu. En ce mois du saint Rosaire, Je vous invite à prier et combattre avec confiance et courage, sans vous laisser effrayer par qui ou quoi que ce soit. Je suis la Mère de l'Église et de toute l'humanité, comme je l'étais avec les apôtres et les premiers disciples, dans les moments de grande amertume, en apportant à leurs coeurs des paroles de consolation, en essuyant leurs larmes amères, en soulageant leur douleur par un geste aimable.

On pourrait penser que cela est peu de choses, mais non, car l'amour et la consolation, l'aide et la compréhension sont d'une grande puissance qui guérit les souffrances du coeur et donnent du courage à l'esprit pour continuer la route dans les tribulations. Et je fais de même avec vous, mes enfants, et J'accomplis le mandat divin d'assister l'Église et de protéger tous mes enfants. (...) N'ayez pas peur, mes enfants, Je suis avec vous, Je vous protège et Je vous aime.

Message of Mary, Queen of Peace to Sulema on October 6, 2012:

Pray the holy Rosary which is a powerful tool in these present times. With the prayer of the Rosary, you can obtain from the Lord graces of conversion and of changing hearts; you can obtain the return of all humanity to God. During the month of the holy Rosary, I invite you to pray and fight with trust and courage, without letting anyone or anything frighten you. I am the Mother of the Church and of all humanity, just as I was to the apostles and first disciples in their moments of great affliction, offering words of consolation to their hearts, drying their bitter tears, soothing their pain with a kind gesture.

It may not seem like much, but in fact, love and consolation, help and understanding do have great power to heal a suffering heart, and can give the spirit courage to go on in the midst of tribulations. And I do the same thing with you, my children, thus fulfilling the Divine mandate to assist the Church and protect all my children. (...) Fear not, my children, I am with you, I protect you, and I love you.

Excerpt translated into English from the book: "Je viens vous préparer à cet événement: L'illumination des consciences" ("I have come to prepare you for this event: The Illumination of conscience"), Tome 2, Sulema, Éd. Christian (Amérique du Nord) & Éd. du Parvis (International).