



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

Claire Moore, President 613-612-1659

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.

Names: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Oct 8 – 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 5.1-7
Philippians 4.6-9
Matthew 21.33-43

Oct 15 – 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 25.6-10a
Philippians 4.12-14,19-20
Matthew 22.1-14

Parish Calendar

Mon, Oct 9 Parish Office Closed for Thanksgiving
9:00 am Mass
Wed, Oct 11
9:30 am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
Thu, Oct 12
9:30 am Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests
7:00 pm Youth Night Grades 6-8
Fri, Oct 13
9:30 am Flame of Love Prayer Group
Sat, Oct 14
4:00-4:25 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm Mass
Sun, Oct 15 28th Sunday in 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 9:00 & 10:30am Masses. Everyone welcome!

Prayer for Vocations

That men will be open to the voice of the Lord, asking the Holy Spirit and our Blessed Mother to help them recognize and answer His call to serve Him as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life, we pray to the Lord.

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 and use the password: Holyspirit (*all one word with a capital H*). 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.

The Catholic Women's League of Canada means: *INSPIRE* Catholic Women's League members' passion is to inspire women, to grow in faith, and to witness to the love of God through ministry and service. Need inspiration or have inspiration to share? We are excited to have you join us!

When you are before the altar where Christ reposes, you ought no longer to think that you are amongst men; but believe that there are troops of angels and archangels standing by you, and trembling with respect before the sovereign Master of Heaven and earth. Therefore, when you are in church, be there in silence, fear, and veneration.

~ St. John Chrysostom

SAVE THE DATE – November 18, 2023 is our Catholic Women's League BAZAAR – you don't want to miss it!

Mass Intentions

Sat, Oct 7 – 5:00 pm
†Phil & †Josh by Joan & Family
Sun, Oct 8 – 9:00 am
Intentions of Janet Nikkel by Secret Sister
Intentions of Jarrett Family
Intentions of Jean Pegg & in thanksgiving for a wonderful mother by Children
Sun, Oct 8 – 10:30 am
For the intentions of all parishioners
Mon, Oct 9 – 9:00 am
†Oswald & †Kay Muldoon
†James & †Nora Muldoon
†Edward & †Ellen Monaghan
Sat, Oct 14 – 5:00 pm
†John Fitzgerald by Barb & Family
Intentions of Marion Di Gaspari by Family & Isabella
Sun, Oct 15 – 9:00 am
For the intentions of all parishioners
Sun, Oct 15 – 10:30 am
†Teresa Iuliano by Mike & Betty Maheux
†Deolinda Cardeal by Grandchildren



Please pray for those who are sick: Bruce, Marlene, Ron, Patrick, Gerald, John, Pierre, Hazel, Tessie

Please pray for those who have died: †Josefina Graham
†Indicates Deceased

Stittsville Food Bank Thank you to all parishioners who share with those less fortunate in our community. Monetary donations are best right now but cereal, peanut butter, jam, rice, soups, tuna and salmon are also needed. Please bring your donations during office hours or when you come to Sunday Mass.

The Lighthouse Youth and Sacraments Youth Nights continue: this week Grades 6-8. Check Parish Calendar above. Keep an eye out for Sacrament Prep Registration coming in mid to late October. Our ministry is still looking for volunteers, if you feel called to help in any way, please contact Alex for next steps! youth@holyspiritparish.ca

Eucharistic Adoration will take place after Friday morning mass every two weeks: First Fridays and Oct 20, Nov 17 & Dec 15. In addition to individual prayers, we will be offering this time for protection of our young people and blessings on our newly-formed youth groups. Please join us from 9:30 - 10:30am on Fridays.

Word from the Pastor

St. Matthew 21. "Finally, the owner of the vineyard sent his son to the tenants of the vineyard, thinking, 'They will respect my son.' But when the tenants saw the son, they said to one another, 'This is the heir. Come let us kill him and acquire his inheritance.' They seized him, threw him out of the vineyard and killed him." We need the middle section of today's gospel story - the part about the additional servants and the owner's son being sent to the rebellious tenants of the vineyard. Jesus is telling us something about God that we need to hear. God doesn't give up on us, even when we have turned away from God. God is even willing to risk looking foolish in our eyes, willing to come again and again to us. God's love doesn't diminish, even when we reject God or live lukewarm lives of faith. Is there someone in my life who has been a persistent voice urging me to change? Is it possible in that person's persistence, God is urging me to make some necessary changes and God is using that person to reach out to me?

