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St. John Vianney Mission Church  
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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

## 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

Please call the office 613-339-2852

### 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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**PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (YEAR B)**

**MARCH 24, 2024**

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Day	Location	Time	Intentions	Donors
Sat. 23	Highland Grove	4:30PM	+Tom Elliott	Joanne & Gary Burroughs
Sun. 24	Chandos	9:00AM	Souls in purgatory	
	Cardiff	11:00AM	For the people of the parish	
Mon. 25	Ptboro Cathedral	2:00PM	CHRISM MASS	
Tue. 26	Highland Grove	7:00PM	No intention	
		7:30PM	Stations of the cross***	
Wed. 27	Cardiff	11:00AM	No intention	
Thu. 28	Cardiff	7:00PM	WASHING OF FEET	
Fri. 29	Cardiff	3:00PM	LITURGY OF THE WORD	
		4:00PM	Stations of the cross & Confession	
Sat. 30	Cardiff	7:00PM	EASTER VIGIL	
Sun 31	Chandos	9:00AM	+Chad Coughlin	Greg & Sharon Coughlin
	Cardiff	11:00 AM	For the people of the parish	
	Highland Grove	1:00PM	Souls in purgatory	

**Weekly Financial Report**

	March 17, 2024	March 10, 2024
Highland Grove	\$100.00	\$225.00
Chandos /Apsley	\$125.00	\$180.00
Cardiff	\$610.00	\$225.00
Total (Offertory)	\$835.00	\$630.00
Lenten charity	\$250.00	
Mass Stipend	\$20.00	\$120.00
POP February 15		\$1255.00
POP February 29		\$2150.00
E-transfer—Feb.		\$972.00

**Lectors**

Date	H. Grove	Chandos	Cardiff
	Sun. 1:00 PM	Sun. 9:00AM	Sun. 11:00 AM
Mar.31	Brenda B.	Sharon C.	Peter P.
Apr. 6/7	Mackenzie B.	Pat. C	
Apr. 13/14	Katie B.	Joanne H.	Kelly C
Apr. 20/21	Gary B.	Pat. C.	Theresa P.
Apr. 27/28	Melissa B.	Sharon C.	Pat F. E.

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**BIRTHDAYS FOR MARCH: Martin Reynard (6th) Peter McEnery (16th), Madison Burroughs (19th) Flo Elliott (23rd), Gary Burroughs (29th) Darla-Marie Whelan (30th) Happy birthday and many more fruitful years ahead!**

Pray for those in need of healing and good health

Philip Hughes, Nick Novakowski, Rhys Telka, Jane Tsagrinos, Fr. Bart Burke, Eileen Carr, Ella Richard, Emilee Calzonetti, Pierre Longevin, Eleanor Cadeau, Hermance Therrien, George Chennette, Shannon Reid, Megan Connelly, Dan, Claudette Wilkinson, Ely Wisniewski, Al & Laura Quinn, Theresa Yaskolski, Even Marshall, Danny Wanless, Kenneth Breen, Deacon Tom, Dr. Peter McEnery, Madeleine Vachon,

**READINGS NEXT WEEK (March 31, 2024) EASTER SUNDAY OF LENT (B)**

**Acts of the Apostles 10:34a,37-43**

Peter preaches about Jesus' life, death, and resurrection.

**Colossians 3:1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8**

Colossians: Having been raised by Christ, be concerned with what is above.

1 Corinthians: Let us celebrate this feast with new yeast.

**John 20:1-9**

Mary of Magdala finds that the stone has been removed from Jesus' tomb.

**Background on the Gospel Reading**

Today we begin the Easter Season, our 50-day meditation on the mystery of Christ's Resurrection. Our Gos-

pel today tells us about the disciples' discovery of the empty tomb. It concludes by telling us that they did not yet understand that Jesus had risen from the dead. Thus, the details provided are not necessarily meant to offer proof of the Resurrection. The details invite us to reflect upon a most amazing gift, that is faith in Jesus and his Resurrection.

