

SCRIPTURES FOR SUNDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2016

(Liturgical Year C)

FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING

First Reading: 2 Samuel 5.1 – 3*The elders anointed David as king over Israel.***Second Reading: Colossians 1.12 – 20***God has transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son.***Gospel: Luke 23.35 – 43***Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.*

This Week

Saturday, November 12 33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

3:00 p.m. Brown/Jenkins Wedding

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

Sunday, November 13 33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

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

11:00 a.m. Mass for the People of the Parish

Monday, November 14

9:00 a.m. Mass for Deceased Members of the Bridge Club

9:30 a.m. Bridge Club Reception

7:00 p.m. OCSB Children's Choir

Tuesday November 15

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

7:00 p.m. Bytown Voices

7:00 p.m. RCIA

Wednesday November 16 Mass at Notre Dame High School

9:00 a.m. Mass at Notre Dame High School

7:15 p.m. Worship Commission Meeting

Thursday, November 17

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

Friday, November 18

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

8:00 p.m. AA – By the Book

Saturday, November 19 Christ the King

1:00 p.m. Choir Practice

5:00 p.m. Mass for Joyce Erskine on the 9th anniversary of her death req. by Gerald Erskine**Sunday, November 20 Christ the King**

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

11:00 a.m. Mass of Thanksgiving for prayers and support to The Cheung Family during Catherine's illness



Parish News

PRE-AUTHORIZED DONATIONS (PADs)

Are you away for extended periods of time, weekends, or traveling? Have you considered signing up for the automatic payment program? It is a simple way to continue to support the parish while you are away on holidays. As we are well aware, costs continue to rise and maintenance is an ongoing issue. To take advantage of our Pre-Authorized Donation (PADs) program and ensure uninterrupted regular donations, please complete a pre-authorized request form, found on the table at the back of the church. Attach a copy of a blank cheque marked "VOID" and indicate the amount you wish to be deducted from your account on a monthly basis and return it to the parish office. Do you wish to change the amount you are donating via PAD? Follow the same procedure with new amount filled in. For more information, call the parish office at 729-5149 ext. 200

MASS AT MEDEX

The next Mass at Medex Extencicare will be next **Tuesday November 22** at 10:30 a.m. There will be no Mass at St Basil's that morning, parishioners are invited to worship with the residents at Medex.

CWL

St. Basil's Council of the Catholic Women's League of Canada is holding a membership drive during the month of November. ALL women of the Parish are invited to join us. Meetings are held on the second Saturday of November (2016), January, March and May (2017) at 11:00 am in the room under the sacristy. A potluck lunch will be held in June 2017. You may support us with your annual fee of \$25 even if you feel you are not able to attend the meetings. Please use the cut-off on the bulletin insert of November 5/6 to remit your fees. Following all the Masses this week-end, a member of the CWL will be in the narthex to answer any questions you might have and to receive the membership of anyone who wishes to join.

'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'.

TODAY'S QUOTE

"...When we walk without the cross, when we build without the cross and when we proclaim Christ without the cross, we are not disciples of the Lord. We are worldly. We may be bishops, priests, cardinals, popes, all of this, but we are not disciples of the Lord...."

Pope Francis – brainyquote.com

WE WAIT IN HOPE...

Please come and bring a friend on **Sunday November 27, 7:00 p.m. *We Wait in Hope as Mary Did.*** A service of song, scripture and reflection for Advent. Refreshments to follow.

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 Bethany Baptist Church (Baseline/Centrepointe Dr.). Interested parishioners are asked to contact Kevin Smith at 613-226-6092.

MISSALS

The new Missals for 2016/17 are available for purchase in the Narthex. Please put your **\$5.00** for each missal in the wooden box on the table. There are also a limited number Children's Missals available at a cost of \$5.00 each as well.

