

# ASCENSION OF THE LORD



## MASSES OF THE WEEK

### Sunday, May 8

- 9:00 a.m. For Margaret Cormier by her children Helen and Ray.
- 10:30 a.m. For the repose of the soul of Freida Faour by her daughter Geraldine.  
For Veronica Slaney by Donna Slaney.  
For the soul of Margaret Naomi Meurant by her daughter.  
For John Poirier by Valerie.  
For Marie Lucie Dufresne by her children.  
For Rosemarie Dufresne by her grandchildren.

### Monday, May 9

- 9:00 a.m. For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish.

### Tuesday, May 10

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

### Wednesday, May 11

- 9:00 a.m. For the souls in purgatory.
- 7:30 p.m. Pro-life Mass.

### Thursday, May 12

- 9:00 a.m. -----
- 10:00 a.m. Pro-life Mass.

### Friday, May 13

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

### Saturday, May 14

*Feast of St. Matthias*

- 9:00 a.m. -----
- 4:30 p.m. For Dr. Pierre and Mrs. Antoinette Prud'homme by their children.

### Sunday, May 15

- 9:00 a.m. For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish.
- 10:30 a.m. In loving memory of Lydwin Redmond by the family.



## Lectors & Commentators

### Saturday, May 14

- 4:30 p.m. Vanessa Hooper  
*Commentator: Gloria Pereira*

### Sunday, May 15

- 9:00 a.m. Jill Boyce
- 10:30 a.m. Marie Comisso  
*Commentator: Aida Tunguhan*

## EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

### Saturday, May 14

- 4:30 p.m. Sheila McGlynn

### Sunday, May 15

- 9:00 a.m. Michelle Corbett
- 10:30 a.m. Angela Bowen and Juanita De Ocampo  
Angele Bassolé and Michael Valiquette

## HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

**Universal:** That in every country of the world, women may be honoured and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed.

**For Evangelization:** That families, communities, and groups may pray the Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.

## PARISH NEWS

## THANK YOU

On behalf of Action Life, Fr. Vincent and Ron Sorobey would like to thank all the sponsors for their generous financial support towards this year's Hike for Life. A total of \$ 895 was raised with more money to come in.

## EMERGENCY FOOD CENTRE

We will have our next parish food collection for the neighbourhood food bank at each Mass **next weekend**.

Our local community food centre welcomes our generous engagement in caring for our hungry neighbours; however, supplies are very low given the increasing demand for refugees and the unemployed. Please give donations of non-perishable foods and food vouchers at the back of the church.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Knights of Columbus, General Meeting/Election will take place on **Monday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 p.m.**

### FAITH SEEKING UNDERSTANDING TALK SERIES

Rabbi Reuven Bulka is giving a talk "We Are in This Together" on **Sun., May 22<sup>nd</sup> after the 10:30 a.m. Mass.** Light refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

### NEIGHBOURHOOD SENIORS LUNCH

We welcome seniors from our parish to invite an elderly neighbour to enjoy the completion of our new kitchen and the renewal of our Neighbourhood Seniors Socials on **Friday, May 27<sup>th</sup> at noon** in the parish hall.

### FUNDRAISER

The Leahy Cousins featuring the Enright and the Donohue Families will present a special evening of music & dancing in the parish hall on **Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m.** The event is hosted by the St. Theresa Council - Knights of Columbus. Proceeds from the event will go towards the Round Tables for our Parish Hall. Contact: Roger Richard – 613-277-5423.

### SPONSORED FAMILY UPDATE

Our sponsored family is adjusting very well to life in Canada. Thanks to your generosity, for which they are immensely grateful, they have everything they need to settle in and begin their new life here. Alaa and Nour are both working extremely hard on their English skills. Not to be outdone, Georgette can already count to ten and identify colours and many body parts in perfect English! Like most of us, they are thankful for spring and have been exploring Ottawa including several trips to Parliament. Thank you again for your support and please continue to keep the family in your prayers.



### PARISH SUPPORT

Sunday Collection May 1: \$ 4,147.  
Round Tables for the Parish Hall: 14.

*We sincerely thank you for your generosity.*

### YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY OPEN HOUSES

The Diocesan Youth Ministry Team (DYMT) in collaboration with ministries that serve the young adult community will host a series of ministry 'Open Houses', between the weeks of April 25<sup>th</sup>-June 6<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in attending or hosting an Open House, contact Kathleen for more info: ([ka.boskill@gmail.com](mailto:ka.boskill@gmail.com)).

### PENTECOST CELEBRATION

At St. Mary Parish, 100 Young St., **Sat., May 14<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 - 10:00 p.m.** Come for worship, adoration & prayer. Info: (613-728-9811).

### DIOCESAN FEAST DAY

Each year we joyfully gather around our archbishop to celebrate and give thanks for the foundation of the diocese of Bytown on the 25<sup>th</sup> of June 1847 and the anniversary of its elevation to an archdiocese on the 8<sup>th</sup> of June, 1886. The celebration this year will take place at Notre Dame Cathedral on **Thurs., June 9<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 p.m.**

### 142<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE

To the Shrines of Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré and Cap-de-la-Madeleine, **August 13<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>.** Weekend celebrant: Archbishop Paul-André Durocher, Archdiocese of Gatineau. Info/ reservations: Mike Budge (613-224-8110); ([www.ste-anne-de-beaupre.com](http://www.ste-anne-de-beaupre.com)).

### PILGRIMAGE TO POLAND FOR JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

With Fr. Chris Shalla. **Oct. 17<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>** (13 days in the footsteps of Saints Faustina, John Paul II and Maximilian Kolbe). \$3999/person (double occup.). Registration deadline: July 5<sup>th</sup>. Info & registration: Laurie Courchesne-Dooley (613-732-5739); ([plcdooley@hotmail.com](mailto:plcdooley@hotmail.com)).

What is precious than to be in the hand of God? God is life and light and those who are in the God's hands are life and light – St. John Damascene .

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!**