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SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday evening 5:00 pm
 Sunday morning 9:00 am, 10:30 am

DAILY MASSES:

Monday - Saturday 9:00 am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday evening 4:45 - 4:55 pm
 Monday - Saturday 8:45 - 8:55 am

ADORATION:

Friday 9:30 - 10:30 am

BAPTISMS: Every last Sunday of the month or during Sunday masses. Required Baptismal preparation every second Sunday of the month.

MARRIAGE: Contact the office six months before intended date. Marriage preparation is required.

SICK CALLS: Notify the office if a parishioner is hospitalized or sick at home. In case of emergency, call anytime.

FUNERALS: Held at 11 am Monday-Friday. Call the parish office or manager to make arrangements for church and hall.

OFFICE HOURS: Mon - Fri 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

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THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME & OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Liturgical Calendar for the Weeks of November 19 & 26

Day	Date	Celebration	Colour	Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday	Nov 18	Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Green	17:00 (Vigil)	Intentions of St. George's Parishioners
Sunday	Nov 19			9:00	
				10:30	† Fred Collins by the Family
Monday	Nov 20	Ferial	Green	9:00	† Lorraine Hart by the Cleyn Family
Tuesday	Nov 21	The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Memorial)	White	9:00	† Souls in Purgatory by the Estate of Claire Fagan
Wednesday	Nov 22	St. Cecilia (Memorial)	Red	9:00	
Thursday	Nov 23	Ferial	Green	9:00	
Friday	Nov 24	St. Andrew Dũng-Lac (Memorial)	Red	9:00	
Saturday	Nov 25	The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Good Counsel (Votive #33)	White	9:00	† Suffering souls especially those most abandoned by Elisabeth Nejedly
Saturday	Nov 25	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (Solemnity)	White	17:00 (Vigil)	† Teresa Curley by Marilyn Bressan
Sunday	Nov 26			9:00	† Gerald Barnaby by Patricia Klambauer
				10:30	Intentions of St. George's Parishioners
Monday	Nov 27	Ferial	Green	9:00	
Tuesday	Nov 28	Ferial	Green	9:00	
Wednesday	Nov 29	Holy Mary, Queen and Mother of Mercy, II (Votive # 39, II)	White	9:00	
Thursday	Nov 30	St. Andrew, Apostle (Feast)	Red	9:00	† All deceased members of the Legion of Mary by Our Lady of Light Praesidium
First Friday	Dec 1	Ferial	Violet	9:00	† Souls in Purgatory by the Estate of Claire Fagan
Saturday	Dec 2	Ferial	Violet	9:00	
Saturday	Dec 2	First Sunday of Advent	Violet	17:00 (Vigil)	† Margaret Curley Month's Mind
Sunday	Dec 3			9:00	Intentions of St. George's Parishioners
				10:30	

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26

First: Ezekiel 34.11-12, 15-17

Second: 1 Corinthians 15.20-26, 28

Gospel: Matthew 25.31-46

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

First: Isaiah 63.16b-17; 64.1, 3-8

Second: 1 Corinthians 11.3-9

Gospel: Mark 13.33-37

A FAREWELL MESSAGE

Dear good people of St. Georges, sometime in 2015, February 10 to be precise, I came into Canada for the first time and got into Ottawa, the nation's capital city, and finally found myself in St. George's Rectory. Msgr. Hans not only welcomed me very warmly, but instantly instilled in me the blissfulness of homestead and indeed I felt homely in a home made lively by five priests from different countries. The priests were friendly and equally welcomed me warmly which expresses the fact that the rectory is a friendly international community.

The parish and parishioners are like a family, this setting created an atmosphere of "togetherness" and of

"belonging." This is a credible identity that makes the response to responsibility even more meaningful. No doubt, life entails meeting and parting, and perhaps to meet again. I will surely miss you all. Nevertheless, since technology

has placed the whole world into our palms, we shall always communicate. I will ever remain grateful for all the love and care shown to me. I really appreciate this. My hearty greetings go to you all. God bless you all abundantly. Amen. Goodbye. *Fr. David Anekwe*

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS

On Friday, December 1 all are welcome to join this special time of intercession. Rosary 8:30 a.m., Mass 9 a.m. followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Eucharistic Benediction.

FLOORING RENEWAL PROJECT

We continue to move forward with our Flooring renewal fundraising. To date we have reached \$54,635 in pledges and/or donations. This is 68% of our \$80,000 goal. Thank you for your donations to this project.

