

Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 4:00pm Keswick 5:30pm Sutton Sunday: 8:30am Sutton 10:30am Keswick

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday:	7:00pm	Sutton
Wednesday:	8:30am	Sutton
Thursday:	7:00pm	Keswick
Friday:	8:30am	Keswick

Mass intentions are received weekly during office hours by phone or dropping in.

First Friday - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Keswick: after the morning Mass Sutton: 6:00pm followed by Mass

Parish Registration

If you have moved to within our parish boundaries and have not yet registered as parishioners, you are most welcome to be part of our community. Please register by completing the pink visitor envelope or contacting the office.

Parish Organizations

Catholic Woman League (CWL): Sonya 905-960-4140 Knights of Columbus: Tvrtko (GK) 416-451-9149 klobucar8026@gmail.com Society of Saint Vincent de Paul: Maria (VP) 437-601-7041 416-557-9964 Third Order Secular Franciscans: Rolf 905-989-0523

Altar Servers: Parents, please contact the office.

Immaculate Conception R.C. Church

20916 Dalton Road, Sutton West, ON LOE 1R0

Our Lady of the Lake R.C. Church

129 Metro Road North, Keswick, On L4P 3C8

Pastoral Team

Rev. Fr. James Dunstan, IVDei Pastor

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Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday: 9:00am - 3:00pm

Parish Schools

St. Bernadette (Sutton):	905-722-6226
St. Thomas Aquinas (Keswick):	905-476-7784
Prince of Peace (Keswick):	905-476-1551
Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Academy	
(Keswick):	905-656-9140

Sacrament of Baptism

Please contact the office for the Baptismal application. An interview with the Pastor and preparation class attendance by the parents is required. Baptisms are celebrated on the 1st and 3rd weekends of the month.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Confessions are available 30 minutes before weekend Masses and by appointment during the week.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning marriage must meet with

Fr. Dunstan a minimum of 6 months before the proposed date. Please book your reception hall only after you have met with the Pastor.

Sacrament of Anointing of the sick

If you or your loved ones wish to receive this sacrament, please contact our parish office.

Interested in becoming a Catholic? (R.C.I.A.)

Adults wishing to become Catholic are asked to book a meeting with Fr. Dunstan. Tony Snider is the coordinator for the RCIA program.

Communion for the Sick

If you are unable to attend church, arrangements can be made for you to receive Holy Communion at home. Contact the parish office.

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUTTON - MASS	SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS	<u>KESV</u>	VICK - MAS	SS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS
Tues. Sep 17 Wed. Sep 18 Sat. Sep 21 Sun. Sep 22	7:00pm: +Rev. Bernard J. Cryer 8:30am: 5:30pm: +Antonio Mancuso req. Rosa Turano 8:30am: +Emma Brydson req. Brydson Family	Thurs. Fri. Sat. Sun.	Sep 19 Sep 20 Sep 21 Sep 22	7:00pm: +Terry George Lucas 8:30am: 4:00pm: Special Intention for the Quigg Family req. Holmes Family 10:30am: Parishioners (Pro Populo)
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generous support	nuch for your continuous and in maintaining our parish and	Lodge	e Retiremei	nm: Mass at Cedarvale nt Living in Keswick
bringing the loan	down.	Confi		25 for children in Grade 7 ve who have received Baptism and

2024 Photo Directory

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Our Parish will be participating in a Parish Family Photo Album Program. It is our hope that everyone participates, individually and collectively as family and group, to make our new directory complete. There is no cost for the photo session and each family who participates will receive ONE FREE DIRECTORY! Photo session dates at Our Lady of the Lake are:

Thursday	September 19
Friday	September 20
Saturday	September 21
Thursday	October 10
Friday	October 11
Tuesday	October 15
Wednesday	October 16



For more information, please contact John Iafrate at: john.iafrate@gmail.com

CWL - Catholic Women's League



Next meeting: September 18, 2024 at 7:00pm at Immaculate Conception, Sutton Church and all women of the parish are

The Knitting Group Meets every Wednesday starting from 2:00-4:00pm at Our Lady of the Lake Church, Keswick. Please come and join!







