# St. Mary of the Presentation Church Chesterville

St. Daniel the Martyr Church South Mountain

St. Mary of the Presentation, Chesterville

Established: 1851

#### **Sunday Eucharist**

Saturday 5:00 p.m. (St. Daniel's) Sunday 11:00 a.m. (St. Mary's)

## **Daily Liturgy**

Please refer to the schedule included with this bulletin

#### **Pastoral Visits**

Regular pastoral visits are available on request. Please call the Parish office.

**Confessions** are available 30 minutes before each regular daily and Weekend mass and by appointment.

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Established: 1849 Rebuilt: 2013

**Baptism:** Contact the office. Families must be registered with the parish.

#### **First Communion/Confirmation:**

Contact the office. Meetings with parents and candidates begin in September.

**Funeral Service:** Please contact the Priest.

### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Arrangements with the pastor should be made at least 6 months in advance. A marriage preparation course is required.

#### Contact

10 Church Street, P.O. Box 730, Chesterville, Ontario, K0C 1H0

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Website: stmaryofthepresentationparish.ca

Facebook Page: St. Mary Chesterville/St. Daniel's South Mountain 2023

Parish Administrator: Father Oliver Wekesa

Office Hours: Thursday 10:30am - 3:30pm (Appointment preferred) Friday 10:30am - 3:30pm

Bookkeeper: **Brenda Sliva** (Leave message at the office. Your call will be returned.)

Secretary: Cindy Morgan (Thursdays 9.30 am-12.30 pm)

# Announced Masses Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year C, August 10, 2025

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Day	Date	Time	Place	Intention	Requested by		
Sat.	Aug. 9	5:00pm	St. Daniel	Repose of the soul of Joey O'Connor	Mike Budge		
Sun.	Aug. 10	11:00am	St. Mary	Irene and Rolland Gibeault	Suzanne Stewart		
Wed.	Aug. 13	7:00pm	St. Daniel	No Mass			
Thurs .	Aug. 15	9:00am	St. Mary	Intentions of a local foster care family	Carolyn & Mark vanDelst		
Fri.	Aug. 15	8:00am	St. Mary	Adoration			
		9:00am	St. Mary	Repose of the soul of Mary Slowey, Brian Slowey and Francis Buryk	Gabriel Slowey and family		

# **The Saint Mary Sanctuary Lamp**

In thanksgiving by Anonymous
If you wish to sponsor the Sanctuary Lamp for **one week** the cost is \$10.00\*

# Announced Masses Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year C, Aug. 3, 2025

Day	Date	Time	Place	Intention	Requested by
Sat.	Aug. 16	5:00pm	St. Daniel	Repose of the soul of Tony and Ericka Brockmann	Ingrid & Chris Sylvestre and family
Sun.	Aug. 17	11:00am	St. Mary	Gian Frianco Poletti	Steven & Gloria Poletti
Wed	Aug. 20	7:00pm	St. Daniel	No Mass	
Thurs.	Aug. 21	9:00am	St. Mary		
Fri.	Aug. 22	8:00am 9:00am	St. Mary	Adoration	
		11:00am	Garden Villa	Repose of the soul of Samuel Ouellette	Carolyn & Mark vanDelst
Sat.	Aug. 23	5:00pm	St. Daniel	Intentions of Steven and Anne Caza	Steven and Anne Caza
Sun	Aug. 24	11:00am	St. Mary	For the People	

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In Memory of Neil Spruit by The Spruit family
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## Offertory Collection:, July 27 & August 3, 2025

**St. Mary's** Regular: \$1685.75; Building Fund: \$399.00;

**St. Daniel's** Regular: \$1175.00;

St. Mary's Cemetery \$55.00 St. Daniel's Cemetery: \$0.00

St. Mary's/St. Daniel's Mass Account: \$120.00

E-transfer: St. Mary's: stmaryofpresentationpayments@gmail.com

St. Daniel's: stdanielparishpayments@gmail.com.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- **1. Sign up for Jubilee Celebration** The Jubilee Celebration planning team has been working hard to create a fun and faith-filled event. We hope all of you will attend this celebration and that you will fully experience this pilgrimage and feel transformed. Due to the logistics of the Pilgrimage, supper will be provided and will include a gluten-free option. Please consider bringing snack and dessert items. For the purpose of planning please use the RSVP sheets at the back of the Church to confirm your attendance no later than Aug. 31, 2025.
- **2. Bulletin** There will not be a bulletin next week. If you wish to include an announcement in the next bulletin (August 24) please send it to the office before August 21, 2025.
- **3. RCIA** Anyone interested in participating in RCIA (Adult catechesis/class) is encouraged to register with the parish before September. This program aims to give catholic teachings to adult members who want to be baptized and take communion, be accepted into the full communion of the Catholic Church or just grow in their faith. Members who are interested can meet with Fr. Oliver after Mass or give the parish a call.
- **4. St. Mary's Cemetery Committee** The St. Mary's Cemetery Committee would like to pass on a big thank you for removing bushes, metal/glass ornaments and flowers etc that had accumulated around headstones. Their presence potentially causes a safety hazard to the lawn maintenance team. We have been working to improve the visiting experience by installing new signage, a bench in front of the columbarium and clipping grass around the headstones missed by the mower. For further clarification please contact any member of the committee as listed on the narex bulletin board.
- 5. St. Francis de Sales-Blessed Sacrament (Smiths Falls) Jubilee year of Hope Pilgrimage to St. Joseph's Oratory, Ste. Anne-de-Beaupre, Cap-de-la-Madaleine and Notre Dame Basilica This Pilgrimage will be held September 16-18, 2025. For more information see poster at the back of the church.



# **REFLECTION** Jubilee Year-Pilgrims of Hope

Throughout our region, in our local Archdioceses and across Canada and the world, hopeful pilgrims like yourself are heeding the Jubilee's call and planning or embarking on their Pilgrimage journey with Christ to the Father. And just like them, our Sep 13<sup>th</sup> Pilgrimage is an opportunity to strengthen and revive our Faith and offer works of charity to the hungry, sick and strangers we may encounter along the way (Matthew 25 35-36).

Psalm 84 reminds us we are all pilgrims in search of the homeland and we march together on a pilgrimage to relive and reaffirm our Faith.

Happy are those who live in your house continually singing your praise. Happy the pilgrims whom you strengthen to make the ascent to you.

As we continue to reflect on the Jubilee's logo (above), if we focus on the Cross you'll notice it's bent forward. The shape is designed that way on purpose as it's there to represent that as we journey on our Pilgrimage towards that Cross, it's bent forward because Christ is reaching out and meeting us along the way. We are not alone on this journey and he's not waiting for us to come to him.

#### **Reflection:**

We plan for months before a vacation to make it the most rewarding, how can I prepare myself so I get the most out of this Pilgrimage?



## **Sunday Smile**

Late for a seminar and unable to find parking, I pulled into a spot behind a church. It was only after I had gotten out of the car that I spotted this sign: "No parking. Forgiveness is our business, but don't make it harder than it already is.