



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: _____

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Sept. 3 – Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 20.7-9
Romans 12.1-2
Matthew 16.21-27

Sept. 10 – Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ezekiel 33.7-9
Romans 13.8-10
Matthew 18.15-20

Parish Calendar September 4 – September 10

Mon. 4	Labour Day (office closed)	
	6:20-6:45 pm	Reconciliation
	6:30 pm	Rosary
	7:00 pm	MASS
Tues. 5	8:20-8:45 am	Reconciliation
	8:30 am	Rosary
	9:00 am	MASS
	1:00 pm	Staff meeting (office closed for afternoon)
Thurs. 7	10:00 am	Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests
	6:20-6:45 pm	Reconciliation
	6:30 pm	Rosary
	7:00 pm	MASS
	7:00 pm	Baptismal Preparation Meeting
Fri. 8	Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
	8:20-8:45 am	Reconciliation
	8:30 am	Rosary
	9:00 am	MASS
	9:30 am	Flame of Love
Sat. 9	4:15-4:45 pm	Reconciliation
	5:00 pm	MASS
Sun. 10	Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	
	9:00 am	MASS
	10:00 am	Rosary
	10:30 am	MASS

Hospitality will be hosted by the Knights of Columbus after all Masses September 9th and 10th.

A second collection for Annual Mission Appeal will be held on September 9th and 10th.

Mass Intentions

Sat., September 2 – 5:00 pm

†Eileen Hyslop by Janet and Bill Turchan

Sun., September 3 – 9:00 am

†Michel Marsolais by Jeannie and Jacques Marciel

In thanksgiving by Pat and Pauline Foley

†Marie Young by Jack and Family

Sun., September 3 – 10:30 am

All Parishioners

Tues., September 5 – 9:00 am

In thanksgiving to the Immaculate Heart of Mary from a parishioner

Sat., September 9 – 5:00 pm

†Mary Raso by Phil and Mary Rocco

†Phil and Josh Turner by Joan Turner

For Seminarians & Vocations to the Priesthood by the Cenacle of the Marian Movement of Priests

Sun., September 10 – 9:00 am

All Parishioners

Sun., September 10 – 10:30 am

†Canio Manfredo by Suzanne O'Hara

†Rita and Gilbert Forest by their daughter Lillian Hamilton

†Beverley Leclair by her sister Lillian Hamilton

Please pray for those who are ill:

Richard Kearns, husband of Maralyn
Bev Combe



Please pray for those who have died:

†Nina Sullivan

†Sr. Adeline Ryan (Pembroke)

† Indicates Deceased

CELEBRATING SACRAMENTS IN 2018

RECONCILIATION AND EUCHARIST

We invite you to attend **ONE** of the following mandatory parent information meetings in our parish church:

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 14th, 2017 at 7:30 p.m., or

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 17th, 2017 at 1:00 p.m.

CONFIRMATION

If your child will be in grade six, or in a higher grade, in the fall, you are invited to attend **ONE** of the following mandatory parent information meetings in our parish church: **THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 21st, 2017 at 7:30 p.m., or SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 24th, 2017 at 1:00 p.m.**

All meetings are for parents/guardians only and will last about 1 ½ hours.

**WILLS, POWERS OF ATTORNEY, PROBATE, EXECUTORS;
TAX TIPS FOR SENIORS; CATHOLIC CEMETERY SERVICES;
PLANNED GIVING:**

On **Sunday, October 1st**, 1:00 p.m., a presentation covering the foregoing topics will be served; all are welcome. Please indicate your attendance with the Development Office of the Archdiocese at (613-738-5025 x202; dev@ArchOttawa.ca) or the Parish office.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Our parish offers school aged children (up to grade 2) an opportunity to hear and reflect on God's Word in a way that they can understand. This program will begin on **September 10th at the 10:30 Mass**. The children begin Mass with their parents and then leave the assembly with their leader for the Liturgy of the Word designed for their comprehension. They return to the full assembly in time for the Preparation of the Gifts. This is NOT Sunday School, babysitting or religion class. It IS liturgical prayer happening in tandem with the one in the church.

We currently have people scheduled to lead this wonderful program for many Sundays, but we will require additional leaders in order to continue with Children's Liturgy of the Word every week. If you can help, please contact Marian Poyner at the parish (m.poyner@holyspiritparish.ca). Training and support will be provided.

STITTSVILLE FOOD BANK

Suggested donations as we start the school year include supplies such as pens, pencils, notebooks, backpacks, lunchbags etc.

