



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. - 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 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.

**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

Pauline Foley, President 613-836-9444

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Joseph Carbonetto, Grand Knight 613-831-0411

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Steve Campanelli, Chair 613-793-6389

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.

Names: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____ Postal Code: _____
Phone Number: _____

THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



January 27 – Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Nehemiah 8.2-a, 5-6, 8-10++
1 Corinthians 12. 12-30
Luke 1.1-4; 4.14-21

February 3 – Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 1.4-5, 17-19
1 Corinthians 12.31 – 13.13
Luke 4.21-30

Parish Calendar January 28 – February 3

Mon. 28	St. Thomas Aquinas
6:00 pm	Adoration
6:20-6:40 pm	Reconciliation
6:30 pm	Rosary
6:30 pm	Decision Point (Confirmation prep)
7:00 pm	MASS
Tues. 29	St. Vincent
8:20-8:45 am	Reconciliation
8:30 am	Rosary
9:00 am	MASS
9:45 am	Women's Fellowship
6:30 pm	The Harvest Youth Group
7:00 pm	KOC Prayer Group
6:30 pm	CWL General Meeting
Thurs. 31	St. John Bosco
10:00 am	Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests
6:00 pm	Adoration
6:20-6:40 pm	Reconciliation
6:30 pm	Rosary
7:00 pm	MASS
7:30 pm	Small Faith Group
Fri. 1	
8:20-8:45 am	Reconciliation
8:30 am	Rosary
9:00 am	MASS
9:30 am	First Friday adoration and Benediction
6:30 pm	The Harvest Youth Group
Sat. 2	The Presentation of the Lord
4:15-4:45 pm	Reconciliation
5:00 pm	MASS
Sun. 3	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 am	MASS
10:00 am	Rosary
10:30 am	MASS
6:30 pm	Decision Point – (Confirmation Prep)

Pancake breakfast and hospitality provided
by the Knights of Columbus after Masses February 3rd

STITTSVILLE FOOD BANK

If you would like to become a volunteer at the Food Bank, please email stittsvillefoodbank@gmail.com expressing your interest in picking up donations from our church or a local grocery store, sorting donated items or assisting clients collect groceries at the Food Bank.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Important announcement for the Harvest Youth Group.

This week we will be having two sessions; the first will be on our regular **Tuesday evening Jan. 29th from 6:30-8:30 pm** and our second one will be on **Friday evening Feb. 1st also from 6:30-8:30 pm**. This marks a permanent transition of the youth group for grades 6-8 to Friday night for the rest of the year. The nights will focus on God who has been calling all of us by name to live a life of fulfillment, of joy, of hope and of love and how we can answer this call!

Come join us at one or both of these evenings for snacks, games and tips on being on a direct phone line with God!

Mass Intentions

Sat., January 26 – 5:00 pm

All parishioners

Sun., January 27 – 9:00 am

†Joe Amaral by Margaret Brasilairo

Intentions of Margaret Mulvihill by Marion DiGaspari

Special Intention of Suzanne O'Hara

Sun., January 27 – 10:30 am

†Larry Whelehan and †Mark Schroeder by Eileen Whelehan and Family

†Robert Clifford by Jane Halas and Family

†Ray Hoffman by Family

Mon., January 28 – 7:00 pm

February Synod of Bishops at the Vatican by Connie McCaffrey

Tues., January 29 – 9:00 am

Special Intention of Suzanne O'Hara

Thurs., January 31 – 7:00 pm

†Isaiah Coulas by Marcelle and Leo

†Noriene Burns by The Burns, Hamilton and Tarrant Families

Sat., February 2 – 5:00 pm

†Linda Lyster by Family

†Doreen and Ron Pecoskie by The Babcock Family

†Lornie Murray by The Babcock Family

Sun., February 3 – 9:00 am

†Claire Fournier by Christine Varner and Family

†Lorraine Mary Ridgen by Solange and William Duffy

†Ray Foley by Leonard Foley

Sun., February 3 – 10:30 am

All Parishioners

Please pray for those who have died:

†Sr. Eileen Collins (Holy Cross Sister)



† Indicates Deceased

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PARISH BREAKFAST

All are welcome to gather in the Church Hall on **Sunday February 3rd from 9:30 AM to 1 PM**. The menu will consist of pancakes, sausages, juice, cakes, pastries, local maple syrup and all the fixings! Donations to support our new Youth Ministry as well as improvements to St. Joseph House (the former rectory).

Ontario State Lottery Tickets (Grand Prize \$200,000.00) will also be available at the breakfast. We look forward to seeing you all there!



NEW TIMES OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday and Thursday evenings from 6:00-6:45 pm. All are welcome to enjoy a time of silent prayer and meditation in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament before our weekday evening masses.



Cold and Flu Season is upon us!

Please bow to one another for the sign of peace to avoid spreading illness.

Word from the Pastor

From today's Gospel reading: Jesus unrolled the scroll and found the passage where it was written:

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me.... God has sent me to proclaim....a year acceptable to the Lord.

