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April 21/22 2018
4th Sunday of Easter



Mass Times

Sunday 10am
Saturday 5pm
Weekdays 11:30am
(No Mass on Mondays)
Sacrament of
Reconciliation is half an
hour before Mass or by
appointment.

Pastoral Team

Pastor:
Fr. Tim Coonen, OMI
Pastoral Assistant:
Jane Staples
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Pastoral Council
Dorothy Wood
613-523-2829
Meetings: 1st Thur. 7:15p
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Evelyn Kelly 613-235-
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Hope Cemetery
613-822-1212
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613-746-4175

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Apr. 22 First Communion/Community Mass
Apr. 24 Laudato Si Series
Apr. 25 Confirmation Preparation, 7pm
Apr. 27 Youth Gathering, 7pm
May 3 Parish Council, 7:15pm
May 5 Spring Parish Clean-up, Pizza Supper
May 12 Fundraising Dinner

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. Apr. 21 5:00p Linda MacPherson by Janice Staples,
Antonio Mendonca by Amelia Mendonca,
Joe MacLean by Kaye Boone
Sun. Apr. 22 10:00a Intentions of all parishioners
Wed. Apr. 25 11:30a Eunice Brown by Theresa Newman
Sat. Apr. 28 5:00p Lucretia Noel by Janice Staples, Bernice
Hendley by Joe and Marion Lochnan
Sun. Apr. 29 10:00a Intentions of all parishioners
The Rosary is prayed at 11am before Daily Mass.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Tayson Emmanuel, Mario and Maureen Cerroni, Laura Westerman,
Nancy Jansen, Marie MacPherson, Chris Smith and family, Ping
Cai, Pasquale and Lidia Cotroneo, George Cull, Liam Elder, and
Michael Wink.

BAPTISM PREPARATION: Contact the Parish Office a minimum of 3 months before the baptism.

Baptismal instructions are required.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION: Contact the Parish Office to set up the initial interview. It is recommended that the first contact be a minimum of 6 months before the wedding.

DIRECT DEPOSIT DONATIONS: The forms are available at the back of the church if you wish to make donations to the church through direct deposit. Envelopes for special collections will still be provided.

PARISH REGISTRATION: The registration form is available at the back of the church or can be filled out online at <http://canadianmartyrs.org/register/>.

FOOD CUPBOARD: We collect non-perishable food items for the Centretown Emergency Food Centre on an on-going basis.

If you would like to **advertise** your business in our bulletin, please call 613-232-5347 or email office@canadianmartyrs.org.

Find us on Facebook : Canadian Martyrs Parish, Ottawa.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MINUTES: For your information, the minutes are available in a binder at the back of the church and at <http://canadianmartyrs.org/pastoral-council-minutes/>

Welcome to our guests and new parishioners who have chosen to be with us for this celebration.
As we worship and pray together may your experience among us be one of peace and joy.
If you wish to register, please fill out a registration card.

COLLECTION April 14/15 2018
Envelopes and Loose change: \$3627

Thank you!

FINANCES – Jan.1 to Feb. 28/18

	Actual	Budget
Revenue	\$33,551.69	\$31,850.00
Expenses	<u>\$42,890.08</u>	<u>\$39,555.00</u>
	\$ (9,338.39)	\$ (7,705.00)

OUR PARISH NEWS

SIGN UP FOR SPRING CLEAN-UP

On Saturday, **May 5th** we will be having our annual Spring clean-up from 9am to noon. Please bring mops, pails, Swiffers, rakes, etc. Please sign up at the back of the church and let us know if you can help with lunch.

LAUDATO SI SERIES

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops has published a resource on care for creation entitled Living Out Laudato Si: A Commentary and Practical Resource for Canadian Catholics, (http://www.cccb.ca/site/images/stories/pdf/Living_Out_Laudato_Si_En.pdf). All are welcome to attend a 6 session workshop series on this document in response to Pope Francis' invitation for us to engage in an open and honest conversation about our current crises concerning the environment, our economies and our societies. The series, led by John Dorner, will take place on Tuesday evenings, 7:30 to 8:30 pm, **April 24th through to May 29th**. To register, please call or email the office.

