



Holy Spirit Catholic Parish A Welcoming Community

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.; & 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday - 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

As indicated in the weekly calendar.

RECONCILIATION

Available before weekday and Saturday Masses as indicated in the weekly calendar and by appointment.

BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated throughout the year. Please introduce yourself to the pastor after mass. See parish website for further information.

MARRIAGE

Please make an appointment with the pastor as soon as a decision is made to marry. A minimum of nine months notice is required. Please make no other arrangements until a date is confirmed with the parish. A marriage preparation course, offered in our pastoral region, is required.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Kim Baudouin 613-884-8475

PASTORAL CARE

A Pastoral Care Team visits sick or elderly members of the parish in their homes or in hospital. To arrange for Communion, the Sacrament of the Sick, or a visit, please contact the Pastor.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Claire Moore, President 613-612-1659

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

James MacLean, Grand Knight 613-831-8617

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Alex Golob, Chair 613-410-1896

OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

St. Bernadette Elementary 613-907-4122
Guardian Angels Elementary 613-836-7423
Holy Spirit Elementary 613-831-1853
St. Stephen Elementary 613-831-8844
Sacred Heart High 613-831-6643



PARISH REGISTRATION: If you are new to our Parish Community, please fill out this form and put it in the collection basket.

Names: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____ Postal Code: _____
Phone Number: _____

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Oct 27 – 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 31.7-9

Hebrews 5.1-6

Mark 10.46-52

November 3 – 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deuteronomy 6.2-6

Hebrews 7.23-28

Mark 12.28-34

Parish Calendar

- Mon, Oct 28** St. Simon & St. Jude
6:00 pm First Reconciliation Prep session
6:30 pm RCIA
7:15 pm Catholic Women's League General meeting
- Wed, Oct 30**
7:00 pm Choir practice
- Thu, Oct 31**
9:30 am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
9:30 am Cenacle of Marian Movement of Priests
- Fri, Nov 1** All Saints
9:00 am Mass
9:30 am Flame of Love Prayer Group
9:30-10:30 am First Friday Adoration & Benediction
- Sat, Nov 2** All Souls Day
9:00 am First Saturday Mass
9:30 am Cor: Into the Breach
4:15-4:45 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm Mass
- Sun, Nov 3 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time**
9:00 am Mass
11:00 am Mass

*hospitality & coffee hosted by the Knights of Columbus after the 9 & 11 am Masses. Everyone welcome!

* Confession available before morning Mass 8:30-8:50am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held on Friday, November 1 after the 9AM Eucharist. The Monstrance with the consecrated host (the Body of Christ) will be placed on the altar for Benediction until 10:30AM.

What everyone needs to know about women & heart disease. The Holy Spirit Parish Catholic Women's League General Meeting is pleased to invite all ladies of the parish to our General Meeting on October 28 at 7:15 pm in the Parish Hall to hear a talk by Risa Mallory, a retired psychotherapist who, as a result of a serious cardiovascular event, has become passionate about heart health advocacy, collaborative medical care and knowledge translation. All are welcome. We look forward to seeing you there.

Catholic Women's League Bazaar 2024: The CWL annual Bazaar will be November 16th. There will be vendors, crafts, baked goods, door prizes, raffles, White Elephant table, religious articles and more at our Bazaar. We invite all parishioners to help us. If you have knitting, sewing, craft items and baking, it would be much appreciated! We love having a variety of crafts, so please let us know if you have items to donate. Contact us at cwlholyspiritparish@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATE – November 16, 2024, is our Catholic Women's League BAZAAR – you don't want to miss it!

Mass Intentions

Fri, Nov 1 – 9:00 am

Parents, grandparents, relatives & friends by

Family Ho Truong

Sat, Nov 2 – 9:00 am

All deceased members of the Parish, remembering

especially those who died in the past year

Sat, Nov 2 – 5:00 pm

†Maria Teresa & †Jose Chavolla and †Marina & †Carlos

Wolf by Veronica Wolf & Daniel Chavolla

†Bruno Rocco by Phil Rocco & Family

†Sister Mary Gauthier, OLM by Carol Carroll & Family

†Jacob & †Samantha Lommen by Family

Sun, Nov 3 – 9:00 am

Living & deceased members of Catholic Women's League

†Bill Gagatek by Alice

†Claudette Maisonneuve by Pauline & Family

Sun, Nov 3 – 11:00 am

For the intentions of all parishioners

Please pray for those who are sick: Brendan, Lin, Matt

Please pray for those who have died: †

†Indicates Deceased.



ATTENTION MEN OF HOLY SPIRIT PARISH

Prayer, Formation, and Fraternity for Men: Our Knights of Columbus Council is excited to share the implementation of Cor, a new formation and fraternal opportunity for the men of Holy Spirit parish. Cor is Latin for heart. Our faith, our relationship with God, and our formation begin with and reside in the heart. Starting on Nov 2nd and continuing on the first Saturday of each month, we will be reviewing and discussing the "Into The Breach" 10 minute videos, following the 9am Mass. Come join your brother parishioners for coffee, prayer and fraternity.

