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Please refer to the schedule in the bulletin

Baptism

by appointment

Reconciliation

30 minutes before weekend Masses

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Marriages

First appointment at least 6 months prior to wedding date
Couples are required to attend Marriage Preparation session

Devotions

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Eucharistic Adoration / Rosary / Benediction
First Fridays 11:30 AM Cardiff
First Saturdays 5:30 PM Highland Grove

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Mass: Saturday 4:30 pm



St. Mary's Mission Church
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Mass: Sunday 9:00 am

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

DAY	LOCATION	TIME	INTENTIONS	DONORS
Sat. 24	Highland Grove	4:30PM		
Sun. 25	Chandos	9:00AM		
	Cardiff	11:00AM		
Tues. 27	Highland Grove	7:00PM	No mass	
Wed. 28	Cardiff	11:00AM	No mass	
Thurs. 29	Cardiff	7:00PM	No mass	
Fri. 30	Cardiff	11:00AM	No mass	
Sat. 31	Highland Grove	4:30PM	Grandchildren of Ted and Sandy Cole	Sandy
Sun. 01	Chandos	9:00AM	Birthday Thanksgiving for Ted Cole	Sandy
	Cardiff	11:00AM		

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT		
	Jan. 11	Jan. 18
Highland Grove	\$200.00	\$85.75
Chandos/Apsley	\$90.00	\$135.00
Cardiff	\$255.00	\$280.00
Total	\$545.00	\$500.75
E-Transfer		
POP Jan. 15	\$1195.00	
POP Dec. 30	\$1940.00	

LECTORS			
Date	H. Grove	Chandos	Cardiff
	Sun. 4:30PM	Sun. 9:00AM	Sun. 11:00AM
Jan. 11	Brenda	Joanne	Anne
Jan. 18	Gary	Gene	Jerry
Jan. 25	Mac	Sharon	Kelly Hughes
Feb. 1	Katie	Joanne	Kelly

Pray for those in need of healing and good health:

Philip Hughes, Nick Novakowski, Rhys Telka, Jane Tsagrinos, Eileen Carr, Ella Richard, Emilee Calzonetti, Eleanor Cadeau, Hermance Therrien, George Chennette, Megan Connelly, Dan, Claudette Wilkinson, Ely Wisniewski, Even Marshall, Danny Wanless, Fr. John Albao, Marilyn Grisdale, Francisca Poblete, Rosie Welsh, Frank Schumach, Lucy Haill-Riley, Marin Leighton and Martina Wright, Marty, Ruth Turner.

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QR code: Using your smartphone, ensure to select 1 of our Parishes from our Diocese list.



BIRTHDAYS FOR JANUARY. Happy Birthday to all our parishioners celebrating this month. Teresa Connelly (1st), Rebecca Williams (1st), Vern Malloy (4th) Tom Burroughs (28th). **MANY MORE FRUITFUL YEARS AND GOD'S BLESSINGS**

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES FOR JANUARY:
 There are no wedding anniversaries for January.

Background on the Gospel Reading

Jesus' public ministry begins after his baptism by John the Baptist and after his retreat to the desert where he was tempted by the devil. When Jesus returns from the desert, he hears that John has been arrested.

Today's Gospel places Jesus' ministry in the context of the writings of the prophet, Isaiah. Matthew wants to show that Jesus is the fulfillment of the prophecies given to the people of Israel, and he refers to Isaiah to do so. When Jesus begins to preach in Galilee, Matthew points to his ministry as a fulfillment of Isaiah's prophecy, proof that Jesus is the Messiah.

When Jesus called his first disciples, the Gospel tells us that the fishermen (Peter and Andrew, James and John) dropped everything to follow Jesus immediately. Yet this Gospel tells us little about the prior experience that the fishermen had of Jesus. Did they know him? Had they heard him preach? What kind of person must Jesus have been to invoke such a response?

Jesus inaugurates the Kingdom of God with his work. He teaches in the synagogue and preaches the kingdom. His ability to cure people's diseases and illness is a sign of the kingdom. In Jesus' ministry, we already begin to see the Kingdom of God among us.

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READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading
[Zephaniah 2:3, 3:12-13](#)
 There will be a people who remain sheltered from God's anger.

Responsorial Psalm
[Psalm 146:6-10](#)
 The Lord is faithful forever.

Second Reading
[1 Corinthians 1:26-31](#)
 God chooses the weak to show his power.

Gospel Reading
[Matthew 5:1-12a](#)
 Jesus teaches what it means to be happy.

Fr. D will be away on vacation from Dec. 29-Jan. 30. In his absence there will be no weekday masses. A visiting priest will be here to continue with weekend masses.

Special thank you to Father Peter for offering masses on the weekends for our parishes during Father Darlington's absence.