

St. James the Less Parish
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88.1 FM Radio Station allows people to listen to St. James Mass in the parking lot, then drive vehicles to the entrance to receive communion

Nativity of Our Lady
108 Chibekena Inamo, Pikwakanagan, Ont.

St. Ann's Church
50 McCauley Mountain Road, Cormac, Ont.

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, January 30th, 2022

The Sacrament of Reconciliation and Peace (confession) is available before all masses. At St. James: on Saturday's from 4:45 p.m. to 5:15 p.m. and Sunday's from 10:25 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. At Nativity of our Lady Parish Confessions: Sundays: from 8:25 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. Weekday masses will take place in the Marian Chapel at St. James Parish on Thursday's and Friday's at 10 a.m. Everyone is welcome to join us for weekday masses. Weekend masses at St. James the Less are livestreamed to our St. James Facebook page for those unable to attend.



The Parking Lot option of listening to mass on 88.1 FM in your vehicles is being maintained.

Our St. James Parish Office is open and accessible each day. Kindly adhere to social distancing, wear masks and sanitize.



After masses next weekend, Saturday, February 5th and Sunday, February 6th, Fr. Ken will have the blessing of the throats in honour of St. Blaise, who is the patron saint of people with diseases of the throat. The prayer spoken to each parishioner is "through the intercession of St. Blaise, may God deliver you from every disease of the throat and from every other illness"

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK REN



February 11, 2022 is the World Day of the Sick. After masses on February 12th and February 13th, parishioners who wish to be anointed by Fr. Ken, kindly remain after regular Masses for this special blessing.



Pope Francis has launched a Synodal journey in the Catholic Church and our Pembroke Diocesan office has created a new Website for this, to describe what this journey looks like in our diocese. Pope Francis calls on all Catholics to take time to listen to each other and let the Holy Spirit inspire them. Through this Synod, we ask ourselves: "What does God want to say to us at this time?" and we aspire to discover paths of communion, participation and mission.

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Kindly remember and pray for those in our communities who have died, especially Roy Harold Schroeder, brother of Edward (Jackie) Schroeder, members of Our Lady of Nativity Parish in Pikwakanagan. May God welcome all to the eternal joy of His heavenly kingdom.

Kindly remember those of our families and friends in our community, who are isolated, lonely, or suffering the burden of illness or pain, especially:

George Berard, Orpha Breen, Cheryl Chapeskie, Grace Foran, Reggie Gauvreau, Jonathan Gillis,
Mike Kineer, Clare Lavalley, Shelley McLeod, Dorothy Millark, Kathryn Oostrom,
Colleen Prendergast, Joanne Sarazin, Lisa Selle, Eddie Schruder, Mike Sullivan and Stuart Tiedemann.
Remember those who are suffering from COVID 19.

Saturday, January 29th to February 6th, 2022

ANNOUNCED PARISH MASSES

Saturday, January 29th, 2022 at 5:30 p.m. at **St. James**: Dan Contant from Mike & Ann Marie Merchand

Sunday, January 30th, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. at **Nativity of our Lady**: Lois Power from Adrien (Mick) Daley

Sunday, January 30th, 2022 at 11:00 a.m. at **St. James**: For the intentions of all Parishioners

Weekday Masses:

Thursday, February 3rd at 10 a.m. at **St. James Marian Chapel**: Yvette Rousseau from Julie Adams

Friday, February 7th at 10 a.m. at **St. James Marian Chapel**: Ethel Kelly from Harry Goulet

Saturday, February 5th 2022 at 5:30 p.m. at **St. James**: John Joe, Rosemary, Mary Catherine & Jim from Irene & Paul Kumli

Sunday, February 6th, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. at **Nativity of our Lady**: John Golka from Viola Cybulski

Sunday, February 9th, 2022 at 11:00 a.m. at **St. James**: For the intentions of all Parishioners

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers for St. James Parish

Saturday, February 5th Lector: Johanna Zomers

Saturday, February 5th Eucharistic Minister: Gus Cammaert

Sunday, February 6th, Lector: Ted Cooper

Sunday, February 6th, Eucharistic Minister: Carmelle Adams

Your weekly offering at St. James Parish for Sunday, January 23, 2022 was \$2,290.00

Bishop Evangelization Project \$130.00/2022 Initial Offering was \$20.00

Missals: \$5.00/E transfers were 150.00

Total St. James Deposit from January 23rd collection: \$2,595.00

Nativity of our Lady Collection: \$615.00

Our three parishes: St. James Parish, Nativity of our Lady and St. Ann's can now accept e-transfers should parishioners wish to contribute by this method. Transfers must be sent by e-transfer to secretarystjames@gmail.com for St. James, nativityofourlady@gmail.com for Nativity and stanncormac@gmail.com for St. Ann's, which will be credited to your assigned parish envelope number.



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Attention CWL Members: 2022 Membership Fees are now due. Memberships have increased to \$25.00. Please use a plain white envelope with your name, amount, and CWL Membership written on it into the collection basket or drop off at the parish office. Your Membership can also be paid through e transfer to Lois Chretien at lois.chretien@gmail.com.

Thank you and Happy New Year, Lois



Your 2021 Income Tax receipts will be printed at the end of January 2022.