CUSTODIAN NEEDED Holy Spirit Parish is looking for a part time custodian to do cleaning, lawn maintenance, event setup and minor maintenance in the church, hall, and grounds. This position is for 20 hours per week. Please contact Tamara in the Parish Office, admin@holyspiritparish.ca or 613-836-8881, for more information.



Don't forget to turn back your clocks before bed on Saturday, November 2nd. We fall Back to Standard Time on November 3, 2024.

For e-Transfer please send it to admin@holyspiritparish.ca and use the password: Holyspirit (all one word with a capital H).

Gospel Reflection:

Jesus is making his way to Jerusalem to his crucifixion and death when he meets Bartimaeus. He has told his disciples what he is doing and he will tell them again but they refuse to see what he is doing. There is an irony in this encounter: the blind man sees more clearly than the sighted people. The key to unlocking the significance of today's Gospel is that Jesus turns the phrase "seeing is believing" upside down to "believing is seeing."

Father Geoffrey Kerslake

Renewed in Liturgy series 2024 will be on Nov 8th, 15th and 22nd from 7 - 9 pm at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Parish; 20 Grant St, Ottawa, with speakers, His Grace Bishop Scott McCaig, Rev. Fr. Sean Wenger, and Rev. Fr. Daniel Van Delst. Please Register online at www.renewedinliturgy.com or call for more information at 613-355-6023.

"The Gospel of Mark" Bible Study: Faith Not Fear
Is the Gospel of Mark only a "condensed" version of the life of Christ? Join Dr. Tim Gray in this powerful fourteen-part series (covered in seven weeks) to discover the Gospel of Mark like never before. Immerse yourself in this action-packed Gospel that offers Saint Peter's account of Christ's life and teaching. Open yourself to profound reflection on the shortest of the four gospels. All men and women are welcome. Beginning October 31, 2024, the study runs on Thursdays for 7 weeks from 7-9 pm in the Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall (153 Woodroffe Avenue). Cost is \$45.00. For more info contact Karen at 613-806-0377, email livesisterhood@gmail.com, or visit www.sisterhood.live/formationprograms

From the CCCB Concerning Lebanon: Most Rev. McGrattan says, "There are people in Lebanon who urgently need our help at this time. That is why, in my capacity as CCCB president, I invite you to donate either to Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) Canada, to the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA) Canada, or to Development and Peace—*Caritas* Canada (DPCC)." He adds, "Each of these organizations will work with local agencies in Lebanon to ensure your donations bring targeted and effective relief to those who are suffering. To donate or for more info, see: Aid to the Church in Need Canada: www.acn-canada.org/, or 1-800-585-6333 ext. 228; CNEWA Canada: www.cnewa.org/ca/, or 1-866-322-4441; Development and Peace-*Caritas* Canada: www.devp.org/en/, or 1-888-234-8533

Following the **Eucharistic Congress in the Archdiocese of Halifax-Yarmouth**, the pericardium relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis will travel to Ontario with events in Toronto and Ottawa. Pilgrims can come to venerate the relic and participate in moments of reflection, music, and personal prayer. Pilgrims will also be able to encounter Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration, which was Blessed Carlo's deep desire.

Fri, Nov 1st – Ottawa (Notre Dame Cathedral, 385 Sussex Dr)
• 8:00pm-1:00am – **Highway to Heaven (Young adult social)**

• NOTE: Relic of Carlo Acutis arrives in Ottawa on Nov 2nd

Sat, Nov 2nd – Ottawa (Notre Dame Cathedral, 385 Sussex Dr)

• Noon – Relic of Blessed Carlo arrives in Ottawa

• 1:00 – 4:30 pm: Veneration (open to all)

• 4:30 – 6:30 pm: Mass

• 7:00 – 9:30 pm: Veneration and Adoration

Marriage Preparation Course – Catholic Engaged Encounter November 1-3 Cost is \$200. The CEE program gives engaged couples the opportunity to discover the deeper meaning of the Sacrament of Marriage and the importance of God in their relationship. CEE English Canada East-Courses are via Zoom. Please see website for more information. www.ceeeast.org

Marriage Preparation Retreat-Marriages for Mary November 8 at 6 pm until November 10 at 12:00 pm
The Marriage Preparation course that we offer will prepare you for the Sacrament of Matrimony. A certificate of completion is given at the end of the course. For info, visit www.marriagesformary.com or email marriagesformary@gmail.com

Catholic Singles Hiking Meetup Nov 9 from 1-4 pm
Meeting at NCC P2 Greenbelt Parking Lot (off Carling).

Quo Vadis? Where Are You Going? Is the Lord calling you to serve him as a priest? Join other men discerning the priesthood for monthly formation, fellowship, and Eucharistic Adoration on November 14 at 7:00 pm at the new Café des Tours, located in the basement of Notre Dame Cathedral in Ottawa. For more information, contact Fr. Connor O'Hara, the Vocations Director for the diocese, at vocations@ottawacomwall.ca

Parish Support:

Sunday Offerings in September 2024 \$26 031.00
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