

SCRIPTURES FOR SUNDAY 06 NOVEMBER 2016

(Liturgical Year C)

32ND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: 2 Maccabees 7.1 – 2, 7, 9 – 14*The King of the universe will raise us up to a resurrection of eternal life.***Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2.16 – 3.5***May the Lord strengthen your hearts in every good work and word.***Gospel: Luke 20.27, 34 – 38***He is not God of the dead, but God of the living.*

This Week

Saturday, October 29 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. Mass for Rolly Hammond req. by Joe & Ghislaine Legari

5:00 p.m. Mass for a Special Intention req. by a Parishioner

Sunday, October 30 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Mass for the People of the Parish

10:00 a.m. All Saints Family Activity

11:00 a.m. Mass for the living and deceased members of the Staniszewski Family

Monday, October 31

9:00 a.m. Mass

Tuesday November 01

9:00 a.m. Mass

7:00 p.m. Bytown Voices

Wednesday November 02 Mass at Notre Dame High School

9:00 a.m. Mass

7:15 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday, November 03

9:00 a.m. Mass for a special intention

7:00 p.m. Youth Group/Confirmation Meeting

Friday, November 04

9:00 a.m. Mass for a special intention

8:00 p.m. AA – By the Book

Saturday, November 05 32nd t Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. OCSB Children's Choir

5:00 p.m. Mass for the late Anne Janigan req. by Anna Janigan

5:00 p.m. Mass for a Special Intention req. by a Parishioner

Sunday, November 06 32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Mass for the People of the Parish

11:00 a.m. Veteran's Mass**TIME CHANGE**

A reminder that next weekend we set our clocks back. Enjoy that extra hour of sleep Sunday morning!



Parish News

A NOTE FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Parishioners:

After 40 years in the Diocese of Ottawa it is time for me to take a sabbatical. I will be leaving in January when my replacement arrives.

My Community – Missionaries of the Holy Family has asked me to look into another possibility in the near future. This means that I will not be returning to St Basil's Parish.

Once again I thank all of you for your kindness and support during my stay here.

Christ's Peace & Joy

*Fr Dan Hawkins M.S.F.***ADORATION**

We resumed our First Friday Devotions under a new format. We begin with Mass at 9 a.m. Immediately following Mass we have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. All parishioners are invited to join us on the first Friday of each month for this very important part of our Catholic Spirituality.

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

All war veterans planning to attend the Mass of Remembrance on Sunday November 6, 2016 at 11 o'clock are requested to assemble in the church hall by 1045 hrs for a short briefing prior to proceeding into the church as a group. The dress is blazer and flannels or suit, with medals. A reception will be held in the church hall following the Mass. If a veteran requires a caregiver's assistance, this aide may accompany the veteran to the front pew. Everyone is welcome.

TODAY'S QUOTE*"...See God in all, Serve God in all, Love God in all."**Blessed Mother Maria Teresa – Feast Day 30 October***SAVE THE DATE!**Save the date!!! Please mark **Sunday****November 27th** at 7:00 p.m. in your calendars.

The choir will present a service of scripture and music to start the season of Advent. More information will follow in November.



MINISTRY OF CARE

The Ottawa Pastoral Care Training Program will offer a Continuing Education Event on **Tuesday, November 1**, at 1.00 - 3.00 pm or 7.00 - 9.00 pm at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 371 Woodroffe Ave. The title is "The Positive Interface Between Alzheimer's and Spirituality" The presenter will be John Moran who has been a multi-faith hospital based chaplain for over 25 years in Montreal and Ottawa. He will share his findings respecting the spiritual care of the elderly living with dementia. Registration is not required. \$15.00 cost will be covered by St. Basil's. Contact the Parish Office

SOCIAL ACTION

The Social Action Committee is looking for a volunteer to act as a liaison between our committee and a reconstituted Board of Directors at the Ottawa West End Community Chaplaincy. The Board's first meeting will take place Wednesday, November 16th at 10:00 am at the Bethany Baptist Church (Baseline/Centrepointe Dr.). Interested parishioners are asked to contact the Parish Office

'KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS'

After all Masses throughout the month of November, The Knights of Columbus will be selling beautiful spiritual Christmas Cards at great prices. Please support this initiative and 'Keep Christ in Christmas'.

