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**May 19/20 2018  
Pentecost Sunday**

**MEETINGS AND EVENTS**

May 22 Laudato Si Series, 7:30pm  
May 23 Confirmation Preparation, 7pm  
May 24 Finance Committee, 7pm  
June 2 Pizza Supper  
June 7 Parish Council, 7:15pm



**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sat. May 19 5:00p** Antonio Mendonca by Amelia Mendonca  
Brian and Dora Aspelund by the Reaume  
Family, Colleen Hanley by Bob and Cathy  
Richer  
**Sun. May 20 10:00a** Intentions of all parishioners  
**Thurs. May 24 11:30a** Mr. and Mrs. Tony Brennan and Barbara  
by their family  
**Sat. May 26 5:00p** Callie MacDonell by Maurice MacDonell,  
Isabel MacLean by Kaye Boone.  
**Sun. May 27 10:00a** Intentions of all parishioners

**The Rosary is prayed at 11am before Daily Mass.**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK**

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

**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  
**Admin. Assistant:**  
Heather Duggan  
**Pastoral Council**  
Dorothy Wood  
613-523-2829  
Meetings: 1st Thur. 7:15p  
**Finance Committee**  
Bob Richer 613-738-4731  
**Development and  
Peace**  
Evelyn Kelly 613-235-  
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**Diocesan Centre**  
613-738-5025  
**Schools**  
Corpus Christi  
613-232-9743  
Immaculata HS  
613-237-2001  
**Cemeteries**  
Hope Cemetery  
613-822-1212  
Notre-Dame  
613-746-4175

**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 May 12/13 2018

Envelopes and Loose change: \$ 2977

**Thank you!**

FINANCES – Jan.1 to April 30/2018

	Actual	Budget
Revenue	\$74,741.89	\$67,775.00
Expenses	\$88,327.16	\$89,675.00
	\$(13,585.27)	\$(21,900.00)

## **OUR PARISH NEWS**

### **THANK YOU**

Thank you to everyone for making our fundraising dinner a success: the organizers, cooks, servers, dishwashers, and to all who came out to enjoy the meal and good company.

### **FUNDSCRIP FUNDRAISER**

Would you like to participate in an on-going fundraiser for the church's Poor and Needy Account? Fundscrip can most easily be thought of as a retailer of gift cards. Fundscrip earns a margin on each sale, which it splits with the participating organization – chiefly schools and faith-based organizations. The margin earned would range from 2% to 5% or more. Over 230 banners, including most major chains, offer their gift cards via Fundscrip.

*Please see the flyers in the pews for more information.* If you are interested in participating or volunteering to run this fundraiser, please sign up at the back of the church.

### **PIZZA SUPPER**

The last pizza supper until the fall will be on **June 2<sup>nd</sup>** after the Saturday Mass. Please join us before we take a break for the summer.

### **MASS ON THE GRASS**

Mark your calendars!! We will celebrate Mass outside on Immaculata's lawn on Sunday, **June 17<sup>th</sup>** if the weather permits. After Mass we will have a BBQ (rain or shine).

### **SISTERS OF SAINT ELISABETH CONVENT**

You are invited to have a look at handmade religious articles and souvenirs made by the Sisters of Saint Elisabeth Convent (Belarus) who will be visiting our parish on Fri. **June 15<sup>th</sup>**. All the goods are made with love and prayer and bring blessing to your home. You will support many people in need by purchasing items of devotions. Please see the posters on our bulletin boards for more information.

### **REMEMBER...**

Please remember in your prayers the children who are celebrating Confirmation. Miriam, Leo, Ellen, and Rowan will be confirmed on Sat. **June 2<sup>nd</sup>** at 2pm at Resurrection of Our Lord Parish, 1940 Saunderson Drive. You are welcome to attend.

### **PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY**

The Parish's Pastoral Care Ministry team wishes to express their genuine appreciation to the many parishioners who regularly assist with home visits, the distribution of communion, telephone calls, cards, and the transportation of parish members to mass, Parish events, and other situations in the many daily needs of our Parish. These gentle

kindnesses and the quiet manner of helping are acknowledged with gratitude.

A brief meeting of the Pastoral Care Ministry is scheduled for Thurs., **May 31<sup>st</sup>** from 1:15-2:30.. The purposes are to update all about current Ministry activities, needs, summer planning, and resources.

### **A MASS OF QUESTIONS**

Join Pierre LaViolette this fall as the parish offers a series on the Eucharistic celebration as a whole. The series will cover biblical, historical, liturgical and practical issues related to the Mass but will be built upon questions submitted by the participants to: [holycdnmartyrs@gmail.com](mailto:holycdnmartyrs@gmail.com). Join us on Thursdays, 7:00-8:30pm, starting **Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>**, for 8 to 10 sessions. You can register at [office@canadianmartyrs.org](mailto:office@canadianmartyrs.org) or 613-232-5347 at a cost of \$80. All proceeds will be going to the parish's Poor and Needy Account to support organizations in our city.

### **LOOKING FOR...**

We are looking for a parishioner to attend the meetings of the Renewed Relations Committee, renewing and fostering relationships between the Catholic Church and Indigenous people in Canada. Please call/email the office if you are interested in attending or email Gerry Kelly for more info: [gerrykelly@sympatico.ca](mailto:gerrykelly@sympatico.ca).

## **DIOCESAN AND COMMUNITY NEWS**

### **PRO LIFE**

The next Mass on their journey to pray for the establishment of a Pro Life Centre in Ottawa take place on Sat. **May 26<sup>th</sup>** at 10:00am, St.

Peter Parish, 1640 Heatherington Rd. The pilgrimage continues - Sat. **June 30** at 10 am, Holy Redeemer Parish, 44 Rothesay Dr, Kanata.

### **9TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON SPIRITUALITY AND AGING**

The Spiritual Journey of Life, **May 30**,| 8:45am - 1pm. Spirituality in our aging is the challenge to find meaning and hope in the experience of life, be it through relationships, nature, aesthetics or some expression of religious faith. Keynote Speakers: Louise Profeit-Leblanc, CCA; Anne Taylor, gsic; Discussion Facilitator, Dr. Lee McCoy \$15 for non-members, \$10 for members

### **GALILEE SUMMER PROGRAMS**

#### Little Design Rebirthing Experience

**July 2- 11.** Participants will be guided in the study of a contemporary commentary on the prophetic-mystical text of "The Eucharistic Letter" of Jean Pierre Medaille, S.J., Cost: \$990

#### Guided Contemplative Retreat, Aug. 13-17

This 5-day retreat is ideal for those seeking an extended time away from routines to allow for guided reflection on their relationship with God and self. Cost: \$450

#### Seven Day Directed Retreat, July 2 -11.

A directed retreat offers individual spiritual direction in an atmosphere of silence and prayer. Cost: \$690

To register or for more information on Galilee programs please call 613-623-4242 ext 21 or [info@galileecentre.com](mailto:info@galileecentre.com). (Some limited bursaries are available)