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St. John Vianney Mission Church
5408 Loop Rd.
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Mass: Saturday 4:30 pm



St. Mary's Mission Church
680 Clydesdale Rd.
Apsley, ON K0L 1A0
Mass: Sunday 9:00 am

Welcome to Our Parish

Sacraments

Weekday Masses

Please refer to the schedule in the bulletin

Baptism

by appointment

Reconciliation

30 minutes before weekend Masses

Anointing of the Sick & Communion for Shut-Ins

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Marriages

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

Devotions

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena

Wednesday 11:00 AM Cardiff

Eucharistic Adoration / Rosary / Benediction

First Fridays 11:30 AM Cardiff

First Saturdays 5:30 PM Highland Grove

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK				
DAY	LOCATION	TIME	INTENTIONS	DONORS
Sat. 10	Highland Grove	4:30PM	Thank God for the lives of our parishioners	
Sun. 11	Chandos	9:00AM	Thank God for the lives of our parishioners	
	Cardiff	11:00AM	Thank God for the lives of our parishioners	
Tue. 13	Highland Grove	7:00PM	Thank God for the lives of our parishioners	
Wed. 14	Cardiff	11:00AM	Thank God for the lives of our parishioners	
Thurs. 15	Cardiff	7:00PM	Thank God for the lives of our parishioners	
Fri. 16	Cardiff	11:00AM	Thank God for the lives of our parishioners	
Sat. 17	Highland Grove	4:30PM	Thank God for the lives of our parishioners	
Sun. 18	Chandos	9:00AM	Thank God for the lives of our parishioners	
	Cardiff	11:00AM	Thank God for the lives of our parishioners	

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT		
	Sept. 27	Oct. 4
Highland Grove	\$575.00	\$318.00
Chandos/Apsley	\$205.00	\$305.00
Cardiff	\$242.00	\$610.00
Spec. Collection	\$771.87	
Total	\$1793.87	\$1233.00
E-Transfer		\$1300.00
POP Sept. 15	\$1195.00	
POP Sept. 30	\$1940.00	

LECTORS			
Date	H. Grove	Chandos	Cardiff
	Sat. 4:30PM	Sun. 9:00AM	Sun. 11:00AM
Sept. 27	Gary	Frances	Jerry
Oct. 4	Mac	Sharon	Kelly Hughes
Oct. 11	Katie	Frances	Anne
Oct. 18	Brenda	Joanne	Kelly
Oct. 25	Gary	Sharon	Jerry

Pray for those in need of healing and good health:

Philip Hughes, Nick Novakowski, Rhys Telka, Jane Tsagrinos, 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, Ruth Turner, Justin O'Brien, Pat O'Brien, Christine Stringer, Diana Gurley, Linda Raffin.

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See Fr Darlington for the form.

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BIRTHDAYS FOR OCT. Happy Birthday to all our parishioners celebrating this month.

Morgan Burroughs (4), Elijah Waltenbury (8), Patricia Canning (20), Margo Reynard (22), Bill Hackenbrook (24), Ruth Turner (26)
MANY MORE FRUITFUL YEARS AND GOD’S BLESSINGS

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES FOR OCT:

Alex Lukaszyk (2), Teresa and John Connelly (15), Catherine Gourdier and Don Carmody (15), Stacy Lynn and Ross Harley (21)
Congratulations and many more fruitful years ahead.

Background to the Gospel

In the parable of the wedding feast, Jesus offers an image of the kingdom of heaven using the symbol of a wedding banquet. The parable Jesus tells is straightforward. The king dispatches his servants to invite the guests to the wedding feast that he is planning for his son. The listeners would have been surprised to learn that the first guests refused the invitation. Who would refuse the king’s invitation? A second dispatch of servants follows. Again, to the listeners’ great surprise, some guests ignore the invitation. Some of the invited guests even go so far as to mistreat and kill the servants. The king invokes his retribution against these murderers by destroying them and burning their city.

With the invited guests now deemed unworthy to attend the king’s wedding feast, the servants are sent to invite whomever they can find. The guests arrive, but it appears that accepting the king’s invitation brings certain obligations. The guest who failed to dress in the appropriate wedding attire is cast out of the feast. We are reminded that while many are invited to the kingdom of heaven, not all are able to meet its requirements. God invites us to his feast, giving us his salvation. Yet he asks us to repent for our sins.

Jesus’ message in the parable cautions against exclusive beliefs about the kingdom of heaven. The parable also teaches about humility. Those who assume that they are the invited guests may find that they have refused the invitation, and so others are invited in their place. To accept the invitation is also to accept its obligations. God wants our full conversion in complete acceptance of his mercy.

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FUND RAISING

Fund Raiser—Pew Plaques \$150 each for a 5-year contract or \$500 for a lifetime. Any questions call Melissa at 613 318 9075. **Fund Raiser- Jam Sales** \$7 each or 3 for \$20. Jams are available at each church after mass.

BIBLE STUDY- An 8-session parish bible study is being organized at Cardiff. This program is called “Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible”. It will be held on alternate Mondays from 7-8:30 (on Mondays opposite Euchre night). Everyone is welcome.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading

Isaiah 45:1,4-6

The Lord chooses Cyrus to subdue the nations for the sake of Israel.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 96:1,3-10

Sing praise to the Lord.

Second Reading

1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b

Paul greets the Thessalonians, recalling the Gospel they received.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 22:15-21

The Pharisees send their disciples to test Jesus with a question about taxes.

The diocese is requesting that all the volunteers in the diocese should be screened. To this effect, the screening committee will be contacting the volunteers in the parish for the different levels of screening exercise depending on their volunteer ministries.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

I would like to wish everyone a very blessed and Happy Thanksgiving. Let us remember to thank God for all our blessings of family, friends, health, opportunities and freedom. And let us keep in our prayers all those people less fortunate than ourselves.