



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

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PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

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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-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



October 30 – 31ST Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wisdom 11.22 – 12.2
2 Thessalonians 1.11 – 2.2
Luke 19.1-10

November 6 – 32ND Sunday in Ordinary Time
2 Maccabees 7.1-2, 7, 9-14
2 Thessalonians 2.16 – 3.5
Luke 20. 27-38

Parish Calendar October 31 – November 6

- Mon. 31** 6:15-6:45 pm Reconciliation
6:30 pm Rosary
7:00 pm **MASS**
- Tues. 1** *All Saints Day*
8:15-8:45 am Reconciliation
8:30 am Rosary
9:00 am **MASS**
9:45 am Women's Fellowship
- Wed. 2** *All Souls' Day*
9:00 am **MASS**
- Thurs. 3** 10:00 am Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests
6:15-6:45 pm Reconciliation
6:30 pm Rosary
7:00 pm **MASS**
7:00 pm Baptismal Preparation
7:00 pm CWL Bazaar Planning
- Fri. 4** 8:15-8:45 am Reconciliation
8:30 am Rosary
9:00 am **MASS**
9:30 am First Friday Adoration and Benediction
- Sat. 5** 4:15-4:45 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm **MASS** with Confirmation Enrollment
Turn back clocks tonight.
- Sun. 6** **32ND Sunday in Ordinary Time**
9:00 am **MASS** with Confirmation Enrollment
10:00 am Rosary
10:00 am Communion at Granite Ridge
10:30 am **MASS** with Confirmation Enrollment

Hospitality will be hosted by the Knights of Columbus after all Masses November 5th and 6th.

November 5 - DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS

Don't forget to turn back your clocks one hour Saturday night.

Thank you to all the parishioners who have joined several of our ministries. Anyone still interested in serving the parish in one of our many ministries please contact the parish office 613-836-8881.



Cold and Flu Season is upon us!
Please bow to one another for the sign of peace to avoid spreading illness.

Also be conscious that some in the Community have allergies to various scents and so please use them with prudence.

Mass Intentions

Sat., October 29 – 5:00 pm

†Louise Belanger by the Belanger Family
†James Cullen by Eileen
†Frank Cullen by Eileen

Sun., October 30 – 9:00 am

All Parishioners

Sun., October 30 – 10:30 am

†Doris Foote by Donella Gabriele
Intentions of Lois Desjardine by Elsie Lafontaine

Thurs. November 3 – 7:00 pm

Special Intentions of Patricia and Philip Stotts

Fri. November 4 – 9:00 am

Reta & David Hamilton on the occasion of their 45th Wedding Anniversary

Sat., November 5 - 5:00 pm

Holy Souls in Purgatory by Cenacle of the Marian Movement of Priests

†Thomas Gillis by David and Susan Foran

Sun., November 6 - 9:00 am

†Giovanni Gabriele by Joe and Donella Gabriele
†Bill Galatek by Alice Galatek
†Wanda Srutwa by Alice Galatek

Sun., November 6- 10:30 am

All Parishioners

† Indicates Deceased

Please pray for those who are ill:

Patricia Dovigi, mother of Stephanie
Margaret Lunney, mother of Maria and Catherine



Please pray for those who have died:

†Mel Thompson, husband of Marie

The Best Treatment for Loneliness:

Dr. Karl Menninger, the famous American psychiatrist, once gave a lecture on mental health & was answering questions from the audience. One man asked, "What would you advise a person to do if that person felt a nervous breakdown coming on?" Everyone there expected him to answer, "Consult a psychiatrist." To their astonishment he replied: "Leave your house, go across the railroad tracks, find someone who is in need, and do something to help that person."

Word from the Pastor

Jesus looked up and said to Zacchaeus: "Zacchaeus, come down quickly, for today I must stay at your house." Jesus wants to come to the lost and confused parts of our lives. The parts we cover up and want to forget. Indeed, as he did with Zacchaeus, he wants to make a home with us in the very places we have closed up and locked away. Jesus found Zacchaeus out on a limb. What about us? Where are we? Shall we invite him to come and gift us with the renewing gift of salvation he offered Zacchaeus?

The Book of Remembrance will be in the Atrium as a reminder to pray for our deceased during November, the month of the holy souls. You are invited to list the names of your deceased.