The Synod on Synodality began in Rome from October 4-29. Pope Francis has invited members of the universal Church to participate to listen to God's word, to pray and reflect on the present realities of the Church and the world to which we are sent to bear witness to the Risen Lord.

The Diocesan Retreat with retired Toronto Cardinal Thomas Collins will be held at Pinestone Resort, in Haliburton October 10-13. Mass on Mon Oct 9. No masses Tuesday to Friday.

Several video cameras have been installed in areas around the church for increased security.

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

This week's Synod update: The 16th Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops began this Wednesday! It ends Oct 29. Our Canadian delegates were at the ecumenical prayer Vigil for for the Synod last Saturday in Rome. It was beautiful! If you missed it, see vatican.va and click on this event. They also walked through a retreat, all together, where Silence was the theme. Pope Francis reminds all of our need to listen to Christ in Silence, to ponder. Let's keep praying with our 11 Canadians and the other over 400 participants that they will listen and hear the voice of Christ as they discern big questions in our church today. Salt and Light will have a weekly TV summary each Saturday evening. You can also follow on these social media channels: Facebook [@16th Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops](https://www.facebook.com/16thOrdinaryGeneralAssemblyoftheSynodofBishops); Twitter [@16SynodAssembly](https://twitter.com/16SynodAssembly); Instagram [@16ordinarygs](https://www.instagram.com/16ordinarygs), and Synod.va Come Holy Spirit Come. Interested in learning more about our parish Synod activities? Contact Louise 613-852-4469, louisebeggs@icloud.com.

Quo Vadis? Where Are You Going? Is the Lord calling you to serve him as a priest? Join other men discerning the priesthood for monthly formation, fellowship, and Eucharistic Adoration on Oct 26 from 7 - 9 pm at the new Café des Tours, located in the basement of Notre Dame Cathedral in Ottawa. For more information, contact Fr. Connor O'Hara, the Vocations Director for the diocese, at vocations@ottawacornwall.ca

A Christ-Centred, Co-Journey Towards Healing This weekend our families gather to give thanks to the Father for our many blessings. One of the ways that we can show our appreciation is by sharing with others. We are asking you to support the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund on November 4th and 5th. All monies raised will be used to support initiatives by local Indigenous groups and organizations. One project that has received funding, thanks to your generosity, is a series of six retreats organized by Kateri Native Ministry to promote healing and reconciliation. Learn more at www.journeyforhealing.ca

SUNDAY MISSALS The 2023-2024 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. Missals will also be available for purchase after all Masses on the weekend of October 14 & 15. Please have exact change.

World Mission Sunday – October 22

Hearts on fire, feet on the move (Lk 24.13-35)

The purpose of World Mission Sunday is to unite Catholics all over the world in prayer and support of the missions. Its fruits are distributed worldwide according to the needs of the poorest dioceses. Please join the universal Church in these efforts to bring faith, hope, and love to our sisters and brothers in mission countries.

Some turkey jokes for Thanksgiving from Richard Lederer:

Why did the turkey cross the road? *To prove he wasn't chicken.*

Is turkey soup good for you? *Not if you're the turkey*

Why did the person quit smoking cold turkey? *Because the feathers made him cough.*

Why did the turkey bolt down its food? *Because it was a gobbler.*

What do turkeys like to eat on Thanksgiving? *Nothing, they're already stuffed.*

Did you hear about the conservative turkey? *It had two right wings.*

Why did the turkey go to the movie? *To see Gregory Peck.*

Why is a turkey similar to a ghost? *Because it's a-gobblin'.*

Why did they let the turkey join the band? *Because it had the drumsticks.*

Happy Thanksgiving!

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