



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

**Sunday, November 3**

*Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time*

9:00 a.m. For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish.  
10:30 a.m. †Valerie and John Poirier by Kathleen Lynch.  
†Leo Desmarteau by the family.  
†Barbara Browne, by Irene & Allan Roberts.  
*For the intentions of the Handmaids of the Lord.*

**Tuesday, November 5**

9:00 a.m.

**Wednesday, November 6**

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

**Thursday, November 7**

9:00 a.m.

**Friday, November 8**

9:00 a.m. †Margaret Vice, as requested by Peter.

**Saturday, November 9**

*Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica*

4:30 p.m. †Margaret Cormier, by her daughter Helen.

**Sunday, November 10**

*Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*

9:00 a.m. For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish.  
10:30 a.m. †Stephen Sebastyan, by Serafina Sebastyan.  
Veronica & Albert Slaney, by Madonna Slaney.  
*For the intentions of the Handmaids of the Lord.*

**Please remember the sick in your prayers:**

Michelle Boyer, Baby Ivy Murray, Nickie Shaw, Marie-Andrée Boyer, Patricia McNamara, Rachel McIntyre, Zygmunt Wysocki, Linda MacNay, Theresa Tam-Sue, Alice Hilchie, Lily Harmon, Debby MacAdam, Michael Budge, Robby Felteau, Lise Campbell, Elaine Taylor, Richard Lafleur.

**Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time—November 3, 2024**

That all those initiated by baptism to be followers of Christ may discern and live out the vocation to which Christ is calling them, we pray to the Lord.

**HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION**

*For anyone who has lost a child ~ We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.*

**THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year B)**

**First Reading:** Deuteronomy 6.2-6

**Second Reading:** Hebrews 7.23-28

**Gospel:** Mark 12.28-34



Lectors & Commentators

**Saturday, November 9**

4:30 p.m. Marie Comisso

**Sunday, November 10**

9:00 a.m. Wendy Schieman

10:30 a.m. Peter Landry

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

**Saturday, November 9**

4:30 p.m. -

**Sunday, November 10**

9:00 a.m. -

10:30 a.m. Peter Landry - Choir

**BOOK OF MEMORIAM**

The annual St. Theresa Book of Memoriam will be at the back of the church for the next month. Please inscribe the names of deceased loved family members and friends. The book will be part of the offertory at the 10:30 Mass on November 10th.

### RCIA

If you are an adult and would like information on Baptism, Confirmation or First Communion, or being received into full communion with the Catholic Church, please contact Fr. Vincent or speak to him after a weekend Mass. St. Theresa Parish will be offering RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation) classes starting November 10 after the Sunday, 10:30 a.m. Mass.

### SINGLE CATHOLIC MOTHERS

Momentum is a faith community for Catholic single mothers. Founded by single mothers, it is their mission to build a vibrant faith community for Catholic single mothers.

They offer in-person and online retreats, local chapter gatherings as well as online weekly gatherings for single mothers.

*If this sounds like something of use to you, please see the contact below:*

**MomentumCatholicSingleMothers@gmail.com**

**www.momentummothers.org**

### SEEKING ROOM RENTAL IN CENTRETOWN

Mature/clean/quiet 46 years old woman/student/parishioner looking for an affordable/clean/safe home to rent a room in the neighborhood.

**If you have a room available, please contact Mary at:  
613 408 0937 / [marvkaribyan31@gmail.com](mailto:marvkaribyan31@gmail.com)**

### ST. BARNABAS CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Saturday November 23rd

10am – 2pm

70 James, Ottawa

Attic treasures, Deli treats, Preserves, Christmas Baking, Books, DVDs & CDs, Door prizes...

[www.stbarnabasottawa.com](http://www.stbarnabasottawa.com) / 613 232 6992

### COME SING THE GLORY OF GOD!

St. Theresa's choir needs singers for the 10:30 am Sunday Mass. Singing in the choir is a wonderful way to participate in the liturgy. Rehearsals are held on Wednesday night from 07:00 to 08:30. If you are interested in joining, please contact the organist Danielle Binette either by email, text or phone at: [danbinette@videotron.ca](mailto:danbinette@videotron.ca) (819) 777-8441. *Looking forward to meeting you. ~ Danielle Binette*

### CATHOLIC SINGLES HIKING MEETUP

Catholic Singles Hiking Meetup, *Sat Nov 9, 1-4pm*  
Meeting at [NCC P2 Greenbelt Parking Lot](#) (off Carling)

### QUO VADIS?

Is the Lord calling you to serve him as a priest? Join other men discerning the priesthood for monthly formation, fellowship, and Eucharistic Adoration. Each night will be held at the new Café des Tours, located in the basement of Notre Dame Cathedral in Ottawa.

613-738-5025

[info@ottawacornwall.ca](mailto:info@ottawacornwall.ca)

7:00 pm - November 14

### BACKPACKS FOR THE HOMELESS

Interested in making a difference? Backpacks for the Homeless is an initiative which is reaching out to the community for help filling backpacks with essential items greatly needed by homeless people. These items include things like: socks, gloves, toques, toiletries and non-perishable snacks. Once the backpacks have been filled and checked, they are delivered to the homeless through participating agencies, such as Shepherds of Good Hope, just in time for Christmas. In the past 12 years, over half a million dollars worth of essentials have been provided to approximately 10,000 people experiencing homelessness in the Ottawa area.

So how can we help? Backpacks will be made available at the back of the church after the Saturday and Sunday Masses. All you need to do is to pick one up, fill it with the essential items found on the list included with the backpack, and then return it to the parish before the end of November. Across Ottawa, this year's goal is to provide backpacks for 1,500 local people living in poverty without a place to call home.

If you are able to help, it will be a beautiful blessing for those in great need. For more information, please contact Lynn Lavictoire or Deacon Will Read at: [lynn.and.will@sympatico.ca](mailto:lynn.and.will@sympatico.ca) or 613-833-1742.

### NOTICE AND REMINDER

Talent call: any children interested in taking part in the Christmas pageant on Christmas Eve, please call Wendy Schieman at 613-230-4552. The mass is at 4:30 on Christmas Eve.

The synod reporting concluded this past weekend. The report is only available in Italian at this time. As soon as it is translated, the Parish Council will be providing a complete report. Stay tuned.

Don't forget to sign the memorial book with the names of loved ones you have lost. The book is available at the back of the church.

### HUNDREDFOLD WORKSHOP

Hosted at Café des Tours from 9am-3pm, the Hundredfold workshop is designed to equip Catholic laity in forming a vibrant parish vocation ministry that promotes vocations to the priesthood, marriage, and consecrated life. Free parking will be available in the blue spaces in the Notre-Dame parking lot. November 23 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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