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He is Risen! Alleluia, Alleluia

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION

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Welcome

to the new and
current MEMBERS
and all VISITORS to
our PARISH. Kindly
visit our website

<https://www.assumptionparishottawa.ca>

PRAYER REQUESTS: Let us pray for the healing
or better health of the following:



Fr. Pedro Arana, Lina Groulx,
Glenda Hadloc, Charles Hebert,
Generoso Jacinto, Claire Kiruhira,
Charity Marohombsar, Chris
Finnerty, Michael & Arnita
Sabong, Maxima de Leon, Jack
Beltran, Nelia Samonte, Rosie
Nabong, Bradley Ken,
Kier Gabriel Villanueva,
Maximilia Arano, Feliza Daiz,
Marlyn Serrano, Theresa Akan,
Magdalena Samaniego,
Arlene Magpayo and
George Ethier.

SCHEDULE of LITURGICAL MINISTERS

April 26, 4PM – Joan Lepage,
Nick Murillo, Nieves Murillo
with Lori Scott, Noly Formoso.
April 27, 9:30AM – Richard
Horrigan, Andrew Samonte,
Tim O'Neil with Lani Agustin,
Nora Arriola. 12NooN – Lori
Scott, Nora Cerda, Edgar Piol,
Elaine Aldeguer, Mary Miguel
with Maura David, Ben David.;
7PM – Nora Cerda, Chit
Villanueva, Nora Arriola with
Noly Formoso, Novie Ramos;
Andrew Samonte with Helen
Belda



WEEK ENDING COLLECTION REPORT
April 12 & 13, 2025 - \$5,018.



Mass Intentions

*In the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall, only
few intentions are allowed at a Mass celebrated
by a priest. So please contact the parish office
to reserve your preferred dates (at least a week
before). Requests will be handled on a "first
come first served basis." Thank you.*

April 19, Saturday, 8:00 PM – **EASTER VIGIL**
(white) – Thanksgiving by Arnold and Edna de
Jesus; Susan Caponpon Villanueva (healing);
†Hermogenes Viviezca by Danny and Nora
Arriola; †Cecilio Caponpon, Sr. and †Terry
Serraco by Arnold and Edna de Jesus

April 20, **EASTER SUNDAY** (white) 7:30AM –
Filipino Mass – Thanksgiving by El Shaddai
Group, Leo & Nora Cerda and Emilyn
Suficiencia; †Juanito & Corazon Ellema by Lani
Ellema; †Nenita & Santiago Gustilo; †Fernand
Gauthier by Donatila & Tim Gauthier, 9:30AM
Lourdes Gomez (healing) by Mary Miguel;
†Rev. Paul Beaudoin by Beaudoin Family;
†Frank Hughes by Beaudoin Family; †Albert
Bechamp by Mary Miguel & Family; 7:00 PM –
Pro Populo

April 21, Monday, OCTAVE OF EASTER
(white) 8 AM – Debbie Romain (health) by Mary
Stanton

April 22, Tuesday, OCTAVE OF EASTER
(white) 8AM – † John S. & Theresa Stanton by
Mary Stanton.

April 23, Wednesday, OCTAVE OF EASTER
(white) 9:30AM School Mass – Thanksgiving
by Marie-Pauline Desjardins (birthday)

April 24, Thursday, OCTAVE OF EASTER
(white) 8 AM – Don Castillo; †Edith Stanton by
Mary Stanton

April 25, Friday, OCTAVE OF EASTER (white)
8 AM - Danilo Forro by Nena Coronel.

THANK YOU to the PARISH FORMATION TEAM - Nick Murillo, Don Del Castillo, and Kingsley Nze who facilitated another Confirmation Retreat last APRIL 12, 2025. The registration was by Mrs. Nora Arriola, the Administrative Assistant of the parish.

**POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION
APRIL 2025**

For the use of the new technologies:

Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, rather will respect the dignity of the person, and help us face the crisis of our times.

PONTIFICAL COLLECTION FOR THE CHURCH IN THE HOLY LAND ON GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 2025 – A yearly request the Holy See of dioceses and parishioners asked worldwide. It helps the Church of the Holy Land maintain Christian sites, which are crucial for Christians everywhere, and provide pastoral, educational, and social works among the small Christian population. The Church and our Christian brothers and sisters count on your help to retain a faith-filled Christian presence in this land of our Lord. Please generously give on Good Friday. If you cannot attend the service, you can contribute online by going to Commissariat.ca/supporting-us and donating via Canada Helps or Interac e-transfer. Receipts will be issued. **THANK YOU** on behalf of the Franciscan Custody of the Holy Land

UNITED IN PRAYERS: Kindly pray and think of the children [and families] of the parish and Assumption School who will have their **FIRST COMMUNION** and **FIRST RECONCILIATION** on April 26 to be officiated by Rev. Fr. Joseph Vayalil.

HIKE FOR LIFE 2025 will be on April 26th (Saturday). Pledge sheets to sponsor Joan Lepage, our Action Life representative, are now available at both entrances of the Church.

Please **REMEMBER** that you may bring to the parish Church any **gifts for the needy** (*pre-loved but still usable clothing, canned goods, and other food items*) during this **EASTER SEASON**

HOLY WEEK 2025

APRIL 19 - **HOLY SATURDAY**, LAUDS at 8:30 AM organized by the Youth Ministry and supported by adult parishioners

EASTER SCHEDULES 2025

APRIL 19 - **EASTER VIGIL MASS** at 8PM

APRIL 20 - **EASTER SUNDAY**

SALUBONG at 7:00 AM

FILIPINO MASS at 7:30 AM

Flowers, food for the poor and candle offerings are encouraged.

COMMUNITY BREAKFAST at 8:45 AM

Breakfast will be provided by the parish
Parishioners who want to bring a plate to share should coordinate with the parish office or with Andrew Samonte.

ENGLISH MASSES at 9:30 AM with Rev. Fr. Lodewicus Barnard SJ and at 7:00 PM with Fr. Victor Mateo, OFMConv

APRIL 27 - **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

The recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet to be led by the LEGION OF MARY will be 30 minutes before all the Sunday Masses. All the Masses will be presided by our invited priest/s from the Archdiocese since Fr. Victor Mateo, OFMConv and some parishioners will be at the National Shrine of the Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, Massachusetts, USA

April 30, 2025 - **Vatican II: Renewal or rupture?**
Things have been a little weird since Vatican II. It feels like faith in the West is dying. Was Vatican II the beginning of something good? Or was it the beginning of the end?

This event is part of the **Young Adult Series** – (**Ages 21-40**) from 6:45PM – 9PM, at Saint George Parish, N 415 Piccadilly Avenue, Ottawa.
Speaker: Bishop Scott McCaig, CC

Pre-Registration required: please visit <https://ottawacornwall.ca/jubilee-2025-events/>



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