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October 15, 2017 — 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

#### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday ..... 4:30 pm  
Sunday ..... 10:00 am  
..... 8:00 pm

#### WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

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

#### RECONCILIATION

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

#### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

NIGHT WITH THE KING..... to be announced

#### RECITATION OF THE HOLY ROSARY

Thursdays ..... 6:00 pm (before Mass)  
Sundays ..... 9:15 am (before Mass)

#### OFFICE HOURS

CLOSED Mondays  
Tuesday to Friday ..... 9:00 am — 3 pm

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Wednesday ..... 10:15 am — 3 pm  
Sunday ..... 11:00 am — 1:00 pm

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Dear Parishioners of Blessed Sacrament,

**NEXT WEEKEND we will take up a second collection for World Mission Sunday.**

"This is the day we celebrate who we are as Christians: missionary disciples — and it's a time of prayer. It also represents a global sign of the universal Church and Mission.

We are invited to look beyond our local Church in Canada and reach out to help build the Church in the most remote areas across our world.

Your prayers and financial gifts will go directly to help support the missionary work needed in many developing countries through:

- building hospitals and providing health care centers
- building schools, convents and presbyteries;
- assisting with vocations to the priesthood and religious life.



Please pray for the missions and show your generosity as much as possible during next weekend's World Mission Sunday collection."

Excerpt taken from —  
The Society for the Propagation of Faith

**COFFEE SUNDAY is Next Weekend!**  
How can you help to make it another success?!  
See details inside!



**CHRISTMAS SHOE BOXES  
HAVE ARRIVED!**

**This is our 10th Annual  
'Operation Christmas Child'!**

Pick up your box in the Church foyer and fill them with small items such as school supplies, toys, socks and treats! For more info about Operation Christmas Child, go to [www.samaritanspurse.ca](http://www.samaritanspurse.ca).

**AND REMEMBER ... to meet the shipping deadline, boxes must be returned to the Church by Sunday, November 12th.**

**Questions?** Please contact Lyne Poirier-Lorusso at [lyneplorusso@rogers.com](mailto:lyneplorusso@rogers.com).

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Sunday, October 15, 2017  
28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



### Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 14

4:30 pm † For the soul of Marguerite Lucina Kavanagh  
† For the soul of Jim Hoskinson by the family

Sunday, October 15 — (28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)

(9:15 am—Recitation of the Rosary in the Parish Hall)

10:00 am † For the souls of Alex and Gertrude Johnson by Beryl and Gord Johnson

† For the soul of Bruce McCracken by Marian Couwenberg

8:00 pm † Pro Populo

Tuesday, October 17 — St. Ignatius of Antioch

6:30 pm † For the souls of Matthew Vice and Peter Duffy by the Vice family

Wednesday, October 18 — St. Luke

9:30 am † For the soul of Marguerite Lucina Kavanagh

Thursday, October 19

10:00 am Mass at the Glebehouse Seniors Home

(6:00 pm—Recitation of the Rosary in the Church)

6:30 pm † For the soul of Fabio Hernandez by Luisa Valbuena

Friday, October 20

9:30 am † —

Saturday, October 21

4:30 pm † For Intentions of Pope Francis and the Fellow of Catholic Scholars Canada Conference

Sunday, October 22 — (29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)

10:00 am † For the souls of Michael, Loretta & Joseph McGuire by Kate and Brian McCarney;

† For the souls of Ryan Guillermo, Ricardo Joseph Sr and Josephine Gonzales by May Flores-Lyon

8:00 pm † Pro Populo

### † 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, Kerri Lynn Bulger, Paula Scott, Daphne Moffat, Jim Grover, Leighton Beacock, Daniel & Madeline McBride, Ben Proctor, Mary Christine Spencer, Rick Tracey, David Low, Anna Gemella, David Kibbee, Marc Le Gras, Natalie Quinn, Rose Cutrara, Loren Cooper, Richard Gehring, Bridgette Bradway, Morgan Hawken, Melissa Moloissa, Debbie Lavallie, Joseph Hutchinson, Alex Neron, Marta Pappalardo and baby Dominic, Joaquin Olivier LeGras, Brigitte and Victor Couwenbergh, Sebastien Parent, Jim Morgan, Thérèse Cochlin, Tyler Moffat, Lynn Ashdown, Laszlo DeRoth, Darrell & Peter Herauf, Kathleen Jordan, Sharon Boothroyd, Luigi Lorusso, Cindy Orr Marcelle and Gerry Ouderkerk, Beryl Johnson, Anne Kennedy, Britney, Jesse Colliver and their baby, Frances from the UK, Norman Revells and Elizabeth (Elsa) Witteveen.

