

Prayer for the young and our families with Kateri

Oh, most humble Kateri
I seek your love and prayers.
I turn to you for your inspiration.

May I know the power of humility; the strength of seeking God's will in everything I do this day; the compassion to care this way for those who are weak and in need of help; and the faith to forgive those who walk a hurtful violent path.

Pray with me Kateri that through us, God our Creator will comfort the orphan, watch over the neglected child, and wait with the youth who go astray.

You lost your parents and found others along the way to care for you and guide you. May all parents and grandparents stay healthy, seek the selfless love of Jesus, and give where giving is most needed. May they make wise decisions and heed daily the Wisdom of the Great Spirit.

Your spirit was strong and your love for Jesus is deep. May I trust that Christ will turn my weakness Into His strength and meekness; so that whatever comes to me this day, I may choose to do God's will and faithful will I stay. AMEN

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4th Sunday of Easter

The Gospels of the last three week told how the disciples experienced the risen Christ. They saw the empty tomb; they touched him; he spoke their names; he fished with them and fed them. This week and in the coming weeks, we Hear Jesus' assuring words that he will continue to act through them – and in us- in different ways.

Today, Jesus calls himself a shepherd who is known by his flock by his voice. But how do we hear his voice? How do we learn to recognize it? How do we follow? If we listen to Jesus' words in the Gospels – words spoken long ago and far away – our hearts can become attuned to his voice speaking in our time and in many ways. For Christ also speaks to our hearts will learn to discern what Christ is saying in the world around us, in the moment. He calls us as he did our disciples, to follow and become shepherds of others.

Before we listen to the Gospel today, we cross our forehead, lips and heart. May Christ's word dwell within us and may his call to follow him echo through the events of our lives.

Margaret Bick, Noth York,ON (Living with Christ)

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Parish Office Hours Tuesday & Thursday: 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Masses for the Lord’s Day

Sunday: 12:30 PM.

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday: 12:00 PM.

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS Please contact the parish office.

THE HOLY ROSARY is recited half hour before all Weekday Masses

Sacraments and Pastoral Needs

Baptism: Please contact the parish office at least one month before the baptism date (622-5138).

First Communion (Grade Two and older): Please register with school or with the parish office. Families will be contacted with requirements and other information.

Confirmation (Grade Eight and older): Please register with school or with the parish office. Families will be contacted with requirements and other information.

Marriages: Please contact the parish office at least **six months** before the wedding date. Preparation will be required for the couple.

Reconciliation (Penance): Please make an appointment with one of the priests. (622-5138).

Sacrament of the Sick (anointing): please contact the parish office (622-5138) **or in the Regional Hospital, the on-call priest is available in an urgent need.**

Funerals: Please contact the parish office to arrange a funeral (622-5138).

A Mother's Day Prayer to Honor and Bless Moms

Heavenly Father, I speak this prayer to you now in gratitude and praise for the gift of mothers. My mother, those of my friends, relatives, those I’ll never know, all mothers. Thank you for the role they play in the family unit. Thank you for their teachings, wisdom, patience, and understanding. Thank you for the physical, emotional, and spiritual gifts they possess.

I pray that you help mothers all across the world to be a blessing to their children. Whether delivering affirmation or discipline, I pray that you help every word and action to be done in love. And I pray that children worldwide will take time to honor their mothers and that you will show them how to do so uniquely

Amen.

Happy

Mother’s Day

This Week in Our Parish

Monday: May 12thth ,2025

Holy Hour 11:00am

Mass 12:00 p.m.

AA meeting Sat May 17th ,2025, 8:00pm

Sunday: May 18th ,2024

12:30 pm mass

Last Sunday’s Collection: \$713.00

Prayer meeting Wed, at Kateri 7 pm. all are welcome look forward to meeting you there.

THE SIGN OF THE CROSS IN OJIBWE LANGUAGE

Od ijinikasowining Weossimind,

(In the name of the Father,)

gaie Wegwissimind,

(and of the Son,)

gaie Wenijishid-Manito.

(and of the Holy Spirit.)

Mi ge-ing (Amen)

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