



**St. Joseph's Parish**  
An inclusive community

A Parish of the Oblates of  
Mary Immaculate  
since 1856

## St. Joe's Weekend Bulletin

October 12, 2014 – 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### Office Entrance

151 Laurier Ave. E.

### Church & Hall Entrance

174 Wilbrod St.

### Office Hours

Mon-Fri: 8am-7:30pm  
Sat: 11am-5pm

### Weekend Mass

Saturday 5pm

Sunday

9:30am & 11:30am

7pm University Mass  
(Sept-April)

### Weekday Mass

Wed/Thur/Fri at 12noon  
Sept—May 30 only

### Reconciliation

after noon Mass during the  
school year or by appt.

### Adoration

1st Fri. after noon Mass  
during the school year

### Parking

In lot beside Church and  
behind school. Sundays,  
Univ. Lot B is avail only  
before 2pm (enter off  
Cumberland between  
Wilbrod & Stewart).

### Daily Parking

ext. 221

### Hall/Facility Rental

ext. 251



O God, we thank you for this earth, our home;  
For the wide sky and the blessed sun,  
For the salt sea and the running water,  
For the everlasting hills  
And the never-resting winds,  
For trees and the common grass underfoot.  
We thank you for our senses  
By which we hear the songs of birds,  
And see the splendor of the summer fields,  
And taste of the autumn fruits,  
And rejoice in the feel of the snow,  
And smell the breath of the spring.  
Grant us a heart wide open to all this beauty;  
And save our souls from being so blind  
That we pass unseeing  
When even the common thornbush  
Is aflame with your glory,  
O God our creator,  
Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

By Walter Rauschenbusch

Scotiabank presents: St. Joe's Women's Centre  
**15th Annual Quality of Life Award**  
Honouring Mary and Kent Browne, Leanne  
Cusack and Hasa Mirchandani  
Thursday, Nov. 13. St. Joseph's Parish Hall.  
Reception: 5:30 pm, dinner 6:30 pm, tributes  
7:30 pm. Corporate Table \$1,200 (table of 8).  
Individual Tickets \$130.  
Former recipients \$100.  
www.eply.com/2014qualityoflife or Jennifer  
Clark or Marsha Wilson at 613-231-6722.

## Next Weekend!

### "St. Joseph's- Ours to Discover"

Saturday, Oct. 18

4:30 – 7 pm

Sunday, Oct. 19

9 am-2 pm



Come celebrate everything  
we do at St. Joe's!  
Ours to Discover is a  
chance to spend some time  
getting to know your parish!

- \*Tours
- \*Ministry Tables
- \*Activities for the kids
- \*Great people
- \*Good food

(You are welcome to bring some  
finger food or dessert)

**See you in the Hall!**

## Welcome!

Are you new to St. Joe's  
or a visitor? Please in-  
troduce yourselves at  
the Welcome Desk at  
the back of the Church,  
or contact Maria Virjee,  
613-234-6000,  
mvsali@magma.ca

### Registration

Forms can be found at  
the Welcome Desk

### Envelopes

Are provided upon regis-  
tration. Please mark  
your name clearly on  
front of envelope.

### Online Giving

Can't be bothered with  
envelopes? Sign up for  
auto-debit at Welcome  
Desk or through  
"Canada Helps" on our  
website under "About/  
donations"

### United Way

United Way  
#131771990RR0006

### Bequests

Remember the needs...  
Please consider including  
St. Joe's in your will.  
Thank you!!

