

Holy Spirit Catholic Parish A Welcoming Community

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PASTORAL TEAM

Monsignor Joseph Muldoon, Pastor, pastor@holyspiritparish.ca Sean Flynn, Youth/Sacramental Coordinator, youth@holyspiritparish.ca Administrative Assistant, admin@holyspiritparish.ca

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 Com the collection basket. Names:	munity, please fill out this form and put it in
Email:Address:Phone Number:	Postal Code:

Nov 13 – 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Malachi 4.1-2 2 Thessalonians 3.7-12 Luke 21.5-19

Nov 20 - Solemnity of Christ the King

SAVE THE DATE - November 19, 2022 is our Catholic Women's League BAZAAR - you don't want to miss it!

Mass Intentions

2 Samuel 5.1-3 Colossians 1.12-20 Luke 23.35-43

Raffle tickets are available after weekend Masses.

Parish Calendar

Mon, Nov 14	
9:00 am	Mass
7:00 pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry
Tue, Nov 15	
9:00 am	Mass, Sacred Heart High School Grade 9
6:00 pm	1 st Reconciliation Preparation Meeting
7:00 pm	Confirmation Preparation Meeting
7:00 pm	Parish Finance Council
Wed, Nov 16	
9:30 am	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
Thu, Nov 17	St. Elizabeth of Hungary
9:00 am	Mass, Sacred Heart High School Grade 8
9:30 am	Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests
Fri, Nov 18	
9:00 am	Mass
9:30 am	Flame of Love Prayer Group
Sat, Nov 19	
9:00 am	Catholic Women's League Bazaar
4:00-4:25	pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm	Mass
Sun, Nov 20	Solemnity of Christ the King
9:00 am	Mass

For the intentions of all parishioners

Sun, Nov 13 – 10:30 am

Deceased Family Members of Ruth McGetrick

Mon, Nov 14 – 9:00 am

†Fern & †Lucette Marcil by Jacques & Jeannie Marcil

†Alan Selvadurai by Marie

Tue, Nov 15 – 9:00 am

†Margaret, †Jack, †Rita & †Paul Droogh by McCaffrey

Family

Thu, Nov 17 – 9:00 am

†Imelda Mulvihill by Marion & Patricia Di Gaspari

*Fri, Nov 18 – 9:00 am*Deceased members of Irwin Family

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Sat, Nov 19 - 5:00 pm

Sat, Nov 12 – 5:00 pm Souls in purgatory Sun, Nov 13 – 9:00 am

†Joseph Di Iorio & †Pasquale Santamauro by Francesco Di Iorio

Sun, Nov 20 - 9:00 am

For the intentions of all parishioners

Sun, Nov 20 - 10:30 am

†Lillian Hamilton by Lionel

†Paul Massardier by Denise Lee

†Carmine & †Ennio Di Saverio by Daniela

Please pray for those who are sick: Rolando, Marlene, Connie O'Brien, Ron, Dan, Vivianne Goneau Please pray for those who have died: †

†Indicates Deceased

Great Christmas Gift: A member of our parish is raising funds for the Stittsville Food Bank through sales of her *JacintaPICS*TM *2023 Calendar*. The calendars are \$20 each featuring photos taken in Ottawa of local wildlife, with many of them taken in Stittsville. Fifty percent of the proceeds will go to the Stittsville Food Bank! The goal is to raise \$2,000 before Christmas. To order email info@jacinta.ca; call or text 613-601-7519.

Upcoming Blood Donation Event at Holy Spirit Parish on Wednesday, November 23rd from 2:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Book now to donate at www.blood.ca

A simple soul is one who seeks only God and does not fear being laughed at or despised. ~ St. Julie Billiart the founder of the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

www.holyspiritparish.ca

11:30 am Children's Choir Practice

10:30 am Mass

That prayer, hard work and generous service will prepare many men and women to answer the Lord's call to follow Him as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life, we pray to the Lord.

and Mass will be available on the church website:

To all parishes' generous faithful

Thank you to all who donate to the ongoing operation of the e-Transfer please parish. For send 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.

SUNDAY MISSALS

The 2022-2023 Sunday Missal, "Living with Christ" is available for purchase in the Parish Office at \$7.00 each. Please call the Parish Office for assistance. Limited supply – get yours early.

