

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Be Reconciled to God" (2 Cor 5:20)



CHURCH PHOTO ALBUMS: have arrived and can be picked up after weekend masses.

After families who had their photos taken have received their albums, additional albums will be available for sale.

Saturday January 24th

4:30 pm For the special intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

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Sunday January 25th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Mariette Forgues by Lynda & Mike Dillon & family

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of Carole LaHaise from her friends at the Ladies Dinner Group

Tuesday January 27th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Dr. Michael Sullivan by Fr. Tim

Wednesday January 28th Mass at St. Thomas 9:00 am

Thursday January 29th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Ronald Byrne by the Pastor

Friday January 30th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Colette Vaillancourt by the Beaupre family

Saturday January 31st

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Colette Vaillancourt by Kristine Steele & family

Sunday February 1st

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Martin Huismans by John & Lisa Serjak

10:45 am For the special intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY:

Mon., Jan. 26 - First Communion/Confirmation Prep 6:30 pm hall

Tues., Jan. 27 - Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm

Wed., Jan 28 - PPC Meeting 7:00 pm hall

Thurs., Jan. 29 - Youth Choir Practice 7:45 pm

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

Sun., Feb.1 - Presentation of children to be Baptised 9:00 am Mass

Mon., Feb 2 - First Communion/Confirmation Prep 6:30 pm hall

Tues., Feb. 3 - Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm,

Wed., Feb. 4 - Baptismal Preparation Meeting 7:00 pm hall

Thurs., Feb 5 - Youth Choir Practice 7:45 pm

YOUR OFFERINGS FOR

January 18, 2009 - \$2941.81

(Average weekly collection needed to cover all expenses: \$3,000.00)

Thank you for your generosity and Thank you for your generosity & support

- **◆LENTEN BIBLE STUDY** for the Pauline Year: Paul's Letter to the Corinthians on Wednesdays March 4th, 11th, 25th and April 1st. Required reading is the commentary from Ignatius Press for \$11. Please sign up early (in the foyer) so we can order these commentaries.
- ◆THEOLOGY ON TAP RUSSELL IS BACK! For a Valentine's Special on Marriage on Sunday, February 15th at 5 p.m. at Russell House. Come hear Charles and Christine Labrosse present on "Putting into Practice Ephesians 5: St. Paul's Teaching on Mutual Submission and Forgiveness."
- ♦ ALMS FOR THE POOR BOX: Donations for our Alms for the Poor Box for the months of January, February & March will be donated to the Emergency Assistance Fund. THANK YOU!
- ♦ WANTED CLEANER: We are in need of someone to clean the Parish. If you are available Mondays and would like a part-time position please call Kristine in the office for details 445-3054.

SPIRITUAL LIBRARY:

New Adult Book: God's Armor - Mother Nadine

New Adult DVDs: Becket - Richard Burton, Peter O'Toole Catholicism 201: a Catholic Follow-up to the Alpha Course (3 DVDs) - Fr. James Mallon, Jesus and the Shroud of Turin - Questar, Miracle at Moreaux - Loretta Swit, Marsha Moreau, 11 new Veggie Tales DVD's.

◆ ALTAR SERVERS: NEXT WEEKS SERVERS

Jan, 31st - 4:30 pm Laura, Kristina, Marie-Eve

Feb, 1st - 9:00 am Richard, Wesley, Luke

10:45 am Alex, Caitlin, Zachery

Please arrive 15 minutes prior to Mass. Thank you for your loving service to Our Lord.

January 25, 2009



Ken Gaydamack, Norita Trottier, Tom Egan, IN OUR PRAYER Cory VandenHanenberg, Teresa Morris, Jack Tyo and Gilles Benoit.

> If you would like a name added to this list please call the office.

- ◆ SIGN OF PEACE: In the flu and cold season people are reminded that the rite of peace does not necessarily have to be expressed by a handshake. A simple greeting is acceptable
- ◆ NEXT SOUL FOOD SATURDAY: Feb. 14th from 2:45 pm. - 4:00 pm. in the Church Hall. All youth ages 9 - 13 are welcome. Come learn more about your Catholic faith and have fun too. Mark your calendar



COFFEE SUNDAY: Please remember this is a service to the parish. It is your donations that will keep it viable.

Sunday January 25th will be hosted by:

9:00: No Volunteers

10:45: St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic High School

Sunday February 1st will be hosted by:

9:00: The Blenkarn Family 10:45: The Tanguay Family

CALENDAR OF DATES FOR SACRAMENTS OF FIRST **EUCHARIST & CONFIRMATION FOR THIS PASTORAL YEAR**

Rite of Enrolment

Saturday, March 7th - 4:30 pm Mass Sunday, March 8th -9:00 am & 10:45 am Masses

Celebration of the Sacraments of First Communion & Confirmation Saturday, April 25th at 4:30 pm Mass Sunday, April 26th at 9:00 am & 10:45 am Masses Sunday May 2nd -10:45 am Mass

Parish Program: Saturday, May 3rd at 10:45 am Mass

- ◆ PRAYER CHAIN: If you are in need of prayers, we will put you on our Prayer Chain. Please call Cherry 445-5529.
- **♦** AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWAL... a convenient and efficient way to make weekly or monthly offerings! The sign up sheets are available in the foyer or for information call the office.

MOTHER TERESA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

is now in the process of accepting new registrations for September 2009 in junior and senior kindergarten. Mother Teresa School offers an immersion french program from junior kindergarten to Grade 5. The immersion program will continue to expand each year, over the next year to grade 6. We continue to offer an extended french program in grade 1 to grade 6. If you have a child that will be four of five years of age on or before December 31, 2009 and are interested in registering at our school, please contact the school as soon as possible at (613)445-3788 or 1-888-263-2715. Students currently attending junior kindergarten are automatically registered for September 2009. Please note that an on site daycare is available five days a week for alternate day junior and senior kindergarden students.

Friday January 30th - PA Day, No school

★ KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Substance Abuse Awareness Contest Open to children ages 10 - 14. Contest closes Thursday January 29th. For more information go to http://www.jacksonville.ca

OTHER:

- ◆ PRELIMINARY REGISTRATION For full or part time junior kindergarten at École St-Joseph in Russell for September 2009, if your child will be 4 years old by December 31st 2009. Please contact the school secretary at (613) 445-2947
- **→ THEOLOGY ON TAP:** "Capitalism and Christianity: Cooperation or Conflict?" by Richard Bastien, Tues., January 27, 7:30 p.m. SHARP, Malone's Bar and Grill, Dow's Lake (1001 Queen Elizabeth Dr). Info:(www.ottawatheologyontap.com).
- **♦ ANXIETY & DEPRESSION SEMINAR:** St. Patrick's Basilica (220 Kent St.), Mon., Feb. 16, 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. (use ramp entrances). Mike Glugosh, of Midwest Center for Anxiety & Depression, once suffered from both but now promotes a 16-step cognitive coping technique for overcoming struggles with anxiety and depression. Info: (613-233-1125). Free.
- ◆ 40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN: During Lent, Feb. 25 Apr. 5. In repentance for all the victims of abortion, the Campaign consists of prayer, fasting, and peaceful vigil during the entire 40 days. With the endorsement of His Grace Archbishop Prendergast, all parishes are invited to participate. Info: Campaign Life Coalition (613-729-0379);

(www.40daysforlife.com/ottawa/). Next info meeting: St. Patrick's Basilica (basement), Feb. 3, 7:00 p.m.