**Development & Peace Diocesan Workshop**—Join us  
for the "SOW MUCH LOVE" CAMPAIGN WORKSHOP. As part of  
CARITAS' campaign against global hunger launched by Pope Francis,  
please come to the workshop at Holy Cross Parish, 685 Walkley Rd.  
with fellowship lunch Sat. Oct. 18, 10 am -1 pm. Alternative: Tues.  
Oct. 21, 6:30- 8:30 pm, rm. 108, Diocesan Center, 1247 Kilborn Place  
with light supper. Small family farms are vital to the world's food pro-  
duction but free access to seeds and land-grabbing are real threats.  
Please join our food sovereignty effort. Larry: ldmartin@sympatico.ca

**Kenya Tea on Sale**—Reminder: Next weekend  
is Mission Sunday, and we will be selling tea from Kenya  
after the Masses. This is tea that comes from Kenya, where  
the Oblates of Mary Immaculate Lacombe Province Canada  
have a Mission in Kionyo Parish – a parish with its own tea  
plantation. We are asking for your support. On Sunday, buy  
a package of tea for yourself and even another as a gift for a  
friend. The packages of loose tea are 80 grams of the best  
tea, for which we are asking \$10 each as a donation to our  
Mission

**Come Pray the Rosary:** Campus Rosary on Tuesdays at noon in the Church. You are also invited to join us for the Holy Ro-  
sary after the noon Mass on the following Fridays: Oct. 17, 24, 31.

# Weekly Events

## Sundays

—Masses at 9:30am & 11:30am + 7pm University Mass during the school year

## Mondays

—weekly 9:30am Christian Meditation 613-730-0108.

## Wednesdays

—English Conversation And Practice for New-comers to Ottawa 7-8:30pm (Sept - June) at 88 Main Street. 613-744-2429 or michaelrichard2008@hotmail.com

## Fridays

—weekly 7:30pm Christian Meditation 613-236-0155

—Catholic LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Persons), 2nd Fri/month SJcglgroup@gmail.com)

## Saturdays

—Vigil Mass at 5pm

### Our Financial Stewardship...COLLECTION for Oct 5, 2014 was \$5966.00

The work of our parish is supported through the generosity of our parish community. This includes the spiritual life of our faith community, care for those who come to our doors and efforts to promote social justice in our city, country and world. Like all budgets, our budget will be adjusted as necessary if we incur unforeseen expenses or receive additional funds or contributions of time, services or materials that reduce our costs or let us enhance our activities. We are grateful for every gift.

\*\*\*Please be sure to write the amount of your donation on your envelope. It really helps.

\*\* Envelopes are available in most pews for visitors who wish to use them.

## News from around the Table... The Supper Table

Donations were coming in all week from the Thanksgiving food drive! Thank you!

Guest quote: “After two years, I finally have work and can move out of the room. It will be so nice not to have to share a bathroom anymore!”

The donations of apples we received this week were a big hit. Thank you to those who picked them and shared.

The Sandy Hill Community Health Centre provides cooking lessons for people with limited budgets. In their cooking lessons, they teach with food bank resources. They need herbs and spices to help in the cooking. So if you are able, we are now adding the following to our regular needs: garlic powder, chili powder and/or “Italian” herbs

like thyme, basil, oregano or mixed “Italian seasoning.”

Also for the coming week, we do need garlic, luncheon meat, mayonnaise, salad dressing, lunch bags, and instant and regular coffee.

Next Chili Date: Oct. 26.

### Lunch hour on Oct. 17

11:30 am-1 pm. Join a group from St. Joe’s and the Supper Table at the corner of Laurier and Cumberland as we try to help people understand the needs of those Canadians living in poverty, as well as inviting people to let our federal government know that we need a national poverty elimination plan. Check out [www.ChewOnThis.ca](http://www.ChewOnThis.ca) “One in eight people in Canada struggle to put food on their table.” Contact Mary if you can be there.

Contact: Mary Murphy, Supper Table Manager, stjessuppertable@gmail.com or 613-233-4095 x240.

Tickets for Mouse Trap are available at the Welcome Desk!



### Journey to Justice By Joe Gunn Poverty in Canada remains deep and persistent

My daughter just can’t believe the poverty she has seen this past week.

I was a bit surprised at this news, when she reached us by phone. Here, after all, is a young woman who has travelled to Ecuador, Chile, Guatemala and Bangladesh, and completed her university degree. She had just left for a six-month stint, along with 17 other young adults from Nicaragua and Canada, to live with host families, learn each other’s customs, and work with social agencies. But my daughter wasn’t on the line from somewhere in the Global South. She

was calling from Hamilton, Ont.

