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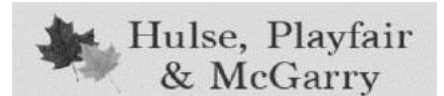
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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

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
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The 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 16, 2016



Announced Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 15

4:30 pm † For the soul repose of the of Marguerite, Lucie and Yoland Gagnon, by Richard and Ros Weeks
 † For the Mercy of God to be upon a friend who received assisted suicide this morning

Sunday, October 16 — 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am † For the repose of the soul of Jacqueline Lanoue by Lyne
 11:00 am † —
 8:00 pm † Pro Populo

Tuesday, October 18

6:30 pm † For the repose of the soul of Matthew Vice & Peter Duffy by Margaret & Peter Vice

Wednesday, October 19

9:30 am † —

Thursday, October 20 → HEALING MASS

6:30 pm † —

Friday, October 21

9:30 am † —

(Special Collection: **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**)

Saturday, October 22

4:30 pm † —

Sunday, October 23 — 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

(WORLD MISSION SUNDAY)

9:00 am † For the repose of the soul of Marguerite Kavanagh
 11:00 am † —
 8:00 pm † Pro Populo



† HEALING MINISTRY — offered on the 3rd Thursday of each month.

The Sacrament of the Sick will be administered **THIS Thursday, October 20** after the 6:30 PM Mass for those whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or old age. The session will include instruction on fruitful reception of healing ministry. Prayer teams will also be available after Mass for personal and intercessory prayer.

Parish Faith Formation

FIRST EUCHARIST & RECONCILIATION—REGISTRATION THIS SUNDAY

◇ **REGISTRATION DAY** – The first meeting will take place **THIS WEEKEND, Sunday, October 16 at 5 PM in the Church**. One parent or grandparent must attend with the child, grade 2 level or older. Please bring a copy of the child's baptismal certificate, a wallet size photo of the child and the \$30 registration fee.

◇ **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!** We require a team of 8—10 "catechists" to work with the children and families. Training provided, rewarding opportunity without a great amount of commitment. 20 high school volunteer hours eligible. Please email or call Jaqui to sign up or enquire further at 613-882-3613; 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 Right of Christian Initiation for Adults) is the Roman Catholic formation workshop that brings candidates (catechumens) into the fullness of the faith and covers all the basic topics of the Catholic Catechism. Blessed Sacrament Parish will offer this 6 month RCIA workshop weekly on **Tuesday evenings in the Parish Library, starting THIS Tuesday, October 18**, and going through until Pentecost, June 4, 2017. 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). If you are interested in **registering** or receiving more info, please contact Gord Johnson at 613-761-2895 or email at gordjohnson@sympatico.ca. *If you're unable to attend this Tuesday because of short notice, please contact Gord to register anyway.*



Parish & Community News

SPIRITUAL GIFTS MINISTRY – Called and Gifted Workshop: Terrified by the idea of sharing your faith with someone? What better way to evangelize than to let Jesus do it through you—and we'll help you find out how! Join us on **Dec 9 from 7-9pm and Dec 10 from 9am-4pm** at St. Mary's Parish. Speakers: Ms. Susan Cummins and Fr. Sean Wenger, CC. Registration Fee \$35. Contact: Sr. Penelope Nguyen, SC 613-729-8710 sisterpenelope@yahoo.com.

NIGHT OF WORSHIP AND MINISTRY: With speaker Chris Keyes on **Fri., October 28, 7—9 pm**. Prayer teams available and reception to follow. St. Mary's, 100 Young St. Contact: Lise Going (613-728-9811, ext. 720).

OTTAWA CURSILLO WEEKEND: Cursillo is a short course in Christianity and is of value to anyone who has the desire to learn more about Christianity and to enter into a relationship with Jesus Christ. —

Women's Weekend: Oct 20—23 • Men's Weekend: Nov 10—13
 Please contact Susan Kelemen: 613-228-1692; susan.kelemen@ocsb.ca.

NEW LIFE RETREAT: Would you like to take part in a life-changing, faith-building experience? Are you seeking a personal encounter with the living Jesus Christ? Join New Life Retreat, **Fri.—Mon., October 21—24** at St. Mary's 100 Young St. 613-224-5723 (www.newlifeparishretreat.org).

CHILDREN OF PARAGUAY MEDICAL SUPPLIES 10TH FINAL FUNDRAISING TEA & LIGHT LUNCH: At St. Maurice Church, **Sat., Nov. 5, 12:45 - 4:00 p.m.** Entertainment, silent auction, prize best hat and suit. Cost: \$35. Contact: Rosa Frias (613-728-4465); (childrenofparaguay@rogers.com).

