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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

Call/text: 613-602-6535
Email: stmaryscemeteries@gmail.com
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

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SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—JULY (LIPIEC), 19, 2026

WEEK #29-30

Prayer for the 6th World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

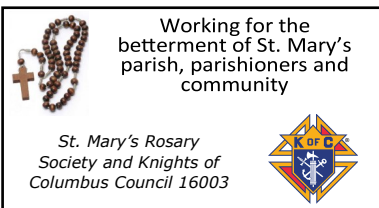
Holy Father who watches over every person
Watch over me too when I am elderly.
You have revealed your name to me in Christ,
And You were not discouraged by my frailties.
You hold me tenderly in your hands, and You caress my lines.
You will never forget me! (see Is 49:15).
Grant that I may not fear my weakness; help me learn to love it
Just as You love it. Help me learn to listen to it
just as You listen to it.
Help me embrace it just as You have chosen it –
You who, though all-powerful, clothed yourself in humility.
May growing old strip away all our pride and all division
So that we may live these years united in You.
You will never forget us! (see Is 49:15)
Amen.



World Day
for Grandparents
and the Elderly
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REMINDER: IF YOU ARE TRYING TO REACH FR. MIREK OLSZEWSKI, PLEASE CALL 613-757-3312 (St. Casimir's Office). You can also, always speak to him after Mass.

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

We extend our **sincere condolences** to family and friends of **Marie Dombroskie, daughter of Sally Kuiack and sister of Andrew Kuiack.** May her soul rest in peace.

World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly—July 26: Pope Francis instituted the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly on Jan 31, 2021 to highlight the importance of providing adequate pastoral and spiritual attention to the elderly and to call upon communities to manifest the closeness of the Church to them. It is to be celebrated annually on the 4th Sunday of July, close to the memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus.

Personal copies of *The Word Among Us* are available for you to purchase at the cost of **\$45.00 for the year.** New subscriptions will begin in November. This booklet contains daily meditations and articles, and the daily Mass readings. **Orders are due in the office by Sun, July 26th.** Please make cheques payable to St. Mary's Parish. Etransfers can be sent to stmaryswilno@gmail.com

Visitation of the sick will be on **Fri, Aug 7th.** If you wish to be added to the list, please call the parish office.

The cemetery staff will be doing another round of **monument cleaning in July.** Over the last three years a total of 91 monuments have been cleaned. The results have really added to the aesthetic appearance of our cemeteries. If you wish to have a monument cleaned please contact Dave at 613-602-3038 or Ed at 613-602-6535, or drop us an email at stmaryscemeteries@gmail.com .

Krystyna Kearney was the winner of the July 5th Raffle Draw. **Next draw date is Sun, Aug 16th.** There are only **100 tickets** and each ticket sells for **\$20.00.** Contact Basil Borutski, Lorraine Coulter, Marilyn Shulist, or Andrew Shulist, if you wish to purchase a ticket.

The Cemetery Committee asks that you **do not place lighted candles** on the cemetery grounds of St. Mary and St. Stanislaus Kostka. Although they are a nice memorial to the deceased and even though they may be placed in an enclosed container, that container may tip and start a grass fire. Containers with candles will be removed without notice. On the other hand, any lighted unit based on a battery is acceptable.

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 Marital 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.**

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.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Sunday, July 19—16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

12:30 pm (Polish) +Aleksander Krupicz
(Mira Kuszelewski)

Monday, July 20—No Mass—*St. Apollinaris*

Tuesday, July 21—*St. Lawrence of Brindisi*
10:00 am Mass at St. Casimir's, Round Lake

Wednesday, July 22—*St. Mary Magdalene*
7:00 pm +Gerry Dombroskie
(Marlene & Andrew Shulist)

Thursday, July 23—*St. Bridgett*
10:00 am Mass at St. Casimir's, Round Lake

Friday, July 24—*St. Sharbel Makluf*
6:00 pm Adoration
7:00 pm +Dianne Pecarski, Adolph &
Stella Burchat (Burchat Family)

Saturday, July 25—*St. James*
5:00 pm +Leonard Kuiack & daughter Joan
(Irene Kuiack)

In your prayers remember:



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

Sunday, July 26—17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11:00 am (English) +Peter Brotton
(Silas Lorbetskie)

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

Monday, July 27—No Mass

Tuesday, July 28
10:00 am Mass at St. Casimir's, Round Lake

**Wednesday, July 29—*Sts. Martha, Mary &
Lazarus, Disciples of the Lord***
7:00 pm +Alphonse Prince (Anniv) & Prince,
Luckasavitch & Burchat Families
(Bernadette Prince & Family)

Thursday, July 30—*St. Peter Chrysologus*
10:00 am Mass at St. Casimir's, Round Lake

Friday, July 31—*St. Ignatius of Loyola*
6:00 pm Adoration
7:00 pm +Roman, Alina & Kazimierz Suska
(Andrzej Suska)

Saturday, Aug 1—*St. Alphonsus Liguori*
5:00 pm For all of our Parishioners

Sunday, Aug 2—18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11:00 am (English) +Aldon Kosinski (Corki)

12:30 pm (Polish) +Dr. Victor & Jadwiga
Szyrinski (Stachulak Family)

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DIOCESE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Walk the Opeongo Line: Join pilgrims across the Diocese and beyond for a 4-day journey from Our Lady of Fatima Parish, Renfrew to St. Ann's Shrine. Cormac, **from Thurs, July 23rd to Sun, July 26th**. Visit the website at <https://walktheopeongoline.org/> to register.

Volunteers Needed – 86th Annual Cormac Pilgrimage: Our Annual Cormac Pilgrimage is fast approaching, and we are looking for volunteers to help make this year's pilgrimage a welcoming and meaningful experience for everyone attending. We are seeking volunteers to assist with a variety of roles, including: Parking and traffic guidance, setting up and taking down equipment on July 18th and July 27th and general assistance throughout the day. Whether you can spare an hour or are available for the entire event, your help would be greatly appreciated. Volunteering is a wonderful way to support our faith community, meet fellow pilgrims, and help ensure the day runs smoothly. If you are willing to volunteer, please let us know your availability and any areas where you would particularly like to help. Thank you for considering this opportunity to serve. Your generosity of time and talent helps make the 86th Annual Cormac Pilgrimage a special and memorable event for all. Call 613 628-2020 or email secretarystjames@gmail.com.

86th Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrine of St. Ann in Cormac on Sunday, July 26th. The Triduum of preparation will be led by Bishop Michael Brehl, Bishop of the Diocese of Pembroke. The principal **Pilgrimage Mass** will be at 11:00am at the Shrine. The Sacrament of Confession is available throughout the day. A Mass of healing with the Anointing of St. Ann's oil will be celebrated at 2:00pm (**Please bring your own seating**). On site: St. Ann's religious articles and other religious articles, St. Ann's Mass League memberships, food and refreshments vendors. For more information: St. Ann's Pilgrimage – The Shrine to St. Ann in Cormac, ON or Shrine of St. Ann Cormac | Facebook. Welcome everyone!

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

	Lector	Eucharistic Minister		Lector	Eucharistic Minister
Sat, Jul 25—5 pm	Rita Coulas	Edwin Echavarry	Sat, Aug 1—5 pm	Hannah Sullivan	Jason Yantha
Sun, Jul 26—11 am	Ed Chippior	Ed Chippior	Sun, Aug 2—11 am	Len Gignac	Len Gignac
12:30 pm (Polish)	Catherine Bloskie		12:30 (Polish)	Ryszard Prusakiewicz	

Altar Guild:	Aug 3—Aug 16—Virginia Platt & Helpers
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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.

