

Resurrection of the Lord - April 15 - 16, 2017

Intentions - April 15 - For the parishioners of St. Michael's and St. Gabriel's parish.

April 16 - In loving memory of **Alice Dupuis and Clarence Cassidy**, requested by Linda Cassidy and Robert Dupuis.

Intentions are \$15.00

Offertory Collection

April 09 - \$616.00 **Thank You**

Jesus does not enter the holy City to receive the honours reserved to earthly kings, to the powerful, to rulers; he enters to be scourged, insulted and abused; he enters to receive a crown of thorns, a staff, a purple robe: his kingship becomes an object of derision. He enters to climb Calvary, carrying his burden of wood. Jesus enters Jerusalem in order to die on the Cross. And it is precisely here that his kingship shines forth in godly fashion: his royal throne is the wood of the Cross! The King whom we follow and who accompanies us is very special: he is a King who loves even to the Cross and who teaches us to serve and to love. *(Pope Francis, Homily for March 24, 2013)*

Although the life of a person is in a land full of thorns and weeds, there is always a space in which the good seed can grow. You have to trust God.

- Pope Francis.

25TH Annual Divine Mercy Novena: Pray a sunrise novena while processing on Parliament Hill. Honor the Divine Mercy while seeking God's mercy and blessing on Canada. **Good Friday, Apr. 14 - Divine Mercy Sunday, Apr. 23, 6:15 a.m.** at the Centennial Flame, Parliament Hill (duration approx. 25 min.). Sponsored by friends of St. Joseph. Info: Paul Lauzon 613-565-2325; Michael Brady 613-823-8618; John Zwicker 613-725-3820; (friendsofstjoseph@rogers.com).

Legion of Mary Spring Silent Retreat: For both men and women, at La Maison de la Providence, Orleans, **Fri., May 26 – Sun., May 28.** Retreat master: Father Mark Slatter. Theme: The Holy Spirit. Registration fee: \$235 for two nights lodging, five meals, daily Mass and three conferences. Info & registration: Angela Beimers (613-829-0320).



Today's Gospel Reflection: Even on this most glorious of days, the gospel incorporates contradictions: Mary of Magdala arrives at an empty tomb, and sees that Jesus is gone and "we don't know where they have put him" while the disciple whom Jesus loved enters the tomb and "saw and believed"; they "did not yet understand the Scripture." Our own Alleluias and Easter joy are perhaps filled with some of the same contradictions. It seems as though we, too, peer into the empty tombs of the ups and downs of our everyday lives and are challenged to see and believe. But we are the disciples whom Jesus loves; and we surrender ourselves to the Easter mystery when we return love. All we need to do is hand ourselves over into God's hands. Filled with God's love, we are then able to love in return. Alleluia! The tomb is empty; by our love we see and believe, and we are filled with new life. Alleluia!

(Living Liturgy, p.112)



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CBCCA (55 + Adults Corner)

Thursday April 20 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Tea and Talk

Monday April 24 11:00 am - 3:00 pm Dental Screening Clinic.

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.

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.

West Carleton Food Access Centre: When you grocery shop this week, please remember the West Carleton Food Access Centre.



St. Paul's Anglican Church (Dunrobin) Lasagna Dinner:

Thurs., April 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.

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)



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.*

