



## SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)

*Diocesan Theme* "Called for Holiness, the Saints Among us"

*Parish Theme* "Encounter Christ. Share Him with Others."

### Mass Intentions

#### **Saturday, May 30th**

**4:30 p.m.** For the special intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

For the special intentions of Richard James by the Staff & Students of St. Thomas Aquinas

#### **Sunday, May 1st**

**9:00 a.m.** For the repose of the soul of Wendy Satterley by the O'Byrne Family

**10:45 a.m.** For the repose of the soul of Norm DuHamel by Monique and Carl Burnham

#### **Tuesday, May 3rd**

**7:00 p.m.** For the special intentions of Kanil Grudzien by Jacob & Basia Horovitz

#### **Wednesday, May 4<sup>th</sup> at Mother Teresa**

**8:35 a.m.** For the repose of the soul of Helena Gartland by the Mother Teresa Catholic School Community

#### **Thursday, May 5th**

**9:00 a.m.** For the intentions of Ludwig Auer by the Parish

#### **Friday, May 6th**

**9:00 a.m.** For the repose of the soul of Don John Stone by the Urlocker/Lalonde Family

#### **Saturday, May 7th**

**4:30 p.m.** In thanksgiving for our Mothers, Grandmothers and Godmothers by the James Family

#### **Sunday, May 8th**

**9:00 a.m.** For the special intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

**10:45 a.m.** For the repose of the soul of Marjorie Thomas by Joe, Michelle & Natasha Baechler



Tony Petersen, Micheline Gray, Karina Grudzien, Shawn English, Paul Beaupre, Warren Hamm, Nancy McDonald, Laura M., Monica Baker, Gilles Gauthier and Justin McKenna

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### **PASTOR'S CORNER**

I would like to share with you some Easter comments by Catherine Doherty of Madonna House: "the weeks from Easter to Pentecost are weeks of tremendous Christian joy: the joy of knowing that the Lord is risen to everlasting life, and the incredible joy of sharing his resurrection through baptism. Consider the immense joy of possessing the Eucharist, food from heaven; the joy of living with our minds lifted up to the supernatural world; the deep realization that we have divine life and can live supernaturally; and the joy of being witnesses in this world to the risen Christ."

But then she adds, "I don't think we fully realize what it is to live in the resurrected Christ" Then she gives one example: "since Christ is resurrected . . . even a problem impossible to solve, is possible to solve." All things are possible with God! He raised Christ from the dead!

May the Resurrection of Christ make a difference in our lives and fill us with hope that God can do something *new* in our lives – tomorrow can be different than today. "Just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so too we might walk in *newness* of life" (Romans 6:4). The risen Christ wants to do something new in our lives, our families, in the Church. Let us rejoice and be glad!

In Christ, Fr. Tim

**MARCH FOR LIFE on May 12th:** Come and be a part of the Civil Rights Movement of the 21<sup>st</sup> century. Join us on our parish trip and publicly bear witness to the Sanctity of human life. Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup>: 8:30 a.m. -- Bus departs from OLMM. 10:00 a.m. -- Mass at St. Pat's Basilica. 12Noon - Gather on Parliament Hill. 1:30 p.m. - - March begins. 2:30 p.m.. Bus returns to OLMM. Please call the parish to sign-up and fill the bus!

#### **YOUR OFFERINGS FOR**

**April 17<sup>th</sup> - \$4545.00**

Thank you for your continued generosity to our parish.  
It is appreciated!

## **MAY 1, 2011**

### **THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY'S**

**Tuesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>** - Adult Choir Practice 7:30 p.m., ACE 7:30 p.m., Sacramental Preparation 7:30 p.m. Hall,

**Wednesday, May 4<sup>th</sup>** - Mother Teresa Catholic School Easter Mass 8:35 a.m., Small Christian Communities 7:30 p.m.

**Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup>**—CWL Executive Meeting 7:00 p.m.-Kitchen

**Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup>**- Small Christian Communities 9:45 a.m.-Kitchen, First Friday Adoration 4:00 p.m. 24 Hours

**Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup>**- All Day Adoration until 4:00 p.m.

### **NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY'S**

**Tuesday, May 10<sup>th</sup>** - Adult Choir Practice 7:30 p.m., ACE 7:30 p.m., Sacramental Preparation 7:30 p.m. Hall,

**Wednesday, May 11<sup>th</sup>** -Mother Teresa Catholic School Easter Mass 8:35 a.m., Temporal Affairs 7:00 p.m. Kitchen, Small Christian Communities 7:30 p.m.

**Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup>** -CWL General Meeting 7:00 p.m.-Hall, K of C Executive Meeting 7:30 p.m.-Kitchen

**Friday, May 13<sup>th</sup>** -Small Christian Communities 9:45 a.m.-Kitchen,.

**Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup>** - K of C Breakfast after both Masses

### **♦CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK AT ST. THOMAS;**

The week will start with a Mass at Holy Cross parish in Kemptville at 11am on Monday. Tuesday, Chris Vonesch will accompany all of his grade 12 religion classes on a pilgrimage to the home of St. Andre of Montreal: St. Joseph's Oratory. This is a trip is made twice each year to ensure that each grade 12 student has the opportunity to experience this wonderful Canadian pilgrimage site. Wednesday is Grade 6 orientation day at St. Thomas, and Thursday evening is the open house science fair for our grades 7 & 8 students. We expect to host hundreds of our students' family members and friends for this event, and look forward to the excitement! And finally, the week will culminate with the weekly parish mass at OLMM with two of our high school classes: Mr. Brookes' and Ms. Barrie's.

### **DIOCESAN WEEK FOR LIFE 2011-**

**May 8<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup>**

**Pro-Life Sunday**, May 8<sup>th</sup> will be the beginning of a week long celebration of God's most precious gift the gift of LIFE. This day is set aside each year by the archdiocese of Ottawa to bring the Church's teachings on critical life issues to Parishioners. A Pro-Life Sunday pamphlet, outlining some of those teachings and including a statement from our archbishop, is produced each year. This year our theme focuses on the humanity of the child and on how some life is protected but other life is not!

**♦24 HOUR ADORATION** will start on Friday May 6<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. and continue until Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m.

### **♦KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WILL BE SERVING**

**BREAKFAST** Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup> after both Masses downstairs in the church hall. In addition to our traditional scrambled eggs, pancakes, sausages, potatoes, and beans, our menu will include delicious omelets stuffed with your favorite toppings from our new omelet bar. The cost is \$6 for adults, \$3 for children, or \$20 for families (Mom and Dad, and Children living at home). Come and enjoy good food and fellowship.

### **♦WYD 2011 AND NET FUNDRAISING DINNER AND**

**SILENT AUCTION** WYD 2011 pilgrims and Jani Chartrand, who will be leaving for Ireland on NET in August 2011, will be holding a fundraising dinner and silent auction at the parish on May 21st, 2011. We are currently accepting

donations of items/services that we could auction off at the silent auction. Please prayerfully consider donating something to two worthy causes to support the youth of our parish!

### **OTHER INFORMATION RECEIVED**

**♦ International tour of VIANNEY drama coming to Ottawa May 9-10:** Performed by renowned actor and director LEONARDO DEFILLIPIS. The live theatrical portrayal of St. John Vianney, Patron Saint of Priests, incorporates projected video imagery and an original orchestral score to create a powerful multi-media experience that will inspire the whole community. Performances: Holy Redeemer Parish on **May 9, 7:30 p.m.** (Tickets available at [parish office](#)) and St. Patrick's Basilica on **May 10, 7:30 p.m.** (Tickets available at [Saint Patrick's Gift Shop](#). Ample parking for the May 10 performance available across the street at Saint Patrick's Adult School, 290 Nepean St). Admission: \$12 Adults, \$6 Youth/Students. Suitable for ages 9 & up. Info: ([www.vianneydrama.com](http://www.vianneydrama.com)).

**♦SPRING RETREAT FOR MEN & WOMEN:** Retreat Master: Fr. Murray Kuemper, Madonna House, Combermere. Theme: Mercy and Forgiveness. Friday, May 13, 7:30 p.m. - Sunday, May 15, 1:00 p.m.. Notre Dame de la Providence, Orleans. Fee: \$175. Reservations: Mrs.Suzanne Crapigna (613-828-9455). Sponsored by The Legion of Mary.

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