


**MASSES OF THE WEEK**

† - For the repose of the soul / in memory of the person(s) indicated

**Sunday, November 14**

9:00 a.m. For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish.  
 10:30 a.m. † Stephen Sebastyan by Serafina Sebastyan.  
 † Departed brothers and sisters of Venus Quezon.

**Tuesday, November 16**

9:00 a.m. -----

**Wednesday, November 17**

*Feast of St. Elizabeth of Hungary*

9:00 a.m. † Souls in Purgatory.

**Thursday, November 18**

9:00 a.m. For Cathy Major's intentions by Nicole Girard.

**Friday, November 19**

9:00 a.m. † Paul Dole by his family.

**Saturday, November 20**

4:30 p.m. † Dr. Pierre and Mrs. Antoinette Prud'homme by their children.  
 † Margaret Cormier by her children Helen and Ray.  
 † Donna Traversy by Lynn Lavictoire and Deacon Will Read.

**PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Baby Ivy Murray, Nickie Shaw, Christian Diaz, Eugene Vargas, Marie-Andrée Boyer, Patricia McNamara, Norbert Dacquay, Raechal McIntyre, Marcelo Pimentel, Moli Coletti, Zygmunt Wysocki and Melchisedec Candido .


**Lectors & Commentators**
**Saturday, November 20**

4:30 p.m. Lyn Fong

**Sunday, November 21**

9:00 a.m. Paulette Michel  
 10:30 a.m. Megan O'Keefe Major

*"God has no need for your money, but the poor have. You give it to the poor, and God receives it."*

St. Augustine

**HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION**

**Universal:** *People who suffer from depression ~ We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.*

**THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Year B

**First Reading:** Daniel 12.1-3

*At that time your people should be delivered.*

**Second Reading:** Hebrews 10.11-14, 18

*By a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are sanctified.*

**Gospel:** Mark 13.24-32

*The Son of Man will gather the elect from the four winds.*

**SYNOD ON SYNODALITY**

Update: The Vatican has revised its timelines to allow more time to be dedicated to the foundational phase amongst the "People of God" at the parish level. Thus the two meeting events in our parish that were being planned prior to Christmas, will now take place in the new year.

*May the Holy Spirit guide us in this journey together.*

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS SHEPHERD**

Everyone wants to receive a gift on Christmas morning, including those who live at the Shepherds of Good Hope. Be part of our new parish outreach, Operation Christmas Shepherd, collecting bags for these residents, to be distributed Christmas morning. Purchase a Christmas bag or box, or decorate your own. Suggested items to include - socks, mitts, scarf, toque, toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, deodorant, lip balm, hand cream, shampoo, comb, emery board, pen, notepad, gift card for McDonalds, a sweet treat. Suggested value of \$15-\$20 per bag. Please contact Kathy at 613-727-5763 to get involved.

### CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

Donations towards our Christmas flowers will be accepted at the back of the church after each Mass **next weekend**. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus St. Theresa Council 16005 will be hosting a Membership Drive and Fraternal Benefit Seminar on **Sunday, November 21, 2021 after the 10:30 am Mass** in the church hall. Coffee, juice and muffins will be served. Proof of vaccine will be needed in addition to the usual Covid protocols. For more information, contact George McKenna 613-745-6953.

### TOURTIÈRES

The annual Christmas Social with Santa is cancelled this year due to COVID 19. The Knights of Columbus, however, are busy baking Tourtières and will be selling them for \$10 (1 large pie or 3 small pies). All proceeds will go towards maintenance of the parish. Roger Richard will be accepting orders by phone or by email, (613-277-5423; roger-richard@rogers.com), from now until December 5, 2021.

### SENIOR'S CORNER

Aging - with Care: a free 4-part online series (Nov 3 - Nov 24, 7:00pm-8:30pm):

November 10- Alternative Approaches to Eldercare;  
November 17- Developing A Personal Eldercare Plan;  
November 24- Making Change Happen.

More Info can be found at:

<https://www.firstunitedchurchottawa.org/events>

Council on Aging: 3<sup>rd</sup> International Men's Day Breakfast:  
Nov 20, 2021:

Join us for an in-person breakfast (or join us online if you wish), and hear from our speakers. For more information:

<https://coaottawa.ca/event/mens-breakfast-2021/>

### UNITED WAY

You can designate St. Theresa Parish as your donation charity. Simply indicate your preference on the United Way donation form using charity # 12896 7353 RR0028.

### WORLD DAY OF THE POOR

The Fifth World Day of the Poor will be observed on **14 November 2021**. In the message, entitled "**The poor you will always have with you**" (*Mk 14:7*), Pope Francis states: "The *poor*, always and everywhere, *evangelize us*, because they enable us to discover in new ways the true face of the Father. 'They have much to teach us. Besides participating in the *sensus fidei*, they know the suffering Christ through their own sufferings. It is necessary that we all let ourselves be evangelized by them. The new evangelization is an invitation to recognize the salvific power of their lives and to place them at the centre of the Church's journey. We are called to discover Christ in them, to lend them our voice in their causes, but also to be their friends, to listen to them, to understand them and to welcome the mysterious wisdom that God wants to communicate to us through them. Our commitment does not consist exclusively of activities or programs of promotion and assistance; what the Holy Spirit mobilizes is not an unruly activism, but above all an attentiveness that considers the other in a certain sense as one with ourselves. This loving attentiveness is the beginning of a true concern for their person which inspires me effectively to seek their good' (*Evangelii Gaudium*, 198-199)."

### MIRIAM CENTRE IS LOOKING FOR A DIRECTOR (Full-time position, Salary \$16.00/hr, 32.5 hrs/week)

Miriam Centre, a Christian ministry, is seeking a compassionate pro-life person whose primary responsibility will be to help pregnant women and their families. Must be fluently bilingual (oral and written), have good knowledge and experience in management and computer skills.

For job posting see: <https://miriamcentre.ca/contact-us/>

Please submit your resume to: Sr. Rita Lacelle, 107-1803 St. Joseph Blvd., Orléans, ON K1C 6E7, or [centremiriamcentre@gmail.com](mailto:centremiriamcentre@gmail.com)

### PRAYER FOR NOVEMBER 14

God of refuge and grace, help us to stand in the certainty of your presence among us. Teach us to walk a day at a time confident in your grace. In the midst of uncertainty, may we find ourselves walking with you on the path of life, Amen.