



St. Joseph's Parish
An inclusive community

A Parish of the Oblates of
Mary Immaculate
since 1856

St. Joe's Weekend Bulletin

June 23, 2019 — Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ

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Church & Hall

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Office Hours

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

Weekend Mass

Saturday 5pm
Sunday 9:30am & 11:30am
7pm University Mass (Sept-Apr)

Weekday Mass

Wed/Thur/Fri at 12noon

Reconciliation

After noon Mass or by appt.

Adoration

1st Fri. after the noon Mass
in the Church.

Parking

—In our lot there is no need to pay meters while attending weekend Mass + 30 minutes after Mass. If you are parking for non-parish related activities, please pay the meter located at the southern end of the lot.

—Or park in U of O Lot B **only** on Sundays from 8am-2pm (enter off Cumberland between Wilbrod & Stewart). Get pass at Welcome Desk to display in car. Questions? Contact the Front Office at x251.

Reminder

St. Joe's is a busy place. Please do not leave valuables in plain sight in your cars, and please don't leave purses in the pews. If you find any items that could be lost, please bring them to the Welcome Desk.

Welcoming Georgeta Mutu, our new Parish Bookkeeper!



I am pleased to announce that Georgeta Mutu is joining the St. Joseph's Parish staff team as our new Bookkeeper. Georgeta is originally from Romania, where she obtained a Bachelor's degree in Economics from the Academy of Economic Studies in Bucharest in 1982. In Romania, she worked as an economist in the public sector and then later for

over a decade at major banks in Brasov County, Transylvania. Georgeta also has a diploma in Bookkeeping and Administration from Algonquin College. In Canada, she worked for seven years at the Alterna Savings and Credit Union, as well as within the Catholic Church, for the Canadian Conference Of Catholic Bishops (Concacan Inc.). Georgeta began her training in the Parish this past Friday and will formally begin her new job on 2 July 2019.

I would like to also take this opportunity to thank Saul Mendoza, our outgoing Finance Coordinator, for his work in the Parish over the past three years and for passing on his knowledge to Georgeta!

Welcome to our community, Georgeta!

Christopher Adam

Parish Executive Director

Welcome!

Are you new to St. Joe's or a visitor? Please introduce yourselves at the Welcome Desk at the back of the Church, or contact Maria Virjee, 613-234-6000, mvsali2@gmail.com

Registration

Forms can be found at the Welcome Desk.

Donation Envelopes

Are provided upon registration. Please mark your name clearly on front of each envelope.

Online Giving

Sign up for auto-debit at Welcome Desk or through "Canada Helps"

Don't like passing the basket empty-handed? Feel free to stop by the Welcome Desk each week as you enter Mass, and pick up a laminated donation card that you can drop in the basket as it passes.

Requests

Please consider including St. Joe's in your will.

Coffee Sales

Fair-Trade Coffee is sold near the Welcome Desk after each Sunday Mass. Bags (340g) are \$13. All proceeds directly benefit Development & Peace.

Support for Caregivers Workshop: Wednesday, June 26,

from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM — Are you caring for someone in your life? A spouse, a partner, a special-needs child, or parent? Or are you looking at that responsibility coming your way in the future? A caregiver support therapist will lead our reflection, sharing, and provide strategies and support to stay healthy. *Can't make it out in person? Join from wherever you are... home, phone, or computer. We'll be virtual too!* Questions? Wellness@st-josephs.ca



Need info on:

- Baptism
- First Communion
- Confirmation
- Adult Initiation
- Marriage Prep
- Weddings
- Young Adult (18-35)
- Pastoral Letters

Visit our website, then contact:

Andrew Pump x235 or
apump@st-josephs.ca

—Funerals

Andrew Pump
apump@st-josephs.ca

—Memorial Masses

Contact the Front Office

—Pastoral Care or Anointing of the Sick

Contact the Front Office
or Fr. Richard Beaudette

—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 the Front Office.

Financial Coaching Ministry

Are your finances
causing you stress?
You're not alone. A
little help can go a
long way to reduce
your stress and help
you regain control
and peace of mind.
Contact me at
coach@melanieforget.ca
or pick up a card
at the back of the
church.

Our Financial Stewardship...COLLECTION for June 16, 2019: \$7,953



News from around The Supper Table

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Happy weekend all!

Thanks for your amazing support with our Father's Day steak sale!! We sold out yet again! This week the supper table would love your help adding to our food bank. We are very low on supplies and can use a boost from our greatest supporters.

We are in need of the following items:

- Healthy snacks
- Pasta
- Canned meats (tuna, chicken, ham, etc.)
- Rice
- Soup
- Pasta sauce (tomato, alfredo, etc.)
- Potatoes
- Kraft dinner
- Almond milk
- Jam
- Cereal boxes

OMRA Grocery Cards

Consider purchasing grocery cards from OMRA on a monthly basis. OMRA offers rental subsidies to refugee families in Ottawa. You can purchase grocery cards for Loblaws/Independent - \$50 and \$100, Metro/Food Basics - \$50 and \$100, Farm Boy - \$50. Orders placed by 7pm the last Sunday of the month will be ready for pick up the second Sunday of the following month. We currently have some \$25 Shoppers Drug Mart cards as well. Ideally you provide OMRA Shelter Corp with a post-dated cheque for the first of each month for the cards you are buying. Please see Frank O'Brien or Donna Rietschlin at the 9:30 Mass or Louise Lalonde or Michèle Gascon at the 11:30 Mass for more details. You can also contact Donna Rietschlin at 613-715-9797 or dbrietschlin@hotmail.com.

