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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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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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Daniel Duval 877-326-5632
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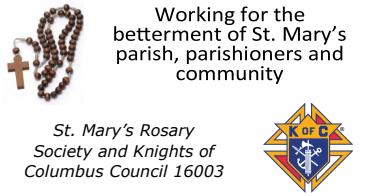
4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—FEBRUARY (LUTY), 1, 2026

WEEK #5-6

(Ottawa) – Pope Leo XIV's message for the 34th *World Day of the Sick*, which will be celebrated on Wednesday, February 11, 2026, offers a reflection on the theme “**The compassion of the Samaritan: loving by bearing another's pain**”. In his message, the Holy Father offers us the following prayer:

*Sweet Mother, do not part from me.
Turn not your eyes away from me.
Walk with me at every moment
and never leave me alone.
You who always protect me
as a true Mother,
obtain for me the blessing of the Father,
Son and Holy Spirit.*





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.**

Income tax receipts have been mailed out. 2025 Financial Statements are included in the bulletin. **Thank you** everyone for your financial support to our parish.

Men and women volunteers will be needed to take down Christmas decorations on **Mon, Feb 2nd** beginning at **9:30 am**. Sweeping of the church will take place after decorations are down.

Visitation of the sick will be on **Fri, Feb 6th**. If you wish to be added to the list, please call the parish office.

There will be **blessing of the throat** after each of the weekend Masses on **Feb 7th and Feb 8th**.

The **Knights of Columbus Meeting** is a week earlier this month on this coming **Thurs, Feb 5th at 7:00 pm**.

Don't miss the all-inclusive Pancake Breakfast on Sun, Feb 8th from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Homemade pancakes, including potato pancakes, with all the fixings—sausages, baloney, scrambled eggs, homemade beans, muffins, fruit, juice, coffee and tea. Adults and students over 12—\$15.00 and under 12 by donation. Donation of muffins would be greatly appreciated.

The first draw for 2026 will be **Mar 1st**. 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.

A letter from the Bishop was emailed to parishioners last Friday in regards to the upcoming meeting on Mar 1st. There are copies available at the front and back of the church for anyone wishing to pick one up.

Empties for Parish Playground - 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. Any questions? Text Patrick at 905-391-9593.

MUSICAL THEATRE! Join Our Lady Seat of Wisdom College on **Feb 6th or Feb 7th at 7:30 pm or Feb 8th at 1pm** at the Madawaska Valley High School in Barry's Bay for our musical *Anastasia*, the story of an orphaned amnesiac who is unaware she is the only surviving sovereign of Imperial Russia, the Grand Duchess Anastasia Romanov. Journey with her as she discovers her true identity in her escape from tyranny, finding love, family and friendship amidst the tragedy of her past and that of Russia's. **Tickets: \$25 general admission, students \$12, families \$60.** For advance ticket reservations, please email drama@seatofwisdom.ca *ANASTASIA* is presented by arrangement with Concord Theatricals.

The Office of Faith Formation and Leadership Development invites you to the next **Diocesan Lenten Retreat on Sat, Feb 21st, 2026** from 9:30am to 2:00pm (Registration at 9:00am) at St. James the Less Parish, Eganville. Author and speaker: Patrick Sullivan. Cost: \$15.00 (lunch provided). To register please contact Deacon Adrien Chaput at dcadrienchaput@pembrokediocese.com or 613 732-7933 ext. 206. **Deadline to register: Wed, Feb 18th.**

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Sunday, Feb 1—4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11:00 am +Ernie Dudack
(Andrew & Marlene Shulist)

12:30 pm For all of our parishioners

Monday, Feb 2—*The Presentation of the Lord*

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

Tuesday, Feb 3—No Mass—*St. Blaise, St. Ansgar*

Wednesday, Feb 4

7:00 pm +Rita & Dominic Bloskie
(Charles & Rachel Stampilcoski & Family)

Thursday, Feb 5—*St. Agatha*

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

Friday, Feb 6—*St. Paul Miki*

6:00 pm Adoration
7:00 pm +Margaret Dombroskie (Anniv)
(Bill & Brenda Eccleston)

Saturday, Feb 7

5:00 pm +Dominic, Helen & Ronnie
Yantha
(David & Mary Yantha)

In your prayers remember:

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



Sunday, Feb 8—5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11:00 am (English) +Alex Trebinskie
(Florence Trebinskie)

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

Monday, Feb 9—No Mass

Tuesday, Feb 10—*St. Scholastica*

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

Wednesday, Feb 11—*Our Lady of Lourdes*

7:00 pm Special Intention (Parishioner)

Thursday, Feb 12

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

Friday, Feb 13

6:00 pm Adoration
7:00 pm +Patrick Kutchkoskie
(Michael & Catherine Bloskie)

Saturday, Feb 14—*St. Cyril, St. Methodius*

5:00 pm For all of our parishioners

Sunday, Feb 15—6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11:00 am +Dominic Burchat Sr.
(Burchat Family)

12:30 pm +Tadeusz Slowik &
Zofia (nee Slowik) Kosinski
(Maria Slowik)

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DIOCESE ANNOUNCEMENTS

DIOCESAN MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAM: Please pick up registration form at the back of the church. Also, note that the **deadline** for the spring session is **March 21st**.

Parishioners of Pembroke Diocese are invited to **save the date** to attend one of the pastoral planning information meetings that will be held in all five deaneries of the diocese during the first weeks of Lent. You may pick up a copy of the letter at the front or back of the church. Bishop Brehl and members of the diocesan steering committee will present relevant pastoral, statistical and financial data to help equip parishioners in ongoing dialogue and discernment on the future of the diocese. If you cannot make the local meeting in your home deanery, please feel welcome to attend any of the scheduled meetings posted on our website.

Barry's Bay Deanery: Sunday, March 1 at John Bosco School, Barry's Bay - 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm .

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
Sat, Feb 7—5 pm	Rita Coulas	Edwin Echavarry
Sun, Feb 8—11 am	Len Gignac	Len Gignac
12:30 pm (Polish)	Catherine Bloskie	

	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
Feb 14—5 pm	Hannah & Tobias Sullivan	Jason Yantha
Feb 15—11 am	Martin Yakabuski	Ed Chippior
12:30 pm (Polish)	Ryszard Prusakiewicz	

Altar Guild: Feb 16 –Mar 1—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.

The Weekly Thought

Four letter words for all occasions: help, give, care, feel and love.