Word from the Pastor

Women's Rights: Pope Francis addressed the fight for women's equality during a press conference aboard the papal plane to Rome on Sunday. Speaking in-flight from Bahrain to Italy Nov 6, the pope said women are a gift to society — but the struggle for their fundamental rights is doomed to continue as long as there are places in the world where women are not valued as equals. Returning from the Muslim-majority country of Bahrain, Pope Francis was asked if he supports the efforts of women and young people in Iran to fight for more freedom. "We have to tell the truth," the pope said, "The fight for women's rights is an ongoing fight because in some places women have equality with men but in other places they do not."

It's time to begin bringing new winter clothing such as: socks, shirts, gloves, scarves, mitts etc., and women's and men's toiletries for those in need to the blue bin in the atrium beside the Food items.

Thanks to the dedicated disciples for selling Sunday Missals after Masses last weekend: Pauline, Lorraine, Paula.

"Take, Lord, receive all my liberty, my memory, my understanding, my whole will, all that I have and all that I possess. You gave it all to me, Lord; I give it all back to you. Do with it as you will, according to your good pleasure. Give me your love and your grace; for with this I have all that I need." St. Ignatius Loyola.

A Memorial Book has been placed in the Atrium. In this book, all parishioners are invited to inscribe the names of their family, relatives and friends who have died and who they wish to have remembered in the prayers that will be said for them during the month of November.

Please reserve your Advent Candles by calling the Office. Advent begins November 27th.

The Finance Council will offer an update on our financial stewardship on the weekend of November 19 & 20.

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

Take Five for Faith: Daily renewal for busy Catholics Apocalypse soon? The approaching end of the church year brings a cascade of dreadful-sounding biblical images in many of the scripture readings. Should we be packing our bags for a mad dash to the end-times? As Malachi says, "Lo, the day is coming"—and of course it is. Time forecloses both personally and cosmically. This is why we're regularly reminded to stay "sober and alert," "awake," and "watchful." The threats are real: climate change, global disease, catastrophes, and random violence, not to mention the genetic time bomb that is our bodies. Live each day with purpose. Meet each moment with love.

"There will be powerful earthquakes, famines, and plagues from place to place; and awesome sights and mighty signs." Reprinted with permission from PrepareTheWord.com

The CWL Fall and Christmas Bazaar returns to Holy Spirit Parish

Please join us at our Bazaar on Saturday, November 19th from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm. Christmas crafts and gift items await, along with baked goods and in particular our Christmas puddings. Our Tea Room awaits offering a luncheon menu of soup, sandwiches and desserts. We are accepting pre-orders for our Christmas puddings: \$10.00 for half pudding and \$20.00 for whole one. Our own members as well as our participating artisans look forward to greeting you on November 19th. Pre-orders of puddings and raffle tickets for our gift baskets shall be on sale in the atrium before and after Masses on the weekend of November 12th. Contributions for our Silent Auction, our Nearly New table (gently used items, scarves, purses, jewelry) and baked goods for our Baked Goods table are most welcome. These can be dropped off at the Church on November 18th between 10:00 am and 2:30 pm. See you there.

A Christ-Centered, Co-Journey Towards Healing is the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall's initiative to raise funds and to enhance the relationship between the Archdiocese and Indigenous Peoples living on the territories it serves. The funds will be used for projects that directly have a positive impact on the Indigenous Peoples of Ottawa-Cornwall. We hope that you will join in by donating during the special collection.

A **Healing Mass** will be celebrated on Wed, Nov 23 at 7:00 pm at St. Monica Church, 2080 Merivale Road, Nepean (613-727-1067). It will include the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, and at the end of Mass, the opportunity for individual prayers. All are welcome.

2022 Stittsville Food Bank Christmas Campaign

Please consider purchasing gift cards for children ages 1-17 for the Stittsville Food Bank.

These cards will be included in the Christmas hampers distributed this December. Your donations can be dropped off to the parish office during office hours or slipped under the office door on weekends beginning Saturday, November 12 and no later than Friday, December 16. Thank you for the ongoing support received by those in our community who need our help.

Pro-Life Breakfast: Life – Worth Fighting For

Holy Redeemer's Pro Life Ministry is hosting a breakfast, prepared by their Knights of Columbus Council 9544, on Sat, Nov 19 at 9:00 am. The guest speaker is Lia Milousis. Tickets are \$10. Limited seating. For info & tickets: Betty Ann bettyannferg@gmail.com

Action Life Ottawa Annual General Meeting on Wed, Nov 30th 7:00 pm at St. Maurice Parish. Dr. Sephora Tang MD will speak on Euthanasia and Mental Illness.



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