MISSION & SOCIAL JUSTICE NEWS

~ Celebrating Saint Kateri – an event for Families after the 9 a.m. Mass on **November 13**. We will have a special activity to celebrate the first Native American to be recognized as a saint by the Catholic Church and as part of recognizing the work of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission. We will have a story and the children will make Crosses from twigs they have collected. Please take a moment to collect some nice twigs with your children (2 per child) suitable for a small Cross. Yarn will be supplied. There will be twigs available for those who have forgotten theirs.

~ Please join the friends and supporters of Multifaith Housing Initiative (MHI) to celebrate National Housing Day at Jean Pigott Place in Ottawa City Hall on **Sunday, November 13, 2016 at 2:30 p.m.** Followers of all faiths are invited to participate, with Patrons from Muslim, Jewish, Baha'i, Hindu and Christian traditions, who will share their perspectives on the meaning of compassion and the importance of taking action.

~ We will also celebrate the significant progress on two new MHI initiatives: The Haven, a 98-unit affordable housing community in the Longfields area of Barrhaven, and Veterans House, which will house homeless veterans on the former Rockcliffe Airbase. For more information, please visit www.multifaithhousing.ca

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 this **Sun., Nov. 13, 7:30 p.m.** before the Sunday evening Mass.

ENDING OF THE YEAR OF MERCY

We will celebrate Solemn Vespers to mark the close of the Year of Mercy at Notre Dame Cathedral on **Sat., Nov. 19, 7:00 p.m.** All are invited to attend.

PRESBYTERAL ORDINATION OF LUCIEN CAMPEAU

At paroisse Saint-Pierre-Apôtre, Hawkesbury on **Fri., Nov. 25, 7:00 p.m.** All are welcome. *First Mass on Sat., Nov. 26, 4:00 p.m.*

PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

CHRIST THE KING ~ NOVEMBER 20 ~ *That Christ the King, who has brought peace through the blood of His cross, will choose many men and women from our midst to preach redemption by the forgiveness of sins as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life*

"Whatsoever you do..."

NATIONAL HOUSING DAY - fosters dialogue and understanding among people of different faith communities on homelessness and affordable housing. Join Multifaith Housing Initiative in a celebration at Ottawa City Hall, today Sunday Nov. 13th at 2.30 p.m

MISSION & SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE

From the Community**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 Street. 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.** \$35 for individual and \$60 for couple. Info and registration: Sr. Penelope 613-729-8710 or sisterpenelope@yahoo.com

SAINT PATRICK'S YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

An evening of faith and fellowship for young Catholics, ages 18-35. **Fri., Oct. 28, 7:00 p.m.**, in the Scavi. Guest speaker: Professor Gregory Bloomquist. Topic: "Sacred Scripture – The Soul of Theology". Info: scavisessions@gmail.com ; <https://www.facebook.com/groups/scavisessions>

CELEBRATING THE END OF THE YEAR OF MERCY

On **Thursday, Nov. 17**, St John the Apostle Church (2340 Baseline Rd) will hold a special thanksgiving service to mark the end of the Jubilee Year of Mercy. Beginning at 7:00 pm it will include exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and Mass. Confession will be available. The celebrant will be Msgr. Robert Latour.

PRO-LIFE MASS

The monthly Mass to pray for the establishment of a Pro-life Centre in Ottawa takes place on **Sat., Nov. 19, 9:00 a.m.** at Divine Infant Parish, 6658 Bilberry Dr., Orleans. Info: (613-831-2515).

NIGHT OF WORSHIP AND MINISTRY

Speaker: Fr. Francis Donnelly. St. Mary Parish, 100 Young St. **Fri., Nov. 25, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.** Prayer teams will be available. Reception to follow. Info: Lise Going (613-728-9811, ext. 720); (night.worship.ministry@stmarysottawa.ca).

CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN OUTREACH ANNUAL FOUNDER'S DINNER FUNDRAISING GALA

At St. Anthony's Banquet Hall, **Thurs., Nov. 17**. Registration & cocktail hour at 6:00 p.m., dinner & program at 7:00 p.m. RSVP required: (cco.ca/ottawagala) by Nov. 10. Info: (613-736-1999 x150); (missions-events@cco.ca).