SCRIPTURES FOR NEXT WEEKEND PENTECOST SUNDAY

First Reading: Acts 2.1 – 11

All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12.3 – 7, 12 – 13 *In the one Spirit we were baptized into one body.*

Gospel: John 20.19 - 23

As the Father has sent me, so I send you. Receive the Holy

Spirit

This Week

Saturday, May 27 Ascension of the Lord

4:15 p.m. Individual Reconciliation

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

Sunday, May 28 Ascension of the Lord

9:00 a.m. Mass for George Janigan req. by Lucille Janigan

9:00 a.m. Group First Communion 10:00 a.m. 1st Communion Reception

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

Monday, May 29

9:00 a.m. Mass for a special intention 6:00 p.m. OCSB Children's Choir 8:00 p.m. AA – Westboro Step

Tuesday May 30

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

Wednesday May 31

9:00 a.m. Mass for a special intention
1:00 p.m. Retirees Cards & Games
7:00 p.m. K of C Round Table Meeting
7:15 p.m. St Basil's Choir Practice

Thursday, June 01

9:00 a.m. Mass for Marcelle DuBroy req. by Family

7:00 p.m. Youth Group Meeting

Friday, June 02

9:00 a.m. Mass for Euclid & Irene Bonneau req. by John &

Mary Audcent

8:00 p.m. AA – By the Book

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 11:00 a.m. Damian Gravelle Baptism 11:00 a.m. Michaela Myles Baptism

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

GARDEN TRAILER

Are you downsizing and wondering what to do with your garden trailer? Perhaps you are purchasing a new one and need to find a new home for the old one. Our custodian has need of a garden trailer that will fit on the back of our lawn tractor. If you have a garden trailer that you would like to donate to the church please call the parish office at 613-729-5149.



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. 28 May, 9 a.m. First Communion Group Celebration

with Reception

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

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.

YOU ARE INVITED

To our First Friday Devotions. We begin with Mass at 9 a.m. Immediately following Mass we will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. All parishioners are invited to join us this **Friday June 2nd** for this very important part of our Catholic Spirituality.

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.

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.

TOILETRIES

The CWL would like to remind Parishioners that the collection of toiletries for St. Joseph's Centre ends this **Sunday**, **28 May 2017**. Thank you to all who have contributed to this endeavour. Four trips will have been made to the Centre with three large bags of items each time. The staff and clients of the Centre have been most grateful for all the items they have received. Thank you to everyone who has donated!

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

RECONCILIATION EVENT

The *Mission and Social Justice Committee* invites parishioners to mark the 2nd anniversary of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission Calls to Action by attending the Kairos Kitchi ('really big') blanket exercise on Parliament Hill **Friday 02 June 2017**. Cultural events start at 3:30 p.m.; the exercise at 5:30. Details at https://www.kairoscanada.org/event/kitchi-blanket-exercise

From the Diocese PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER ~ MAY 28TH ~ ASCENSION OF THE LORD
That seated at the right hand of His Father in heaven, the Lord
will generously share His spirit of wisdom with all those now
discerning their vocation and open the eyes of the hearts in
faithfulness.

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.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS PHOTOS

Photos from the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass, held Sunday, May 14 at Notre Dame Cathedral, are available on the Diocesan website:

https://www.flickr.com/photos/153088138@N06/sets/72157681128257902

Liturgy Corner

Before Vatican Two do you remember what part of the Mass you had to be at for it to 'count'?

In popular piety, if you missed the Liturgy of the Word it wasn't so important, as long as you were there for the consecration during the Eucharistic Prayer. Happily that notion was entirely undone with the reforms of the Council. Now the Sunday Eucharistic celebration has four distinct parts: Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist and the Concluding Rites. The Liturgy of the Word and the Liturgy of the Eucharist are the most important and both feature the presence of Jesus Christ (more on this in a future bulletin). We are to fully participate in all four parts of the celebration.

From the Community EGG CARTONS

A west end food bank is in need of empty egg cartons. If you have any to donate, please leave them by our food room door in the basement. Thank You.

THE COUNCIL ON AGING OF OTTAWA 8TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON SPIRITUALITY AND AGING

'Loneliness and the Renewal of Hope'. **Wed., June 7, 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** at 1247 Kilborn Pl. An interfaith exploration of the relationship between spirituality and aging. A half day conference especially for seniors and caregivers.

ST. PATRICK'S HOME OF OTTAWA

Seeking volunteers to help out as Pastoral Visitors and Mass Escorts. Availability required is 9:30 - 11:30 a.m., one day per week, Monday - Friday and Sunday. Also seeking Palliative Care Visitors for Saturdays and 'on call'. Contact: Kathy Thompson, Manager of Recreation and Volunteers 613-731-0094 ext. 235.

SUGGESTIONS ON RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL BURIAL SITES AND INQUIRY INTO MISSING AND MURDERED INDIGENOUS WOMEN AND GIRLS

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB), in consultation with the Canadian Catholic Aboriginal Council and Our Lady of Guadalupe Circle, is proposing that Catholic dioceses/eparchies, parishes, missions and organizations offer assistance on two key issues which are of special importance to Indigenous People and of concern for all Canadians: identifying, documenting, commemorating and protecting residential school cemeteries and related burial sites; assisting the National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls.

"Whatsoever you do..."

Social justice is integral to our faith commitment.

(Catholic Social Thought)

MISSION & SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE