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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Thursday 9:30 - 11:30 am
Friday 8:30 - noon (or by appointment)

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday 5 pm English
Sunday 11am English 12:30pm Polish

HOLY MASS REQUESTS

Please use envelopes provided at the back of the church and place in collection basket or give to the priest.

BAPTISMS

Please give 2 weeks notice if possible

RECONCILIATION

Twenty minutes before Mass.

MARRIAGE

Couples are required to register for a marriage course and to make arrangements with the parish **one year** prior to the date of marriage.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

If new to our parish community, you are most welcome to join our congregation. Pick up a registration form at the back of the church and submit it in the collection plate or to our pastor. Christian burials are reserved to parishioners, former parishioners & their spouses. All are expected to support the parish by sharing time, talent and treasure.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Please notify the priest if any member of your family is hospitalized or ill at home. Holy Communion visits are made on the 1st Friday of the month. Emergency calls for the Anointing of the Sick made anytime upon request. Please remember our parish and cemeteries in your bequests.

OUR CEMETERIES

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Web: www.stmaryswilno.com
Donations for maintaining our Cemeteries are most welcome. Tax deductible receipts will be issued.

PARISH COMMITTEES

Finance Committee:

Chairperson-Marilyn Shulist; Andrew Shulist, Basil Borutski

Cemetery Committee: Julie Ann Yaskolskie, Christine Recoskie, Dave Burchat, Lawrence Coulas, Richard Shulist, Ed Chippior

Altar Guild: Virginia Platt and Helpers, Lillian Shulist and Helpers

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Rosary Society: President-Lorraine Coulter; Treasurer-Margaret Brotton; Secretary-Marilyn Shulist; Membership-Marlene Shulist

Knights of Columbus: Grand Knight-Richard Brotton 613-717-2841; Deputy Grand Knight-Delmar Recoskie

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RADIO BROADCAST

All Masses are broadcast within the local area on the FM band at 88.3 MHz

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER— MAY(MAJ), 3, 2026

WEEK #18-19

Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.

Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

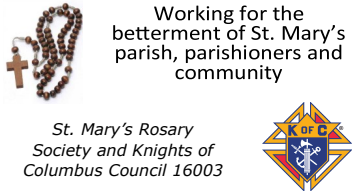
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



Sub Tuum Praesidium—We Fly to Thy Patronage

We fly to thy patronage, O holy Mother of God; despise not our petitions in our necessities, but deliver us always from all dangers, O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.

Working for the betterment of St. Mary's parish, parishioners and community



St. Mary's Rosary Society and Knights of Columbus Council 16003

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REMINDER: IF YOU ARE TRYING TO REACH FR. MIREK, PLEASE CALL 613-757-3312 (St. Casimir's Office).

You are invited to join us for **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 6:00 pm on Fridays.**

A **big thank you** to the Rosary Society for their contribution to help purchase the Easter flowers in addition to all those who made donations and brought flowers. Thank you all for your generosity.

Thank you to the volunteers for sweeping inside the church.

Catholic Education Week **begins on Sun, May 3, 2026.** The Catholic schools in our diocese will engage in a series of events to celebrate the ongoing gift of publicly funded Catholic education. You are invited to learn about the various celebrations that are happening in your children's school, and are welcome to attend, if possible. This year's Catholic Education theme is, *"Pilgrims of Hope: On the Path to Holiness."* We are pleased to extend an open invitation to all staff, families, and community members of the Renfrew County Catholic District School Board to participate in our second annual RCCDSB Walking Pilgrimage **on Sat, May 9th, 2026.** More details available on diocese website under 'News'.

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The **Pope's Pastoral Works** collection on **May 17th,** provides an opportunity for Catholics to make a financial offering to assist the Holy Father. Funds are used by the Pope for his charitable contributions to those most in need throughout the world, as well as for the support of the Holy See and its activities.

Next raffle draw will be held on **Sun, May 24th.** There are only **100 tickets printed** and each ticket sells for **\$20.00.** Contact Basil Borutski, Lorraine Coulter, Marilyn Shulist, or Andrew Shulist, if you wish to purchase a ticket.

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While you're doing your **spring cleaning** keep in mind articles that can be reused or repurposed and set them aside for the **annual parish yard sale, Sat, Jun 20 beginning at 8:00 am.** For pickup call Delmar 613-717-0850, Emmett 613-639-5845, or Ed 613-602-6535.

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The diocese are pleased to announce a new initiative from the Office for Marriage and Family Life to honour and celebrate the faithful witness of married couples in our diocese through **Certificates of Martial Blessing** for significant wedding anniversaries. Couples can apply through their local parish. Pastor completes the application form and submits it to the Office of Marriage & Family Life at the Chancery at least 5 weeks before the planned celebration.

Empties for Parish Initiatives—drop off empties at the tractor shed behind the rectory. **Thank you.**

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Saturday Men's Group every Sat from 7:00-8:30 am in the parish hall. All men are welcome to join us for our weekly Saturday breakfast.

Smile Cookie Week is back at the Barry's Bay Tim Hortons! Last day to make a cookie purchase is **Sun, May 3rd.** 100% of the sales of each Smile Cookie will go to the St. Francis Valley Healthcare Foundation for local healthcare needs at St. Francis Memorial Hospital, Madawaska Valley Hospice and the Valley Manor.

