

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, September 27th		SUNDAY OFFERING September 21, 2014 Env - \$2506.00 Loose - \$ 190.85 Needs of Church - \$ 48.00 Total = \$2744.85 THANK YOU!!! <hr/> I would like to take this time to express our appreciation to Ray St. Jean for his dedication and devotion to being our Caretaker. He has given us several years and has requested to fully retire. It is with sadness that we must say goodbye, but we will always see him around. At the same time I would like to welcome Michael Kirkey. He has accepted to be part of the team at Blessed Sacrament as our new Caretaker. Welcome Mike, and may the Lord bless you in your new ministry.
5:00pm	For the deceased members of the Leduc & Cole families by Jacques & Huguette Beaulieu	
Sunday, September 28th		
9:00am	In Thanksgiving by Bert & Madeleine Cardinal	
11:00am	PRO POPULO	
Monday, September 29th Saints Michael, Gabriel & Raphael		
8:00am	Théophane Ferré by Norbert & Christena Ferré	
Tuesday, September 30th Saint Jerome		
8:00am	In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Perpetual Help by Yvonne Mathieu	
6:00pm	PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING	
Wednesday, October 1st St. Therese of the Child Jesus		
8:00am	Doris & Leonard Hart by Judy & Doug Ryan	
Thursday, October 2nd The Holy Guardian Angels		
8:00am	Phillip Bray by Gail Walsh	
Saturday, October 4th Saint Francis of Assisi		
5:00pm	Rita Martel by Nicole & Robert Gregory	
Sunday, October 5th 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time		
9:00am	PRO POPULO	
11:00am	Jean-Pierre Jodoin by Gerry & Mary Jodoin	

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week for **“For intentions of the children of Ray & Jean St. Jean”**.

BISHOP’S DINNER - The Diocese is planning a fundraising event for its pastoral needs on October 3rd, 2014. A limited amount of tickets are available for every parish. Please call your parish office to buy a ticket they are \$100 each with a \$50 donation receipt. If you are unable to come to the Bishop’s Dinner but would like to make a contribution towards the fundraising campaign, you can send it via the parish please make cheques out to: Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall, Re: Bishop’s Dinner.

OPEN HOUSE Fr. Jacques would like to invite you to an open house on Sunday September 28th from 1pm to 4pm. Everyone is welcome to visit Fr. Jacques and the Rectory.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

We will soon begin a new journey in faith to share the richness of the Catholic Church and our parish family. We invite you to learn what the Church teaches, and be introduced to some of our parish members. These sessions also are opportunities for you, and others that you may wish to invite, to ask those perplexing and difficult questions you may have about the Church. These gatherings are for inquirers and are open to people who are unbaptized, as well as those who are baptized Christians from Protestant or Evangelical backgrounds. Please give us a call if you have questions, would like further information at 613.932.2996.

Baptism Meeting

The next meeting for parents who are planning on having their child baptized in the near future will take place on Tuesday, October 14th starting at 7:00 p.m. Please call the office to register.

Grade 2 Students in a Public School

Parishioners of Blessed Sacrament Parish who have children in grade 2 who are attending the public school system. If your child is ready to receive the Sacraments of Confession, Confirmation, and Communion, you are asked to register them at the parish office before September 30th, 2014. Please remember there is a COMMITMENT that is taken on behalf of the child and the parents.

The "Moses" Course

This course offered by SASE Cornwall for the weekend of November 6-9th is filling up quickly. If you are interested, let us know soon. God called Moses to lead His people through the Red Sea to freedom. Is He calling you to greater freedom in your life? See website at sasecornwall.ca or register on-line at sase.ca or call Divina at 613-38-0814.

Saint Vincent de Paul Society:

We are looking for a few more volunteers to work our Emergency Food Bank out of St. Frances de Sales church hall. We operate from 0930 until 1100 AM each Tuesday and Friday. Volunteers work one shift (either a Tuesday or Friday) once every 4-5 weeks. If interested contact Katie Blackadder at 613-933-1823."

St. Bernard's Parish Harvest Supper

Sunday September 28, 2014 4:00p.m. to 7:00 p.m. St. Bernard's Parish in Finch (Finch Community Arena)
Adults: \$12, Ages 6-12: \$6.00, Children under 6: free.

Annual Cemetery Services

→St. Anthony's Cemetery in Apple Hill

Sunday, October 5th at 11:30a.m. (Please bring your lawn chairs. In case of rain, the service will be held inside the Church)

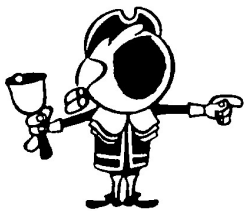
→St. James Cemetery in Maxville

Sunday, October 5th at 1:00 p.m. (Please bring your lawn chairs. In case of rain, the service will be held inside the Church)

Bereaved Families of Ontario

The next Adult Afternoon Support meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 30th from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. at 216 Montreal Road. For more info call 613-936-1455.

Couples for Christ and it Family Ministries and the Archdiocese of Ottawa invite you to on Saturday, September 20, 2014 at St. Theresa Church, 95 Somerset St. West. Mass at 8:00 a.m. with Archbishop Terrence Prendergast, SJ. Topics: God, Sex & the Universal Longing. Open to everyone from age 16 years old. Tickets: 613-834-1830 or golconferenceott@gmail.com. Info: www.cfcottawa.org/2014giftoflifeconfottawa Christopher West is an excellent speaker that I'm sure you will enjoy.



