

Pastor:

Father Roselle Cyrille R. Azares Deacons: Anthony Ruta P.D. Timothy Dunlop P.D.

MASSES

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday - Friday 12:05 noon 10:00 am Saturday

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm Sunday 9:00 am 11:30 am

Holy Hour:

Friday 11:00 am

Confessions:

Saturdays 4:30 - 4:55 pm Sundays 8:30 - 8:55 am &

11 - 11:25 am

Baptism:

Call to make arrangements

MARRIAGE

Twelve months notice and Marriage Course usually required

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For parishioners to get mass intentions and other items.

Please call 705-526-6313 ext 1 and we will be happy to assist you with your other needs.

FAITH COMMUNITY

Parish Secretary Juanita Wootton-Radko

Choirs Saturday 5:00 pm Adele Heins 9:00 am Sunday Adele Heins Sunday 11:30 am Diana Swift

Finance Council Pauline Brabant

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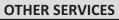
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Cory & Rae-Anne Rousseau

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Tuesday, Feb. 25th

12:05pm + Eugenio & Caterina Moscon Requested by John & Family

Wednesday, Feb. 26th

12:05pm + Brenda Bylow Requested by Colleen Cameron

Thursday, Feb. 27th

St. Gregory of Narek, Abbot and Doctor of the Church
12:05pm Intentions for Alex Cameron
Requested by Colleen Cameron

Friday, Feb.28th

11:00 am Holy Hour

12:05pm + Marilyn Dalton Requested by Suzette Duquette and family

Saturday, March 1st

10:00 am + Michael Stevens Sr. Requested by Michael Stevens Jr.

The Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, Mar. 1st

5:00 pm Mass for the People

Sunday, Mar. 2nd

9:00 am + Claude Moreau Requested by Connie & Jack Stewart and family

11:30 am +Eugenio & Caterina Moscon Requested by John & family

Pope's Prayer Intention for February

For vocations to the Priesthood and Religious life

Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

Merciful as the Lord

Not all of us encounter people who hate, curse and strike us. Do I have enemies? How can this part of the Gospel this Sunday (Luke 6: 27-38) apply to me? We are to strive to treat everyone in our lives with the same exquisite charity. If we were suffering under great persecution, we might say that we were ready to lay down our lives for Jesus. But the "enemies" that are hardest to love are often not what we could call enemies. In most cases, they are bothersome coworkers, siblings, parents or children. Sometimes the heroic virtue is in treating such persons with exquisite charity and kindness.

Anger and impatience are often the results of a frustrated sense of injustice. This situation needs a remedy, and I am the one who will apply it! Do I struggle with anger and impatience? Perhaps I need a little more mercy in my heart. God is so good and merciful to us. Also, we can ask ourselves how my heart is. Do I demand justice of everyone else while ignoring the "plank" in my eye? Mercy could be the secret way to more peace and serenity in my life.

Lord, you have been so good to me, even at the many times in my life when I have been intolerably demanding on others. Rid my heart of hatred and grudges. Let me forgive past offenses—even when the offender has never asked for pardon. You forgave your torturers from the cross. Help me do the same with mine.

Grace and Peace,

Father R C R A

BLESS THE LORD, O MY SOUL, AND ALL THAT IS WITHIN ME BLESS



KOC Pancake Breakfast

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Saturday, March 15th "The Homeland of Jesus"

Saturday, March 22nd "The Passion Narrative, According to St. Luke"

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Sharing Our Gifts

Parish Givings Report for Sunday

Offertory \$2,843.55

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An Evening of Jubilation and Praise St. Michael's Choir School Concert

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PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember the following people in your prayers: Gary Edwards, Glady Robitaille, Anita Lamoureux, Michael Galaski, Barb Ledoucer, John Charlebois, Grant Robitaille, Geraldine Diamago, Ralph Ladouceur, Carol Jackson, Carmen Desroches, David Morton, Dan Camp, Elaine Chiasson, Lisa Wright, Judy Martin, Michael Pontze, Frank Whitkens, Bob Dorion, Carol Quesnelle, Barrett Smith, Alex Latondress, Malachy Maguire, Nick Tardif, Lynda Stanek, Mary Fletcher, Sherry Archer, Abigail Brown, Romelda Morson, Nicole Marchildon, Stephen Roach, Lilah Bates, Shelley Smith, Peter Pattenaude, Betty Laurin, John Gunther

Please pray for our recently deceased relatives and friends: Bert Dorion, Al Vermeulen



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