



Holy Spirit Catholic Parish A Welcoming Community

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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: _____

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT



Mar. 11 – Fourth Sunday of Lent

2 Chronicles 36.14-17a, 19-23++
Ephesians 2.4-10
John 3.14-21

Mar. 18 – Fifth Sunday of Lent

Jeremiah 31.31-34++
Hebrews 5.7-9
John 12.20-33

Parish Calendar March 12 – March 18

Mon. 12	10:00 am	Men's Bible Study
	6:20 – 6:45 pm	Reconciliation
	6:30 pm	Rosary
	7:00 pm	MASS
	7:00 pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry
Tues. 13	8:20 – 8:45 am	Reconciliation
	8:30 am	Rosary
	9:00 am	MASS
	9:45 am	Women's Fellowship
Wed. 14	2:00 pm	CWL Fundraiser Planning Meeting
Thurs. 15	10:00 am	Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests
	11:00 am	Mass at Granite Ridge
	6:20 – 6:45 pm	Reconciliation
	6:30 pm	Rosary
	7:00 pm	MASS
	7:00 pm	Small Faith Group
Fri. 16	8:20 – 8:45 am	Reconciliation
	8:30 am	Rosary
	9:00 am	MASS
	9:30 am	Flame of Love
	6:00 pm	Way of the Cross and Poverty Meal
Sat. 17	4:15-4:45 pm	Reconciliation
	5:00 pm	MASS
Sun. 18	Fifth Sunday of Lent	
	9:00 am	MASS
	10:00 am	Rosary
	10:30 am	MASS with Third Scrutiny
	6:30 pm	Decision Point (Confirmation Prep.)

March 18 – Second Collection for Development and Peace

Hospitality after all Masses on March 17th and 18th will be hosted by the Catholic Women's League

Mass Intentions

Sat., March 10 – 5:00 pm

All Parishioners

Sun., March 11 – 9:00 am

†Maria Girardi by Joe & Donella Gabriele
Intentions of Judith Hurdman by the Eucharistic Ministers
Intentions of Bob Mulvihill by Margaret

Sun., March 11 – 10:30 am

†Jose Santos by Ana Santos
†Michael O'Hara by Kevin & Suzanne
†Reg Harris by the Women's Fellowship

Mon., March 12 – 7:00 pm

†Nelson Cybulski by Sandra & family

Tue., March 13 – 9:00 am

†Nick Haramis by Vanita MacDonald & family

Thurs., March 15 – 7:00 pm

For our children and grandchildren by Praying Mothers

Fri., March 16 – 9:00 am

Birthday blessings for Emily Ayoub by Samir & Rima Ayoub
†Youssef Ayoub by Samir & Rima Ayoub

Sat., March 17 – 5:00 pm

†Bettyann and †Michael LeBoldus by Michele
Thanksgiving to the Holy Spirit and for †John and †Alexander Ross from Marie Budden
Intentions of Judith Hurdman by the Cenacle of the Marian Movement of Priests

Sun., March 18 – 9:00 am

Intentions of Isabella Torchia by Marion DiGaspari
†Michael Billington by Michael DiGaspari
†Reg Harris by Joan White

Sun., March 18 – 10:30 am

All Parishioners

Please pray for those who are ill:

Luigi Lolli, husband of Bianca

Please pray for those who have died:

†Cyrille Trottier, husband of Marie
†Father Charles Gervais, brother of Emeritus Archbishop Marcel Gervais
†Colleen Harding, wife of Robert and daughter of Hubert Moriarity
†Stella Scott

† Indicates Deceased



HOLY WEEK CELEBRATIONS:

Holy Thursday, Mass of the Lord's Supper March 29 at 7:00 pm

Bring bells to ring at the Gloria. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament continues until 9:00 pm.
Please bring donation for the Food Bank.

Good Friday, Lord's Passion March 30 at 3:00 pm

Holy Saturday, Easter Vigil March 31 at 8:00 pm

(No 5:00 pm Mass) Bring bells to ring at the Gloria.

Easter Sunday, Lord's Resurrection April 1 at 9:00 am & 11:00 am

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE – CARITAS CANADA'S 2018 SHARE LENT CAMPAIGN

The Solidarity Sunday collection will be celebrated in all Canadian parishes on **March 18**. Donations support our sisters and brothers in the Global South who fight every day for peace, human dignity, and social justice. Thanks to money donated annually by Catholics during Share Lent, Development and Peace can support 170 partners and 202 projects in 36 countries around the world!

SECOND SCRUTINY FOR RCIA CHILDREN

This Sunday we celebrate the 2nd Scrutiny at the 10:30 Mass for the six school aged children who are preparing to be fully initiated on May 19th.

