



# Holy Spirit Catholic Parish A Welcoming Community

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**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday to Friday 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

## SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday - 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

## WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

As indicated in the weekly calendar.

## RECONCILIATION

As indicated in the weekly calendar with communal celebrations in Advent and Lent and other times by appointment.

## BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated throughout the year. Please introduce yourself to the pastor after mass.

## MARRIAGE

Please make an appointment with the pastor as soon as a decision is made to marry. A minimum of nine months notice is required. Please make no other arrangements until a date is confirmed with the parish. A marriage preparation course, offered in our pastoral region, is required.

**DEADLINE FOR WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS  
FOR PARISH BULLETIN: Tuesday, noon**

## PASTORAL CARE

A Pastoral Care Team visits sick or elderly members of the parish in their homes or in hospital. To arrange for Communion, the Sacrament of the Sick, or a visit, please contact the Pastor.

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Claudette Langdon, President 613-831-1286

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**PARISH REGISTRATION:** If you are new to our Parish Community, please fill out this form and put it in the collection basket.

Names: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



### April 17 – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

Acts 13:14, 43-52  
Revelation 7:9, 14b – 17  
John 10:27 – 30

### April 24 – 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

Acts 14:21b - 27  
Revelations 21:1 – 5a  
John 13:1, 31 – 33a, 34 - 35

### Parish Calendar April 18 - 24

<b>Mon. 18</b>	6:30 pm Decision Point Program 6:15-6:45 pm Reconciliation 6:30 pm Rosary 7:00 pm <b>MASS</b> 7:30 pm Knights of Columbus General Meeting
<b>Tues. 19</b>	8:15-8:45 am Reconciliation 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am <b>MASS</b> 9:45 am Women's Fellowship 6:30 pm CWL Executive Meeting 7:00 pm CWL General Meeting
<b>Wed., 20</b>	1:00 pm Small Faith Group (3 of 6)
<b>Thurs. 21</b>	10:00 am Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests 11:00 am <b>MASS</b> at Granite Ridge Residence 6:30 pm Decision Point Program 6:15-6:45 pm Reconciliation 6:30 pm Rosary 7:00 pm <b>MASS</b> 7:30 pm Small Faith Group (3 of 5)
<b>Fri. 22</b>	8:15-8:45 am Reconciliation 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am <b>MASS</b> 9:30 am Flame of Love
<b>Sat. 23</b>	9:30 am Decision Point Program 4:15-4:45 pm Reconciliation 5:00 pm <b>MASS</b>
<b>Sun. 24</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter</b> 9:00 am <b>MASS</b> 10:00 am Rosary 10:30 am <b>MASS</b> 11:30 am Practice for 1 <sup>st</sup> Eucharist 1:00 pm Decision Point Program

There is a special collection for Vocations this weekend.

#### **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS – April 17**

On the fourth Sunday of Easter, Christians are invited to reflect on the meaning of God's call and to pray for vocations. Christ the Good Shepherd continues to lead his people through his Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, and calls many to follow him in this way. Priestly, diaconal, and religious vocations should be a constant concern in the hearts of God's people throughout the year.

#### **DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS – Sun., May 1**

at Notre Dame Cathedral. Presided by Archbishop Terrence Prendergast, S.J. See poster on bulletin board for info and registration form. Registration deadline: Wed., April 20.



The Wooden Crosses have arrived. If you ordered one please contact the Office. Additional crosses will be available for sale on the weekend of April 30 / May 1 at \$20 each.

#### **SPRING SILENT RETREAT - Fri., May 27 to Sun., May 29**

For men & women at Providence Retreat House, Orleans. Sponsored by the Legion of Mary. See poster on bulletin board. Info & reservations: Johanne Walsh 613-226-3279.