Blessed Sacrament Parish

Don't forget our parish supper on Sunday, November 2nd
from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. in our parish hall.
Adults: \$12, children (6 - 12 years): \$6, children under 6 years
All take outs \$12.
Bring your family and friends!!



Holy Trinity C.S.S. News: We would like to congratulate our following students who will be representing our school on this year's Mission Trip: Desiree Fraser, Rebecca MacDonell, Tharsiga Gunaratnrajah, Kyrstin Barkley and our staff advisor Mrs. Patricia MacDonell. We also welcome to the mission trip team, Aaron Lalonde, Nathan Arial, and staff advisor Fr. Jacques Labelle from Saint Matthew CSS. Please keep them in your prayers as they begin their year of service and fundraising for their trip to the Dominican Republic in March 2015



Saint Andrews School of Evangelization will be holding another session at the Agora Catholic Centre on November 6th to the 9th, 2014. The name of this session will "MOSES" - God called Moses to lead His people through the Red Sea to freedom... Is He calling you to greater freedom in your life? Join us as we travel with Moses through his Egyptian years, his time in Midian, his return to Egypt, the Desert years and finally to his seeing the Promised Land! If you want more information please call Divina Fraser at 613.9338.0814 or www.sasecornwall.ca.

To coincide with Elderly people and grandparent's day celebration, we have received an anonymous donation of \$1000.00 from one of our parishioner. This donation is to start a fund to make our parish hall handicap accessible. The goal is that it would give all people access to our beautiful Parish Hall. This is a challenge to all members of the parish, and the community, to help make the Parish Hall handicap accessible. Are you up to the challenge and to make a difference in someone's life? A special fund will be created to hold all money going towards this project.

Mother Theresa's advice.

She summed up the Christian attitude in a striking paragraph that I would like to read to you. It reflects her own experience. People are often unreasonable, illogical and self-centered... Forgive them anyway. If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives...Be kind anyway. If you are successful, you will win some false friends and some true enemies...Succeed anyway. If you are honest and frank, people may cheat you...Be honest and frank anyway. What you spend years building, someone could destroy overnight... Build anyway. If you find serenity and happiness, they may be jealous... Be happy anyway. The good you do today, people will often forget tomorrow... Do good anyway. Give the world the best you have, and it may never be enough... Give the best you've got anyway. You see, in the final analysis, it's between you and God, it was never between you and them anyway.

The Blessed Sacrament Ladies Auxiliary will be holding their *Fall Rummage & Bake Sale* on Saturday, October 25th, from 8:00 am until noon in the Parish Hall. There will be a large selection of clothing, household items, books, etc.. Delicious baked goods will also be available.

Affordable piano lessons will be given beginning October by Sr. Roberta Johnson (a Salesian Sister of St. John Bosco). The goal is of course to develop the musical abilities of children, teenagers and adults. The lessons will be given at the residence of the Salesian Sisters next to the Co-cathedral at 300 Montreal Road in the afternoon for children and teenagers and in the evening for adults. For more information and to register for the year please call Sr. Roberta at 613-937-4956 or email robertejo@hotmail.com.

"Put Out Into the Deep" – New Project for Young Adults (ages 19-30)

Did you ever ask yourself, "What am I doing with my life? How can I discern what is best? How do I find out what God wants me to be and do? How can I respond to God's call to happiness?" If yes, you might be interested in joining a group of young adults that have the same questions in mind and meet 8 times over one year in a very supportive environment. We call this journey "Duc in Altum – Put Out Into the Deep" is for you. For more information, please call 613-361-2431 or e-mail fguilmette@alexandria-cornwall.ca.

St Stephen Walks the Walk

This kind of integrity is something that all of us admire in others, but find difficult to live out ourselves. Contemplating the saints can help strengthen our weakness. St Stephen of Hungary was a great example of real faith. The Magyar [MAG-yahr] tribes invaded south-eastern Europe in the ninth and tenth centuries. Stephen was the elder son of the first Christian leader of the Magyars. Unlike his father, who had accepted baptism mainly for political reasons, Stephen took his Christian identity seriously. At age 22 he succeeded his father, and began his life-long work of bringing stability, order, and justice to the rival Magyar tribes, so that the Christian faith could take deeper root in the souls of his people. Eventually he was crowned the first King of Hungary by the pope, and he successfully turned the chaotic territory into a prosperous and organized nation. Through all his struggles, he strove to fulfill his royal duties in life in a way that would please Christ, dedicating himself entirely to the spiritual and material good of his subjects. He was often found in disguise, distributing alms to homeless people and cripples camped out in the city streets. His disguises were so good that once the crowd of beggars actually threw him to the ground, stole the money and food bags he was using to hand out offerings, and left him in the dust. He overcame great opposition to institute a policy whereby every ten towns was required to construct at least one Church and support at least one priest, so that all his citizens could receive the sacraments and be instructed in the faith. No corruption stained his regime, and when he died at 63, his tomb immediately became a favourite place of pilgrimage and devotion. St Stephen truly understood that real faith requires real action.