

ASCENSION OF THE LORD (C)

Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 19th

4:30 pm. Repose of soul of Michael Jarzab by Kaczmarek family

Sunday, May 20th: Ascension of the Lord

9:00 am. Repose of soul of Niurka Da Silva by Fr. Tim & Pastoral Care Team

10:30 am. Special intentions of parishioners by Pastor

Tuesday, May 22nd: Saint Rita of Cascia

7:00 pm. St. Jude by José Martin

Wednesday, May 23rd at St. Thomas Aquinas High School Chapel

9:00 am. Repose of soul of Rev. Bernard Vekeman by Fr. Tim

Thursday, May 24th: Blessed Louis-Zéphirin Moreau

9:00 am. Repose of soul of Francis Meagher by Fr. Tim

Friday, May 25th: Saints Bede the Venerable, Gregory VII & Mary Magdalene de Pazzi

9:00 am. Repose of soul of Michael Jarzab by Kaczmarek family

Saturday, May 26th

4:30 pm. Special intentions of parishioners by Pastor

Sunday, May 27th: Pentecost

9:00 am. Repose of soul of Ron Belleville by Belleville family

10:30 am. In thanksgiving by Louise & Guy Noël

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY'S . . .

Monday: Victoria Day

Thursday: Introduction to Catholicism, 7 pm. Sacristy

KOC General Meeting, 7:30 pm. Hall

Friday: Eucharistic Adoration, 9:30 am. - 12 noon

Saturday: Pilgrimage to St. Joseph Oratory, Montreal

Sunday: Pentecost Sunday; Coffee Sundays: 9 am. Cemetery Committee & 10:30 am. Pastoral Care Team

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES AT OUR LADY'S . . .

Thurs., May 31st: Diocesan Feast, Notre-Dame Cathedral-7:30 pm.

Fri., June 1st: Eucharistic Adoration, 9:30 am. - 12 noon

Sat., June 2nd: First Saturday Mass, 9 am.; Parish Nomination Process, 4:30 Mass; Pastoral Works of Holy Father Special Collection

Sun., June 3rd: Trinity Sunday; Pastoral Works of Holy Father Special Collection; Parish Nomination Process; Presentation of children to be baptized, 10:30 Mass; Coffee Sundays: 9 am. Youth Group & 10:30 am. Parish Pastoral Council; Russell Food Bank Donation Sunday

Wed., June 6th:

Year end school Mass, St. Thomas Aquinas - 10 am. & 1:15 pm.

Thurs., June 7th: Baptismal Preparation Meeting, 7 pm. Hall

KOC Executive Meeting, 7:30 pm. Kitchen

Fri., June 8th: Eucharistic Adoration, 9:30 am. - 12 noon;

Potpourri Concert, 7 pm. St. Thomas Aquinas High School

Sat., June 9th:

Potpourri Concert, 7 pm. St. Thomas Aquinas High School

Sun., June 10th: The Body and Blood of Christ; Corpus Christi Procession after 9 am. Mass; 60th Anniversary Celebration of our Parish; Parish Picnic, Keith Boyd Park - 12 noon

Tues., June 12th: Year end school Mass, Mother Teresa - 9:00 am.

Wed., June 13th: Youth Choir Practice, 7 pm. Church; Temporal Affairs Council Meeting, 7 pm. Church

Thurs., June 14th: CWL Pot Luck Supper, 6 pm. Hall & Kitchen; Introduction to Catholicism, 7 pm. Sacristy

Fri., June 15th: Eucharistic Adoration, 9:30 am. - 12 noon

Sat., June 16th:

Parish Volunteer Appreciation Night-Rectory, 7:00-9:00 pm

Sun., June 17th: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Father's Day;

Coffee Sundays: 9 & 10:30 am. CWL; Baptisms, 11:45 am.

ALTAR SERVER'S SCHEDULE

NEXT WEEKEND

Sat., May 26th - 4:30 pm. Hayden & Marie-Eve

Sun., May 27th - 9:00 am. Kimberley, Cassandra & Deanna

10:30 am. Mitchell, Alexandre & Katie

Please arrive 15 minutes prior to Mass.

Thank you for your loving service to Our Lord.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: TUESDAY NOON to Church Office: olmm@bellnet.ca or fax 613-445-9839.

Church Directory is found in pamphlet rack of Foyer

PLEASE NOTE

We Serve Fair Trade Coffee!



Please remember this is a service to the parish.

It is your donations that will keep it viable.

This Sun., May 20th:

9:00 hosted by St. Thomas Aquinas High School

10:30 am. hosted by the Catholic Women's League

"BRING A FRIEND TO CHURCH SUNDAY"

NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 27th

Let us designate Pentecost Sunday as "Bring a Friend to Church Sunday." All of you have some friends or neighbours who are non-practising Catholics, who perhaps have not been to Church for years because they have simply drifted away, and no one has invited them back. Now's your chance to evangelize-gently, indirectly, casually!!