Word from the Pastor

Welcome to Fr. Justin Glyn, SJ who is presiding the Eucharist this weekend. Fr. is from New Zealand and is a member of the Australian Jesuit Community (Society of Jesus). He is studying Canon Law at St. Paul University.

The Annual Mission Appeal will be held on Sept. 9-10. Fr. Andrew Obel of the Archdiocese of Tororo, Uganda will be here to preach and to raise funds for his native land. Please offer your prayers and support in the way you can to this worthy endeavour.

Monsignor Joseph Muldoon

PILGRIMAGE TO WASHINGTON DC AND LANCASTER, PA - NOVEMBER 16 - 19, 2017

Highlights include: Saint John Paul II National Shrine, Franciscan Monastery of The Holy Land in America, Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Ukrainian Catholic National Shrine of the Holy Family and, in Lancaster, Historic St. Mary's Parish and the Miracle of Christmas theater production. Double occupancy \$790 per person, single triple and quadruple rates available. Contact David Hnatiw (david@voyagesterranatura.ca) 613-620-1196 for more information.

COMMEMORATING THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED IN THE ARCHDIOCESAN CEMETERIES

The Annual Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed will take place at **Notre Dame Cemetery** in Vanier (613-746-4175) on **Sun., Sept. 10, 2:30 p.m.** and at **Hope Cemetery** in Gloucester (613-822-1212) on **Sun., Sept. 17, 2:30 p.m.** Archbishop Prendergast will preside at both prayer services.

MESSAGE FROM THE ARCHBISHOP: CREMATION

In late summer, many Catholics gather in cemeteries to remember the dead, to pray and to socialize.

In early September, I will hold Sunday afternoon prayer services at Notre Dame Cemetery in Vanier and Hope Cemetery in Gloucester.

This communion with the dead seems peculiar to Catholics. Sometimes, it is misunderstood. Remembrance of the dead and reverence for their last resting place express the Christian faith in the resurrection of the body.

Burying the dead conveys the inherent dignity we wish to show to the physical body. The body was the outward expression of the human person with whom people interacted and knew while they were here in this world.

The customs of funerals, wake services and practices surrounding the deceased have been changing. In Europe and North America, cremation has surged in popularity. In many places, cremations far outstrip whole-body burials. There is a danger that some practices associated with

cremation may diminish respect for the person and hope in the resurrection.

This recently led the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith to suggest guidelines for dealing with cremated remains.

Vatican officials indicated that the Church continues to prefer the burial of human remains. Still, the Church permits cremation as a valid option, but argues against the scattering of ashes or keeping cremated remains at home.

The Church recognizes legitimate reasons for cremation, including sanitary, financial or social conditions. However, the instruction states, "The ashes of the faithful must be laid to rest in a sacred place, that is, in a cemetery or, in certain cases, in a Church or an area, which has been set aside for this purpose, and so dedicated by the competent ecclesial authority."

The Church recognizes that cremation itself does not contradict Catholic teaching on the soul's immortality or the hope of the resurrection. Nonetheless, we must not fall prey to a variety of popular pretences that deny these truths.

Accordingly, the new instruction reminds the faithful to avoid public denial of the faith and "every appearance of pantheism, naturalism or nihilism."

The Church sees that cremation can imply "erroneous ideas about death, such as considering death as the definitive annihilation of the person, or the moment of fusion with Mother Nature or the universe, or as a stage in the cycle of regeneration, or as the definitive liberation from the 'prison' of the body."

The faithful should dispose of cremains appropriately. They must not scatter cremated ashes in the atmosphere or make them into jewellery or keepsakes. The human person's dignity demands better treatment.

The burial of ashes or their reservation in a sacred place "ensures that they are not excluded from the prayers and remembrance of their family or the Christian community." This is an essential practice of the faith. Burying the cremains preserves the deceased's memory and makes it easier for members of their family and the entire Christian community to remember them in prayer. It also prevents the possibility of "unfitting or superstitious practices."

The deceased "remain part of the Church." Often, when I am in Montreal, I visit my parents' grave in Notre Dame-des-Neiges cemetery to pray in gratitude for them and with them.

The instruction tells us that the Church "continues to prefer the practice of burying the bodies of the deceased because this shows a greater esteem towards the deceased."

All of the Church's activities surrounding death and burial practices must proclaim the hope of the resurrection, the instruction says. It goes on to quote the early Church Father Tertullian: "The confidence of Christians is the resurrection of the dead; believing this we live."

Archbishop Terrence Prendergast, SJ

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