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St. Andrew's Catholic School Council Fundraiser Bingo, **Tues, May 12th** at St. Andrew's Church Hall, Killaloe. Doors open at 6pm, Bingo at 7pm. 15 Regular Games (grilling meat packages), 4 Special Games with Special Prizes, Jackpot \$500 Guaranteed. Canteen will be available with chili, stew, and much more. Chair lift will be available. **Cash only.** Must be 18+. 50/50 & Raffle.

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National **March for Life** in Ottawa is taking place on **May 14th.** Each year, several speakers, including pro-life politicians, religious leaders, and activists, call our government to account, and inspire rally attendees to take action.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Sunday, May 3—5th SUNDAY OF EASTER

11:00 am (English) +Patrick Kutckoskie
(Knights of Columbus #16003)

12:30 pm (Polish) For all of our
Parishioners

Monday, May 4—No Mass

St. Marie-Leonie Paradis

Tuesday, May 5

10:00 am Mass at St. Casimir's,
Round Lake

Wednesday, May 6—*St. Francois de Laval*

7:00 pm +Thomas Smaglinski
(Ray & Dorothy Smaglinski)

Thursday, May 7

10:00 am Mass at St. Casimir's,
Round Lake

Friday, May 8—*Blessed Catherine de Saint-Augustin*

6:00 pm Adoration
7:00 pm +Marta Swierkot
(Jolanta Swierkot)

Saturday, May 9

5:00 pm For all of our parishioners



Mother's Day Blessing

Almighty God, we ask Your blessing on each mother today. Fill their hearts with laughter and joy. Surround them with love from family and friends. Grant them health, peace, and fulfillment as they pursue their calling. Let them know their value and worth in Your eyes and ours. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Sunday, May 10—6th SUNDAY OF EASTER

11:00 am (English) +Debbie Cybulskie
(Shirley Etmanskie)
12:30 pm (Polish) +Janina & Jan Kozubik
(Franiszka)

Monday, May 11—No Mass

Tuesday, May 12—*St. Nereus & St. Achilles and St. Pancras*

10:00 am Mass at St. Casimir's,
Round Lake

Wednesday, May 13

7:00 pm +Ambrose Ostroskie
(Gerard & RoseMarie Lorbetskie)

Thursday, May 14—*St. Matthias*

10:00 am Mass at St. Casimir's,
Round Lake

Friday, May 15

6:00 pm Adoration
7:00 pm +Nicholas Stamplecoskie
(Marcel & Suzanne Lemire)

Saturday, May 16

5:00 pm +Peter & Agnes Dorzek
(Doreen Yaraskavitch)

Sunday, May 17—The Ascension of the Lord

11:00 am (English) For all of our
Parishioners

12:30 pm (Polish) Anna & Keith Dudek
(5th Wedding Anniv) (B & K Dudek)

In your prayers remember:



- * Our sick and hospitalized
- * Our elderly parishioners.
- * All those at the manor, lodge and homebound.
- * Our deceased family & friends.



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Day Sunday

WELCOME! - WITOMÈ! -
WITAMY! - ROCZIMÈ!

DIOCESE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Due to popular demand, an extra Spring Diocesan Marriage Preparation Program will be offered on **Sat, May 9th and Sat, May 30th** at Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Petawawa. **Deadline to register: May 5th**. Register online at [Clone of Marriage Preparation Course](#). E-transfers of **\$125/couple** can be made to donnabiggs@pembrokediocese.com, or mail cheques to Diocese of Pembroke, 284 Trafalgar Road, Pembroke, ON K8A 5A8. For inquiries, please contact Patrick Sullivan at family@pembrokediocese.com or call 613 732-7933 ext. 208.

Carlo's Crew Youth Night! This is a free event for youth grade 7 to 12 and all are welcome! The upcoming date is **Fri, May 15th** from **7-9:30pm** at **St. James the Less Parish, Eganville**. There will be games, social time, Eucharistic adoration, music, confession, and talks to encourage spiritual growth and personal reflection. Questions or to be added to the e-mail list for reminders? Contact Patrick Sullivan at family@pembrokediocese.com. Come join us and bring a friend!

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

	Lector	Eucharistic Minister		Lector	Eucharistic Minister
Sat, May 16	Rita Coulas	Edwin Echavarry	Sat, May 23—5 pm	Hannah & Tobias Sullivan	Steve Platt
Sun, Mar 17—11 am	Andrzej Wielgosz	Michael Coulas	Sun, May 24—11 am	Martin Yakabuskie	Ed Chippior
12:30 pm (Polish)	Andrzej Suska		12:30 (Polish)	Catherine Bloskie	

Altar Guild: May 11—May 24—Virginia Platt & Helpers

PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS

Please use stmaryswilno@gmail.com when you are making an **eTransfer** from your bank account. It will be directly deposited and the church will be notified. There is a section to make a note, **please indicate if donation is regular Sunday collection, building fund, In Memory Of (with name) or St. Mary's Cemeteries**. Also, if you are **not** a parishioner, **please provide mailing address there**. All donations will be recorded as usual, designated as per request, and will appear on the year end tax receipt.

Additionally, we have envelopes with **In Memory Pamphlet** available for pick up at the funeral home, or at the back of the church for **St. Mary's Building and Renovation Fund, St. Mary's and St. Stanislaus Koska Cemeteries or Mass Offering**. Thank you for your continued support.