Pro-Life

THE 40 DAYS FOR LIFE 2016 FALL CAMPAIGN: We continue to pray for an end to abortion by gathering daily in a prayer vigil across from Ottawa's main abortion facility (65 Bank St), from 7 am to 7 pm **until November 6**. *Lets storm the Heavens in prayer.* Please join us as often as you can. Parking is available at St. Patrick's Basilica or at the school, just let them know you are there.

NEXT PRO-LIFE MASS: Saturday, October 22 at 11am at St. Michael's Parish in Corkery, Carp.

THE EUTHANASIA DECEPTION' DOCUMENTARY: Available from Euthanasia Prevention Coalition 1-877-439-3348; (info@epcc.ca); (<http://caringnotkilling.com/outreach.html>). Resource material & discussion guide also available.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT: A confidential healing retreat for women & men hurting after abortion will be held in the Ottawa area **October 28—30, 2016**. Details: call or email Lynda or Terry 613-806-5522; rvt_ottawa@yahoo.ca.

Diocesan News

ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL CHARITY DINNER: At the Ottawa Conference and Event Centre on **Thurs., Oct. 20**. in support of life and palliative care — the two beneficiaries are: Action Life Ottawa and Bruyère Continuing Care. **To purchase a ticket, contact the Diocese at 613-738-5025, ext. 202. Mention that you are a parishioner of Blessed Sacrament and they will try and seat everyone at the same table.**

ST. MARGARET MARY PARISH SUNDAY SUPPER VOLUNTEER TRAINING: Sunday Supper program begins Oct. 16. "In from the Cold" has been a service to the marginalized for twenty years, offering about 2000 suppers each year. Welcome and training for people who would like to help, **Thursday, Oct. 27, 7:00 PM**. There are four teams of twenty persons that buy, cook, serve and clean-up for one Sunday in four. Inquiries: Angela Davis (613-237-0093); (mangeladavis@hotmail.com).

A MESSAGE FROM THE HOLY FATHER FOR 2016 WORLD MISSION SUNDAY — The 90th World Mission Sunday is NEXT weekend, **October 23, 2016**. In the Holy Father's message on *Missionary Church, Witness of Mercy*, he "invites us to consider the *missio ad gentes* as a great, immense work of mercy, both spiritual and material. On World Mission Sunday, all of us are invited to 'go out' as missionary disciples, each generously offering their talents, creativity, wisdom and experience in order to bring the message of God's tenderness and compassion to the entire human family." A LINK to the Holy Father's full message: http://w2.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/missions/documents/papa-francesco_20160515_giornata-missionaria2016.html

THE CAPITAL REGION INTERFAITH COUNCIL (CRIC) INTERFAITH PRAYER SERVICE, followed by a reception. At the All Saints Anglican Church, 347 Richmond Rd, **Sunday, October 16, 3 pm**. All Catholics of our diocese are invited. The Faith Communities involved in the gathering — Anglicans, Baha'i, Buddhists, Roman Catholics, Christian Science, Family Federation, Hindus, United Church, Muslims, Jain, Sikhs, Mormons and Unitarians. For more information, contact Fr. Jacques Kabangu: (613-745-4342); (jacqueskabangu25@gmail.com).

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 and Laszlo DeRoth.

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

OCTOBER 29 — NOVEMBER 6 (PERPETUAL NOVENA)

O Little Thérèse of the Child Jesus, please pick for me a rose from the heavenly garden and send it to me as a message of love.

O Little Flower of Jesus, ask God to grant the favours I now place with confidence in your hands.

(Based on Section 20, paragraph 2 of *Misericordiae Vultus*)

O Little Flower, please ask that the Lord will afford all the blessing of being merciful to those who do not know Jesus. Ask Him to put us in situations where hardened hearts are evident. Then beg of Him to use us to share the Good News of His Mercy as we say, "Here I am Lord!"

St. Thérèse, help me to always believe as you did in God's great love for me, so that I may imitate your 'little way' each day. AMEN.

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 glad 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. Great to have you with us!

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POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR OCTOBER

Universal — That journalists, in carrying out their work, may always be motivated by respect for truth and a strong sense of ethics.

Evangelization — That World Mission Day may renew within all Christian communities the joy of the Gospel and the responsibility to announce it.

PARISH FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION

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