Jesus tells his hearers, "Today this scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." Luke is reminding us we don't have to wait for some future time and place for God to come to set us free, it is happening "Today." The One anointed with the Spirit enables us now to be in right relationship with God and one another. Where in my life do I not feel free from fear, guilt, the past, etc? In faith, can I embrace the truth of Christ's words for me today: he has come to proclaim liberty?

We are looking at the purchase of some new religious articles including a processional cross, altar candles and a monstrance for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

Monsignor Joseph Muldoon

COMMUNITY EVENTS:

World Youth Day: A delegation of 58 pilgrims from the Archdiocese of Ottawa is attending World Youth Day 2019 in Panama, **January 22-27**. This may be one of the largest World Youth Days on record! Please keep Archbishop Prendergast and our pilgrims in your prayers.

2019 Journey of Hope – A Program for Separated and Divorced Catholics: The program, led from a Catholic faith exploration perspective, is designed to help participants find reconciliation, peace and healing by taking positive steps in their daily spiritual life. Women's session begins **Tues., March 19** and men's session begins **Thurs., March 21**. Sessions run 6 weeks, 7:00 - 9:00 pm at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary parish hall, 20 Grant St. (near Parkdale & Wellington). The cost is \$25. Info & registration: www.journeyofhopeottawa.com; Mary Jane Manley (613-294-1308).

Call for Candidates: The Missionaries of Prayer and Presence is an apostolate committed to fervent prayer for the souls of the dying, those willfully turned from God and for the Holy Souls in Purgatory. At St. John the Apostle Parish, **Thurs., Jan. 31, 7:00 p.m.** Info: 613-322-8707; mppapostolate@gmail.com.

2019 National Conference on Evangelization and Catechesis: Hosted by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops, through the Episcopal Commission for Evangelization and Catechesis. **April 4-6, 2019**, at the Hilton Garden Inn Hotel - Ottawa Airport. Theme: He Thirsts for You. Keynote speakers: the Most Reverend William McGrattan, Father Ron Rolheiser, O.M.I., and Dr. Josephine Lombardi. [Conference Flyer](#); [Registration Form](#); [Online Registration](#). Questions: Mrs. Marg Shea-Lawrence (m.shea-lawrence@cccba.ca); (613-241-9461 x109).

Maryvale Academy of Ottawa Fundraising Dinner Gala: 'No Greater Love' on **Sat., Feb. 9** at Tudor Hall, 3750 N Bowesville Rd. Live & silent auctions, 50/50 draw, musical performances. Cocktails & silent auction 5:30 p.m., dinner 6:30 p.m. Cost: \$95/person (\$45 receipt). Info/tickets: Maryvale Academy (613-321-2186); (www.maryvaleacademy.ca); (www.facebook.com/MaryvaleAcademyOttawa).

Find Your Voice – For Women: Are you nervous about speaking in public? Learn effective public speaking techniques in a safe, supportive and fun environment on **Sat., Feb. 23, 9:30 am - 3:30 pm** at Annunciation of the Lord Parish hall. Cost: \$10. Bring a brown bag lunch. All women over the age of 16 are welcome. Sponsored by CWL Ottawa Diocesan Council. Info & registration: Lynn Lavictoire (613-833-1742); (aolpcommunications@bell.net).

2019 Lift Jesus Higher Rally: Be inspired, encouraged and healed at the largest single day Catholic event in Canada, the 27th annual Lift Jesus Higher Rally. Theme: "Hope In The Midst of Suffering". **Sat., March 2, 9:00 am - 5:30 pm** at Metro Toronto Convention Centre, 255 Front St. W. Talks by Ralph Martin, Sr. Ann Shields, SGL and guest speaker Fr. Mark Goring, CC. Cost: \$25 adults; \$15 youth. Info: contact@lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca, www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca, (647-243-9441).

The Stittsville Lions Club: Effective Speaking Contest will be held on **February 27 at 7:00 pm** in the Stittsville Lions Hall, 1339 Main St. There is a \$100 prize for the winner in each category and at \$25 prize for the runner up. For more information contact Gordon MacIsaac at 613-266-1484 or by email: gordon_macisaac@hotmail.com

STATEMENT BY THE CANADIAN CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS ON THE 2019 CANADA SUMMER JOBS PROGRAM: The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops is pleased with the positive revisions which the Government of Canada has made in the 2019 version of the Canada Summer Jobs application and welcomes the same changes, which not only indicate a willingness to listen seriously to faith-based organizations, but likewise the importance of respect of conscience and freedom of religious expression. It is certainly a step in the right direction as the controversial language associated with the 2018 attestation was removed.

STEWARDSHIP

Do you use envelopes for your weekly offertory? If not, please consider starting this year. By contributing to the offertory on a weekly basis, you are supporting the ministry of the Church, and are leading by example. You will also benefit through income tax savings. Weekly offertory envelopes can be found in the atrium.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Feb. 3, World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life. For those called to service for the Lord as priests, sisters and brothers, that they will be encouraged to follow the Lord and faithful to His choice of them, we pray to the Lord.

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