Poverty in Canada remains deep and persistent — even if at times hidden. Nearly 3.8 million Canadians struggle to put food on the table every day. Approximately one in seven Canadians lives in poverty, but many of us never suspect the rate is that high. Imagine my own surprise to see a woman from our parish on the CBC national news, and discover how as a single mom she worked evenings as a caregiver making barely enough to cover babysitting costs for her daughter — whom I recognized in the previous Sunday’s first holy communion class.

(to continue readings, visit [www.prairiemessenger.ca](http://www.prairiemessenger.ca))

# THE MOUSETRAP

BY Agatha Christie

Presented by:



Ottawa Little Theatre

Performance takes place at:  
400 King Edward Avenue  
Ottawa, Ontario K1N 7M7

Sunday  
October 19, 2014

2 pm (doors open at 1 pm)

\$20 per person  
For tickets, contact 613-233-4095  
Proceeds go to St Joe's Supper Table



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### Chair of Parish Council

Christine Burton

## Resource Library

Books on the GOSPEL of MATTHEW include: Senior, Donald, *Invitation to Matthew: a Commentary* (BS2575.3.S46); Sherlock, Peta, *Inside the Gospels: New Commentaries...Year A* (BS2575.3.S5 1995); Trainor, Michael, *Matthew: a Gospel for Searching People* (BS2576.M38 1994).

The library is located on the 2nd floor of the Parish Office and is open during office hours or after Masses. Please check in with a staff member when visiting.

## Pastoral Visiting in Sandy Hill

The Pastoral Visiting Ministry is expanding to include home visits to parishioners in Sandy Hill. Please contact the Front Office Staff at 613-233-4095 if you know someone who would like a visit.



## One-on-One Healing Touch

Friday, Oct. 24 from 9:30-11:30 am the church. Are you feeling in emotional, physical or mental pain, anxious, in need of healing? Come and experience a 20-minute session of healing touch, followed by quiet reflection in the Healing Space of the church. Sessions given by Colette Chartrand, Clara Nasello, Helena Robb or Norah McMahon. Please sign up at the Welcome Desk or contact Norah at [norah.mcmahon@rogers.com](mailto:norah.mcmahon@rogers.com) or 828-1350 or If you need to cancel, contact Norah.

**Student Teachers** - Join the sharing with other student teachers and teachers as we look at how teaching and faith intersect. Sponsored by parishioner-teachers. Oct. 16 and Nov. 13 from 5:30-6:30pm. Enter at 151 Laurier.



**If you plan to request a Pastoral Letter or Catholic reference, please read about our application process:**  
[st-josephs.ca/pastoral-letter-requests](http://st-josephs.ca/pastoral-letter-requests)

**Pray for the sick:** Diane Bakker, Ruth McGrath, Mary Bingham, Ken Cooper, Cathy Shadbolt, Joan Tetreault, Nina, Tony Londero, Dermott and Betty Kingston, Barbara Nolan, Joseph Pestieau, Ed Biddiscombs, Hulim Abboud, Marie Abboud, Paul Sfeir, Jacques Sfeir, Samira Sfeir, Shamaila Javed, Romeo Malone, Velta Kimens, Kenneth Clark, Joseph Paul, Nazish Paul, Joshua Henry, Larry Haffner,

Grace Argyle, Rolande Belair, John Day, Joanne Daly, Sally Morrow, Joe Simone, Mrs. Ginet, Danielle Cossette, Cecelia Ryan, Jean-Claude Filion, Glen Coughty, Joanne Daly, Michael Nasello, Anathalie Guerrier, Marguerite Duverna, Cassandra Destin, John Banner Marc, David Obeid, Catherine Guinnane, Kenneth Kennedy, Larry Hoffner, and Katherin Nuss.

**Pray for those who have died:** Barbara Gallivan, Steve Katuk, Carmel MacFarlane, Ken Fletcher and Cherece Benoit, Laurie Eisenberg, Cameron Gallagher, Richard Harriman, Margaret Ann Martin, Bob Carty, Ekeocha Chiebuka Emanuella, and Jacinta Bélanger (in memory).

