

# PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



## MASSES OF THE WEEK

### Sunday, March 29

9:00 a.m. For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish.  
 10:30 a.m. In memory of Caterina and Dominic Sgro by Serafina Sebastyan.  
 For the repose of the soul of Viola Smith by her friends.

### Monday, March 30

9:00 a.m. For Theresa Bany by her grandchildren.

### Tuesday, March 31

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

### Wednesday, April 1

9:00 a.m. For Lillian Lindsay by her son Dave.

### Holy Thursday, April 2

NO 9 a.m. Mass.

5:30 p.m. For our priests and seminarians by Mary Breig.

### Good Friday, April 3

NO 9 a.m. Mass.

2:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross.

3:00 p.m. The Passion of the Lord.

### Holy Saturday, April 4

NO 9 a.m. or 4:30 p.m. Mass.

7:30 p.m. Easter Vigil – The Resurrection of Our Lord.

### Easter Sunday, April 5

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

10:30 a.m. In memory of Maria Sgro by Serafina Sebastyan.  
 For Michael, Veronica, Leo and Louisa Slaney by Donna Slaney.



## Lectors & Commentators

### Holy Thursday, April 2

5:30 p.m. Cathy Major  
*Commentator: Wendy Schieman*

### Good Friday, April 3

3:00 p.m. Jillian Boyce and Alice Hilchie  
*Commentator: Denise Corbett*

### Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 4

7:30 p.m. Angela Bowen, Kathy McVean and Paulette Michel.  
*Commentator: Angela Bowen*

### Easter Sunday, April 5

9:00 a.m. Denise Corbett  
 10:30 a.m. Marie Elisa Infante  
*Commentator: Kate Corrigan*

## \* EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS \*

### Holy Thursday, April 2

5:30 p.m. Ciborium: Sheila McGlynn  
 Chalice: Kate Corrigan, Kathy McVean

### Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 4

7:30 p.m. Ciborium:

### Easter Sunday, April 5

9:00 a.m. Ciborium: Angela Bowen  
 10:30 a.m. Chalice: Alice Hilchie and Agustin Infante

## HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

**Universal:** *Creation* ~ That people may learn to respect creation and care for it as a gift of God.

**For Evangelization:** *Persecuted Christians* ~ That persecuted Christians may feel the consoling presence of the Risen Lord and the solidarity of all the Church.



## HOLY WEEK & EASTER MASSES

Holy Thursday April 2 <sup>nd</sup>	No 9:00 a.m. Mass 5:30 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper
Good Friday April 3 <sup>rd</sup>	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 April 4 <sup>th</sup>	No 9:00 a.m. or 4:30 p.m. Mass 7:30 p.m. Easter Vigil - The Resurrection of the Lord
Easter Sunday April 5 <sup>th</sup>	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.

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Eucharistic Ministers are needed for all Masses. Please contact Angela Bowen ([abowen@ncf.ca](mailto:abowen@ncf.ca) or 613-237-8337) if you are interested.

### CHRISM MASS

All are invited to participate in the Chrism Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral on **Tuesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>, 7:30 p.m.**

### SENIORS` LUNCH

Thank you to the volunteers & to everyone who came to our Seniors' Social last Friday. A good time was had by all. The next social will take place on **Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup>**.

### MEN'S CURSILLO WEEKEND

At Maison de la Providence, Orleans on **April 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>**. Program creates awareness of what being a Catholic man can mean in your daily life. Consists of talks, periods of prayer & reflection, & opportunities to socialize with fellow Catholic men. Info: ([www.ottawacursillo.ca](http://www.ottawacursillo.ca)).

### 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.

### RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

A confidential healing retreat for women & men hurting after abortion will be held in the Ottawa area **April 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>**. Contact Lynda or Terry for details: (613-806-5522); ([rvr\\_ottawa@yahoo.ca](mailto:rvr_ottawa@yahoo.ca)); (<http://www.rachelsvineyard.org/>).

### FAITH SEEKING UNDERSTANDING TALK SERIES

Presents Heather Reid speaking about "*Life and Faith Fully, Consciously, Actively: Our Liturgy Since Vatican Two*" on **Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup> after the 10:30 a.m. Mass**. Light refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

### NEW 'SERVICE TO SENIORS' AWARD

As part of the Council on Aging of Ottawa's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, the award will publicly recognize individuals who have volunteered their time to make a difference in the lives of seniors in the Ottawa community. Nomination deadline: **April 15<sup>th</sup>**. Info: COA office (613-789-3577 x11); ([l-m.bouchard@coaottawa.ca](mailto:l-m.bouchard@coaottawa.ca)).

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

St. Theresa will host a marriage preparation course on **Friday evening, May 22<sup>nd</sup> and all day Saturday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>**. Call the parish office for details & registration.

### 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 2015 will be celebrated at the Notre Dame Cathedral on **Sunday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 2:30 p.m.** See the green poster at the back of the Church for details and registration forms. The deadline to register is **Wednesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>**.



Sunday Collection March 22: \$ 3,017.  
Kitchen Renovation Fund: \$ 12,310.  
Refugee Sponsorship Fund (Goal: \$30, 000): \$ 1,925.  
Diocesan and Missionary Works Collection: \$400.

We sincerely thank you for your generosity.

### MIRIAM CENTRE – PREGNANCY HELP CENTRE

Offering emotional and practical support to anyone facing a difficult pregnancy; follow-up provided after the birth of the baby. Free & confidential. Info: (613-830-8623); ([info@miriamottawa.org](mailto:info@miriamottawa.org)); ([www.miriamottawa.org](http://www.miriamottawa.org)).

### BEWARE THE HOLY SPIRIT

The National Catholic Mission 2015, "Beware the Holy Spirit!", will be broadcast on VISIONTV on **Monday, March 30<sup>th</sup>** (Part 1) and **Tuesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>** (Part 2) at 6:00 p.m. and repeated at 10:00 p.m. It will be hosted by Fr. Pat Fitzpatrick & feature Spiritan Fr. Anthony Gittins.

*'Live simply so others may simply live.'* - Mother Teresa.