THANK YOU FOR FOOD BANK COLLECTION

The Social Justice Committee wishes to thank everyone who contributed to the Parkdale Food Centre cash collection. A total of \$522.70 was received.

BE AN ANGEL THIS ADVENT

Once again, we ask that you be an angel to someone in our community. Angel gifts are given to adults with persistent mental health issues and/or physical disabilities. We are widening our scope this year to include a few families. Please take an angel from the angel arch at the back of the church. Each angel has a name and a suggested gift. Buy the gift — we ask that you give a new item — and we suggest that you spend \$20 to \$30 on each gift. Place the gift in a "GIFT BAG" and return it to St. George's by Sunday, December 10. Attach the angel to the gift so we know who it is for. Place returned gifts on one of the front pews. No time to shop? Pick an angel, slip it into an envelope with money for a gift and put it in the collection basket as soon as possible. We will buy the gift for you. Many thanks for your generosity. For questions contact Solange Decelles: solangebd@hotmail.com; 613-725-2063.

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE FALL CAMPAIGN

Development and Peace launches a new campaign called *Women at the Heart of Peace*. This campaign invites Canadians to learn more about the vital role women play in conflict resolution and peacebuilding. Read their stories at devp.org/campaign/resources.

On November 25 and 26 you will have an opportunity to sign an online Action Card calling on the Canadian government to give women the resources needed to take active roles in the peace-making process.

CHRISTMAS CAKES AND CARDS

Once again, on behalf of Campaign Life Coalition (CLC), traditionally aged Christmas cakes, gift baskets and religious cards will be sold at St. George's on the first two

weekends of Advent: December 2-3 and 9-10. The cakes and other treats are made by the monks of Val Notre-Dame Abbey. A 600-gm cake is \$18, and the deluxe 1kg cake \$25. The gift basket is \$30. This is a major fundraiser for CLC, the proceeds also support the Val Notre-Dame monks. To order, contact Donna Barry: 613-722-8591.

APPEAL FOR NEW CASES CHALLENGING EUTHANASIA RESTRICTIONS

A new court challenge filed in British Columbia seeks to dramatically expand access to Euthanasia to include people who are not dying (including children and patients solely with mental illness). Canadian Physicians for Life (CPL) is seeking to oppose this court challenge and must raise \$13,000 of the total \$38,000 in court fees. Ottawa Catholic Physicians Guild supports CPL's arguments for patient protection and physician conscience rights. Please pray and act now to support CPL's work. Visit www.physiciansforlife.ca or call 1-877-755-1595. For more information and to make a tax-deductible donation go to: <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/22447>.

ST ALBERTUS CHRISTMAS BAZAR

St. Albertus Parish warmly invites our friends from St. George's Parish to join us on Sunday, Nov 26, for will the annual Christmas Bazar starting at 1 p.m. Handcrafted decorations for the Advent/Christmas Season, homemade cakes, Christmas cookies, handmade gifts etc. There is a hot lunch for \$10/pp which is a traditional German meal of sliced chicken with potatoes & dumplings and vegetables. There will be a dessert table with delicious cakes and coffee for \$4/pp. A raffle, first prize is a TV, tickets: 3/\$10.

LUNCH WITH ST. NICHOLAS

On Sunday Dec 3, after the 10:30 Mass, the Knights of Columbus have invited St. Nicholas to visit St. George Parish Hall. Come and sing along with Christmas Carols while completing a Christmas craft to take home. There will be lunch, candy canes and cake. Cash donations will be accepted at the door.

ADVENT CONCERT AND POTLUCK LUNCHEON

Add Sunday, Dec. 17 to your calendar to attend St. George's Advent Concert. It will take place immediately after the 10:30 a.m. Mass and a potluck luncheon in the parish hall will follow. More details to come in the coming weeks. Hope to see you there!

YOUTH GROUP

Are you in grade 6, 7, or 8? If so, you're invited to join an awesome group of young people as we grow in our faith through friendship, prayer, games, and activities. We meet every Friday from 7 to 9 p.m. at St. George's Parish Hall. Come check it out!

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Nov 26: Confirmation Preparation Class 3
Dec 02: Reconciliation Preparation Class 2
Dec 03: Sale of Christmas Cakes
Dec 03: Lunch with St. Nicholas
Dec 07: Penitential Service & First Reconciliations
Dec 17: Advent Concert and Potluck Luncheon

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