**Moving?? Notify the Office with your old and new contact information. admin@holyspiritparish.ca
613-836-8881**

Word from the Pastor

The fourth Sunday of Lent is sometimes called Laetare Sunday. Laetare is a Latin word that means "rejoice." Traditionally, Sundays are named after the first word of the liturgy's opening antiphon. On this Sunday, the antiphon is taken from the book of the prophet Isaiah (Isaiah 66:10-11). Even as we observe our Lenten sacrifices, we rejoice in anticipation of the joy that will be ours at Easter.

In Lent, we, in Holy Spirit Parish, have the practice of using the Greek 'Kyrie Eleison' (Lord Have Mercy) and the Latin 'Sanctus' and 'Agnus Dei'. Latin remains the official language of the Church and is used by Pope Francis in Liturgical celebrations in St. Peter's Basilica in Rome.

Pope Francis has decreed that the ancient devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary, under the title of Mother of the Church, be inserted into the liturgical calendar. The liturgical feast will be celebrated annually as a Memorial on the day after Pentecost, May 21 this year.

The Ordination to the Priesthood of Deacon John Orban will be on Friday, April 6 at 7:30 pm, and he will be celebrating his First Mass on April 8 at 10:30 am. We plan to have a bus to Notre Dame Cathedral for the Ordination. It will leave our parking lot on April 6 at 6:00 pm and return at 9:45 pm. Cost is \$10 per person payable at the Parish Office. Please register early.

Holy Spirit Parish is looking for an energetic and faithful person to coordinate our Youth Ministry and Sacramental team. This is currently a part time position. Please send resume and three professional references (at least one from a Pastor) to Msgr Joseph Muldoon pastor@holyspiritparish.ca

Monsignor Joseph Muldoon

SAINT PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION

Mass with Bishop Christian Riesbeck at Saint Patrick Basilica, Saturday, **March 17 at 10:30 am**

CHRISM MASS 2017

All are invited to attend the Chrism Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica on **March 27 at 7:30pm**. At the Chrism Mass, Holy Oils are received by representatives from all parishes of the dioceses.

COMMUNION AND LIBERATION - WAY OF THE CROSS

On Good Friday **March 30**, through the streets of downtown Ottawa. Led by Archbishop Terrence Prendergast S.J. Departure at 9:30 am from St. Patrick Basilica. Arrival around noon at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica. Info: David McConkey clonottawa@gmail.com

PALLIATIVE CARE FOCUS GROUPS

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB) in collaboration with Pallium Canada and Dominican University College, has initiated focus-groups with some Catholic parishes in Ottawa. The purpose of the focus groups is to learn from the faithful: which questions are being asked with regards to what palliative care is, what people know about Catholic teaching on end-of-life issues, and the support mechanisms they feel are needed as a person prepares to die, including subsequent bereavement. One of these focus groups will take place at the parish on **May 6 at 1:00 pm**. If you are interested in taking part please contact the office at 613-836-8881.

UNBOUND Conference Study Group

At Holy Spirit Parish, **Friday evenings and Saturday mornings, April 7 - May 12** (excluding April 27 & 28). Includes viewing of the UNBOUND conference DVDs & small group discussions. Register with Kim Baudouin holyspiritunbound@gmail.com Cost: \$35 to cover cost of materials. <https://catholicottawa.ca/unbound>

THIRTEEN STRINGS PRESENTS THE WAY OF THE CROSS ON GOOD FRIDAY

Chamber orchestra Thirteen Strings presents The Way of the Cross on **March 30, 2018 at 7:30 pm** at Dominion-Chalmers United Church (355 Cooper St.). Special guest Nathalie Paulin. Tickets available at www.thirteenstrings.ca or by calling 613-738-7888 or contacting info@thirteenstrings.ca



HOLY CROSS PARISH LENTEN RETREAT 2018

685 Walkley Rd., **March 19, 20 & 21, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.** in parish hall. Theme: The Gospel of the Family: Joy for the World. Info: 613-731-7834

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS March 17 & 18

If you are celebrating an anniversary in March and would like your marriage blessed at one of the masses on the weekend of March 17 & 18, please call the office and leave your name, the number of years married and the mass you plan to attend.

Prayer for Vocations

That we may have faithful priests and consecrated religious to guide us just as Jesus was the light that came into the world, we pray to the Lord.

EASTER ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to donate toward flowers in celebration of a loved one's birthday, anniversary, in memorial or in thanksgiving, please complete this form and put it, along with your cheque made payable to Holy Spirit Parish, in an envelope marked Easter Altar Flowers and place it in the collection basket or drop it off at the parish office. All intentions will be printed in a bulletin during the Easter Season.

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

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