Each of the four Gospels tells us that Jesus' empty tomb was first discovered by women. This is notable because in first-century Jewish society women could not serve as legal witnesses. In the case of John's Gospel, the only woman attending the tomb is Mary of Magdala. Unlike the Synoptic accounts, John's Gospel does not describe an appearance of angels at the tomb. Instead, Mary is simply said to have observed that the stone that had sealed the tomb had been moved, and she runs to alert Simon Peter and the beloved disciple. Her statement to them is telling. She assumes that Jesus' body has been removed, perhaps stolen. She does not consider that Jesus has been raised from the dead.

Simon Peter and the beloved disciple race to the tomb, presumably to verify Mary's report. The beloved disciple arrives first but does not enter the tomb until after Simon Peter. This detail paints a vivid picture, as does the detail provided about the burial cloths. Some scholars believe that the presence of the burial cloths in the tomb offers evidence to the listener that Jesus' body had not been stolen (it is understood that grave robbers would have taken the burial cloths together with the body).

The Gospel passage concludes, however, that even having seen the empty tomb and the burial cloths, the disciples do not yet understand about the Resurrection. In the passage that follows, Mary of Magdala meets Jesus but mistakes him for the gardener. In the weeks ahead, the Gospel readings from our liturgy will show us how the disciples came to believe in Jesus' Resurrection through his appearances to them. Our Easter faith is based on their witness to both the empty tomb and their continuing relationship with Jesus—in his appearances and in his gift of the Holy Spirit. (Loyola Press)

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

**MARCH 28 (HOLY THUR.) 7:00PM—WASHING OF FEET**

**8:00PM—10:00PM –EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**MARCH 29 (GOOD FRIDAY) 3:00PM—LIT. OF THE WORD**

**4:00PM—STATIONS OF THE CROSS & CONFESSION**

**MARCH 30 (HOLY SATURDAY) 7:00PM—EASTER VIGIL**

**MARCH 31 (EASTER SUNDAY MASSES)**

**9AM (CHANDOS) 11AM (CARDIFF) 1PM (H. GROVE)**

**APRIL 7 (SUN.) 12:00PM –DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION**

#### 8 WAYS TO PRAY DURING LENT

What do we do when we're facing an upcoming big event, cel-

ebration, or special occasion in our lives? We prepare for it. [Holy Week](#) and [Easter](#) are “big events” in the liturgical year of the Church and in the spiritual life of a Christian. So, as Christians, we prepare spiritually for these through the [forty days of Lent](#). This means that, during Lent, we rededicate ourselves to prayer.

#### 7. Pray with children or as a family.

Being a parent, guardian, or teacher is a holy ministry and a sacred promise. Share your faith with children by letting them see and hear you pray, and by praying together. [Guided Reflections for Children: Praying My Faith](#), [Praying with Scriptures](#), and [52 Simple Ways to Talk with Your Kids about Faith](#) are all practical, realistic resources to help you make the most of your prayertime with children. And don't forget about [family dinners](#). Dinnertime is a great opportunity to start or enliven a tradition of family prayer during Lent. For more children's prayer resources, [click here](#).

#### 8. Start a practice of daily prayer that will last after Lent.

Perhaps the best prayer advice is to use Lent as a time to instill prayer habits that will last long after Lent has concluded. Resources such as yearly prayer guides—for example, [A Prayer Book of Catholic Devotions](#) can get you started and help you stay consistent. So enjoy your Lenten prayer. And don't think you have to do all the above. Perhaps choose one or two of these prayer methods to concentrate on—and then you can more fully experience the pilgrim journey toward Easter that is Lent. (Loyola Press)

#### FLOWERS NEEDED!!!

**EASTER FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR REQUIRED. POTTED PLANTS, LILIES, BOUQUETS ETC. GIVEN IN MEMORY OF LOVED ONES OR CELEBRATION OF LIFE. Please let me know your intention so we do not duplicate. Please call 613-339-2397 or email me at evelyn-mutis104@gmail.com**

#### PANCAKE BREAKFAST

**APRIL 06, (SAT.) 8:00AM TO 12:00PM**

**HIGHLAND GROVE COMMUNITY CENTER**

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“God has not chosen you to be holy merely for your own advantage. Rather, the gifts God conferred upon you are to be for the spiritual and physical advantage of your neighbor.” St. Frances of Rome

**HAPPY EASTER EVERYONE!!!HAPPY EASTER EVERYONE!!!**



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