



# Holy Spirit Catholic Parish A Welcoming Community

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## PASTORAL TEAM

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**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.; & 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 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 a communal celebration in Lent, and at other times by appointment.

### BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated throughout the year. Please introduce yourself to the pastor after mass. See parish website for further information.

### 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.

### CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Kim Baudouin 613-884-8475

### 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

Marilyn Foote Pollock, President 613-836-9839

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Joseph Carbonetto, Grand Knight 613-831-0411

### PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Alex Golob, Chair 613-410-1896

### OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Guardian Angels Elementary 613-836-7423  
Holy Spirit Elementary 613-831-1853  
St. Stephen Elementary 613-831-8844  
Sacred Heart High 613-831-6643



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

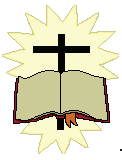
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## SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



### Jan 15 – 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 49.3,5-6  
1 Corinthians 1.1-3  
John 1.29-34

### Jan 22 – 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 9.1-4  
1 Corinthians 1.10-13,17-18  
Matthew 4.12-23

#### Parish Calendar

**Mon, Jan 16**  
9:00 am Mass  
6:30 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting  
7:00 pm Catholic Women's League Executive Meeting

**Tue, Jan 17**  
St. Anthony  
9:00 am Mass  
7:00 pm Finance Council Meeting

**Wed, Jan 18**  
9:30 am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

**Thu, Jan 19**  
9:00 am Mass  
9:30 am Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests

**Fri, Jan 20**  
9:00 am Mass  
9:30 am Flame of Love Prayer Group

**Sat, Jan 21**  
St. Agnes  
4:00-4:25 pm Reconciliation  
5:00 pm Mass

**Sun, Jan 22**  
Third Sunday of Ordinary Time  
9:00 am Mass  
10:30 am Mass  
11:30 am Children's Choir Practice

**\*Catholic Women's League hospitality & coffee after the 9 & 10:30am Masses. Everyone welcome!**  
12:00 pm 1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation Preparation Meeting  
1:00 pm Confirmation Preparation Meeting  
and Mass will be available on the church website:  
[www.holyspiritparish.ca](http://www.holyspiritparish.ca)

**CWL NEWS** The Catholic Women's League General Meeting will be held on Monday, January 23rd at 7:00pm. All members welcome.

**To all parishes' generous faithful** Thank you to all who donate to the ongoing operation of the parish. For e-Transfer please send it to [admin@holyspiritparish.ca](mailto:admin@holyspiritparish.ca) and use the password, "Holyspirit". We currently have a significant number of parishioners who contribute via bank auto debit. If you would like more information about the program or wish to participate, please contact the parish office at 613-836-8881 or email [admin@holyspiritparish.ca](mailto:admin@holyspiritparish.ca).

**PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS** Lord, we know that You call us to our vocation from the moment of our baptism. Help young men and women answer this call most faithfully, we pray to the Lord.

#### Financial Summary

	November 2022	December 2022
Total Revenue	\$38 712.60	\$48 025.25
Total Expenses	\$31 752.44	\$34 429.57
Net Income	\$ 6 960.16	\$13 595.68

Thank you for your ongoing support of the parish.

#### Mass Intentions

##### Sat, Jan 14 – 5:00 pm

†Maria Teresa & †Jose Chavolla and †Marina & †Carlos Wolf  
by Veronica Wolf & Daniel Chavolla  
†Connie O'Brien by Louise Beggs & Family

##### Sun, Jan 15 – 9:00 am

†Richard Jeffrey by Mary & Family  
†Michael Islas by Kevin O'Hara

##### Sun, Jan 15 – 10:30 am

For the intentions of all parishioners

##### Mon, Jan 16 – 9:00 am

†Lucette & †Fern Marciel by Jacques & Jeannie Marciel

##### Tue, Jan 17 – 9:00 am

†Austin Mask by Sandra Cybulski

##### Thu, Jan 19 – 9:00 am

†Rosanne MacDonald by Kevin & Suzanne O'Hara

##### Fri, Jan 20 – 9:00 am

Intentions of Margaret Mulvihill by Marion Di Gaspari

##### Sat, Jan 21 – 5:00 pm

†Mae O'Connor by Dan O'Connor & Family

##### Sun, Jan 22 – 9:00 am

For the intentions of all parishioners

##### Sun, Jan 22 – 10:30 am

Intentions of Father Gerard Plant by Diocesan Catholic  
Women's League Executive  
†Connie O'Brien by Donella Gabriele

**Please pray for those who are sick:** Rolando, Marlene, Ron, Dan, Dorothy, Alma, Patrick, Bill, Joan, Jane; Gerry Riopelle, husband of Rosie; Alex Sinclair, husband of Debbie

**Please pray for those who have died:** †Stella Zapotoczny, mother of Alex

†Indicates Deceased

#### 2022 Income Tax Receipts

Income tax receipts for 2022 are being prepared. If you wish to receive yours by mail, help us save a stamp and place a self-addressed stamped envelope in the collection basket. Thank you to everyone for your financial contributions throughout the year. Your generosity is sincerely appreciated.