ATTENTION LADIES: BABY SHOWER

The Refugee Committee is hosting a baby

shower for Smerna and Faris who arrived from Syria 2 years ago. To help them acquire all the necessities for their baby girl, a baby shower will be held on Saturday, **April 28th** at 1pm. We would like to help them purchase a car seat, change table, crib and stroller. Please contact Mary Gilmour (marytgilmour@gmail.com or 613 821 4917) or the parish office if you have questions regarding what is needed. Please sign the sheet on the back table if you are able to attend so we may organize refreshments.

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED

Volunteer drivers needed to take seniors to doctors' appointments, sundries shopping, etc. If you are interested, please contact McE at 613-567-6418.

LOBLAWS GIFT CARDS

If you have received a \$25 reimbursement gift card from Loblaws please consider donating it so that we can help the poor in our community. You can drop the cards off at the office or include them in your donation envelope. Tax receipts are available. If you haven't already registered to receive a gift card, you can do so until **May 8th**. Find out more at www.loblawcard.ca.

FUNDRAISING DINNER

Our fundraising dinner on **May 12th** is to help raise money for an industrial dishwasher for our parish centre kitchen. Please sign up on the back table to reserve your spot. There is only room for 40! The menu is displayed at the entrances to the church. The dinner will cost \$75 per person and a tax receipt for \$35

will be issued. Please submit payment by **May 1st** to the office.

DIOCESAN AND COMMUNITY NEWS

SUMMER JOB

for student or graduate of Social Work program at the Centretown Emergency Food Centre, 507 Bank St.. Tasks will include interviewing and serving clients; supporting volunteers; maintaining daily client statistics; ordering food and supervising preparation of daily food supplies. 10 weeks, starting **June 4**. To apply, please send resume and covering letter to allisondinge@sympatico.ca before **May 14**. Only candidates to be interviewed will be contacted.

PRO LIFE

The next Masses on their journey to pray for the establishment of a Pro Life Centre in Ottawa take place on Sun. **April 29th** at 1:30pm, celebrating with the Nigerian Community at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, 400 St. Laurent Blvd. and Sat. **May 26th** at 10:00am, St. Peter Parish, 1640 Heatherington Rd.

THE STUART IVISON MEMORIAL LECTURE SERIES

continues this spring at First Baptist Church (140 Laurier at Elgin) on the theme of Christianity and the Public Sphere. On Wed., **May 2nd** at 7 p.m. Peter Landry will speak on Evangelical Equations: Christianity and the Environment. On Wed., **May 16th** at 7 p.m. speakers Dr. Andrew Bennett, Bruce Clemenger and Mike Hogeterp will share A Roundtable on Christianity and the Public

Sphere. Lectures are offered at no cost and all are welcome to attend.

SACRED MUSIC CONCERT

The Rideau Chorale, directed by Roland Graham, will be presenting a concert of sacred music at Southminster United Church (Bank and Aylmer) on Sat., **May 5th**, at 7:30pm. The program will include the Requiem by Maurice Durufle as well as his Quatre Motets sur des themes gregoriens (including Tantum Ergo and Ubi Caritas) and a number of short pieces by British composers based on texts from Scripture. Tickets at eventbrite.ca

FUNDRAISER - OUT OF THE COLD

"The Wild Cards" will perform on **May 12th**, at 2:00 pm at Knox Presbyterian Church, 120 Lisgar St., to raise funds in support of Out of the Cold, a program that provides hot meals to the hungry on Saturdays from November to March. This 17-piece big band and vocalist Peter Liu will bring you the music of Glenn Miller, Benny Goodman, Duke Ellington, and the Dorsey brothers among others. Tickets are \$10 in advance (www.knoxottawa.ca) or \$12 at the door. There will be room for dancing.

