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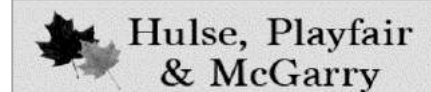


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April 9, 2017  
**Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**

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**SUNDAY MASS TIMES**

Saturday ..... 4:30 pm  
Sunday ..... 9:00 am  
11:00 am  
8:00 pm

**WEEKDAY MASS TIMES**

Tuesday ..... 6:30 pm  
Wednesday ..... 9:30 am  
Thursday ..... 6:30 pm  
Friday ..... 9:30 am

**HEALING MASS**

3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm

**RECONCILIATION**

Tuesday ..... 6:00—6:30 pm  
Saturday ..... 4:00—4:30 pm  
During NWTK ..... 7:00 pm  
(or by appointment)

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Tuesday ..... Noon — 2:00 pm  
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**EASTER TRIDUUM SCHEDULE**

TUESDAY, APRIL 11  
NO 6:30 pm Mass

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12  
9:30 am Mass

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 13  
7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

Mass is followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Parish Hall until 9:30 pm

GOOD FRIDAY\*, APRIL 14

3:00 pm Liturgy of the Word  
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

\* Good Friday is a day of fast for persons 18 to 59. Abstinence is to be observed for those 14 and older.

SATURDAY EASTER VIGIL, APRIL 15

8:00 pm Mass

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 16

9:00 am Mass  
11:00 am Mass  
→ NO 8:00 pm Mass



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# Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

## April 9, 2017



### Blessed Sacrament Parish Vision Statement

Through dynamic evangelization, Blessed Sacrament Parish seeks to intentionally invite all people into an initial encounter with an ongoing conversion to Jesus. We are a Eucharistic and Marian parish that is a home for vibrant worship, reconciliation, and prayer, as well as an engine for spiritual growth. We support each other on the journey to maturity and reach out to people in need.

### † Mass Intentions & Schedule

Saturday, April 8 \*(4:00 pm Confession)

- 4:30 pm † Soul of Peter Hopman by the Girard's; and
- † Intentions of Darlene Healey and Alexander Parent for their birthdays, by Shauna

Sunday, April 9 — **PALM SUNDAY/PASSION OF OUR LORD**

- 9:00 am † Soul of Marguerite Lucina Kavanagh
- 11:00 am † Soul of Peter Hopman by the Girard's
- † For deceased family members of Rita Hughes
- 8:00 pm † Pro Populo

Tuesday, April 11

→ **Noon—2:00 PM Adoration is cancelled**

→ **6:30 PM MASS IS CANCELLED**

(Notre Dame Cathedral CHRISM Mass at 7:30 PM)

Wednesday, April 12

- 9:30 am † Soul of Peter Hopman by the Girard's
- † Soul of Elizabeth Mochnach by the Rude's

Thursday, April 13 — **HOLY THURSDAY**

- 7:00 pm † Pro Populo
- † Following Mass → ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament in the Parish Hall until 9:30 pm

Friday, April 14 — **GOOD FRIDAY**

- 3:00 pm † Liturgy of the Word
- 7:00 pm † Stations of the Cross



Saturday, April 15 — **SATURDAY EASTER VIGIL**

- 8:00 pm † Soul of Ron Culleton by Suzanne

Sunday, April 16 — **EASTER SUNDAY**

- 9:00 am † Soul of Peter Hopman by the Girard's
- 11:00 am † For those who made an offering toward Easter flowers — in memory of their deceased loved ones
- † Souls of Joe McGuire, Loretta and Michael McGuire and Ermino Cozzarini by Vivian McGuire and family.

→ **8:00 PM MASS IS CANCELLED ON EASTER SUNDAY**

*He is Risen!*

#### PARISH FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION

Weekly Collection for April 2, 2017 — \$2,256.25

As this is our primary source of support, we encourage you to use our 'Pre-Authorized Donation' (PAD) service and boxed set of envelopes. Choosing the PAD service makes it easier for you to support us and is a welcomed benefit to the Parish as our expenses continue year round. Please help support us by picking up a PAD form and a boxed set of envelopes found in the Church foyer. We ask that you kindly remember Blessed Sacrament Parish in your Will and include us in the bequeath section of the obituary notice. Our Registered Charity number is #12896-7353-RR0092. Thank you!

