



Palm Sunday – Year C
The Passion of our Lord, Jesus Christ.
Luke 22:14-23:56

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Tuesday mornings at 9:00 a.m. Thank you.

This Week in our Parish

- Sat., Apr. 13 VIGIL of PALM SUNDAY**
 5:00 p.m. Mass intention for Sandy Smart VanZyl req. by
 Notre Dame Community
- Sun., Apr. 14 PALM SUNDAY**
 9:00 a.m. Mass with Children's Liturgy & Procession
 11:00 a.m. Mass intention for †Michael Johns (Rocky)
 requested by his Mother
- Mon., Apr. 15 Saint Paternus**
 9:00 a.m. Mass intention for our RCIA parishioners
- Tues., Apr. 16 Saint Benedict Joseph Labré**
 9:00 a.m. Mass intention for our RCIC parishioners
 7:00 p.m. RCIC—Conference Room
 7:30 p.m. Chrism Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral
- Wed., Apr. 17 Saint Kateri Tekakwitha**
 9:00 a.m. Mass intention for †Paul Lamont requested by
 Vi Halstead
 10:00 a.m. Bible Study—Parish Hall
 1:00 p.m. Retirees' Social Group—Parish Hall
 6:30 p.m. Bible Study—Parish Hall
 7:15 p.m. St. Basil's Choir Practice
 7:30 p.m. Tenebrae Service at Notre Dame Cathedral
- Thurs., Apr. 18 Holy Thursday**
 9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
 7:30 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper
 10:00 p.m. Night Prayer
- Fri., Apr. 19 Good Friday**
 9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
 10:00 a.m. Stations of the Cross for Children
 3:00 p.m. The Lord's Passion
- Sat., Apr. 20 Holy Saturday**
 9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
 8:30 p.m. Easter Vigil
- Sun., Apr. 21 Easter Sunday**
 9:00 a.m. Family Mass
 11:00 a.m. Mass intention for †Bryan Morry and
 †Mary O'Brien requested by Family

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Parish News

LITURGY CORNER

Triduum

The Triduum, which we will celebrate this coming week-end is the sacred three days. The timing is similar to how Jewish holy days are calculated from the evening to the following evening: Holy Thursday evening until Good Friday evening; Good Friday evening until the Easter Vigil and then the Easter Vigil until the end of evening prayer on Easter Sunday. The three services we celebrate are actually one liturgy with three parts. It begins with the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday evening; there is no concluding blessing at this liturgy. Good Friday begins and ends in silence. The Easter Vigil, called the mother of all vigils by St. Augustine, is the most solemn liturgy of our church year: with the Easter fire, the stories of salvation history, initiation of new members, and sharing in the Eucharist. Alleluias return and abound for the great fifty days.

**REQUEST FOR BILLETING
 NET MINISTRY LEADERS**

We are looking for parishioners to host the Net Ministry Evangelization Team (6 women and 5 men) for **April 23, 24 and 25**. They are here to lead the retreat with our Grade 6 students from St. Daniel's School. You would be required to provide breakfast and supper and some occasional bag lunches for your team members. If you can help, please contact the parish office at stbasilparish@gmail.com or by calling 613-729-5149.

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IN YOUR GENEROSITY, PLEASE CONSIDER
 A DONATION OR BEQUEST
 TO ST. BASIL'S PARISH

"Whatsoever you do..."

To be a Christian is to become a Christian over and over again.

(Mission and Social Justice Committee)

**RECEPTION FOLLOWING
EASTER VIGIL**

In order to celebrate and welcome our new RCIA and RCIC members, there will be a reception following the Easter Vigil. Come and greet the newest members of our community.

ELEVATOR UPDATE

The present elevator is no longer being supported by the manufacturer. We were advised by the servicing company to plan on replacing it in 2019. Our consulting structural engineer and architect prepared the specifications for a replacement elevator which were sent out for tender. We received several replies and submitted them to the archdiocese for approval, which has been received. The archdiocese approved a fund raising campaign. The elevator will be removed after Easter. The new elevator will be installed and tested six to eight weeks later.

"Did you know...?"

Do not let water run continuously to rinse dishes.

(The Green Team)



**MARRIAGE BLESSING
CEREMONY**

The Catholic Women's League and Marriage Preparation Team of St. Basil's Parish are sponsoring a "marriage blessing ceremony" for all members of the Parish who are celebrating 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60 or more years of marriage in 2019. This will take place at all Masses on **May 11 and 12**, which marks the beginning of the National Week of Life and the Family. To help us plan, you are asked to register by contacting the Parish office at 613-728-5149 ext 200 or stbasilparish@gmail.com **before Tuesday, April 30, 2019.**

FROM THE DIOCESE AND COMMUNITY

HIKE FOR LIFE

Action Life (Ottawa) is holding its 30th Annual Hike for Life on Saturday, **April 27, 2019**. This is a 5 km walk. They are looking for a Hike for Life parish representative who would be a "designated hiker", and would help to promote and support this event. Please see the poster and leaflets in the Narthex if you would like to participate, and/or if you would like to become the parish's "designated hiker."

**CARE FOR CREATION--OTTAWA FAITH
COMMUNITIES ENERGY GATHERING**

The Interfaith network Greening Sacred Spaces invites you to join with diverse Ottawa faith communities in discussing past and present energy projects so that we can share and learn from each other. Join us on Monday, **April 29, 7:00 p.m.** at Kitchissippi United Church, 630 Island Park Drive. Registration www.faithcommongood.org/ottawa_energy. Info: greeningsacredspacesottawa@gmail.com, or 1-866-231-1877 ext. 107.

**DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
MASS OF THANKSGIVING**

For couples in the Archdiocese of Ottawa who are celebrating 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 or more years of marriage in 2019. Info and online registration for the mass on Sunday, **May 5** at 2:30 p.m. at Notre Dame Cathedral is available at catholicottawa.ca/wedding-anniversary-mass. Deadline to register: Wednesday, April 24.

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