**Update on Pope Francis' Synod: Good news:** Our voices have been heard! Read for yourself the Vatican's October 2022 Document for the Continental Stage at [synod.va](http://synod.va). Pope Francis invites us to continue discerning on many questions heard everywhere, such as how: to be a more welcoming church, to embrace more fully our baptismal dignity, and to expand the roles of women in our church. He also extended the Synod to October 2024, so we have more time to discern. A small group of parishioners want to help our parish continue to discern the roles of women. To join "Team Holy Spirit", chat or get more information, please contact Louise Beggs, chair, at 613-852-4469, [louisebeggs@icloud.com](mailto:louisebeggs@icloud.com)



*Word from the Pastor*

John (1:29) testified further, saying, “I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from heaven and remain upon him... Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God.

Twice John the Baptist admits, “I did not know him.” For a while he had to proceed with his mission on faith, waiting for God to point out the One whose coming John had been proclaiming. When the Spirit descended on Jesus, John’s waiting had been fulfilled. We often have to continue doing the good that we do without seeing immediate results. Like John we put our trust in God, who first called us. Do you sometimes get weary of not seeing immediate results for your good efforts? What signs do you look for to confirm that you are doing God’s will?

The Daughters of Mary Mother of Mercy (DMMM) was founded in Nigeria in 1961 to serve the glory of God and Mary His Mother in the poor and the lowly with the mercy of God. Sister Nkechi and Sister Miriam have moved into the Parish and are requesting furniture for their kitchen, dining room and living area. If you have items to donate please call the parish office to arrange it. Thank you.

Become a blessing to others. A legacy of faith remains for all as you choose to remember Holy Spirit Parish in your will. For more information contact the Parish Office.

*Monsignor Joseph Muldoon*

**STITTSVILLE FOOD BANK** Thank you to all parishioners who share with those less fortunate in our community. Monetary donations are best right now but toiletries, canned fruits and vegetables, canned meat, and cookies are also needed. Please do not leave food outside, but bring your donations during office hours or when you come to Sunday Mass.

**Prayer for Christian Unity January 18 – 25, 2023**

**Do good; seek justice (Isaiah 1:17)** The week of prayer for Christian unity is celebrated around the world and encourages Christians of all denominations to meet, to participate in various liturgical and other community activities, and to pray together that all may be one, as Christ desires.

**St. Isidore Parish, March Road, Kanata 2023 new Mass times!** Weekly Masses on Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:30 am. Weekend Masses on Saturdays at 4:00 pm and Sundays at 9:00 and 11:00 am. Everyone welcome!

**Mother Teresa: No Greater Love**, the newest documentary film from the Knights of Columbus, will return to Canadian cinemas in Ottawa January 22-23, 2023. The documentary was released to commemorate the 25th anniversary of Mother Teresa’s passing. The trailer – and more information – is available at [www.motherteresamovie.com/](http://www.motherteresamovie.com/)

**Lift Jesus Higher Rally:** Back in person on **Mar 4, 9am - 5:30pm** at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto. This year’s theme: “EMPOWERED TO STAND” Keynote speakers are Renewal Ministries’ Ralph Martin and Chris Stefanick. They will be joined by Renewal Ministries’ Peter Herbeck, Rachel Herbeck, and Angèle Regnier. More info [www.ljhr.ca](http://www.ljhr.ca)

**Holy Spirit Parish Catholic Women’s League Membership Drive**

The Holy Spirit Parish Catholic Women’s League will be holding its membership drive after all masses on the weekend of January 14-15, 2023. Annual registration fee is \$40. All women aged 16 and above are most welcome to become part of this amazing group of women. Whether you are a current member or would like to become a member, please visit us in the Atrium after Mass.



The Catholic Women’s League provides women with a way to act on important social justice issues, an opportunity to be of service to the community, to the country and to God, and a chance to live your faith with those who share it.

General meetings are held once a month from September to June, however, if you cannot attend general meetings or other events, you can still be a member and receive updates from the Council through email or regular mail. As time permits, you may enjoy helping with a project.

**CHRISTMAS ALTAR DECORATIONS 2022**

Thank you to all who donated so generously to the Christmas decorations of our church.

- For John Myslicki by C. Myslicki
- For Lucien Hotte & Jeanine Lemieux Hotte by Michel Hotte
- Patrick Foley by Pauline Foley
- For Phil & Suzanne Bernier by Shirley Bernier
- For Luigi Lolli by Bianca & Family
- For deceased members of the Keogh & Paris Families by Wayne Keough & Catherine Paris
- For Richard Jeffrey by Mary Jeffrey
- For the living & deceased members of Hanna Family by Kamal & Kamilia Hanna
- For deceased members of O’Reilly & Jefford Families by B.J. O’Reilly
- For deceased members of Gabriele & Girardi Families
- In thanksgiving for blessings received
- For Margaret & Leon Coulas; Leona Etmanski and Isaiah Coulas
- For Harold G. Lundy by Gail Lundy
- In thanksgiving by Peter & Eleanor Lecours
- For deceased family members of James Riordan
- For deceased family members of Barb Purdy
- For deceased family members of Cori Nash
- In thanksgiving for all the blessings of Year 2022
- For Bill Gagatek by Alice Gagatek
- For deceased family members of Sandra Cybulski
- In memory of Zora Radotic & Andrey & Ken Cheam by Nancy & Family
- In gratitude for the blessings of this year for the Devenny & O’Donnell Families
- For Patrick, Michael & Joseph Fowler by Joanne Gage
- For Agnes & Leo, Bob, John & Imelda Mulvihill by Margaret Mulvihill





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