### *Mass Intentions*

#### **Sat., April 16 - 5:00 pm**

† Patricia Heins by Holy Spirit School Staff  
† Craig Pilley by Ross & Jackie Pilley

#### **Sun., April 17 - 9:00 am**

All Parishioners

#### **Sun., April 17 - 10:30 am**

† Jose Santos by Ana Santos  
† Leanna Ashton by Lillian & Lionel Hamilton  
† Sgt. Marc Leger by Claire & Richard Leger

#### **Tues., April 19 - 9:00 am**

In Thanksgiving by Vanita & Family

#### **Sat., April 23 - 5:00 pm**

All Parishioners

#### **Sun., April 24 - 9:00 am**

† Mildred Mayer by Tom & Jean Pegg  
† Leo Roos by Bonnie & Ken Lehmann  
For Sarah's Intentions by Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests

#### **Sun., April 24 - 10:30 am**

All Parishioners

† Indicates Deceased

#### **Please pray for all those who are ill:**

Lucille Gauthier, Mother of Louise Beggs

#### **Please pray for all those who have died.**

† Owen Dowd, Husband of Mechthilde



#### **PRACTICE SESSIONS FOR 1<sup>ST</sup> EUCHARIST CHILDREN**

Sunday, April 24<sup>th</sup> after the 10:30 Mass (so at 11:30 am), or Wednesday, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. You **do not** need to let us know in advance to which session you and your child will be attending. This practice is mandatory as it gives the children a chance to go through the process of receiving Communion for the first time and also they will get a chance to taste the unconsecrated bread and wine.

#### **THE CATHOLIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION OF OTTAWA BENEFIT PRODUCTION**

'The Marvelous Wonderettes' at The Gladstone Theatre, May 11 - 14 (7:30 p.m.; 2:30 p.m. matinee on May 14). This off-Broadway musical comedy features classics of the 1950's and 60's. Cost: adults \$39; seniors (65+) \$35; students (18 & under) \$25; groups of 10+ receive 10% discount. Tickets: online at ([www.thegladstone.ca](http://www.thegladstone.ca)); (613-233-4523). CEFO is a registered charity whose mandate is to support students of the Ottawa Catholic School Board who are living in poverty.

#### **EUTHANASIA AND ASSISTED SUICIDE - URGENT QUESTIONS.**

An invitation to Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall, 153 Woodroffe Avenue to hear Louise Harbour, Executive Director of Action Life speak on these crucial issues, including the Parliamentary Report on Physician-assisted dying. **Thurs., April 21, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.** Free. Info: Catherine Swimmings (613-729-1869) or Jennifer Jones (613-726-6738).

## *A Word from the Pastor*

The fourth Sunday of Easter is also called Good Shepherd Sunday. In each of the three lectionary cycles, the Gospel is taken from the tenth chapter of the Gospel of John. This chapter of John's Gospel follows Jesus' healing of the man born blind and the rejection of this miracle by Jewish leaders who question Jesus' authority to heal. Jesus responds to this challenge to his authority by calling himself the Good Shepherd. He is criticizing the Pharisees and other Jewish leaders. Already, the Pharisees and other Jewish leaders are so angered that they attempt to stone and arrest Jesus (see [John 10:31](#) and [10:39](#)). This controversy with the religious leaders continues until Jesus' death. Set in a moment of tension and conflict in John's Gospel, today's Gospel reading is Jesus' answer to the question, "Are you the Messiah?" Jesus responds by saying, in essence, "If you have to ask, then you are not one of my sheep." Then Jesus asserts his unity with the Father. At the conclusion of these words, John reports that the Jews intend to stone Jesus for blasphemy, but he escapes arrest. We may be less familiar with the metaphors of sheep and shepherd than those to whom Jesus spoke. The image of Jesus as Good Shepherd and the community of followers as his sheep has endured over the centuries as a primary image in our faith tradition. Its power to describe the relationship between Jesus and his followers transcends direct experience with sheep. The image speaks to us about the protection, security, and care that shepherds represent for their sheep.

Fr. Tony will celebrate the Eucharist this week on Monday and Thursday at 7:00 pm. Deacon Nuno will lead a Liturgy of the Word on Tuesday and Friday at 9:00 am.

On this Vocations Sunday we welcome Jonathan Kelly, a seminarian at St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto. He is presently serving an internship year at St. Augustine's Parish in Ottawa. He will offer a brief testimony on his call to the Priesthood for the Church of Ottawa.

*Monsignor Joseph Muldoon*

Our Catholic Women's League has prepared a book of Mercy and is inviting us to record our corporal and spiritual works of mercy. Please consider writing words or deeds received or offered to others (anonymously) and **briefly** record them in the book in the Atrium.

