



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

Claudette Langdon, President 613-831-1286

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Joseph Carbonetto, Grand Knight 613-831-0411

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

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: _____

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Nov. 19 – Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Proverbs 31.10-13,16-18,20,26,28-31++
1 Thessalonians 5.1-6
Matthew 25.14-30

Nov. 26 – Christ the King, Last Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ezekiel 34.11-12, 15-17
1 Corinthians 15.20-26, 28
Matthew 25.31-46

Parish Calendar November 20 – November 26

Mon. 20	6:20-6:45 pm	Reconciliation
	6:30 pm	Rosary
	7:00 pm	MASS
	7:30 pm	CWL Executive Meeting
	7:30 pm	KOC General Meeting
Tues. 21	The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
	8:20-8:45 am	Reconciliation
	8:30 am	Rosary
	9:00 am	MASS with Sacred Heart HS Grade 12
	9:45 am	Women's Fellowship
	7:00 pm	Finance Council Meeting
Thurs. 23	10:00 am	Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests
	6:20-6:45 pm	Reconciliation
	6:30 pm	Rosary
	7:00 pm	MASS
Fri. 24	St. Andrew Dūng-Lac	
	8:20-8:45 am	Reconciliation
	8:30 am	Rosary
	9:00 am	MASS
	9:30 am	Flame of Love
Sat. 25	4:15-4:45 pm	Reconciliation
	5:00 pm	MASS
Sun. 26	Christ the King, Last Sunday in Ordinary Time	
	9:00 am	MASS
	10:00 am	Rosary
	10:00 am	Communion at Granite Ridge
	10:30 am	MASS with Baptisms

Advent Candles (\$5), 2018 Missal Books (\$6), Children's Missals (\$10) and Crosses (\$20) will be available for purchase in the Atrium on November 18th and 19th.

The Catholic Women's League will be accepting new members after all Masses on November 25th and 26th.

Reminder: Consider Envelopes for the Coming Year – Tax Advantages

Do you use the envelopes for your weekly offertory? If not, please consider doing so next year. By contributing to the offertory on a weekly basis you are supporting the income tax savings. For more information, or to obtain a free box of envelopes, please call the parish office 613-836-8881.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

Available in the atrium is a Book of Remembrance. We invite you write the names of your deceased loved ones. Please remember in your prayers all the deceased members of our parish.



Cold and Flu Season is upon us!

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

Sign on Pope Francis' door (it's like an encyclical in itself): 'Vietato Lamentarsi' (No complaining! Try it!)

Mass Intentions

Sat., November 18 – 5:00 pm

†For the soul of Marina Dilys Asirvatham by family and friends
Intentions of Margaret Mulvihill by Marion DiGaspari
†Marie Connors by Norah Campbell

Sun., November 19 – 9:00 am

All Parishioners

Sun., November 19 – 10:30 am

†Jose Santos by Ana Santos
†Kevin McKeough by Sheila and Dean Casagrande

Mon., November 20 – 7:00 pm

†Julie O'Connor by Michael and Francine Doyle

Tues., November 21 – 9:00 am

†Armando Ballotta by Donella and Joe Gabriele

Thurs., November 23 – 7:00 pm

Intentions of Monsignor Joseph Muldoon and all parishioners

Fri., November 24 – 9:00 am

†Mary Coughlan by Sandra Cybulski

Sat., November 25 – 5:00 pm

All Parishioners

Sun., November 26 – 9:00 am

†Ed and †Cecile Besserer by the children

†Greg McIntyre by Jack and Terri Lawlor

Special intention by Judith Hurdman

Sun., November 26 – 10:30 am

†Kevin McKeough by Joe and Donella Gabriele

In Thanksgiving by Barbara and Robert Denis

Deceased members of the Forest and Hamilton families by Lillian and Lionel Hamilton

Please pray for those who are ill:

Allan Selvadurai, husband of Marie

Please pray for those who have died:

†Dores Oliveira, wife of Carlos Oliveira

†Linda Mazier, mother of Mitch and Suzanne



† Indicates Deceased

St. Leonard Parish Mission with Rev. Eugene O'Reilly

Saturday Nov. 18 – Wed. Nov. 22. 5332 Long Island Road Manotick. Father Eugene will preach at the weekend Masses & Sun. Mon. Tues. Wed. at 7:30 p.m. Info 613-692-4254 [Parish Bulletin http://www.stleonardsparish.ca/](http://www.stleonardsparish.ca/)

RISE UP 2017 IN OTTAWA

A national conference, December 28 – January 1 at The Westin Ottawa, for young adults hosted by Catholic Christian Outreach (CCO). Info: <https://cco.ca/rise-up/>

NEW SAINT PAUL UNIVERSITY CHOIR

Sacred Music. Saint Paul University, 223 Main St., Laframboise Building, 2nd Floor, Chapel of De Mazenod Every Tuesday, 12:35 pm - 1:25 pm Info: westenmiriam@gmail.com. Free. All welcome (open to non-students).