"Whatsoever you do..."

"God doesn't ask us to do great things. He asks us to do small things with great love" - St Teresa of Kolkata

MISSION & SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE

From the Diocese**CLOSING OF THE DOOR OF MERCY**

Mass for the official closing of the local Archdiocesan Door of Mercy will take place at Notre Dame Cathedral on Sun., Nov. 13, 7:30 p.m. before the Sunday evening Mass.

EMERGENCY AID FOR HAITI

The Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace – Caritas Canada has launched an emergency fundraising campaign for Haiti. Bishops across the country are encouraging their parishes to organize a special collection to assist the people of Haiti who are again impacted by a major natural disaster. CCOOP has already sent \$50,000 from its Humanitarian Fund to Caritas Haiti. The Development and Peace involvement with the Caritas network will provide food for 2,700 families hit by the hurricane and help reduce the risk of spreading infectious diseases. Funds raised will be used to meet the need for sanitation, water, shelter and food as well as basic non-food items in the most affected regions of the country.

PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

32ND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME ~ OCTOBER 30TH ~ *For an increase in vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, that young people will be open to God's call in their lives, and respond generously to give their lives to Him in the service of the Church.*

From the Community**40 DAYS FOR LIFE,****A TIME TO PRAY AND FAST FOR THE END OF ABORTION**

In Ottawa, **Sept. 28 – Nov. 6**. Join in prayer, fasting and ministry of presence to intercede for an end to abortion in Canada. A prayer vigil takes place across from the Bank St. abortion facility daily, 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Info: 613-299-2515 or <https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/ottawa/>

ANCOURA

Ancoura is opening a new home in early November. We have received many donations to furnish the home. We are still looking for items, particularly those items that make for a comfortable home: a set of new towels and washcloths for the three residents, a shower curtain, bath mat and toilet brush; bed linen for three single beds, a first aid kit, a dish drainer with cutlery holder, place mats and tea towels, a broom, dustpan and mop, a garbage can or clock or clock radio and a television. For more information, please contact Liz Tyrwhitt, 613-233-8130 or liz.ancoura@gmail.com

SPIRITUAL GIFTS WORKSHOP, 'CALLED AND GIFTED'

Come and discover the charisms the Lord has given you for others and for the glory of God. At St. Mary Parish, 100 Young St. Presented by Fr. Sean Wenger, CC and Sue Cummins from Catherine of Siena Institute. **Fri., Dec. 9, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. & Sat., Dec. 10, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.** Cost: \$35 for individual and \$60 for couple. Info and registration: Sr. Penelope 613-729-8710 or sisterpenelope@yahoo.com ;

DESSERT CARD PARTY IN SUPPORT OF THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC EXPERIENCE AT IMMACULATA HIGH SCHOOL

An evening of cards, desserts, tea and coffee on **Thurs., Nov. 17, 7:00 p.m. at St. Basil Parish Hall, 940 Rex Ave.** Meet the students, enjoy dessert and maybe win a door prize. All proceeds to support the service projects undertaken by Immaculata High School students during their social justice experience in the Dominican Republic. Cost: Table of 4/\$100 or \$30/person. RSVP by Nov. 3 susan.kehoe@ocsb.ca . Cheques payable to Immaculata High School.

DYING WELL

A day of spiritual Reflections on "dying well". Guidance through a booklet with suggestions for the seriously ill, family members and medical teams. Facilitator: Sr. Rosemary O'Toole, CSJ. Galilee Centre, Arnprior, Nov. 12, 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Cost: \$45. Register by Nov. 5. Info: (www.galileecentre.com); (613-623-4242 x21); (info@galileecentre.com).

CONCERT AT NOTRE DAME CATHEDRAL

The Ottawa Classical Choir, under the direction of Michel Brousseau, will sing W. Amadeus Mozart's Requiem with Maria Knapik, soprano, Stéphanie Pothier, alto, Steeve Michaud, tenor and Marc Boucher, bass. The Société philharmonique du Nouveau Monde orchestra will accompany the Choir. **Sat., Nov. 26, 8:00 p.m.** Tickets \$35 & \$45 (<https://occmozartrequiem.eventbrite.ca>). Info 613-241-7496.