

Liturgy and Sacraments:

Baptism & Instruction in the Catholic Faith: The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on Sundays as needed. Parent preparation is required.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Those wishing to join the Catholic Church please call the office (613-543-2544). Classes starting soon!

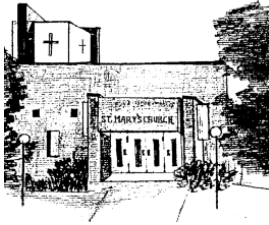
Marriage: 9–12 month notice is needed for the celebration of the Sacrament of Matrimony. Each couple is required to participate in a Marriage Preparation course.

Reconciliation: Confessions heard by appointment.

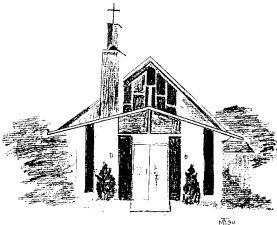
Anointing of the Sick: The Sacrament of Anointing is given on request, especially before going to the hospital, or at the hospital or at home.

Sick List: Please call the office if anyone needs prayers, a visit or is seriously ill. If you are unable to attend Mass for an extended period of time, please contact St. Mary's. Arrangements can be made for reception of the Holy Eucharist in the home.

ST. MARY'S - ST. CECILIA'S PARISH



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Mrs. Nancy Richer, Parish Secretary

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ 24 August 2025

Sun.	24 Aug	9:00 am	(Morrisburg) Clara Pepers (Pepers Family)
Tue.	26 Aug	9:00 am	(Morrisburg) Valerie Brady (Pat Bisson)
Wed.	27 Aug	9:00 am	(Morrisburg) Special Intentions (Linda Fleury)
Sun.	31 Aug	9:00 am	(Morrisburg) L Caselman & S Steepe (F&S Diegel)
Tue.	02 Sep	9:00 am	(Morrisburg) Int of Brian Jake (F & S Diegel)
Wed.	03 Sep	9:00 am	(Morrisburg) Missa Pro Populo (Mass for the people)

Parish Pastoral Council:	613-543-2544	Mission Committee:	613-543-2544
Finance and Property: Terry O'Reilly	613-652-1099	RCIA: Bridget Van Der Zweep	613-652-4057
St. Mary's Choir:	613-543-2544	CWL President: Sarah Deslandes	613-243-2649
St. Mary's Organist: Jim Boissonneault	613-543-3435	K of C Grand Knight: Graham Darling	613-214-1968
St. Cecilia's Choir: Margaret Zambon	613-652-4741	St. Anne's Cemetery: Trudi McGinn	613-652-2443
Parish Screening: Reina de Jong	613-652-4588	St. Mary's Cemetery: David Lapier	613-577-3975
Parish Screening: Jackie McMillan	613-543-4495	Catholic School: Erin Merkley	613-543-2907
Prayer Network: Office	613-543-2544	Altar Servers: Office	613-543-2544

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Collection: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time: \$1,607.00 (2024: \$1,579.00)
Repairs and Maintenance: \$6.00

Meetings:

KNIGHTS - Mon 25 Aug, 7 pm; Special meeting on Membership

Parish Activities:

Choirs: **St. Mary's:** Jim Boissonneault (613-543-3435)

AA Meeting: Wednesday, 8:00 pm,

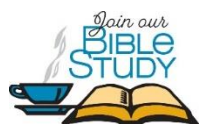
Coffee Social: will resume in September Marg Zambon (613-652-4741)

Pray for those who are sick in our families and parish especially: Timona Wekesa (Father Oliver's father), Nancy Pomerleau, Catherine Lortie, Tina Serviss, Bridget Van Der Zweep, John Ricci, Robert Miller, Alice McNarin, Noella Kirkwood, and Louise Altimas.



Pray for the repose of the soul of John Grondin, Peter Greml, Lynn Loucks, Tom Kamsma, Maude Ashley, Graham Gill, George Locke, Diny Van Moorsel, and Terry McManus.

Free Will Offering for Missals and Word Among Us if you are able, please consider helping with the cost of these items, the box is located at the back of the church. Thank you for your continued support of our Parish.



Bible/Faith Study
2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 6:00 pm
In the Rectory meeting room

50/50 Raffle: The Knights presents its Charities Raffle (License #RAF1441633) in support of charities including the local project of the Morrisburg-Iroquois Knights. Open only to Ont. residents 18 or over, 50/50 grand prize draw on Sept 1, info Grand Knight Graham (613-214-1968) Tickets are available for 10 for \$10, 40 for \$20, 125 for \$50 and 300 for \$100, online at <https://www.rafflebox.ca/raffle/k-of-c-ont/295>

August 24, 2025

Father Oliver is looking for Volunteers: Do you have gifts to help out your parish? Or do you know someone who you think would do a great job and would like to nominate them, please contact Father Oliver and he will approach them.

We are seeking parishioners for the following committees:

Property & Building Committee (upkeep of the parish buildings reporting to the finance committee); Parish pastoral Council (planning events); and Sacramental Preparations (First Communion and Confirmation). The installation of the new leaders would be done on August 31, 2025 at the Sunday Mass.



Do you like to sing? Do you like music? Then St. Mary's Choir would like you to join them! You don't need to know how to read music. Please see Jim Boissonneault after Mass.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) If you or someone you know wants to be accepted into full Catholic communion and received sacraments, you are asked to participate in the adult catechesis program. The program will begin in the fall. Please call the office (613-543-2544) or speak with Father Oliver after Mass.

Food Bank Collection Please bring can goods, kraft dinner, pasta sauce, baby/junior food, shampoo, toilet paper, juice, peanut butter or any non-perishable food. A cash donation can be made, please make the cheque to Community Food Share and put in the collection basket marked Food Bank. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

Jubilee 2025 Pilgrimages: (posters on bulletin board)

St. Joseph Oratory, Cap-de-la-Madeleine, Notre Dame Basilica, Ste. Anne: Sept 16-18, 2025 – Contact St. Francis de Sales Parish office 613-283-0220; stfrancisdesales@archkingston.ca or Geraldine Canning 613-283-6116.

St. Daniel the Martyr, South Mountain: Sat. Sept 13 at 2:30 pm come enjoy an afternoon of prayer, reflection, music, discussion, Adoration, Mass (5 pm) and supper (free will offering) please register by Sept 1 (sign up sheet is at the back of the Church)