

PALM SUNDAY



MASSES OF THE WEEK

Sunday, March 20

- 9:00 a.m. For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish.
 10:30 a.m. For Lorraine Taylor by her son Randy.
 For Eileen Clancy by Paulette Michael and Ron Sorobey.
 For Helen Lambertus by Kathy McVean.

Monday, March 21

- 9:00 a.m. For the repose of the souls of Marie Catherine Kelley and her parents.

Tuesday, March 22

- 9:00 a.m. For the souls in purgatory.

Wednesday, March 23

- 9:00 a.m. In memory of Owen McGlynn by his daughter.

Holy Thursday, March 24

- NO 9 a.m. Mass
 5:30 p.m. For Fr. Vincent and all priests who give us the Eucharist by Mary Breig.

Good Friday, March 25

- NO 9 a.m. Mass.
 2:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross.
 3:00 p.m. The Passion of the Lord.

Holy Saturday, March 26

- NO 9 a.m. or 4:30 p.m. Mass.
 7:30 p.m. Easter Vigil – The Resurrection of Our Lord.

Easter Sunday, March 27

- 9:00 a.m. For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish.
 10:30 a.m. In loving memory of Mr. & Mrs. Ng-Yelim and Lydwin Redmond by the family.



Lectors & Commentators

Holy Thursday, March 24

- 5:30 p.m. Jane Arbour
Commentator: George Hack

Good Friday, March 25

- 3:00 p.m. Alice Hilchie and Aida Tunguhan
Commentator: Jill Boyce

Easter Vigil, Saturday, March 26

- 7:30 p.m. Marie Comisso, Vanessa Hooper, Robert Knockwood, Cathy Major and Michael Mordak.
Commentator: Angela Bowen

Easter Sunday, March 27

- 9:00 a.m. Denise Corbett
 10:30 a.m. Maria Gillis
Commentator: TBD

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Holy Thursday, March 24

- 5:30 p.m. Sheila McGlynn
Chalice: Paulette and Frank Scheme

Easter Vigil, Saturday, March 26

- 7:30 p.m. Sheila McGlynn

Easter Sunday, March 27

- 9:00 a.m. Jill Boyce
 10:30 a.m. Angele Bassolé and Juanita de Ocampo
Chalice: Alice Hilchie and Helene Faye

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

Universal: That families in need may receive the necessary support and that children may grow up in healthy and peaceful environments.

For Evangelization: That those Christians who, on account of their faith, are discriminated against or are being persecuted, may remain strong and faithful to the Gospel, thanks to the incessant prayer of the Church.



HOLY WEEK & EASTER MASSES

Holy Thursday March 24 th	No 9:00 a.m. Mass 5:30 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper
Good Friday March 25 th	No 9:00 a.m. Mass 2:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross 3:00 p.m. The Passion of the Lord
Holy Saturday March 26 th	No 9:00 a.m. or 4:30 p.m. Mass 7:30 p.m. Easter Vigil - The Resurrection of the Lord
Easter Sunday March 27 th	9:00 a.m. Easter Mass - The Resurrection of the Lord 10:30 a.m. Easter Mass - The Resurrection of the Lord

Reminder: Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence in Canada for those who are able.

FROM CROSS TO CROWN

The Sacred Paschal Triduum in the Holy Week is the summit of our Catholic celebrations – Thursday of the Lord's Supper, Friday of the Passion of the Lord and Holy Saturday of the Resurrection of the Lord. Each of us must intensely get involved and participate in the liturgical celebrations to experience the effects of all the graces. Very often, our human life is full of crosses, but we are constantly seeking crowns. Just as Jesus went through passion and cross to achieve crown, we too must do the same as his disciples. Our fullness of life depends on the Eternal life found in the Resurrection of Christ Jesus. May the grace and joy of Resurrection be yours. A blessed Easter to you. Fr. Vincent.

PASCHAL CANDLE

Our Paschal Candle is in memory of Maureen Klein.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

We will be praying the Stations of the Cross in the church at **2:00 p.m. on Good Friday**. Everyone is invited.



Sunday Collection March 13: \$ 2,673.
Diocesan and Missionary Works Collection: \$ 545.

We sincerely thank you for your generosity.

CHRISM MASS

All are invited to participate in the Chrism Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral on **Tuesday, March 22nd, 7:30 p.m.**

RELATIONSHIPS MATTER SEMINAR

The Gifts of Imperfection - Celebrating My Life! Healing steps of self-acceptance. Presenter: Dr. Martin Rovers, Psychologist and Marriage/Family Therapy. **Thurs., Mar. 31st, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.** Saint Paul University, Guigues Hall, Auditorium (Room # 203). Cost: \$20/person, \$10/student. Info: (<http://www.relationshipsmatter.ca/>).

2ND ANNUAL COUNCIL ON AGING OF OTTAWA 'SERVICE TO SENIORS' AWARD

A call for nominations. To publicly recognize individuals who have volunteered their time to make a difference in the lives of seniors in the Ottawa community in a variety of ways. Deadline for nominations: **April 4th**. Info: Lise-Michelle Bouchard (613-789-3577 ext. 11); (l-m.bouchard@coaottawa.ca) or Sarah Bercier (613-789-3577 ext. 16); (sarah.bercier@coaottawa.ca).

MARYVALE ACADEMY ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR 2016-2017

'Making Disciples of Christ' through academic excellence and spiritual growth. JK through Grade 8. Featuring bilingual program (grades 1-4), integrated religious formation, adoration chapel, weekly Mass & Confessions, language arts & math programs, science, history, geography, gym, sacred music & arts. **SCHOOL-DAY OPEN HOUSES:** Every Thursday in April. Info: (613-321-2186); (www.maryvaleacademy.ca); (www.facebook.com/MaryvaleAcademyOttawa).

MASS OF THANKSGIVING

The annual Mass of Thanksgiving for couples celebrating 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 40, 50, 60 or more years of marriage in 2016 will be celebrated at the Notre Dame Cathedral on **Sunday, May 1st at 2:30 p.m.** Families & friends are most welcome. See the green poster at the back of the Church for details and registration forms. The deadline to register is Wednesday, April 20th.

PILGRIMAGE TO HUNGARY, AUSTRIA, CZECH REPUBLIC & POLAND

Join Father Waldemar Podlasz, SDS on a special pilgrimage for the Year of Mercy, **September 12th – 23rd**. The cost is \$2790 per person. Visit the Parish website for details of this pilgrimage (www.divineinfant.on.ca).

If we want to become spiritual stones suitable for building up the spiritual edifice of the church, we must accept our fate of being cut and carved. In order to be suitable for the house, we must let ourselves be bent into shape for the places where we are needed – Pope Benedict XVI