

# October 15, 2017

## 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Liturgies for the week of Oct. 16 – Oct. 22

Mon.: **NO MASS**  
 Tues.: 12:10pm Grade 6's Faith Day Mass  
 Wed.: **NO MASS**  
 Thurs.: **NO MASS**  
 Fri.: **NO MASS**  
       3:00pm Divine Mercy  
 Sat.: 5:00pm @ Smiths Falls: Special Intention  
 Sun.: 9:00am @ Lombardy: Intentions of Paddy Sullivan  
       11:00am @ Smiths Falls: For the People

### Ministries for Oct. 21 & 22

#### @ St. Francis de Sales

	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Extraord. Ministers</b>
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5:00pm	G. Heffernan M. Houlahan	J. Cobham D. Houlahan
11:00am	R. Drapeau J. Jenkins	C. McAdam B. MacMillan

#### @ Blessed Sacrament

9:00am	D. Edwards	P. Shaw, N. Mahon & B. Mahon
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Collection Counters: J. Meagher, P. Meagher & I. Kowalewski

We are looking for **volunteers to lead the rosary** before 5pm Mass on Saturdays. If you are interested, please contact the parish office at 613-283-0220.

**Next Sunday our parish will celebrate World Mission Sunday.** It represents a global sign of the universal Church and Mission. We are invited to reach out and help build the Church in the most remote areas across our world. Your prayers and donations will support churches, hospitals, schools, and vocations to priesthood and religious life. Please show your generosity as much as possible during this collection, because it provides assistance to the young dioceses in Asia, Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific Islands.

### Upcoming Events/Meetings

<b>Oct. 17</b>	K of C 4 <sup>th</sup> Degree mtg., 7:30pm
<b>Oct. 24</b>	Catholic Women's League General mtg., 6:45pm
<b>Nov. 1</b>	St. Vincent de Paul mtg., 7pm
<b>Nov 12</b>	Spaghetti Dinner & Silent Auction

**Father Rod will be away from Monday, October 16 to Friday, October 20.** If you need a priest in an emergency please call the parish office at 613-283-0220. After office hours please call Fr. Brian McNally at 613-267-1043.

### Buy your tickets for the....

Spaghetti Dinner and Silent Auction on Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup> 2017, from 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM. The Fall fundraiser event will be held in Hanley Hall, our Parish Centre. Join your fellow parishioners in the great food and festivities. **Advance ticket sales only** – at Parish Office or Churches after Mass next weekend, October 21 & 22.

### Make a Silent Auction Donation

Parishioners are asked to donate NEW goods and/or services that will be purchased through a silent and live auction. Tax receipts will be provided based on the Fair Market Values of donated items. Ideas include: New Merchandise Items; Special Things/Artwork; Gift Baskets; Providing a Service; Gift Certificates and Cash Donation. Please pledge your support by filling out and returning the Donation Forms located at the back of the church or Parish Office.

Thank you in advance for your consideration and generosity.

Save the date – November 3 and 4, **True North Strong for Life – National educational pro-life conference** in Ottawa at the Hilton Garden Inn. Come hear outstanding speakers on life issues such as euthanasia, palliative care, conscience rights and abortion. Sponsorships are available for high school, college and university students. Contact Action Life for more info or see [www.truenorth2017.eventbrite.com](http://www.truenorth2017.eventbrite.com).

#### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

<b>Offertory Collection:</b>	Actual	Budget
Sept. 24	\$ 4203.85	\$ 4000
Year to date	\$ 151,817.20	\$ 160,000

<b>Building Maint. Fund:</b>	Actual	Budget
Sept. 24	\$ 1521.75	\$ 1350
Year to date	\$ 62,180.39	\$ 49,950

The **Into the Future candle** will be lit the week of October 15 in loving memory of Jim and Jeffrey Hallinan.

St Mary's Catholic Women's League Council in Carleton Place are having their annual **Christmas Bazaar** on Saturday, **November 4th from 10am to 2pm** in their church hall (28 Hawthorne Ave). Lots of unique items to purchase. Come check out their tea room for homemade soup, sandwiches, pie and refreshments.

#### Please Pray for the Following:

The Sick: Mike Mahon, Jack Traynor, Joan Sonnenburg, and many others who are in our hearts and for all Caregivers who give them loving support.

#### For the Deceased:

*Please note names are published in the bulletin for 2 months. After 2 months, names are transferred to the Adoration Chapel where their intentions will continue to be remembered in prayer. If you wish to add or remove the name of a person asking for our prayers in the weekly bulletin, please inform the parish by calling 613-283-0220.*

In February 2018, 5 students from St. John Catholic High School will be travelling to Guatemala as part of an exposure experience. Fund raising efforts have begun to assist students with the travel cost. Again, this year, we will be having a yard sale, at the **Crystal Palace in Perth, on Saturday October 21<sup>st</sup>**. Come and support the team by making a purchase!

Westminster Presbyterian Church welcomes The Ottawa Valley Male Choir in **Songs of Canada**. Sunday, October 22 at 3pm, 11 Church St. W, Smiths Falls. Free will offering will be accepted.

#### Archdiocesan Liturgical Conference 2017

"My Sacrifice and Yours" – How is the Mass a Sacrifice? What do we Bring and Offer? The Sacrifice of Praise and Thanksgiving. The Archdiocese of Kingston invites you to the Liturgical Conference that will take place on Friday evening, Nov. 24 from 7:30pm-9pm, and Saturday, Nov. 25 from 9am-3pm, at the Providence Spirituality Centre, 1200 Princess St., Kingston. Facilitator: Fr. John Hibbard. Registration deadline is Friday, Nov. 4. Commuters: \$30, Overnight: \$80. To register please visit [www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca](http://www.romancatholic.kingston.on.ca) or contact Goretta DaSilva at 613-548-4461.

#### Josh Blakesley Band: XLT:

#### Come Worship at St. Mary's Cathedral

Join us for an exciting evening of prayer, adoration and praise & worship music with Catholic recording artist Josh Blakesley and his band. **Friday, October 20th at 7pm** at St. Mary's Cathedral. Free admission. Free-will donations will be graciously accepted. Band Merchandise will be available. ALL ARE WELCOME! **For more information or to car pool please contact Chris McGuire through email at [m McGuire@live.ca](mailto:m McGuire@live.ca) or 613-769-6529.** For more info about the Josh Blakesley Band visit: [www.joshblakesleymusic.com](http://www.joshblakesleymusic.com)