

Bulletin - July 16, 2023

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Growth in the life of Christ is not always a smooth, gradual and straightforward process. The different types of soil can well be the varied response we make to His word, depending on the twists and turns our fortunes may take. When we meet with setbacks and disappointments, obstacles may stack up against our good intentions and weaken our firm resolve. Moments like this call for deep faith. The word of God has an immense and mysterious power to change us. -Desmond Knowles-

*The Sanctuary Lamp burns to remind us of Christ's presence in the Blessed Sacrament.
This week the Sanctuary Lamp burns*

FOR A SPECIAL INTENTION

If you wish to sponsor the sanctuary lamp for one week the stipend is \$10.00

Mass Intentions

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time- July 16, 2023

Sat. July 15 - 5:00 pm - Madeleine Reitz & Jacki McCabe (Murielle D-Kalipershad)
Sun. July 16- 9:30 am - for the people

No daily Masses this week

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time- July 23, 2023

Sat. July 22 - 5:00 pm - Madeleine Reitz (Bernie)
Sun. July 23- 9:30 am - for the people

Retirement Reception for Fr. Tim Shea

Sunday, July 16; 2:00 – 4:00 pm

Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall (3 Briscoe Street, Amherstview)

Blessed Sacrament parishioners warmly welcome you to Fr. Shea's Retirement reception. Come to say goodbye to Father Timothy Shea on Sunday, July 16, from 2 pm to 4 pm in Blessed Sacrament parish hall (3 Briscoe Street, Amherstview).

For further information, please call Donna at 613-389-2009.

Birthright baby Bottle Campaign: There are still 8 baby bottles out there somewhere. We ask that you bring them back, either empty or full, so that Birthright doesn't have to replace them. Thank you to everyone who donated!

Pilgrimage to Shrine of St. Ann in Cormac

Sunday, July 30, 2023; 11:00 am

You are invited to attend the 83rd annual pilgrimage to the Shrine of St. Ann in Cormac on Sunday, July 30th with Bishop Guy Desrochers. The theme of the Pilgrimage will be "Living a Life with the Trinity". The principal Pilgrimage Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. with Bishop Guy Desrochers presiding. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction will occur at 1:00 pm. Area priests will be blessing the faithful with the St. Ann's oil. Religious articles, St. Ann's Mass league memberships, and food and refreshments will be available. Everyone welcome! For further information, please see: www.cormacpilgrimage.com

Farewell BBQ for Fr. Paul Mawalla**Sunday, July 30; after 11:00 am Mass****St. Paul the Apostle Parish (1111 Taylor Kidd Blvd., Kingston)**

St. Paul the Apostle Parish invites you to a Farewell BBQ for Fr. Paul Mawalla on Sunday, July 30th, immediately after 11:00 a.m. Mass. We wish to give Fr. Paul a wonderful send-off and let him know how much we appreciate him.

2nd Annual Priests Vs. Parishioners Baseball Game**Sunday, August 6; 3:00 pm****Lansdowne Community Buildings (1 Jesse Street, Lansdowne)**

All are invited to the **2nd Annual Priests Vs. Parishioners Baseball Game** hosted by St. Patrick's, Lansdowne & St. Brendan's, Rockport on Sunday, August 6th @ 3 pm at the Lansdowne Community Buildings, 1 Jesse St., Lansdowne. Admission is free. There will be a cash canteen of hot food & drinks provided by the Catholic Women's League. Rain date August 7th.

5th Annual Rideau Canal Men's Retreat**Tues.-Thur., August 15-17, 2023; 8:30 am****Seeley's Bay**

An invitation to Catholic men 18 years and older (including fathers and sons) to share and deepen their Faith while enjoying male camaraderie - in the context of an outdoor adventure by canoe. Leaving Seeley's Bay Tues., Aug. 15, 8:30 am, paddling 16 kms. along historic Rideau Canal through locks at Jones Falls, with overnight tenting at Davis Locks. On Wednesday, 16 km. route passes through locks at Chaffey's and Newboro into Upper Rideau Lake, with overnight tenting along McNally's Bay. The retreat ends Thursday at 2 pm. Canoes and paddles are supplied, along with main meals. Cost: \$95. Daily Mass, prayer, talks by priests and laymen, socializing, and invigorating exercise makes this annual Catholic men's retreat a popular one. Information and registration: hart.daniel64@gmail.com (613-899-9514); or rmiron2019@gmail.com (613-218-6497).

St. John the Evangelist 150th Anniversary Celebration - Sunday, August 20, 2023; 11:00 am

Mass 3529 Flinton Road, Flinton Mass is at 11:00 am and a light lunch will follow at the Flinton Recreation Centre on 72 Edward Street. Please RSVP by August 6th if you plan to attend the lunch, ..Maude at 905-449-2160, or by email stjohntheevangelist3529@gmail.com

Pilgrimage to Italy, France, Spain & Portugal September 18th - October 2nd, 2023

Under the spiritual leadership of Fr. Cosmas Ajawara. 15-day pilgrimage from September 18 - October 2, 2023. Cost: \$4,990.00 (Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal departure, incl. taxes & tips). For further information contact International Heritage Tours - 1-877-999-8868 or email Stan - stan@ihtours.com or Liliana - liliana@ihtours.com

16 Day Pilgrimage to Vietnam, Cambodia, Thailand**January 25 - February 9, 2024**

Including a visit to Our Lady of La Vang. Under the spiritual leadership of Fr. Marek Chochrek and Ania & Mario Travel. Cost is \$4490 (USD). For further information, please contact Fr. Marek at 613-354-3039 or e-mail markchochrek@gmail.com.

After a long 3 years of Pandemic the

149th Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Ste-Anne-de-Baupré and Our Lady of the Cape is

resuming with buses that will depart from the Dioceses of Ottawa-Cornwall, Gatineau, Pembroke, St-Jérôme/Mont-Laurier and Kingston **August 12-13, 2023. Our Weekend Celebrant is Bishop Guy Desrochers, Diocese of Pembroke.**

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12 -On our way to Cap-de-la-Madeleine

- Arrival between 10:15 am -11:00 am
- Mass (Saturday Ordinary Time) in the Basilica at 11 am with the Rector of the Shrine Father RémiLepage, O.M.I.

PLEASE RESPECT SILENCE IF MASS HAS STARTED

- **PILGRIMS must bring a lunch as the cafeteria is closed..**
- Free time for prayers and visit of the shrine
- **Departure at 2pm for Ste-Anne-de-Baupré**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13

7:00 -9:00 am Drop off luggage at your bus in main parking lot of Shrine

9:30 am Mary's Way of the Cross (TO BE CONFIRMED)

11:00 am Solemn mass with Bishop Guy Desrochers, Bishop of the Diocese of Pembroke

12:00 pm Lunch in the garden behind the Basilica

2:00 pm Departure Ceremony and blessings with Bishop Guy Desrochers in the garden

STE-ANNE-DE-BEAUPRÉ -ARRIVAL 3:30 -4:00 PM

7:00 pm Solemn Mass of Ste-Anne celebrated by Bishop Guy Desrochers (Diocese of Pembroke followed by the candle light procession

Confessions 30 minutes before mass

INFORMATION:

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