### Parish Community News



**IN MEMORIAM "EASTER FLOWERS" DONATION:** Our tradition at Blessed Sacrament is to decorate the church for Easter with lilies and hydrangeas in memory of deceased loved ones. A memorial listing will be published and a special group memorial Mass will be offered for your loved one on Easter Sunday at 11:00 am. The cost for the flowers are \$25. Any monetary donations are recorded for income tax purposes. When making a monetary donation please place the light purple form (found at the entrances of the church) and donation in an envelope marked "Easter Flowers". PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY. As a note, only 30 lilies and hydrangeas are purchased for decorating the sanctuary. All excess funds collected will be used to decorate the Church at other times during the liturgical year.



**EASTER TRIDUUM COMBINED CHOIRS — NEXT WEEKEND ...** Whether you've participated in music ministry or not, we would love to have you join our combined choirs on the evening of Holy Thursday (April 13) or for the Saturday Easter Vigil evening (April 15). Please contact Richard Bethell for more info at [rbethell@outlook.com](mailto:rbethell@outlook.com), or inquire about this after the 9:00 am or 8:00 pm Sunday Masses with the choir.

**HEALING MASS at Blessed Sacrament:** Come and receive the Sacrament of the Sick on **Thursday, April 20 at 6:30 pm**. Celebrant: Fr. Francis Donnelly, CC.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** Join us for Eucharistic Adoration and prayer every Tuesday from Noon – 2:00 pm. (**PLEASE NOTE:** This Tuesday, April 11, Adoration is CANCELLED). Recitation of the Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet with intentions, and the Way of the Cross. Come and participate or sit and rest with Our Lord anywhere in the church. Do you hear Him calling?

### From the Diocese

**CHRISM MASS:** All are invited to participate in the Chrism Mass for the blessing of the oils at Notre Dame Cathedral on **Tuesday, April 11 at 7:30 pm**.

**MORNING PRAYER AT SAINT PATRICK BASILICA:** The parish community of Saint Patrick Basilica will pray Morning Prayer at 8:30 a.m., on **Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday**. Archbishop Prendergast will preside on Good Friday. All are most welcome. Info: (613-233-1125); ([www.basilica.ca](http://www.basilica.ca)).

**WAY OF THE CROSS ON GOOD FRIDAY:** Led by Most. Rev. Terrence Prendergast SJ, Archbishop of Ottawa, **April 14**, through the streets of downtown Ottawa. Depart at 9:30 am from St Patrick Basilica. Arrive at Noon at Notre Dame Cathedral. Organized by Communion & Liberation. Info: contact David McConkey—[clonottawa@gmail.com](mailto:clonottawa@gmail.com).

**RETREAT FOR DEAF CATHOLICS:** Theme: "Rest in God". Presenter: Deacon Patrick Graybill, Rochester, NY. **April 21-23**. Must be fluent in ASL. Contact: Maureen Cerroni ([maureen.cerroni@gmail.com](mailto:maureen.cerroni@gmail.com)).

**PRO-LIFE MASS:** The monthly Mass to pray for the establishment of a Pro-life Centre in Ottawa takes place on **Sun., April 23, 1:30 p.m.** at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, 400 St. Laurent Blvd. Celebrate with the Nigerian community. Info: (613-831-2515); ([wandawoi@rogers.com](mailto:wandawoi@rogers.com)).

**SPIRITUAL MOTHERHOOD OF PRIESTS FORMATION:** If you feel called to be a Spiritual Mother of Priests, there is a Formation Weekend coming up on **Fri, April 28, from 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm; and Sat, April 29, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm** at Cityview Retirement Living Recreation Room, 151 Meadowlands Dr. To register, call Maria Pirrone at 613-225-6067 before Wed, April 26, or email at: [spiritualmotherhoodottawa@gmail.com](mailto:spiritualmotherhoodottawa@gmail.com)

**GOOD FRIDAY GREGORIAN CHANTS FOR MEDITATION:** Chorus Ecclesiae with Lawrence Harris **April 14, 7:00 pm until Midnight - Free admission** - Drop in for a while or stay all evening - Canadian Martyrs Church, 100 Main St., Ottawa - Free parking behind church. Info: [ChoirClass@hotmail.com](mailto:ChoirClass@hotmail.com)

**'MAN OF THE SHROUD' EXHIBIT:** The Man of the Shroud Exhibit will be on display at St. Isidore Church, Kanata, **April 4—11**. The Exhibit will be on display within the Church and sacred music will be playing throughout its duration. Come pray and rest a while.