Word from the Pastor

Jesus told this parable to his disciples: "A man was going on a journey. He called in his servants and handed his funds over to them according to each person's abilities. After a long absence, the master of those servants came home and settled accounts with them." Discipleship isn't a holding back for fear of making a mistake, or looking like a fool. Judging from today's parable, it requires a spirit of risk and boldness, sometimes in big matters, but mostly in small daily occurrences. Whatever the "risky business" we use in our service of the Lord, we are encouraged in today's parable by a Master who trusts his servants to "give it a try" – so that when he returns we will hear him call us "good and faithful servants." Do I treat my faith as something fragile, keeping it close and protected as if it will break if brought out into the open? In my daily life, how venturesome before others am I with my faith?

Pope Francis recognized that Pope John Paul I, who served only 33 days as pope, lived the Christian virtues in a heroic way. The Vatican announced Pope Francis' decision November 9. It marks the first major step on the path to sainthood for the pope who died in 1978 at the age of 65, shocking the world and a church that had just mourned the death of Blessed Paul VI.

Deacon John Orban who was ordained by Archbishop Prendergast last week has begun his diaconal ministry in the Parish. The diaconate is the final stage before ordination to the Priesthood. The role of a deacon is to preach the Gospel, baptize people, assist at the Eucharist and serve the poor. It is a ministry of charity.

Monsignor Joseph Muldoon

ONE-DAY RETREAT ON INNER HEALING

With Heather MacPhail. St John the Apostle Church, 2340 Baseline Rd., Saturday, **November 25**, 9:00 am – 4:30 pm in the Main Hall. Bring your own lunch. Tea, coffee, juice provided. No cost & no registration required. Info: Heather: 613-216-9413.

STAIRWELL CAROLLERS CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Saint Joseph Church, Orleans, 2757 St. Joseph Blvd., **December 9**, 7:30 pm 40th anniversary Gala Concert Benefits to the financial campaign to renovate the Church, a historical landmark. Tickets at parish office or at concert, if space available. Cost: \$20; children under 12 free. Info: 613-824-7983; paroisse_stjoseph@bellnet.ca

NIGHT OF WORSHIP AND MINISTRY

Acknowledge Him in All Ways. Speaker: Fr. Francis Donnelly, CC. St. Mary Church, 100 Young St., **November 24**, 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm. Prayer teams will be available. Reception to follow in the lower hall (9-10pm). Info: 613-728-9811, ext. 720; night.worship.ministry@stmarysottawa.ca

BIRTHRIGHT Ottawa

Looking for compassionate non-judgmental individuals, who desire to bring hope and encouragement to women facing an unplanned pregnancy. A 3 hour commitment per week is encouraged. Please contact Birthright-ottawa@rogers.com Training provided.

APPOINTMENTS

Archbishop Prendergast has appointed Fr. Timothy Nelligan as parochial administrator of Blessed Sacrament parish as of December 1, 2017.

Archbishop Prendergast has appointed Fr. Geoffrey Kerslake as associate rector of Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica as of December 1, 2017 without prejudice to his assignment as Episcopal Vicar, Pastoral Services, Archdiocese of Ottawa.

JOB POSTINGS

Hope Cemetery is seeking a Counselor to Families. Full-time permanent position Job description: www.catholicottawa.ca. Send C.V. with three professional references to Ms. Julie Marcil, Administrative Coordinator, Hope Cemetery (julie.marcil@hopecemetery.ca). Deadline for applications: 5:00 p.m. Fri., Nov. 24. No phone calls.

Saint Patrick Basilica Parish: A part-time bookkeeper is being sought. The job description is available on the parish website basilica.ca. Interested candidates are asked to send their resume and two work-related references by email to the Parish Office info@basilica.ca.

\$\$ COLLECTIONS \$\$

October 1, 2017

Regular: \$4,294.65	Mortgage: \$1,530.00
Loose: \$406.75	Other: \$3,050.00

October 8, 2017

Regular: \$5,029.00	Mortgage: \$732.00
Loose: \$673.00	Other: \$1,315.00

October 15, 2017

Regular: \$4,546.70	Mortgage: \$1,827.00
Loose: \$556.00	Other: \$1,070.00

October 22, 2017

Regular: \$4,878.00	Mortgage: \$677.00
Loose: \$611.00	Other: \$100.00
Evangelization of the Nations (World Mission Sunday): \$2,760.00	

The Power of Choice is real. We can
 Choose to love – rather than hate
 Choose to smile – rather than frown
 Choose to build – rather than destroy
 Choose to persevere – rather than quit
 Choose to praise – rather than gossip
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