To: Parishioners of St. James

From: The Evangelization Team, Pembroke Diocese



Dear friends in Christ: When we are struggling with age or illness, we can be tempted to believe we no longer participate in the work of the Church. This is precisely the time when our real work can begin. Through the intercession of Blessed Catherine of St Augustine, we invite you to offer your life with its joys, sicknesses, and struggles for the conversion of hearts in the **Diocese of Pembroke**. This fellowship of prayer will be called **Blessed Catherine's Starflowers** because just as the starflowers cover our forest floors so will these intercessors cover our diocese with the fragrance of prayer. All who wish, will make a prayer of offering. **They will be given the Blessed Catherine's Starflower Prayer Booklet and a medal of Blessed Catherine of St. Augustine.** Within the booklet, there is space to record the offering and a diagram of the starflower. Each petal represents an intercession for each day of the week radiating from the central desire for the salvation of souls in our diocese. Each month, a Mass will be celebrated for the fellowship of **Blessed Catherine's Starflowers**. *Is God calling you to serve in this way?* Maybe you know someone who might be interested? Then please contact the parish office.

Theme for Sunday, January 30, 2022 - God's Messengers: Discouraged but Confident.

The prophet's call inevitably contains difficult even frightening ramifications. Some of the psychological aspects of the divine call are given in Jeremiah's account which is read today. The prophet was reluctant to accept the call (Jer1:6), largely due to the opposition which he knew he must face. Yet the prophetic psychology knows of no way to escape the call to serve. Jesus' mission was similar to that of Jeremiah. Today's account of the initial negative reaction from his own townspeople is but a prelude to continued antagonism and opposition from his contemporaries that will ultimately culminate in his death. Jesus' repeated attempts to bring hope to his own people were smashed on the rocks of deafness and hostility. The picture presented is not a bright one. But history has repeated it over and over again. The thirteenth chapter of a Corinthians, heard again today, has unfortunately never become a lived reality in many human hearts.

Footprints on the Mountain

Development and Peace – Share Lent Campaign: We are soon beginning our Share Lent campaign. Development and Peace partners with local organizations in the global south working to develop their communities. Share Lent promotes the work of our partners and educates Canadians on the root causes of global poverty. During this season of penance and reflection, we look squarely at our place in the world, and ask how we can echo Christ's actions through extending our love of our neighbours to all of creation. We challenge ourselves to lean into the prophetic vocation of the church, and offer good news to the poor in the context of a globalized and deeply unequal world. If you are interested in the formation, or in learning more about D&P Parish Representatives, please contact Kiegan Irish, the regional animator at kirish@devp.org, or Jean Tyler, Chair of the Pembroke Diocesan Council at jmstyler56@gmail.com.

Before I formed you
in the womb, *I knew you.*
Before you were born,
I set you apart.
Jeremiah 1:5

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Diocesan Young Adult Ministry: Time to gather again! Next gathering is **Wednesday February 2nd** at 6:30 p.m. at St. Columbkille Cathedral hall. Join us for the second half of the study of REVELATION with bible scholar Jeff Cavins (on DVD). To join our group, send your e-mail to Yvette Bourque at yvettebourque@pembrokediocese.com.

Marriage Preparation Program: The Winter Diocesan Marriage Preparation Program is coming up on Saturday, February 5th and Saturday, February 19th via Zoom. **Deadline to register is January 21st**. Registration is available online at [Marriage & Family – Diocese of Pembroke \(pembrokediocese.com\)](http://Marriage & Family – Diocese of Pembroke (pembrokediocese.com)), or a form can be obtained from any parish and mailed in. Inquiries can be directed to Ellen Hrkach at 613 297-1496 or ellengablehrkach.com.

Separated and Divorced Catholics: By My Side Ministry for separated and divorced Catholics will be held virtually via zoom this spring. This is a program offering spiritual friendship and healing for separated and divorced Catholics. The program is designed to help individuals navigate through the stress of separation and divorce from a Catholic faith exploration perspective. **Classes begin March 26, 2022, 2 hours/ week for both ladies and men separately and runs for 6 weeks.** The cost is \$40. All class details, dates, times and registration form can be found at www.bymyside.ca or by emailing Mary Jane Manley mj@bymyside.ca or by calling 613 294-1308. This ministry has been running every spring for the past 7 years and have had over 120 amazing women and men participate. Participants often mention how they gain a greater perspective on how the treasures and wisdom of our Catholic

Free “Amen App” for your Mobile Phone! Augustine Institute presents a free Catholic App called “Amen App”. From daily Mass readings to the dramatized Bible, from traditional Catholic prayers to sleep stories and meditations, from the Rosary to “Bible in a Year”, there is something for everyone. Google: Amen App – there is a great website to explore with it.



We are updating our parish lists of Sick and Shut In's for St. James, Nativity of our Lady and St. Ann's. If you know of someone who requests the Blessed Sacrament, whether at home or otherwise, please email or call the St. James parish office. Also, should a family member be admitted to hospital, kindly share that with us as well.

January 28, 2022 - Canada's Bishops Announce Indigenous Reconciliation Fund to Support Projects Across Canada

Canada's Catholic Bishops have agreed to establish a new registered charity to support and advance healing and reconciliation initiatives. The charity is expected to manage the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund, which will accept contributions from 73 dioceses across Canada in order to fulfill the **\$30 million financial commitment** made by Canada's Bishops in September.

L O V E	LOVE is patient
	LOVE is kind
	LOVE does not envy
	LOVE does not boast
	LOVE is not conceited
	1 Corinthians 13:4

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