A Funeral Eucharist in the Church is primarily a sacramental moment. Please note that a respectful eulogy is permitted in honour of the deceased person. Such Words of Remembrance are delivered before the Mass begins. In the Ottawa Archdiocese they are to be brief, about 2-3 minutes in length. A copy is to be presented to the celebrant in advance; the day before the funeral is ideal.

Monsignor Joseph Muldoon

HOSPITALITY: AN INVITATION TO SALVATION

Today's message strongly suggests that to be a Christian is to be a minister of hospitality. We are called to minister to one another in the identical manner that Jesus ministered to Zacchaeus – a ministry that has the power to transform utter strangers into intimate friends. Jesus not only accepted the hospitality of Zacchaeus – a public sinner – but he also boldly invited himself to the little man's home. In a sense Jesus became the host, inviting Zacchaeus into His own life, into the intimacy of His friendship and love. Jesus in effect established a bond with one who seemed to have long forgotten the meaning of love, and thus *transforms him* into a man who repents and radically reforms his life. The daunting challenge that this story puts to all of Jesus' disciples is to replicate what Jesus did: to be human extensions of Jesus' own person; to re-create family, community and parish to be models of inclusiveness where we all become genuine friends, where the lost are found, where all God's children are restored to their rightful place as children of Abraham and of God (Scripture commentator Father Walter Burghardt, S.J.).

EMERGENCY AID TO HAITI

Archbishop Prendergast requests a special collection for the people of Haiti after Hurricane Matthew. It will be held on Nov. 12-13. Thank you for your generosity to our Haitian family.

ENDING OF THE YEAR OF MERCY: There are still 4 weeks of this liturgical year. Take the opportunity to visit the local Archdiocesan Door of Mercy. Pope Francis created the local Doors of Mercy in all dioceses so that all people would have the opportunity to experience a Pilgrimage to the Holy Door of Mercy without traveling a great distance. Visit Ottawa's local Door of Mercy at the Notre Dame Cathedral. Mass for the official closing of the local Archdiocesan Door of Mercy will take place at Notre Dame Cathedral on **Sun., Nov. 13, 7:30 p.m.** We will celebrate Solemn Vespers to mark the close of the Year of Mercy also at Notre Dame Cathedral on **Sat., Nov. 19, 7:00 p.m.** All are invited to attend.

PILGRIMAGE WITH MONSIGNOR MULDOON

Join us and discover Zagreb, Dubrovnik and the Dalmatian and Adriatic coasts of Croatia, and Bled Lake of Slovenia. This pilgrimage will take place Sept. 16 - 27, 2017, with Captain Sandy's Cruise Holidays (831-6150) and accompanied by Msgr. Joseph Muldoon. Information meeting with Nick Roberti of Collette Tours on Sat. Nov. 19 at 1PM in Holy Spirit Parish Hall.

JUSTIN PRESS BOOK LAUNCH: St Patrick's Basilica on Wednesday, November 2, at 6:30 PM. Free Admission. Donna Procher, speaking about The Measure of My Days. Andrea Black, author of In Case I Don't Make It. Patrick Meagher, author of Why God is Hiding.

'BEING A CHURCH OF MERCY' CONFERENCE: *How do we put mercy at the core of a Christian life?* At Saint Paul University, 223 Main St. Friday, Nov. 4 & Saturday, Nov. 5. Info: (VaticanIIcentre@ustpaul.ca); (613-236-1396, x2209); (<http://ustpaul.ca>).

DYING WELL – Saturday, Nov 12, 9:30 am – 3:30 pm



You are invited to a day of spiritual reflection on 'dying well'. Guidance through a booklet with suggestions for the seriously ill, family members and medical teams.

Facilitator: Sister Rosemary O'Toole, CSJ.

Cost: \$45. Register by November 5. Info: www.galileecentre.com 613-623-4242 x21.

NOVEMBER IS HOLOCAUST EDUCATION MONTH: For details of events in Ottawa, contact the Centre for Holocaust Education and Scholarship (CHES) at (<http://carleton.ca/ches/events/>).

ST. JOE'S SUPPER TABLE MUSICAL CONCERT FUNDRAISER: Sat., Nov. 12, 8:00 p.m. at St. Joseph Church in Sandy Hill. Cost: \$10. Info: (www.circlenine.org).

The day of my spiritual awakening was the day I saw and knew I saw all things in God and God in all things. —Mechtild of Magdeburg (c. 1212—c. 1282) [1]

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