First Holy Communion. Please pick up a preregistration form from the back of our

Churches or the office (not the school) and hand it back to the office along with your child's Baptismal Certificate and the fee. Thank you. Deadline for pre-registration is September 30, 2024

RCIA stands for the Rite of Christian Initiation of

Adults. It may also be referred to as 'the Catechumenate'. It is a process of RCIA Christian formation offered to those who seek to become Catholic. The initiation of new members is a gradual process allowing enquirers time to grow in faith and become full participants of the Catholic community. There are several stages and ritual steps, leading up to the reception of all three sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. Please register (or if you know someone interested, please let them know) by September 30, **2024**. Call or e-mail the office to set up a meeting with Fr. Dunstan. Our RCIA classes start on October 1, 2024 and will run every Tuesday at Our Lady of the Lake Church in Keswick until 5 weeks after Easter. Tony Snider is the coordinator.

First Holy Communion 2025

Please wait for Announcements. Thank you.



Knights of Columbus



Columbus Next General Meeting: Wednesday September 25, 2024 at 7:30pm at Our Lady of the Lake Church, Keswick

Life Chain, Sunday October 6, 2024, 2:00-3:00pm



Sutton:

Keswick:

Join thousands across Canada standing up against abortion in a peaceful prayerful demonstration. Dalton & Blackriver Woodbine & Glenwoods

Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada:

Supporting Bishops in Their Pastoral Mission Across the Country The Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will take place next weekend, **September 28 and 29, 2024.** This annual initiative is an important opportunity for the faithful to actively support and assist the bishops in their ministry of accompanying, teaching, guiding, sanctifying and caring for the Church in Canada. Please support the collection. We thank you in advance for your generosity and continued commitment.

Youth Ministry of Our Parish

Inviting all Youth to join us every fourth Saturday of every month (Note: December Youth Group meeting will be held



December 14) from 10:00am-1:00pm. Please check bulletin/announcements for location closer to the dates: September 28, October 26, November 23, and January 25.

CALLING ALL MOMS of young children who are



ALL MOMS of young children who are expecting, who have recently had a baby, or will soon / have baptized their child: please join the Catholic Moms Group for

a special workshop event on Saturday September 21, 2024 from 10:30am–1:30pm at Holy Martyrs of Japan Parish in Bradford. Come and meet likeminded moms and build friendships, get inspired and identify the changes that motherhood brings. The cost is \$20 and includes: coffee/tea, snacks and lunch. E-transfer can be made to

<u>catholicmomsgrouphmj@gmail.com</u>. Please see the poster on the bulletin board for more details.

September 22, Feast of St. Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist

"Those who are well do not need a physician, but the sick do... I did not come to call the righteous but

sinners." – Matthew 9:12-13 Jesus shocked the religious teachers of his day in many ways; perhaps one of the most prominent examples was his association with sinners.



Chief among these was Matthew, a tax collector. His commitment to follow Christ demonstrates that God has the power to transform the most depraved sinner into a saint for his glory. On September 21, we celebrate the feast of this sinner-turned saint, Saint Matthew the Apostle.

A Tax Collector's Reputation: In ancient times, tax collectors were notorious for being dishonest, greedy individuals. They would often exploit taxpayers by exacting more than was required by the state and pocketing the difference for themselves. This behaviour earned tax collectors a great deal of enmity from the public. Negative public opinion of Matthew may also have been exacerbated by his lineage: as a Galilean son of the tribe of Levi, he was likely viewed as sympathetic to the occupying Romans.

But Matthew's example of faith demonstrates that Jesus can redeem any sinner. When Jesus first saw Matthew at his customs post, he said "Follow me." Matthew's response was one of immediate obedience – he directly abandoned his position and became one of Jesus' disciples.

Given the unfavourable status of tax collectors, many in the community were critical when they heard that Jesus dined with Matthew:

While he was at table in his house, many tax collectors and sinners came and sat with Jesus and his disciples. The Pharisees saw this and said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" He heard this and said, "Those who are well do not need a physician, but the sick do. Go and learn the meaning of the words, 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' I did not come to call the righteous but sinners." – Matthew 9:10-13

Saint Matthew the Apostle serves as an example that Christ came to save *all* who are lost – the greatest of sinners chief amongst them.

Saint Matthew is the patron saint of bookkeepers and bankers.

Butler's Lives of the Saints (ed. by Bernard Bangley)/Cowan's The Way of Saints