Your participation helps to subsidize the rent of 13 refugee families in Ottawa. OMRA AT ST. JOE'S IS SPONSORED BY THE REFUGEE OUTREACH COMMITTEE.

Parish Ministries Taking Summer Break:

One-on-One Experience of Healing Touch: Resume on the First Friday, Oct. 4th.

First Sunday of the month Healing Prayer : Resume again in September

Eucharistic Break Baking: During July and August there will be no baked bread for the weekend liturgies. The bread baking schedule will continue in September.

Development and Peace Campaign Con- tributes to the Appointment of a New Gender and Peace Ambassador

— DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE/CARITAS
welcomes the appointment of Jacqueline O'Neill, June 12, as Canada's first Ambassador for Women, Peace and Security. Her appointment stems from Canada's National Action Plan on Women, Peace and Security and seven United Nations Security



**Development
and Peace**

CARITAS CANADA

Council resolutions. Our 2017-8 campaign was "May Peace Be With Her" and sought Canadian government support for women in fragile and conflict-affected states. This represents an effort to strengthen Canada's legacy as a peacemaker and the vibrant civil society movement on women, peace and security. DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE remains committed to supporting women at the grass roots level to prevent conflict and violence. INFO: devp.org Women at the Heart of Change.



Library News — Library titles about the HOLY SPIRIT - Vost, K. *Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit: Every Spiritual Warrior's Guide to God (BT77.3.V67 2016)*, Pacwa, M. *Holy Spirit: a Bible Study Guide for Catholics (BT121.3.P23 2016)* and Haase, A. *Enkindled: Holy Spirit, holy gifts (BT121.2.H242 2001)*.

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Young Adult Ministry

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With the University Mass finished for the season I wanted to draw attention to a number of young adult activities and initiatives we will be starting up. If you are interested and available over the Summer **please let Andrew know by email** and mentioning what events you want to sign up for.

Summer BBQ's on the upstairs deck. With the roof repaired and the deck being rebuilt we will be able to have BBQ's. The deck should be ready by mid-June so our first

BBQ will be on Thursday, June 27th.

Hiking Trips around Ottawa and Gatineau.

Once a month we will head out of the city for a nice outing depending on the weather. We will meet at the Church and arrange rides with people who can drive.

Young Adult Faith Sharing and Formation.

Starting June 16th after the 11:30 Mass we will be meeting and journeying together through the "Journey of Faith for Adults" curriculum. We will also reflect on the Liturgy of the Word and hearing a speaker talk about their faith journey and why they choose to call St. Joe's their home.

Recycle your Batteries — Want to get rid of your old (alkaline only!) batteries in an environmentally friendly way? Bring them to church on Sundays and place them in the clearly labelled box at the church entrance. I live in the "backyard" of City Hall and take batteries there for recycling every time I go for a walk. Maria Virjee mvsali2@gmail.com



Prayers for the sick: A. Reid-René de Cotret, Charlie & Carolyn T., Milan Agnesi Gonzalez, Margo Gauthier, Marie-Aimée Chiasson, Sheila Barr Dalzell, Kevin Leeman, Jack McLaughlin, Pamela Pomeroy, Ron, Victoria Kind, Donna Rawlings, Christina De Simone, Janinaba J. M., Catherine N., Lonnie D., David A., Ethel G., Mike Kelly, Leta Walsh, Bill Pynter, Walter Cibischino, Gaetano Gallizzi, Roger Toner, Milan Agnesi Gonzalez, Paul Tymchuk, Henri Laroque, Nova-Anne Rousseau, Esther Cvirik, Emilio Giuliani, Frances Armstrong, Mae Lalonde, Aime Lalonde, Bill Girard, Em Stortroen, Maria Rizzi, Sonja Armstrong L., Kevin Riley, Jo-Anne Stasiuk, John Cyr, Laurent Chretien, Laurie Alain, Mzee Oleku, Sheila Genkonyo, Somuta Nguon, Beate Bernhardt, Alfred Johnson, and Leonard Sanders. **Prayers for those who have died:** Mary Margaret LaCompte, Mary Agadah, Pamela Pomeroy, Diane Major, France Redmond, Anneliese Apholz-Coulombe, Peter Craig Gillis, Maurice Lalonde, John Flynn, Ignacio David, Sr. Kitty McCann (gsic), Rosemary McCanny, Andrea Jone, Cecil Gleason, David Scott, Joe Konst, Max Strader, Peggy and Ted Charette, Remo Caldato, Sheryl MacDonald, Antoinette and Jean Sfeir, Mary and Hallim Abboud, Lauren Richards, Joe Gariano, Eufrazio Arellano Sr., Mary Wynands, Aline Mary Pottie, Jim Dugdale, Doris Bell-Aunt, Andy Laut, Agnes Roche, Peter Smith, Renee Triebe, and John Boissonneault. **To add a name,** please inform the Front Office or write it in the binder at the Welcome Desk.

