

Passion Sunday - April 09, 2017

Intentions - April 09 - For the parishioners of St. Gabriel's Parish.

Intentions are \$15.00

Offertory Collection

April 02 - \$882.25

Development & Peace - \$106.10 **Thank You**

April 11

Saint Stanislaus: Well known for his care of the poor, Stanislaus was born in Szczepanów, Poland, about 1030. In 1072 he became bishop of Kraków. Vocal in his criticism of King Boleslav's behavior, Stanislaus was killed by the king himself during the celebration of Mass. Boleslav later fled to relatives in Hungary, where he spent his life as a penitent in the Benedictine abbey. Stanislaus was canonized in 1253 and is one of the patrons of Poland.



April 13

Saint Martin 1: A seventh-century pope, Marin was born in Todi, Italy. With many contacts between the Roman Church and the Eastern Empire in his era, Martin was appointed as the papal legate in Constantinople before succeeding Theodore I as pope in 649. At the Lateran Council, Martin opposed the monothelite heresy, which held that Christ had only one will, the divine will, and not a human will as well. Since Emperor Constans II favoured the heresy, Martin was exiled to Constantinople, where he was stripped of his honours and condemned to death. He later died in misery and hunger in the Crimea, the last pope to be martyred.

Volunteer Corner (Help Needed)

Archivist - Keep the archival material in good condition to maintain the history of the parish.

Photographer - Takes photographs of parish events, labels the photos then turn them over to the Archivist for safekeeping.

Ministers wishing to serve in these ministries are to meet with the Parish Council Chair. (Michele Davey 832-0253)



Today's Gospel Reflection: From the high hosanna acclamation to the low of betrayal, denial, and abandonment the gospel take us up and down to the brink of life itself. Like the disciples, we also know who Jesus is. Every Sunday we make our profession of faith: "We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God..." This Palm Sunday we are invited to reflect on our own knowledge of who Jesus is and how well we confess him in our daily living. It is a daily choice to live the gospel's requirement that we die to ourselves for the sake of others. This is how we confess Jesus as the Son of God. This is how, rather than denial and abandonment, we come to stand at the cross with Jesus. (Living Liturgy, p 88)



Confessions - Good Friday from 4 - 5:30 - St Michael Fitzroy Harbour

Love is the beauty of the soul.

- Saint Augustine.

CBCCA (55 + Adults Corner)

Monday, April 10 1:00am - 3:00pm Dental Screening Clinic.

Thursday April 13 10:am - 12:00pm. Coffee and Discussion Group; 1:00 - 3:00pm Tea and Talk/

Community Helper Program: WOCRC is looking for people who want to work with seniors as Community Helpers. The next training course will be at the Legion on three Saturdays, April 22, May 6 & 20. For more information and to register contact Megan Richards at 613-591-3686 x 324 or e-mail richards@wocr.ca.

Free Tax Clinics for Seniors: Organized by our MP, Karen McCrimmon for people with modest incomes and simple tax situations. Appointment needed: contact Karen's office at 613-592-3469 or email karen.mccrimmon@parl.gc.ca Tues. Apr. 11, 18, 25 -- 2:00-5:00 (Kanata). Thurs. Apr. 13 -- 12:00-4:00 (Fitzroy Harbour)

People needing transportation to get to these or any other events appointments, or to go shopping, can arrange it through WOCRC by calling (613) 591-3686 x 3.

For any information about seniors issues/programs in The Bay, please contact Andy Rapoch - 613-290-8311.

Wedding Anniversary Mass of Thanksgiving: Notre Dame Cathedral, **Sun., May 14, 2:30 p.m.** For couples celebrating 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 + years of marriage in 2016. Families & friends are most welcome. Registration details now available in parishes. Deadline to register: Wed., May 3.

Way of the Cross on Good Friday: Led by Most. Rev. Terrence Prendergast S.J., Archbishop of Ottawa, **April 14**, through the streets of downtown Ottawa. Departure at 9:30 a.m. from St Patrick Basilica (220 Kent). Arrival 12:00 Noon at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica. Organized by Communion and Liberation. Info: David McConkey (clonottawa@gmail.com).

West Carleton Food Access Centre: When you grocery shop this week, please remember the West Carleton Food Access Centre. **As a Lenten almsgiving aid, please pick up a request slip for your donation each week at the back of the church.**



St. Paul's Anglican Church (Dunrobin) Lasagna Dinner: Thurs., Aril 20th 5-7pm - Lasagne, Salad, Garlic Bread, Dessert & Beverage Adults \$12, Child \$8, Limited # available at door. For tickets contact Ruth 832-3183 or Sue 271-0421.



Prayers for the Sick. Please pray for the sick among our families and friends, especially Gerry Borris, Raymond Cameron, Colleen Campbell, Patricia Cassidy, Christine Fraser, Suzanne Geldert, Mary Jardine, Peter Kelly, Sheila Moeser, Virginia Ramos and Carmel Read. *The names will remain on the list until we are otherwise advised.*

Holy Week Schedule

Tuesday	11 April - Chrism Mass (Notre Dame Cathedral)	7:30 p.m.
Thursday	13 April - Mass of the Last Supper (St. Michael's)	7:00 p.m.
Friday	14 April - Passion of the Lord (St. Gabriel's)	3:00 p.m.
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Saturday	15 April - Easter Vigil (St. Gabriel's)	8:00 p.m.
Sunday	16 April - Easter Sunday (St. Michael's)	9:00 a.m.
Sunday	16 April - Easter Sunday (St. Gabriel's)	11:00 a.m.