**To add a name**, please write in the Prayer Intentions binder at the Welcome Desk at Mass or Office.

**SYMPOSIUM—"The Global Cry of the People: Mining Extraction and Justice" Connecting: Church, Civil Society, Politicians and Mining** with guest speaker, theologian Father **Gustavo Gutiérrez**, considered the founder of Liberation Theology. Friday, Nov. 7, from 8:30 am-6 pm; Saturday, Nov. 8, from 9:30 am-2:30 pm. Amphitheatre, Saint Paul University, 223 Main Street. 613-230-2225 x 230

**Marriage Preparation:**  
Nov. 15-16, 9:30 am-4 pm. Register online.

## Sacraments as Energy: A Dialogue on New Models

- While the Sacred pervades the cosmos and human lives, sacraments are particular formal acts of a Christian community anchored in the person of Jesus the Christ. This workshop will explore exciting new ways of thinking about how the living God acts among humans, and how ancient traditions can be re-read to allow for new consciousness of the nature of reality itself. Saturday, Nov. 1, 9:30 am-1 pm. Cost, \$20. Presenter: Susan K. Roll. Coffee and registration, 9 am. Non-refundable registration fee of \$20 by Oct. 28. Kairos Spirituality-for-Social Justice Centre, 613-236-6557 or [kairos@bellnet.ca](mailto:kairos@bellnet.ca)

## Need info on:

- Baptism
- First Communion
- Confirmation
- Adult Initiation
- Marriage Prep
- Weddings

Visit website then contact Michelle Miller x 235 or [mmiller@st-josephs.ca](mailto:mmiller@st-josephs.ca)

### --Funerals

Sharon Gravelle [segravelle@bell.net](mailto:segravelle@bell.net)

### --Memorial Masses

contact the Front Desk

### --Pastoral Care or Anointing of the Sick

Contact the Parish Office or Fr. Andy Boyer.

## Our Bulletin

—Is also posted on our website each week.  
—Email submissions online at the website under "publications/bulletin/submission" by Wed noon.  
—To receive this Bulletin via email each week, contact: [frontdesk@st-josephs.ca](mailto:frontdesk@st-josephs.ca)

## Announcements

please send your one line Mass announcement to Jamie Loback at [jamieloback@yahoo.ca](mailto:jamieloback@yahoo.ca) by Thursdays noon. Longer announcements will be edited. In-person announcements will be considered on a case-by-case basis. Thanks.

# 2014 St. Joe's Women's Centre Christmas Drive

The Time Has Come  
To Make Wishes Come True...



The 2014 Christmas season is fast approaching! For many families it's a season of happiness and joy, but for the majority of our families, it's a time of struggle and worries. Many of the families who come to St. Joe's Women's Centre do not have the extra funds to provide a Christmas meal and a little something under the tree for their children.

**We invite you, your family, a group of friends or your office co-workers, to support one of our families during this Christmas season.**

**Typically, a Christmas Sponsorship consists of:**

**Mom:** pajamas, slippers, socks, bath set, gift cards

**Dad:** sweater, slippers, socks, razor set, gift cards

**Children (3 to 18):** pajamas, slippers, socks, mitts, craft kits, books, art supplies, games etc.

**Food items:** turkey, stuffing, vegetables, rolls, potatoes, juice, desserts.

St. Joe's Women's Centre offers many services to both women and their children. Some of our services include, but are not limited to: emergency food bank, access to laundry facilities, clothing boutique, daily breakfast, hot lunch, children's playroom, as well as various children's outings. We cater our services to women and children who are homeless, at risk of becoming homeless, disadvantaged, and/or who live in poverty.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you and your families a Happy Holiday season and to thank you for your continued support. Should you wish to sponsor a family or if you have any questions, please contact me directly.

Thank you,  
Isabelle Mackay, Program Coordinator  
St. Joe's Women's Centre , 613-231-6722 x 5  
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