Prayers
Please

Book of the Sick:

A new Book of the Sick will be located at the Welcome Desk prior to each Mass and everyone is invited to write the names of loved ones who are sick into this book. We will then pray for those who are listed in the book during the Prayers of the Faithful.

Sundays

—Masses at 9:30am & 11:30am + 7pm University Mass (Sept-April).
—Children's Liturgy at 9:30 am Mass three Sundays a month. Children are dismissed with leaders during Mass to meet in age groups (JK-1, Gr 2-3 and Gr 4-6) and share on the Word of God at their own level. All children are welcome. For more information, please contact Toni Tarasco at tarasco.toni@gmail.com

Mondays

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

Wednesdays

—English Conversation and Practice for newcomers to Ottawa, 7-8:30pm (Sept-June) at St Paul's University (233 Main St, LaFramboise Hall, Room L142) Michael Richard (613) 744-2429 or michaelrichard2008@hotmail.com
—Weekly 4pm Christian Meditation

Fridays

—One-on-One Experience of Healing Touch is scheduled for the first Friday of every month from 9:30-11:30 am in the church. All are welcome! More information is available at the Welcome Desk.
—Weekly 7:00pm Christian Meditation 613-236-0155
—Catholic LGBT & Straight Alliance meets the 2nd Fri/month.
Sjcggroup@gmail.com

Saturdays

—Vigil Mass at 5pm

THIS
WEEKEND'S
READINGS

Genesis 14.18-20
1 Corinthians 11.23-26
Luke 9.11b-17

STEP UP!

St Joseph's Building Fund

St. Joseph's Parish is inaugurating an ongoing collection for our Building Fund. In the past, we have had short campaigns for specific major projects (Church roof, rectory roof, etc.). With more major projects looming (renewing the front steps, rebuilding the accessibility ramp, repairing the water-damaged interior arches. etc.), the Parish Finance Committee feels now is the time to take a longer view.

The parish has funds set aside in its Capital Projects account, but these will not be sufficient to meet all the needs in the coming years. By establishing an ongoing Building Fund collection now, we can ensure there will be sufficient funds as we plan for the future of our building and equipment.

For this year, you are invited to use the **envelopes** that are provided in the pews and at the Welcome Table. (They will be available next weekend.) In future years, they will be included in your envelope sets.

For those who contribute through **direct debit**, you are invited to contribute to the Building Fund by contacting the parish office to 1) set up a separate donation to the Building Fund or 2) allocate an increase in your regular donation to that fund.

If you would like to donate **online**, there will be a Building Fund option on our Canada Helps page.

The parishioners who have gone before us left us a beautiful legacy in our building. Part of our responsibility as faithful stewards of this legacy is to maintain it for our own use as well as the use of future generations. While others sacrificed in order that we could enjoy the fruits of their generosity, we in turn are challenged to be generous in providing for the future. Let us **STEP UP** to the challenge!



Total Collection so far...

\$50.00

Refugee Sponsorship

Funds now available for Canadians to sponsor hundreds of refugees in 2019. The St. Joseph Parish Refugee Outreach Committee (ROC) presently has its "hands full" with our current group of inland and sponsored refugee families (11 families consisting of 14 adults and 15 children) and are not taking on new sponsorships. We encourage parishioners interested in sponsorship to explore the following opportunity which significantly lowers the financial responsibilities involved. The University of Ottawa Refugee Hub announced the renewal of its successful 2018 BVOR Fund. The fund will facilitate the sponsorship to Canada of refugees identified by the United Nations Refugee Agency (UNHCR). Qualifying Canadian groups can apply to have their portion of the settlement costs associated with sponsoring a refugee through the Blended Visa Office Referred (BVOR) program fully covered by the fund. Groups will remain responsible for securing funding or in-kind donations to cover start-up costs such as clothing and furniture. Currently, there are over 1,000 spaces yet to be matched for arrival in 2019. All refugees sponsored to Canada undergo rigorous security, legal and health checks. Once they arrive in Canada, the sponsoring group welcomes and supports their settlement for a minimum of one year. Applications for sponsorship funding and SAH funding will be accepted until August 31, 2019, or until the 2019 BVOR Fund is exhausted. If you would like information to become a BVOR sponsor, apply for sponsorship or SAH funding, or make a donation, please contact bvorfund@refugeehub.ca. To see the power of sponsorship in action, watch this short film to meet one of the groups supported by the 2018 BVOR Fund: <https://youtu.be/erqR8WBGkzo>. For more details see: <https://markets.businessinsider.com/news/stocks/funds-now-available-for-canadians-to-sponsor-hundreds-of-refugees-in-2019-1028163338>.