

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Times

July 4th, 2021

MASS INTENTIONS



Saturday July 3rdh
5:00 pm † José Manuel Gaspar by
Marcia Gaspar
† Edgardo Ramirez by the family

Wednesday July 7th
5:00 pm † Rita Kamar by Rafael Kamar

Saturday August 14th
5:00 pm † Cisca Van Kessel by Tony Van Kessel

Remember in your prayers all who are in need of our prayers that God's healing and comforting presence may be with them, especially:



Mary Dawn Johnston, Andy Quan, Chris McEvoy, Joyce Lefebvre, Deslyn Agard, Jacques & Isobel Arcand, Nicky LeBlanc, Yasmin Shivji, Anna Gaigg, Omar Ladouceur, Peter & Janet Perry, Sylvia LaFrance, Dennis McGrath, Bob Cameron, Patricia & Charles Jelley, Eddy Proulx, Terry Jolicoeur, Joseph Ritchie and Ken Trudel.

Please contact the parish office to inform us of those who are ill and in need of God's healing and comfort. Renewal of prayers for the sick is available by contacting Pat Gagne (613-523-0769)

WEEKLY CHURCH GUIDELINES

Wednesday Mass 9:15 am

Thursday Mass 5:00 pm

Friday Mass 9:15 am

Friday Adoration: 5:00 pm

Saturday Mass 5:00 pm

Sunday Mass 11:00 am

Confessions: call Fr. Eslin at 819-576-6255

Saturday & Sunday Masses can be viewed online through Facebook (saintbernardottawa)
Effective June 30th we are moving to Step Two of the Roadmap to Reopen. Our capacity increases to 25% (75 persons - first come, first served)

Summer office hours:: Tuesdays and Fridays 9:00 am to 12:30 pm

Pastor's Message

"I am your power"

Greetings to each of you dear brothers, sisters and children, soon it will be the summer vacation. Be sure that you are in our prayers. This coming weekend on we would have the possibility to have 25% of the church capacity (75 members inclusive of the Celebrant) for our liturgical gatherings. You are welcome to join any of them, first come first served. I like to share a part of the reflection of Richard Rohr for a thought on where our true power lies.

Many prayer groups have experienced this sort of tension as they start to develop into a community. In the early days of the New Jerusalem community, it was so nice when we were just a few people who prayed in a room together! We could go merrily on our way, trusting in the Lord, and everything would work out fine. But then the group got larger. We had to have more meetings; we had to take care of this and that; we needed more organization. At that point it gets very easy to stop trusting in God and to start doing it all ourselves.

We often take ourselves too seriously, believing in ourselves rather than in God. Often, our actions do not come from a place of prayer and listening to God, but from what we want to do. Look at the pitifully little fruit of 2,000 years of Christianity, with the systems of injustice in which we have been totally complicit! So much of it has been our thing, our power. God has communicated in a million ways that "I am your power," but we do not believe and trust what we cannot see or prove. Instead, we bow down to lesser kings (like institutions, nations, wars, ideologies, etc.) that we can see, even when they serve us quite poorly. *Thus, the entire history of the necessary tension between charism ("authenticity") and institution ("concretization") is set in motion. It will become the framework for most religious and spiritual journeys.*

God bless you all!
Fr. Eslin Pereira cmf.

OTTAWA PASTORAL CARE TRAINING PROGRAM

The following courses are being offered this fall by the Ottawa Pastoral Care Training Program. All programs will be delivered on Zoom.

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In September they will have two 9-week Basic Courses in Pastoral care: one in the afternoon and one in the evening.

The Advanced course takes place in October and consists of 4 sessions;

For more information visit Ottawapastoralcare.com

OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION PARISH - TAKE-OUT DINNERS - OLV would like to share with you that they are continuing to have the SUNDAY curbside pickup TAKE-OUT DINNERS. Curbside pick-up Sundays 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm. Don't be disappointed. Tickets selling fast. Prepaid orders! Tickets 613-822-2007 or email events@olvottawa.ca. Cost lower if you order multiple dinners. Adults \$22.50 and children 10 years and under \$10.00. Address for pick-up dinners, 5338 Bank Street, Gloucester, K1X 1H1.

Here are the dates:

July 11th - Roast Beef Take-Out Dinner

August 8th - Chicken Take-Out Dinner

September 12th - Schnitzel Take-Out Dinner

October 17th - Annual Harvest Beef Dinner

November 14th - Annual Turkey Dinner

December 5th - Tourtières

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Archbishop's Residence: Part-time Cook:

Schedule is Sunday, 7:00 am - 6:45 pm; flexibility to replaced staff during vacation or absences. Full details available at: <https://en.archoc.ca/part-time-cook>. Send cover letter and resume to: rwhite@archottawa.ca. Only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. Application deadline: **July 28, 2021.**

Director for Miriam Centre: Full-time position, salary \$16/hour, 32.5 hours/week. Miriam Centre, a Christian ministry, is seeking a compassionate pro-life person whose primary responsibility will be to help pregnant women and their families. Must be fluently bilingual (oral and written), have good knowledge and experience in management and computer skills. For job posting see: <https://miriamcentre.ca/contact-us/>. Submit your resume to: Sr. Rita Lacelle, 107-1803 St. Joseph Blvd., Orleans, ON K1C 6E7, or centremiriamcentre@gmail.com.

Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall - Financial Controller: The Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall is looking for a Financial Controller to help lead the finance team. The Financial Controller, under the direction of the Chief Financial Officer (CFO), will

primarily be responsible to assess both accounting and administrative controls and prepare reports for the management team regarding corporate compliance and internal policies and procedures. This position will facilitate any auditing conducted by third parties to ensure effective resolution and swift closure of auditing activities. This role will also ensure organization utilizes ethical accounting practices and standards. Full description: <https://en.archoc.ca/financial-controller>. Application deadline: July 23.

Do Something Amazing Retreat: NET Canada is searching for the next generation of Catholic missionaries. Do you have what it takes to join them? Request an application to register for the next virtual retreat to learn more about NET and how you can grow in your faith and change the lives of youth in Canada. Go to www.netcanada.ca/apply to start your journey! July 10, 11am-5pm. Info: recruit@netcanada.ca.

DONATIONS BY CREDIT CARD OR INTERAC to make weekly, monthly, or one time donations: Visit, saintbernardparish.com, click on Canada Helps to give. Canada Helps will instantly issue you a tax receipt and will forward your donation into our parish account.

CRA CHARITY NUMBER - Our parish is registered with CRA as: PAROISSE ST BERNARD 128967353RR0020. This number is needed to setup payroll charity giving



WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

A warm welcome to new parishioners. You are invited to fill out a parish registration form found on the table in the foyer or on our parish website: www.saintbernardparish.com.

Please put the completed form into the collection basket during Offertory at Mass.