◆ **REMINDER: EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE FUND** Alms for the Poor Box donations go to Our Lady of His Mercy Apostolate, a drop-in centre for the poor in Ottawa. Read about what they are and what they do on their website at www.hismercy.ca.

◆ Our parish is hosting the **2007 RUSSELL ECUMENICAL VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** to be held Aug. 13- 17th. Student and adult volunteers are needed- teachers, leaders, & transporters alike!

Info: Allison Fortier, allison@afortier.com or Karen Urlocker, 445-2962.

YOUTH NEWS



SOUL FOOD SATURDAY is cancelled for June and will resume in the fall.

2007 POTPOURRI presents- "BLESSED" on Fri., June 8th & Sat., June 9th at 7 pm. St. Thomas Aquinas High School Atrium. Tickets are available after all Masses and at Pronto, Foodland, & Heaven's Creations.

MONTH OF MARY DEVOTIONS: Join us in the month of May to recite the rosary before weekday Masses & Saturday's 4:30 Mass.

◆ **FAREWELL GATHERING FOR ARCHBISHOP**

GERVAIS: All parishioners are invited to attend a Farewell Mass in his honour *Thurs., May 31* at 7:30 pm. Notre Dame Cathedral to express our thanks to Archbishop Gervais for many years of service to the people of the Archdiocese of Ottawa. A reception will follow.

PARISHIONERS NEEDED FOR THE DIOCESAN FEAST DAY:

Four parishioners are required to attend, two to carry the parish banner and two to present wishes (see below) to the Archbishop. Please call the office if you are interested in participating on behalf of the parish.

A SPIRITUAL BOUQUET is a gift of prayers and sacrifices fathered and offered for someone. On behalf of our parish we will be presenting a Spiritual Bouquet Card to Archbishop Marcel Gervais upon his retirement. If you would like to contribute to the Spiritual Bouquet please indicate your offering on the sheet in the Foyer.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION continues Fridays 9:30 am to 12 noon.

Join us every first Saturday for Mass at 9:00 am.

◆ **PARISH PASTORAL CALENDAR 2007/08:** Any organization within the Parish that needs events placed into our upcoming Pastoral Calendar (Sept. 1/07-July 1/08), should provide that information to the office by *June 15th*.



ST. THOMAS AQUINAS HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Web Site: www.sta-russell.com

Thurs., May 24th: Athletic Banquet

Fri., May 25th: Safe Grad

Wed., June 6th: Year end school Masses, 10 am. & 1:15 pm.

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): This is a program for those wishing to explore becoming a Catholic, and for those Catholics who have not yet been confirmed. If you know of anyone who would be interested please have them call the

Parish Office at 445-3054 for information and enrollment. Sessions begin this fall.

YOUR OFFERING

May 12/13 - **\$2,581.50**

Thank you for your generosity & support.

(Average weekly collection needed to cover all expenses:

\$3,000.00)

Making a Will - A Lasting Legacy: Please consider a gift to your Parish in your will as a lasting and beneficial testimony of faith.

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Mark your calendars!
CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

Sunday, June 10th

after the 9 am. Mass

in addition to the

**CELEBRATION OF THE 60th ANNIVERSARY
OF OUR PARISH**

with a **Parish Picnic** at Keith Boyd Park
on Louck's Dr., Russell at 12 noon

Come and enjoy lots of food, fun & friends!



Dave Phillips, Catharina Forgues and Melanie Blanchfield. *(If you would like a name added to this list please call the office)*

◆ **HOME BLESSING:** If you would like your new home blessed, Fr. Tim would be glad to visit and bless your home. Please call the office to let us know what time suits you.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LOBSTER & STEAK DINNER is taking place at St. Thomas Aquinas High School on *June 30th*. Tickets: \$50 each available downstairs after 10:30 am Mass from the Knights.

Pick up your tickets NOW while they last!

◆ Join us for our 4th **ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE WALK** to the **HOLY SITES** of Ottawa on *Sun., June 3* at 1 pm. We meet at St. Theresa for 1 pm. to begin our pilgrimage to St. Patrick's Basilica, St. Mary's, St. François-d'Assise, along the Ottawa River and end at Notre Dame Cathedral. Each walker is responsible for their own food/drink and transportation to and from downtown (under 16 yrs age must be accompanied by an adult). It has been a tradition that after the walk we share a meal at one of the downtown restaurants (walkers are responsible for their own meal). Info: 613-445-1357.

◆ **CHECK OUT OUR "NEW" COMMUNITY SERVICES BULLETIN BOARD** for parishioners downstairs in the Church Hall. Parishioners are welcome to advertise or just take a look at our local goods and services.

OTHER INFORMATION RECEIVED

◆ **PILGRIMAGE TO ST. ANNE DE BEAUPRÉ** organized by St. Mary's Chesterville, June 20-22. Cost per person \$220-room & transportation (meals not included). Maximum 52 persons. Register by May 28/07 with check payable to St. Mary's. Forms are on back bulletin board.

◆ **CHECK OUT THE WEEKLY FRIDAY FAX** from the Diocesan Centre posted on the bulletin board at the back of the Church.

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