**ST. PATRICK'S BASILICA PARISH BUS TRIP** to Quebec's Ancient Shrines and Grosse Ile, Sept. 8-11, 2016. Visiting Quebec's Cathedral Holy Door, St Anne de Beupre Mercy Door, cruise to Irish Memorial Historic Site, Our Lady of the Cape Shrine at Cap de la Madeleine, Copper Museum, Winery Tour. The Eucharist will be celebrated by a Spiritual Director. Reservations: Ottawa Valley Tours, 1642 Merivale Rd., 613 723-5701.

**'OUR SEARCH FOR MEANING AND SPIRITUALITY IN LIFE'**  
This talk looks at the 'truths' of the spiritual life, as gleaned from major world religions. It seeks to engage participants in ways to bring peace of mind to the spiritual side of life. Presenters are Dr. Martin Rovers, Theologian, Psychologist, and Marriage/Family Therapy and Caitlin Sigg MA, (PhD Candidate, Saint Paul University). **Thurs., April 28, 7:00-9:00 p.m.** Details at (<http://www.relationshipsmatter.ca/>).

### **ACTION LIFE – 27<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HIKE FOR LIFE 2016**

Raising funds for pro-life education. **Sat., Apr. 30.** Registration: 8:00 – 10:00 a.m. at Saint Patrick Basilica (in the basement). Official kickoff: 9:00 a.m. Further info: ([www.actionlife.org](http://www.actionlife.org)).

### **MARCH FOR LIFE 2016**

Parliament Hill, **Thurs., May 12.** YouTube promotional video: (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8x3wyCFGzxc>). Info: (<http://www.marchforlife.ca/>)

### **142<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO SAINTE-ANNE-DE-BEAUPRÉ AND CAP-DE-LA-MADELEINE, AUGUST 13-14, 2016**

Weekend celebrant: Archbishop Paul-André Durocher, Archdiocese of Gatineau. Pope Francis has encouraged all to make a pilgrimage during the Year of Mercy. This Pilgrimage is one such opportunity. The Archdiocese of Québec has designated a Door of Mercy at the Shrine of Ste-Anne-de-Beaupré. Participate Saturday evening in a "Stations of Mercy" at Ste-Anne. Info: Mike Budge (613-224-8110); ([www.ste-anne-de-beaupre.com](http://www.ste-anne-de-beaupre.com)).



**WEST OTTAWA LADIES CHORUS** – Sat., April 30 - 7:00 pm  
"All Nature Sings and Swings" at St. Paul's Anglican Church, 20 Young Road, Kanata. See poster on bulletin board. Info: email: [Westottawaladieschorus@gmail.com](mailto:Westottawaladieschorus@gmail.com)

### **DESSERT THEATRE – Sat., April 30 & Sun., May 1**

Stittsville United Church invites you to "Rescue in the Night" the story of Daniel in the lion's den. Sat., at 7 pm & Sun. at 10 am & 3 pm Free Will offering. See poster on bulletin board. Info: 613-836-4962

### **ATTENTION MOTORCYCLE ENTHUSIASTS...**

The fifth annual **Ride to the Father** will be taking place on Saturday, May 14, 2016 beginning in Orleans. The ride is open to both men and women. The day begins with mass at 8 am at Divine Infant parish, followed by a blessing of the bikes and departure at 9:15 am. A new route is planned with draws and prizes and there will be refreshment breaks and stops for fellowship along the way. For more information, please contact Maurice at 613-749-3940 or Guy Cote at 613-487-4163. Brought to you by the Band of Brothers Ottawa ministry.

### **\$\$\$ COLLECTIONS \$\$\$ for April 3, 2016**

Regular: \$5,023.00      Renovations: \$1,977.50  
Loose: \$762.15      Other: \$781.00

### **YOUR OFFERTORY GIFTS CAN RESULT IN TAX CREDITS**

For those who use the charitable tax receipt from the parish or archdiocese gifts, ensure you are realizing the maximum value. For those who don't use envelopes, it's never too late to start building this year's tax credit. For information on making tax-smart generous gifts to our parish, please call the parish office or the Development Office of the Archdiocese at 613-738-5025 X 235.

*"If we accept that God's love is unconditional, that the Father's love cannot be bought or sold, then we will become capable of showing boundless love and forgiving others even if they have wronged us."*  
—Pope Francis, Amoris Laetitia, 108 (the Joy of Love), April 8, 2016.

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