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

### ✠ Parish News



**COFFEE SUNDAY NEXT WEEKEND, OCT 22:** Mark your calendar to stay for a bit after the 10:00 am Mass next weekend, **Sunday, October 22** and 'drop by' the Church Hall for fellowship and refreshments. Enjoy juice, coffee or tea and goodies. Visitors are always welcome too of course! Please help out ... if you can:

- Bring some goodies to share (i.e. fruit, cookies, muffins, squares — please mark items that are 'nut free'),
- Lend a hand to help with set up about 9:30 or so,
- Help tidy up after the social

Please **contact** Charlene White (contact info on front of bulletin) to let her know if you can help out, or for more info. Your help is most appreciated! See you there!

**OTTAWA CURSILLO WEEKEND:** Cursillo is a short course in Christianity and is of value to anyone who has the desire to learn more about our faith and to enter into a relationship with Jesus Christ. • **Women's Weekend: October 26—29;** • **Men's Weekend: November 16—19.** Rosella MacNeill, Parish Rep 613-327-0061.

**DIVINE MERCY CENACLE:** Will meet THIS Thursday, October 19 at 7:15 pm in the Library.

**DEVELOPMENT & PEACE 50th ANNIVERSARY: Afternoon Tea on Sunday October 29, Parish Library (2—4 pm).** Come join us and meet D&P members who have been involved in campaigning for this ministry over the many years! To close this 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary year, we will be recognizing the outstanding contribution of our local members with an afternoon tea. —► Would you like to join Blessed Sacrament's D&P Team? We discuss social justice issues along with events and material to hand out after the Masses. Our Fall Campaign "May Peace Be With Her" is now available. To join the team or request more info, please contact Angela Davis at 613-237-0093; [mangeladavis@hotmail.com](mailto:mangeladavis@hotmail.com) or Katrina Bedoe.

### Pro-Life ♥

**THE INTERNATIONAL 40 DAYS FOR LIFE 2017 FALL CAMPAIGN.** We continue to pray and fast for an end to abortion by gathering daily in a peaceful vigil across from Ottawa's main abortion facility (65 Bank St), from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm until November 5. Join us as often as you are able to intercede for God's mercy on the unborn. ►► **BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH** will help keep vigil on **Friday, October 20.** A **sign-up sheet** is located in the vestibule. **Info:** Rosella MacNeil at 613-327-0061.

**MONTHLY PRO-LIFE MASS:** The next Mass to pray for the establishment of a Pro-life Centre in Ottawa will be held on **Saturday, October 21, 9:00 am,** St. Augustine, 1060 Baseline Rd.

**COMPASSIONATE COMMUNITY CARE:** Before considering euthanasia or assisted suicide, you need to know certain facts. If you need **advice** concerning the issues of euthanasia, assisted suicide or end-of-life treatment, **call 1-855-675-8749** or go to [compassionatecommunitycare.org](http://compassionatecommunitycare.org). It is confidential and free.

### Blessed Sacrament Parish Vision

Through dynamic evangelization, Blessed Sacrament Parish seeks to intentionally invite all people into an initial encounter with and 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.

### Sacramental Preparation

#### PREPARING OUR CHILDREN TO RECEIVE FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION



##### ► REGISTRATION DAY:

The **FIRST MEETING** will be **NEXT Sunday, October 22 at 5:00 PM** in the Church. One parent or grandparent must attend with their child, grade 2 level or older. **Please bring** a copy of your child's ♦ Baptismal Certificate ♦ wallet size photo of your child; ♦ \$30 registration fee (cheques payable to Blessed Sacrament). **TO REGISTER** email Heather at: [heatherfisher88@hotmail.com](mailto:heatherfisher88@hotmail.com).

