

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SEPTEMBER 19, 2021

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	• People of the Parish
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	• For those living with cancer
	11:00 a.m.	• † Robert and † Alice Kingston and † Mark Spooner by the Kingston family • † Paul Troy by the Neshcov family • † Ronald Vidal by Maia Vidal and family • † Deceased members of the Morand and Boucher families by Pierre and Dianne Boucher • For the Intentions of Fr. Tom by Dan and Susan Burnett
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	• † Kimberley Brigden by John Bryant
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	• † Chooi Leong by her family
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	• † Parish All Souls Intention
Friday	9:00 a.m.	• † Claire Provost by Dorothy Moreau
SEPTEMBER 26, 2021		
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	• † Baby Jordynn Deborah Chiarelli by Julia Chiarelli and family
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	• People of the Parish
	11:00 a.m.	• † Earl Burnett by Kelvin and family • † Rosamond Clarke by Kelvin and family • † Brenda Volpe by Andre and family • † Nahead Nihal by the Enright family • † Vivienne O'Shaughnessy by your Choir Friends
Reconciliation by appointment only		

PSALM

The Lord upholds my life. - Psalm 54

READINGS

First Reading – Wisdom 2.12, 17 – 20

Second Reading – James 3.16 – 4.3

Gospel – Mark 9.30 – 37



Korean martyrs - Saint Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Saint Paul Chong Ha-seng, and companions,

INFORMATION FOR ATTENDING MASS



While it is tempting to think that the regulations regarding attending Mass during a pandemic no longer apply, especially as most of us are fully vaccinated, the province has not yet lifted any of those requirements. Therefore, during Mass, **we must continue to WEAR OUR MASKS, sanitize our hands upon entering the church, sit physically distanced from those we do not live with, sanitize the church after each Mass, and not gather in the church or parking lot after Mass.** As well, we still need information for contact tracing.

- ❖ **REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR WEEKEND MASSES.** You can register through Eventbrite, which is accessible on the parish webpage (www.stpatricksfallowfield.com), or by calling the parish office (613-591-1135). **Registration is open from Monday at 12:00 p.m. until Friday at 12:00 p.m.** Registration is for the following week only. If you have registered for Mass but are unable to go, please call the office to cancel your registration, so that someone else can go.
- ❖ We continue to **livestream the Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass**, available through the parish website.

Thank you for your continued cooperation.

GOSPEL REFLECTION

In today's First Reading, it's like we have our ears pressed to the wall and can hear the murderous grumblings of the elders, chief priests, and scribes—who last week Jesus predicted would torture and kill Him ([Mark 8:31](#); [10:33–34](#)). The liturgy invites us to see this passage from the Book of Wisdom as a prophecy of the Lord's Passion. We hear His enemies complain that “the Just One” has challenged their authority, reproached them for breaking the law of Moses, for betraying their training as leaders and teachers. And we hear chilling words that foreshadow how they will mock Him as He hangs on the Cross: “For if the Just One be the Son of God, He will . . . deliver Him . . .” ([Matthew 27:41–43](#)).



Today's Gospel and Psalm give us the flip side of the First Reading. In both, we hear of Jesus' sufferings from His point of view. Though His enemies surround Him, He offers Himself freely in sacrifice, trusting that God will sustain Him.

But the Apostles today don't understand this second announcement of Christ's Passion. They begin arguing over issues of succession—over who among them is greatest, who will be chosen to lead after Christ is killed. Again, they are thinking not as God but as human beings ([Mark 8:33](#)). And again, Jesus teaches the Twelve—the chosen leaders of His Church—that they must lead by imitating His example of love and self-sacrifice. They must be “servants of all,” especially the weak and the helpless - symbolized by the child He embraces and places in their midst.

