

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 19, 2018

The wisdom of God has set a feast for us. Let us rejoice and give thanks.



Baptismal Preparation Ministry

We are currently seeking new members to join the team to assist families prepare for the reception of this Sacrament for their child and loved ones.

Baptisms are held the last Saturday of the month (2:00-4:00 pm) and one or two preparation sessions are held at the church (usually) between 10:00-11:00 am on Sundays prior to the day of the celebration. Volunteers to this ministry could assist at the Baptism ceremony itself, or with the preparation sessions... no one is expected to do it all and the commitment is flexible to your schedule. Training will be provided and students requiring volunteer hours are welcomed. Please consider stepping forward to this very rewarding ministry – it is a way to share your gifts with the families of your parish. Please contact Carol-Ann Alphonse-Trudel at gs-respmin@bellnet.ca or call the parish office at 613-824-4394.

Good Shepherd Parish Bible Study. The Fall session, beginning the week of September 10, 2018, for 10 weeks, will study "Women in the Old Testament". The course, using materials prepared by Little Rock Scripture Study, is offered 3 times a week - Monday evening, Wednesday morning and Wednesday afternoon. Application forms can be found on the bookshelf at the back of the church. Please apply by August 3, 2018. For further information contact gsbiblestudy@rogers.com

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:

Young family with 3 school age children living in hotel, looking for storage space for couch, double bed and some personal belongings. If you can help please call Sarah Laundry at 343-777-3966. Sarah also has experience cooking so would be happy to do special baking, catering or other volunteer work.

LOL - Thanks to everyone who has participated in our Ladies on Lunch initiative. Our next gathering will be the third Wednesday in September, the 19th, at 11:30 am. The luncheons are an excellent opportunity to meet each other in an informal gathering and ladies of all ages are welcome. We hope you'll mark the date on your calendar and look for more details in September's bulletin.

Commemorating the Faithful Departed in the Archdiocesan Cemeteries : At Notre-Dame Cemetery **Sun., Sep. 9, 2:30**

p.m. celebrated by Archbishop Prendergast. At Hope Cemetery **Sun., Sep. 23, 2:30 p.m.**, celebrated by Archbishop Prendergast. Info: Notre-Dame Cemetery (613-746-4175); Hope Cemetery (613-822-1212).

Offering for August 12, 2018

Sunday Envelopes:	\$ 2101.00
PAC/Visa/MC	\$ 2660.00
Loose:	\$ 610.00
Total Collection:	\$ 5371.00

Our financial requirements are approx. **\$8,000** per week to support our approx. **\$2,000** a week mortgage payment.



YOU ARE INVITED!

Sometimes invitations lead us to totally unexpected experiences...to a life of peace, faith, and hope.

If you have **never been baptized** and find yourself attracted to the Catholic faith, come and explore the possibilities of becoming a member of the Roman Catholic Church. If you **have been baptized** in another faith tradition, this journey can lead you to full communion with the Catholic Church. If you were baptized in the Catholic faith but have **never received the sacraments** of Eucharist and Confirmation, come and inquire about how to become fully initiated in the Church. Do you attend Mass with your **Catholic spouse**? Are your **children preparing** to receive the Sacraments? *This invitation is for you too!*

The **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (R.C.I.A)** is a process by which one can answer God's invitation!

Good Shepherd Parish offers R.C.I.A., a process of learning and discussion held in the context of prayer, shared experiences, and the Word of God!

Starting in the fall we will meet each **Thursday from 7:00p.m - 8:30 p.m.**

If you feel this invitation may be intended for you (or someone you know), please call Kimberley Waara for more information. 613-590-7613.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - Registration Open

Good Shepherd Parish enrolment for Levels 1 and 2 of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) is open for the Fall 2018-Spring 2019 session. CGS is a Christ-centred program that introduces children to biblical and sacramental themes in a way that embraces their youth, joy and capacity for prayer. CGS sessions take place in a Montessori environment called an atrium, located at the parish. Level 1 is designed for children aged 3, 4 and 5, while Level 2 is for those aged 6, 7, and 8. Level 1 sessions will take place on Thursday OR Saturday mornings, while Level 2 sessions will take place on Thursday evening OR Saturday afternoon.

Do you have children or grandchildren in this age range whom you'd like to send to this weekly 1.75 hour program which begins after Thanksgiving? Please contact Beth Jaz at [613-590-9741](tel:613-590-9741) or beth.jaz4@gmail.com or Sarah MacDonald-McLean at [613-424-2133](tel:613-424-2133) or smacdo03@gmail.com for additional details on this wonderful program. Registration forms can be found in the gathering space, in the parish office, or on the parish website.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 18– Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Anticipated Vigil Mass)

5:00 pm †George Timko req by Bobbi & family
†Verona Pereira req by the family
Intention of Father Shroff req by a Parishioner
Intention of Deacon Wayne Lee req by a Parishioner

Sunday, August 19 – Twentieth Sunday on Ordinary Time

9:00 am For Our Parishioners
11:15 am †Edna Wilson & Frank Szila req by Gloria Marshall
Intention of Geoff & Louise Clark on their 50th
Wedding Anniversary
Mass of Thanksgiving for Magloire Segla req by the family

Monday, August 20 – Memorial, St. Bernard, Abbot, Director

9:00 am †Pierre Thérien req by John & Mariette Ledo

Tuesday, August 21– Memorial, St. Pius X, Pope

9:00 am Intention of our new Pastor, Father Virgil req by the
Divine Mercy Cenical at St. Isidore

Thursday, August 23 – 20th Thursday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am †Brian Finn req by Sean & Anna May O’Carroll
†Henri Gagnon req by Fergus & Claude MacDowell

Friday, August 24 – Feast, St. Bartholomew, Apostle

9:00 am †Marcos Yniguez req by Ernie & Marian Sy

Saturday, August 25 – Twenty First Sunday on Ordinary Time

(Anticipated Vigil Mass)

5:00 pm †John MacDonald req by Gordon & Linda Willick
†Verona Pereira req by Theo & Joan
Thanksgiving mass for Blessings Received req by Mike
& Magda Baillot
Deceased members of the CWL

Sunday, August 26 – Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am †Frank Faure req by Carol Faure
†World War II Veteran Colombe Girard req by George
& Fern Casey-Thomson
†Marc Renault req by Dr. G.M. Lusignan
11:15 am For Our Parishioners

Please pray for our sick; Deacon Dan Careau, Joe MacDonell, Jean Scharf, Romina Andrews, Lorretta Dillon-Robinette, Monica Rios, Jean-Ella Lemire, Maurice Lemire, and Michael Nortey.

Please pray for our deceased, that they may be received into God’s love

Notre Dame Cathedral Guided Tours: Free guided tours of the Cathedral during the summer months. The schedule of guided tours can be found at notredameottawa.com.

Info:info@notredameottawa.com or 613-241-7496.

Hope Cemetery seeking a Counsellor for families: This is a full-time, permanent position. A copy of the job description can be found on the Archdiocese of Ottawa web site

(<https://www.catholicottawa.ca/employment-opportunities>). Send C.V. along with three professional references to Ms. Julie Marcil, Director of Cemeteries (julie.marcil@hopecemetery.ca). No phone calls. We thank all applicants for their interest, but only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.