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### PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Maurice Restivo CSB – *Pastor*  
Fr. Jim Stenberg CSB – *Parochial Vicar*  
Kevin Mannara CSB – *Seminarian*  
Dcn. Paul Bezaire – *Deacon*  
Fr. Matthew Durham CSB – *In Residence*  
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Marilyn Morrison – *Bereavement Ministry*

### PARISH STAFF

Sally McQuaid – *Secretary*  
Kevin McQuaid Jr. – *Properties*  
Tim McKinley – *Properties*  
Ammilla Perera – *Parking Lot Manager*

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Kevin Alexander - *Chair*

### PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE

Jason Grech - *Chair*

### WEEKEND MASSES MCEWAN CAMPUS

Saturday Vigil - 5 pm  
Sunday - 9 am, 11 am, 7:30 pm

### CONFESSIONS - MCEWAN CAMPUS

Saturdays - 3:45pm to 4:45pm

### DAILY MASSES - ROSARY CHAPEL

Monday – 8:00am  
Tuesday – 8:00am  
Wednesday – 8:00am  
Thursday – 8:00am  
Friday – 8:00am

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - ROSARY CHAPEL

Monday to Friday - 8:30am to 8pm

### BAPTISMS

Baptisms for children of parishioners are celebrated monthly. Contact Dcn. Paul Bezaire for details of the program.

### MARRIAGES

Couples must arrange one year in advance and be active in the parish. Contact the Parish Office.

### RCIA

Program for those interested in the Catholic Faith. Contact the parish office.

### CHILDREN'S PROGRAMING

For children preparing for First Confession, Communion, Confirmation and for all other grades at well. Registration is required in September.

### VISITATION OF THE SICK

Contact Dcn. Paul Bezaire to make arrangements.

### FUNERALS

Please have the Funeral Director contact the office for arrangements.

### CAMPUS MINISTRY

(519-973-7033)  
Fr. Paul McGill, C.S.B. - *Chaplain*  
Chrisandra Skipper  
- *Campus Minister*

### CATHOLIC ORGANIZATIONS

Assumption Parish Community Association  
Bridget Russo - *Chairperson*  
Knights of Columbus  
Sammy Sleiman - *Grand Knight*  
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Tim McKinley - *Chair*

ASSUMPTION PARISH WELCOMES ALL VISITORS AND WE ARE BLESSED TO HAVE YOU WITH US.  
NEW PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED TO INTRODUCE YOURSELVES TO A MEMBER OF OUR  
PASTORAL TEAM AND TO REGISTER IN THE PARISH.

# Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time—June 19, 2016

## From the Parochial Vicar's Desk

Today's first reading alludes to the death of King Josiah, who fell in battle against Pharaoh Neco of Egypt. Josiah was a good and holy king, the last hope of a kingdom in decline. The grief following his untimely death is described as the grief one feels for the loss of one's only son, the mourning one feels for the loss of one's firstborn. It is grief felt by a whole people, a people who "wait for a time of healing, but terror comes instead." (Jeremiah 8:15) It is grief for the loss of all that might have been, all the hopes and dreams for the future that will now come to nothing.

Reading this passage, I cannot help but feel for the families and loved ones of the victims of the massacre in Orlando this past Sunday. Or for the family and friends of Robert Hall, the Canadian who was killed by his kidnappers when the demanded ransom failed to appear. And yet the grief spoken of in our first reading is presented as a grace, "a spirit of compassion and supplication" poured out by the Lord on the inhabitants of Jerusalem. A few lines later (Zechariah 13:1) the tragedy is described as "a fountain... to cleanse them from sin and impurity." How can grief be a grace?

A key to the meaning of this passage may be found in today's gospel. Here Jesus reveals to his followers that yes, he is the Christ of God, but also that he would suffer and die for his people. Christ, of course, means 'anointed one' and is the Greek equivalent of the Hebrew word 'Messiah', and refers to the empowerment and mission that comes directly from God. Jesus tells his disciples that if they wish to follow him and join in his mission that they will also suffer with him. Anyone who is willing to suffer and die with Jesus will enter into eternal life, but those who are unwilling will perish.

It seems to me that walking with Jesus does not necessarily mean undergoing physical suffering and death. The sympathy and compassion we feel for someone who suffers is also a companionship on the road, especially when we pray for them. At all costs we must avoid being the ones who indulge in anger and hate: those are the ones who crucify Jesus. Rather we must be the ones who see Christ's suffering in all those who mourn, and with a spirit of supplication and compassion accompany them in their grief for the loss of what might have been.

-Fr. Jim

### The Pope's prayer intentions for June

#### **Universal: Human Solidarity**

That the aged, marginalized, and those who have no one may find—even within the huge cities of the world—opportunities for encounter and solidarity.

#### **Evangelization: Seminarians and Novices**

That seminarians and men and women entering religious life may have mentors who live the joy of the Gospel and prepare them wisely for their mission.

## Liturgy Corner

### Part 1 of a 12 part series about the design of Catholic churches

#### **Part 1: How Lovely Is Your Dwelling Place, O Lord, God of Hosts! (Psalm 84)**

**A** church building is meant to serve a Church community at worship. How our churches are arranged and appointed follow from this primary principle in *Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy* from the Second Vatican Council: "The Church earnestly desires that all the faithful be led to that full, conscious, and active participation in liturgical celebrations called for by the very nature of the liturgy" (paragraph 14).

How this has been carried out in practice has developed over the past fifty-plus years and is the lens through which we will view the following eleven segments of this introduction to Catholic church buildings based on the *General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, the Canadian Conference of Bishops' document *Our Place of Worship*, and the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' document *Built of Living Stones*. We will begin with some general principles and then move to specifics.

That All May Be One: Consolidating Church Buildings When Parishes Merge  
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—Kevin Mannara C.S.B.

## We welcomed into the Church

### On Saturday June 11th, 2016

#### **Murdoch Parker MacLeod**

Son of *Daniel and Amy*

#### **Evan Gilbert Goulet**

Son of *Joseph and Marissa*

### On Sunday June 12th, 2016

#### **Dominic Gabriel Chan**

Son of *Otto Michael and Rosalynn Anne*

#### **Serenity Renee Gagnon-Shaw**

Daughter of *Ryan Austin and Hailee Marie Rennee*

#### **Zia Mulingtapang**

Daughter of *Jomar Rinon and Jerryrose*

#### **Benjamin Peter Carlyle Vickers**

Son of *Corey Arthur and Mary Caitlyn*

## Quotable Pope Francis

**Mercy** never allows us to feel satisfied. It is the love of Christ which makes us restless until we reach the goal; it impels us to embrace, welcome 10. It is the love of Christ which makes us restless until we reach the goal; it impels us to embrace, welcome and include those who need mercy, so that all may be reconciled with the Father.

## Week at a Glance

### Monday, June 20th

### Tuesday, June 21st

10:00am Moms & Tots (McEwan Campus-Hall)  
 5:00pm St. John School Graduation (McEwan Campus-Church)  
 7:00pm Bereavement Group (Rosary Hall)  
 7:00pm Latin Mass (Rosary Chapel)

### Wednesday, June 22nd

10:00am Mission Club Meeting (McEwan Campus-Hall)

### Thursday, June 23rd

10:00am Card Games (McEwan Campus-Hall)  
 5:00pm St. James School Graduation (McEwan Campus-Church)  
 7:30pm Nar Anon (Rosary Hall)

### Friday, June 24th

9:00am SVDP Forgotten Harvest Produce (McEwan Campus)  
 3:00pm Divine Mercy Hour (Rosary Chapel)  
 6:30pm Confessions (Rosary Chapel)  
 7:00pm Apostolate of Fatima Mass & Rosary (Rosary Chapel)

### Saturday, June 25th

8:30am SVDP-Meeting/Home Visits (McEwan Campus-Hall)  
 5:00pm Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)  
 7:00pm All Are Welcome Group of AA (Rosary Hall)

### Sunday, June 26th

9:00am Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)  
 11:00am Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)  
 11:00am Li'l Saints Program (McEwan Campus-Hall)  
 12:00pm Coffee Social (McEwan Campus-Church)  
 12:15pm Baptism (McEwan Campus-Church)  
 7:30pm Mass (McEwan Campus-Church)

## Mass Intentions

### Monday, June 20th

8:00am †John Guiry by Mr. & Mrs. John Nassr  
 †Arnaldo Cervi by Anna & Family  
 †Art & Verna Ruston & Family by Rose Marie Ruston

### Tuesday, June 21st

8:00am †Paula Stasiak by the Perera Family  
 †Mike Rohrer by Dennis Malette

### Wednesday, June 22nd

8:00am †Lucy DiLuca by Mr. & Mrs. Vincenzo DiLuca  
 †Joey Janisse by the Perera Family

### Thursday, June 23rd

8:00am †Hubert Chauvin by Luigi & Cathy Pio  
 †Sinfrosa Arca by Gloria Ymana  
 †Tommaso Pittiglio by Anna Nardone & Family

### Friday, June 24th

8:00am †For the Souls in Purgatory by Mary Ha

### Saturday, June 25th—McEwan Campus

5:00pm For the Intentions of the Assumption Parishioners

### Sunday, June 26th—McEwan Campus

9:00am For the intentions of the Assumption Parishioners  
 11:00am For the intentions of the Assumption Parishioners  
 7:30pm For the intentions of the Assumption Parishioners

## Sanctuary Light Memorial

### For the week of June 19th

### Rosary Chapel

Santiago Eugenio & Amore Family by Mila Eugenio

### Assumption Parish—McEwan Campus

Sinfrosa Arca by Gloria Ymana

## ST ANNE DE BEAUPRE PILGRIMAGE

### July 24-28, 2016

with Father Michael Michon

Tour & presentation on St Brother Andre @ St Joseph Oratory, overnight at Cap-de-Madeleine and at St-Anne-de Beupre, Holy Door at Notre Dame in Old Quebec city, and Shrine of St Kateri. \$612 + \$83 taxes.

Call Marie Alexandre 519-352-6913  
 George Cifa 519-660-6966 ext 234.

**NET fund-raiser:** On Monday June 20 at Ciociaro club to support our NET missionaries. In the past, Assumption has had 4 such young adults who give 2 years of their life to spread the Gospel in the parishes and schools across the country.

**Details on the poster at the church entrance or contact Greg Mailloux 519-817-9137**

### You Can Help Your Marriage

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### A Fathers Day Prayer

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God our Father,  
 we praise you and bless you  
 for the life you have given us  
 through your saving love,  
 revealed in Jesus your Son.

Through Christ you have revealed yourself  
 as a loving father who provides for us all.

Look with love upon these fathers  
 and bless them with your love.  
 Deepen their love for their families  
 and make us one in love  
 with all your holy people  
 as we proclaim your mighty deeds and sing your praises.

We offer you praise and glory,  
 through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
 Amen.

*(Canadian Catholic Conference of Bishops)*

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A little boy prayed, "Dear God, please take care of my daddy & mommy, my sister, my doggy, and me. Oh, please take care of yourself, God. If anything happens to you, we're gonna be in a big mess."

## Sunday Collection

### June 12, 2016

Regular	\$6,113.66
Miscellaneous	\$ 260.00
Total	\$6,373.66



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