##### ► VOLUNTEERS ARE STILL NEEDED:

To prepare our children for these Sacraments, we need at least 8 to 10 volunteers. Training is provided. 20 eligible High School volunteer hours are also available! **TO VOLUNTEER**, please contact Jaqui Cadieux at 613-882-3613; [jaqui@royalpage.ca](mailto:jaqui@royalpage.ca).



**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE FAITH? WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE BAPTIZED? HAVE YOU BEEN BAPTIZED BUT NOT CONFIRMED?**

**RCIA (the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)** is the Catholic formation workshop that brings candidates (catechumens) into the fullness of the faith and covers all the basic topics of the Catholic Catechism. We are now offering this 7 month RCIA workshop weekly on **Tuesday evenings in the Parish Library, through until Pentecost, May 20, 2018.** During the Easter weekend, Holy Saturday is the day when catechumens (worldwide) are received into the Catholic Church, either through Baptism (if not Baptized) or Confirmation (if Baptized but not Confirmed). **TO REGISTER** or to receive more **INFO** call Gord Johnson at 613-761-2895 or email [gordjohnson@sympatico.ca](mailto:gordjohnson@sympatico.ca).

#### POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR OCTOBER

**Workers and the Unemployed** — That all workers may receive respect and protection of their rights and the unemployed receive the opportunity to contribute to the common good.

#### PARISH FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION — OCTOBER 2017

Regular Collection — October 1: ..... \$2,947.60  
Regular Collection — October 8: ..... \$2,166.10  
**TOTAL for October 2017: ..... \$5,113.70**

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 and many blessings to you and your loved ones!*

### Around the Diocese

#### EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATION WITH THE ONTARIO BISHOPS:

For the 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Confederation, the Bishops have graciously accepted Archbishop Prendergast's invitation to hold their plenary session in Ottawa, October 16—19. **Mass** at Notre Dame Cathedral **THIS Monday, October 16 at 5:00 pm** on the Feast Day of St. Marguerite d'Youville. All are invited. They will visit the Motherhouse of the Sisters of Charity on Bruyère Street for a moment of prayer at the tomb of Mère Élisabeth Bruyère.

**NIGHT OF WORSHIP AND MINISTRY:** (4th Friday of each month) Speaker: Fr. Galen Bank, CC. Theme: *The Lord is our Refuge.* Prayer teams available. Reception follows. St. Mary Parish, 100 Young St, **Friday, October 27, 7:00—9:00 pm.**

**FYMO OCTOBER NEWSLETTER:** This month's newsletter contains articles on the Canadian Bishops' letter on the Theology of Human Love, as well as two youth and children's programs, Federation of North-American Explorers and Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. There is also info about events for youth, family and young adults. **Info:** [www.fymottawa.com/newsletter](http://www.fymottawa.com/newsletter).

#### SOCIAL JUSTICE — Moving forward in reconciliation with the indigenous peoples of Canada:

In the Crypt Chapel of Notre-Dame Cathedral, **October 28, 10:30 am – 12:00 pm.** Guest Speakers: Mr. Phil Fontaine, Former Chief of the Assembly of First Nations and Mr. Gerry Kelly, Former Advisor to Canadian Catholic Entities Party to the Indian Residential School Settlement. Refreshment; free will offering. Question and answer period after the talks, followed by fellowship at Memories Restaurant. **Info:** 613-241-7496.

#### St. Thérèse of Liseux Prayer Group — Perpetual Novena

*We will continue to pray for parishioners and their families.*

**Oct 11 — 19:** St. Thérèse, please ask God to send every resource we need to grow our parish.

**Oct 20 — 28:** St. Thérèse, please pray for all politicians, that they will be open to serving Our Lord and Saviour. Ask God to give them the courage to uniquely propose and pass laws that are in keeping with His Word.

*St. Thérèse, pray for us!*

#### 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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