This is a lesson for us, too. We must have the mind of Christ, who humbled Himself to come among us ([Philippians 2:5–11](#)). We must freely offer ourselves, making everything we do a sacrifice in praise of His name. As James says in today's Epistle, we must seek wisdom from above, desiring humility, not glory, and in all things be gentle and full of mercy. - *Excerpted from Scott Hahn reflects, stpaulcenter.com*

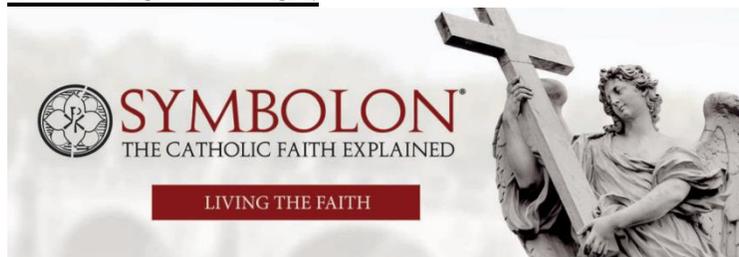
THE DECEASED AND THOSE WHO MOURN THEM

Jeannine MEUNIER, whose funeral was celebrated here on September 17.

CELEBRATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

The celebration will take place at Hope Cemetery, 4660 Bank St., (hopecemetery.ca) on **Sunday, September 19 at 2:30 p.m.**

FAITH FORMATION



Too often we try to live a faith we don't understand. Our FORMED study this fall is *Living the Faith* (Symbolon 2), a follow-on to the *Knowing the Faith* (Symbolon 1) study which we have run previously. *Living the Faith* explores how Jesus gave us the Sacraments, the Mass and the rich treasures

of Church teaching to enliven our faith and bring vibrancy to our Catholic lives. The 10-part *Living the Faith* series will take place on Zoom on Wednesday evenings starting October 6, at 7:00 p.m. Study guides will be provided. There is no requirement to have completed *Knowing the Faith* to attend as both series stand on their own. There is also no need to be a FORMED subscriber. Watch the two-minute trailer at <https://watch.formed.org/videos/symbolon-trailer>. To register for this discussion series, email apduffngb@gmail.com or call the parish office at 613-591-1135.

As a parishioner at St. Patrick Parish Fallowfield, you are invited to enjoy a FREE subscription to FORMED – an incredible online gateway to quality Catholic content, including movies, children's programs and audio presentations that will entertain, inform and inspire. You can register as a parishioner on the parish website or at <https://formed.org/signup>

HEART OF WORSHIP

Come and spend time with Jesus in adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on **Tuesday, September 28, 7:00-8:30 p.m.** at Holy Redeemer. Includes a short reflection by Fr. Paul, on the topic of "The Paradox of the Cross in our Lives", praise and worship music, silent adoration, and confessions. Live on www.youtube.com/HolyRedeemerParishKanata. Or attend in person, by registering at: holyredeemerkanata.flocknote.com/signup/67505.



ALPHA

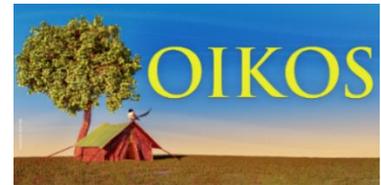
- ❖ St. Mary's, Ottawa via Zoom. Register via <https://tinyurl.com/StMarysAlpha>. Will start on **Tuesday, September 28, at 7:00 p.m.** For more information, please contact <https://stmarysottawa.ca/alpha>; or 613 728-9811 x701.
- ❖ Annunciation of the Lord, starting **Tuesday September 21**. For information, please click here: [Alpha – Annunciation of the Lord Parish](#).
- ❖ St. Isidore Parish, Kanata, online Alpha. Offering both a men's and women's group each Monday and Tuesday starting the week of **September 12, at 7:00 p.m.** To register and for information, please contact: saintisidoreparish.flocknote.com/signup/64896 or call the parish at 613-592-1961.

