

St. Mary of the Presentation Church Chesterville

St. Daniel the Martyr Church South Mountain



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Chesterville*

Established: 1851



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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.

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

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St. Daniel's: stdanielparishpayments@gmail.com

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: **Jacqueline Louise** (Thursdays 9:30am-12:00 pm, Fridays 9:30am - 12:00pm)

Announced Masses

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, Year A, May 31st, 2026

Day	Date	Time	Place	Intention	Requested by
Saturday	May 30	5:00pm	St. Daniel	For the repose of the soul of Lennox Cendeno	Randy & Sherry Ali
Sunday	May 31	11:00am	St. Mary	For the people	
Wednesday	June 3	6:00pm	St. Daniel	In thanksgiving for God's blessings	Randy & Sherry Ali
Thursday	June 4	9:00am	St. Mary	For the repose of the soul of Ann Woodford	Jane & Phil Batten
Friday	June 5	8:00am	St. Mary	Adoration	
		9:00am		For the repose of the soul of Karl Kirkwood	Carolyn & Mark vanDelst
		9:45am		St. Mary's School Mass	
Saturday	June 6	9:00am	St. Mary	For the intentions of Thérèse Louise	Jacqueline & Jordan Louise
		5:00pm	St. Daniel	For the people	
Sunday	June 7	11:00am	St. Mary	For the repose of the soul of Will Traynor	Bill & Marg Traynor

The Saint Mary Sanctuary Lamp

In memory of John & Adriana Spruit by The Spruit Family

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

Pentecost Sunday, Year A, May 24th, 2026

St. Mary's Regular: \$837.00; E-transfers: \$330.00; Building Fund: \$172.00;

St. Daniel's Regular: \$440.00; E-transfers: \$65.08; Pope's Pastoral Works: \$10.00

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

St. Mary's/St. Daniel's Mass Account: \$40.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Parish Council Nominations: The Parish Finance, Building, and Pastoral Councils are accepting nominations for the coming year until June 7th 2026. Forms are available at the back of the Church. Please place your nominations in the Suggestion Box. Please note the PPC Annual General Meeting will be after the 11:00am Mass on Sunday June 14th. All are welcome to attend.

2. Praying Hands: Please note that the monthly Praying Hands Meeting has been cancelled for the month of June.

3. Parish Anniversary Celebrations: Tickets will be sold at the back of the both parishes before and after Masses for:

- **St. Mary's Parish 175th Anniversary Dinner:** This catered dinner will be at the Chesterville Legion on June 27th, 2026, following the 4:00pm Mass. The cost is \$25.00 per ticket. *For e-transfer payments, please note that your payment is for the St. Mary's Anniversary Dinner.*
- **St. Daniel's 170th Anniversary & 15th Anniversary since Rising From the Ashes Event:** This event will be taking place on Friday, September 11th at 6:00pm at the South Mountain Agricultural Hall. Tickets for the Roast Beef Buffet are \$50 for Adults and \$20 for children 5-12 years old. *For e-transfer payments, please note that your payment is for the St. Daniel's Anniversary Dinner.*

Contacts for all ticket sales: Carrie Keller: paintings2order@eastlink.ca; Peter Feehan 709-640-7407 (Call or Text) or Randy Ali 613-324-7208 (Call or Text).

5. Confirmation Mass: This year's Confirmation Mass will be held on June 12th @ 6:00pm at St. Mary's Parish. All are welcome and encouraged to attend to pray for this year's Confirmation Candidates!

6. Art on the Waterfront: St. Mary's Social Committee would like to invite you to the Art on the Waterfront, June 6 starting at 10:00am. In front of the Church we will be holding a Bake Sale and open the doors of St. Mary's to invite the community into our church for a tour of the building. Volunteers are needed to prepare baked goods and to help run the table. Our bake sale will run from 10am-1pm. Sandwiches will also be offered. For questions, contact Debbie Courneyea - 613 448 3894. Thank you for your support!

7. Parish Secretary Absence: Please note, Jacqueline Louise will be away for the first three weeks of June. Thank you for your patience as the Office responds to your requests!

REFLECTION

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Saint Paul offers a brief but profound message for Christian living: “Brothers and sisters, rejoice. Mend your ways, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.”

This passage serves powerfully as both a farewell and a blessing. Paul addresses a community that has indeed faced conflict, division, and spiritual struggles. Yet, his final words resonate with hope, reconciliation, and unity, reflecting a strong vision for their future rather than any condemnation. "Rejoice" reminds us that even during trials, believers should live confidently and with gratitude. Furthermore, "Mend your ways" invites us to convert, heal divisions, correct wrongs, and seek holiness together. "Encourage one another" highlights the essence of community in every parish and family, emphasizing support and upliftment. Lastly, "Live in peace" goes beyond avoiding conflict; it reflects Christ's presence in our relationships through forgiveness and humility.

In his conclusion, he reveals the profound essence of Christian life, which reflects the nature of the Holy Trinity. He explains that we are enveloped in the Father's boundless love, redeemed by the Son's transformative grace, and united through the powerful communion of the Holy Spirit.