**THE COUNCIL ON AGING OF OTTAWA ANNUAL SPRING LUNCHEON 2017:** With Martine Lagacé. *Aging Together: The Strength of Intergenerational Bonding to Combat Ageism*. **Wed., Apr. 19**. Info & registration: (<https://coaottawa.ca>).

**'FAITH SEEKING UNDERSTANDING SERIES':** St. Theresa Parish is pleased to welcome Dr. Andrew Taylor who will give a talk on "Physician Assisted Suicide in Canada: Does Conscience Play a Role?" on **Sunday, April 23** after the 10:30 am Mass. Light refreshments will be served. Info: (613-235-5119).

**NEW EVANGELIZATION SUMMIT 2017:** Featuring 8 world-class Catholic speakers including: Bishop Robert Barron, Patrick Sullivan, Tom Corcoran and more. **May 12 & 13** at the Infinity Conference Centre in Ottawa with live-stream video to host sites across Canada, the US and beyond. Limited seating. Register online today (<https://www.newevangelization.ca/>).

**NIGHT OF WORSHIP AND MINISTRY:** St. Mary's Parish, 100 Young St., **Friday, April 28 from 7—9 pm**. Speaker: Fr. Denis Hayes, CC. Prayer teams available. Reception to follow.

#### 21st ANNIVERSARY of the FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

**ST. MAURICE PARISH:** 4 Perry St. Ottawa, **Sunday, April 23, from 2:00 — 4:00 pm**. Reflection by Fr. Hezuk Shroff. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Confessions, Rosary, sung Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Consecration to the Divine Mercy. Refreshments will be served. Info: Maria Pirrone (613-225-6067).

**HOLY REDEEMER PARISH:** 44 Rothesay Drive, Kanata, **Sunday, April 23, 2:00 — 4:00 p.m.** Veneration of the Divine Mercy Image, talk and recitation of the Chaplet and Litany of Divine Mercy. All are welcome. Info: (613-836-1764).

*Jesus, I trust in You!*

### Our Prayer List



We ask that you remember in your prayers all those in our parish community who are sick and in need of encouragement: Nancy Grover, Tom Rock, Frank Licari, Tom Ray, Kerri Lynn Bulger, Tyler Huneault, Paula Scott, Daphne Moffat, Jim Grover, Leighton Beacock, Daniel & Madeline McBride, Mrs. Teresa White, Ethel Morris, June McGuire, Ben Proctor, Mary Christine Spencer, Rick Tracey, Fr. Rory Brady, David Low, Anna Gemella, David Kibbee, Marc Le Gras, Natalie Quinn, Rose Cutrara, Loren Cooper, Gloria Henderson, Richard Gehring, Bruce McCracken, Bridgette Bradway, Morgan Hawken, Melissa Moloissa, Debbie Lavallie, Yvonne Bulger, Joseph Hutchinson, Garry Stevenson, Alex Neron, Marta Pappalardo and baby Dominic, Joaquin Olivier LeGras, Evelyn Beaudry, Brigitte and Victor Couwenbergh, Sebastien Parent, Jim Morgan, Thérèse Cochlin, Michael Reid, Tyler Moffat, Lynn Ashdown, Laszlo DeRoth, Darrell and Peter Herauf, Kathleen Jordan, Sharon Boothroyd, Luigi Lorusso and Cindy Orr.

*To add or remove a name, please contact the parish office.*

#### St. Thérèse Prayer Group — Perpetual Novena Intention

*We will continue to pray for the families of our Parish all year.*

**April 5 – April 13, 2017**

Little Flower, God is so very good! Nothing is wasted; even suffering! May He grant us the grace to offer our suffering for the salvation of souls.

**April 14 - April 22, 2017**

Sweet Thérèse, pray that each person in this world, will long for Heaven and desire to be with Jesus.

**THE ROSARY** — "Our Blessed Mother loves her children and doesn't want us to suffer calamities, so she encourages us to pray the Rosary", Michael E. Gaitley MIC, author of 33 Days to Morning Glory.

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for April 2017** — That young people may respond generously to their vocations and seriously consider offering themselves to God in the priesthood or consecrated life.

#### A Warm Welcome to Our New Parishioners!

*Interested in joining Blessed Sacrament's Parish Family?*

Please let us know who you are and we will be happy to offer you more information and introduce you to our Parish life. Just fill out this form, place it in the basket, and we'll reach out to you soon. It's great to have you with us!

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