

SCRIPTURES FOR NEXT WEEKEND
SOLEMNITY OF THE HOLY TRINITY

First Reading: Exodus 34.4 – 6, 8 – 9

The Lord, a God merciful and gracious.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 13.11 – 13

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

Gospel: John 3.16 – 18

God sent his only-begotten Son in order that the world might be saved through him.



This Week

Saturday, June 03 Pentecost Sunday

4:15 p.m. Individual Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Mass for a special intention

Sunday, June 04 Pentecost Sunday

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

10:00 a.m. Children's Lit Pentecost Celebration

11:00 a.m. Mass for the People of the Parish with the Baptisms of Damian Gravelle & Michaela Myles

Monday, June 05

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

9:30 a.m. Caring Ministries Communion Breakfast

6:00 p.m. OCSB Children's Choir Auditions

8:00 p.m. AA – Westboro Step

Tuesday June 06

10:30 a.m. Mass at Medex

7:00 p.m. Worship Commission Meeting

Wednesday June 07

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

1:00 p.m. Retirees Cards & Games

7:15 p.m. St Basil's Choir Practice

Thursday, June 08

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

Friday, June 09

9:00 a.m. Mass for Edmund Moyle req. by Murray Moyle

8:00 p.m. AA – By the Book

Saturday, June 10 Pentecost Sunday

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

4:15 p.m. Individual Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Mass for the People of the Parish

Sunday, June 11 Pentecost Sunday

9:00 a.m. Mass

11:00 a.m. Mass for Mary Finlan req. by St Basil CWL

12:00 p.m. Volunteer Brunch

Parish News

VOLUNTEER BRUNCH

Members of Pastoral Council invite all volunteers to our volunteer brunch to say thank you for all your efforts on behalf of St. Basil's. Please pick up a ticket in the narthex for each person attending and put it in the envelope to help us count attendees. Hope you can make it!

Date: 11 June 2017 Time: Noon

Place: Parish Hall

RESERVE THE DATE

Sun. 04 June, 10 a.m. Children's Lit Pentecost Sunday Outdoor Celebration

Sun. 04 June, 7:30 p.m. Pentecost Evening Prayer

Mon. 05 June 9:30 a.m. Annual Caring Ministries Communion Breakfast

Wed. 14 June 10:30 a.m. NDHS Closing Liturgy

Sun. 11 June noon Volunteer Brunch

Sun. 25 June 12:15 p.m. Reception to thank Heather Reid

PASTORAL COUNCIL

The St Basil's Pastoral Council is a consultative body which coordinates with the Parish Priest and his staff, the planning and implementation of the objectives of the Parish. The Pastoral Council is called upon to share with the Pastor the building up of the Body of Christ and is concerned with the overall welfare of the parish family. It addresses all aspects of parish life and is responsible for liaising and coordinating with the various ministries and committees of the parish. It does not become involved in day to day operations as the implementation of the Pastoral Council policies is entrusted to Parish staff, ministries and committees. Please thoughtfully and prayerfully consider lending your talents to Pastoral Council to make St. Basil's the best it can be.

PENTECOST EVENING PRAYER

Evening Prayer will be celebrated at St. Basil's on Pentecost **Sunday, June 4th at 7:30 p.m.** as we close the Easter Season. Please come out and bring along a friend for this special Evening Prayer.

ALTAR CLOTH CARE

Communion cloth washing volunteers needed. We are sending out a call for help washing the communion cloths on a one month rotation. We have had a couple of resignations and would appreciate more help. Please leave your name and phone number with the office or email judyyoung@sympatico.ca

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

Beginning the first weekend in July there will be two weekend Masses. The Masses will be Saturday evening 5 p.m. and Sunday morning 10 a.m. The weekday Masses remain the same at 9 a.m. Monday to Friday, alternate Tuesdays you are invited to attend Mass at 10:30 a.m. at Medex.

CARING MINISTRIES

Our annual joint communion breakfast will take place on **Monday June 5th after the 9.00 am mass**. We hope to also share some of what has emerged from Imagine St. Basil's as it concerns the caring ministries. Hope to see you there.

