St. Gregory the Great Roman Catholic Church

7, Church Street, Picton ON K0K 2T0 Web site: <u>www.stgregoryparish.ca</u>

St. Frances of Rome Church (Summer Mission)

67, Belleville Street, Wellington ONTARIO, K0K 3L0 (Re-opens, Queen's Birthday Week-end, Sunday 17th May, 2020)

Father R.J. Chisholm

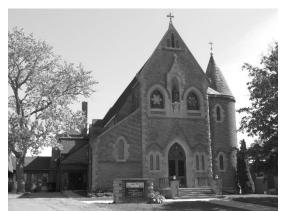
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WELCOME TO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY



St. Gregory the Great (Feast day: 3rd Sept)

St. Gregory the Great Parish was established in 1836, on land donated by the Church of England Vicar of St. Mary Magdalene Parish.

The present Church was dedicated in 1893, and at the time was considered to be "one of the most handsome Churches of the Diocese."

Pope Saint Gregory the Great (AD 540-604), was a protector of the Roman Jews, assuaged the poor, and was hailed as a skilled diplomat.

St. Frances of Rome (Feast day: 9th Mar)

The present Church building of St. Frances of Rome, was built in 1830 and dedicated in July 1844. The Catholic Church has been present in Wellington since 1668 thanks èto the efforts of the Récollet Missionaries of France, who established the "Kente Mission"—a 351 year presence!

St. Frances of Rome (AD1384 – AD1441), wife, mother, healer and mystic, established a hospital on the family Estate, and donated food and clothing to the Roman poor.



26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sat. 28 Sept. St. Wencelous	5:00 pm	Johann De Roche by D. Geggie
Sun. 29 Sept. SS Michael, Gabriel & Raphael	8:30 am	Bud Wright by Ken & Jill Wright
Sun. 29 Sept. St. Felix III	10:00 am	Missa Pro Popula
Mon. 30 Sept. St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)	NO MASS	
Tues. 01 Oct. Canterbury Martyrs	6:30 pm	Madona St. Croix by M. Charette
Wed. 02 Oct. Guardian Angles (McFarlands)	10:00 am	Ted & Norah Morgan by K & J Wright
Thur. 03 Oct. St. Thérèse	12:30 pm	D & H Murray by Ken & Jill Wright
Fri. 04 Oct. St. Francis of Assisi	8:30 am	Bud Wright by Ken & Jill Wright
9:0	0-9:30 am	Exposition & Adoration
Sat. 05 Oct. St. Placid	5:00 pm	Frank Dyer by Anne Dyer
Sun. 06 Oct. St. Bruno	8:30 am	Nancy Armitage by K & J Wright
Sun. 06 Oct. St. Bruno	10:00 am	Missa Pro Popula

The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week for the intentions of: Sam McGee Please pray for the sick of our Parish especially: Bill Holmes

MASS ON TUESDAY EVENING

Those who attended the Mass on Tuesday evening, chose to have the Mass time at 6:30pm.



8:30am MASS: The last 8:30am summer Mass will be Thanksgiving Sunday 13 October. Masses will recommence in June 2020.

Ministries and Committees

Parish Council	Contact	Parish Office	(613)476-6276
Evangelization	Contact	Tim Ernst	(613)476-2159
Parish Finance Committee	Chairperson	Leo Finnegan	(613)476-5714
Mount Olivet Cemetery	Contact	David Bongard	(613)476-7632
Becoming Catholic: RCIA	Coordinator	Tim Ernst	(613)476-2159
Screening Committee	Chairperson	Eric Chapman	(613)393-2987
Junior Liturgy	Contact	St. Gregory School	(613)476-2461
St. Vincent de Paul Committee	Chairperson	Bernie Barry	(613)393-1616
Parish Choirs-10:00 am	Contact	Phyllis Davis	(613)476-1914
Parish Choirs-5:00 pm	Contact	David Bongard	(613)476-7632
Catholic Women's League	Contact	Liz Brown-Davidson	(613)399-5725
Knight's of Columbus	Contact	Dan Gannon	(613)476-3902

1) St. Gregory's Collection (\$2202) Envelopes \$1645 Loose Change: \$254

(Last Year: \$4030) Weekly Withdrawal: \$293

Repair & Maintenance: \$5 Sanctuary Lamp: \$5

2) St. Vincent de Paul Collection: \$103 3) Needs of the Church in Canada: \$5

St. Vincent de Paul Meeting: Wed. 02 Oct. 11am - Rectory Meeting Room

Mt. Olivet Cemetery Meeting: Wed. 02 Oct. 7pm - Rectory Meeting Room

C. W. L. Meeting: Tue. 15 Oct. 7pm - Our Lady's Chapel

THANK YOU!



A special thanks to Andrew Dupuis and our choir for the wonderful concert presented after Sunday's Mass.

Thirty stayed to enjoy the wonderful music!



CHURCH ROSARY - - - OCTOBER



The Church dedicates the month of October to the Holy Rosary. The Rosary is said before all week-end Masses during October. If you wish to lead the Rosary, fill in the sheet at the back of the Church indicating the date and Mass you will be attending.

PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle.

Be our defence against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do you O Prince of

Heavenly Hosts, by the power of God cast into Hell, Satan and all the

Evil Spirits who prowl through the world seeking the ruination of Souls.



RECTORY BASEMENT: The mould is removed and the floor will be repainted.

HOLIDAYS: Fr. Chisholm will be on vacation in Egypt touring the pyramids & the Nile River. Father will be away from: 1pm 13 October until 4pm Saturday, 26 October.

Fr. Peter Murphy will celebrate Mass on Sat. 5pm and Sun. 10am. (19-20 October)

COLLECTION FOR THE NEEDS OF THE CHURCH IN THE HOLY LAND

This weekend is the annual collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada. This charitable initiative assists the Bishops in their ministry of teaching, guiding, sanctify and caring for the Churches in Canada. "The support for the Bishops of Canada will help them achieve their goals, and to proclaim the Good News in Canada". --- Bishop Lionel Gendron, P.S.S.

SOCK-TOBER:..... Helping our local FOODBANKS!

During October, the C.W.L. will be collecting **socks**, jars of peanut butter & boxes of crackers to be distributed to our local **food banks**. There will be a basket at the Church entrance for donation. Thanks!





Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Any adult who was baptized Roman Catholic but never received the sacraments of Initiation (Confirmation/Eucharist) or has not been baptized a Roman Catholic but would like to become a Catholic, is invited to join the St. Gregory's Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults group. For more information, meet with Fr. Chisholm after Mass or call the parish office - 613-476-6276.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Have you ever thought you would like to assist at Mass as a **Lector** or with the **St. Vincent de Paul** committee, who assist those in need in the County? To be part of these important ministries, a sign-up sheet is on the table at the entrance of the Church for you to sign and indicate where you would like to volunteer.



FEAST OF THE GUARDIAN ANGELS



On 02 October, the Church celebrates the Feast of the Guardian Angels. An Angel is a Being without a body but having a Soul. Scripture in both Old Testament and New Testament refer to Angels. The Lateran Council in A.D. 1215 proclaimed as a matter of faith, the existence of Angels who are free personal Spirits who minister to humanity as God's envoys Jesus himself clearly speaks about Angels (see Mt. 18:10)