From the Diocese

PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

8TH SUNDAY OF EASTER ~ JUNE 4 TH ~ PENTECOST SUNDAY ~ For an increased devotion to the Holy Spirit among our young people, as He leads them in their prayerful discernment to discover their vocation in Christ.

DIOCESAN FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

At Notre Dame Cathedral, **Thurs., June 8, 7:30 p.m.** To commemorate the Marian Congress of 1947, held to celebrate the 100th anniversary of our diocese, and the Consecration of Canada to the Blessed Mother which occurred during that congress, we will have a short procession from the Chapel at the Mother House of the Sisters of Charity of Ottawa to Notre Dame Cathedral. Leading the procession will be a replica statue of Our Lady of the Cape identical to the one that was used in the consecration of Canada to the Blessed Mother seventy years ago. Procession with designated parish family or Religious with parish or religious banner, beginning at the Chapel of the Mother House of the Sisters of Charity of Ottawa, 27 Bruyère at 6:45 p.m.

Liturgy Corner

During the Mass the church (*Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy* # 7) teaches us that Christ is present in four modes:

- 1) In the **assembly** gathered to worship: "Where two or three are gathered together in my name, there I am in their midst." (Matthew 18:20)- How do we recognize ourselves as the Body of Christ?
- 2) In the **Word** proclaimed; so how we proclaim and praise is of utmost importance, from the quality of the sound system to the preparation of the lectors
- 3) In the **Eucharist**: the consecrated elements of bread and wine: Augustine said in his Sermon 272 "Be what you see; receive who you are"- be bread broken for others= the Body of Christ; receive, be nourished by the Body of Christ.
- 4) In the person of the **priest** when he is presiding at Mass

"Whatsoever you do..."

Pope Francis recently told us; "Like the disciples, we too are sent forth to encounter others, to hear their joys and sorrows and to offer them words of life and hope."

MISSION & SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE

A Note from Fr Ross

Most of us who have memories of Pope Paul VI tend not to think of him as enthusiastic and energetic. The following talk on the Holy Spirit puts that impression aside. Sorry for the lack of inclusive language.

The Breath of the Holy Spirit

We have asked ourselves on several occasions what are the greatest needs of the Church....

(The Church needs): the Spirit, the Holy Spirit, the animator and sanctifier... her divine breath, ...her unifying principle, her inner source of light and strength, her support and consoler, her source of charisms and songs, her peace and her joy....

The Church needs her perennial Pentecost; she needs fire in the heart, words on the lips, prophecy in the glance. The Church needs to be the temple of the Holy Spirit.... She needs to feel within her, in the silent emptiness of us modern men, all turned outwards because of the spell of exterior life, charming, fascinating, corrupting with delusions of false happiness, to feel rising from the depths of her inmost personality ... the praying voice of the Spirit, who, as St Paul teaches us, takes our place and prays in us and for us "with sighs too deep for words," and who interprets the words that we by ourselves would not be able to address to God....

Living men, you young people and you consecrated souls, you brothers in the priesthood, are you listening to us? This is what the Church needs. She needs the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit in us, in each of us, and in all of us together, in us who are the Church.... So let all of you ever say to him, "Come!"

Paul VI, General Audience, November 29, 1972
(Tr. from L'Osservatore Romano, December 7, 1972)

From the Community

OTTAWA CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD - SCHOOL BOARD TRUSTEE VANCANCY

The Ottawa Catholic School Board is seeking applications from individuals qualified to serve as a Board Trustee to fill a vacancy in Zone 7 (Kitchissippi/Bay) from June 20, 2017 - November 30, 2018. According to the Education Act of Ontario, the Board has 90 days to appoint a new Trustee once a position has become vacant. Interested candidates who meet the qualifications should submit an application no later than 10:00 a.m., Mon., June 5. Eligibility qualifications & applications forms: (<http://ocsb.ca/trustee-vacancy>).

EUTHANASIA PREVENTION COALITION

Screening the documentary "The Euthanasia Deception" near Parliament Hill on **Tues., June 6, 7:00 p.m.**, 131 Queens St., Room 7-52. Trailer: (www.VulnerableFilm.com). Info: (519-439-3348); (1-877-439-3348); (info@epcc.ca); (www.epcc.ca).