PRO-LIFE

40 Days for Life Campaign: 40 days to pray and fast for an end to abortion. Opening Rally takes place on **Tuesday, September 21, at 7:00 p.m.** at the prayer vigil site, southwest corner of Queen and Bank Streets. Daily vigil, 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m., at vigil site during campaign, **September 22 - October 31**. For more information, call: 613-299-2515; email wanda40daysforlife@campaignlifecoalition.com; or visit <https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/local-campaigns/ottawa>

THE SEASON OF CARE OF CREATION

“A home for all? Renewing the Oikos of God” is the theme of this year’s Season of Creation (September 1 – October 4). During this period, Christians worldwide are invited to renew their faith in the God of creation and join in prayer and work for the care of our common home. Our home is endangered by climate disasters and conflicts. Our baptismal call urges us to renew the whole Earth, so that life can flourish. To learn more, visit: <https://seasonofcreation.org/>



SEASON OF CREATION – OUTDOOR MASS

The Kateri Ministry and the Saint Basil's Parish invite you to celebrate the Season of Creation at an outdoor Mass, followed by an "eco lunch", **Saturday, September 25, 11:00 a.m.** on the Kateri land, 5642 Ferry Road, Fitzroy Harbour. Bring your own chair and cup. Please register, by calling the Parish office at 613-729-5149 (Rain date: October 2).

DEVELOPMENT & PEACE OTTAWA DIOCESAN COUNCIL'S AGM

You are invited to their AGM, which will feature **Bishop Alfredo Vizcarra**, President of Peruvian Bishops' Commission on Youth and Lay People. Taking place on **Saturday, September 25, at 10:00 a.m.** Registration is required, either by calling **Priva** at 613 738-9644 ext. 224, or online at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUzd-qsrjkoHNwVQsBf9URy5ZAYBiAtJobf>

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS



The CWL's annual 'School Supplies Initiative' was once again a success due to the generosity of St. Patrick parishioners. Sixty-two backpacks and over \$1,100.00 worth of school supplies were delivered to Elementary Schools. Thank you to Staples Kanata, for their support of this initiative. And special thanks to Anne Lamont who organized the drive for us, and to all parishioners who donated gift cards so that children were able to start the new school year with the supplies they need.

COLLECTIONS TOTALS

Sunday Offering, July – \$24,722.93

August – \$28,947.31

Restoration, July – \$2,990.00

August – \$4,541.00

Maintenance, July – \$1,875.00

August – \$1,891.00

Other Collections, July – \$355.00

August – \$875.00 *Thank you for your continued generosity!*



FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR OUR PARISH

We thank all parishioner who continue to support us at this time. We are happy to announce that we have a new bookkeeper, **Vladimir (Vlado) Sigel**, who is in the office Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please direct any financial questions to him at: finance@stpatricksfallowfield.com.

- ❖ Sunday Offerings can be sent by mail to the office. Cheques only, no cash please.
- ❖ Pre-authorized debit: To enroll in this program, please visit our website at <http://stpatricksfallowfield.com/newsite/donations/> to find the application form. Please download the form, complete it and mail to the office, along with a voided cheque.
- ❖ Interac transfer: Contributions can be sent by e-mail transfer to finance@stpatricksfallowfield.com. Please use your **envelope number** as your password for the donation. If you do not know your envelope number or do not have one, please ensure you send your chosen password in a separate message to the same e- mail address. If your envelope number is less than 3 digits, please add zeros. (i.e., 001, 018).
- ❖ We also understand that many may be struggling to pay their own bills. If you need to reduce or suspend your pre-authorized donation, please send Vlado an email.

PROMOTING RESILIENCY

Andrea Khalid, MA RP is presenting her doctoral research findings on caregivers/care partners of sufferers of Parkinson's Disease. Taking place on **Thursday, September 29, Noon - 1:15 pm**. Free. Zoom from Saint Paul University at: (https://ustpaul.ca/en/promoting-resiliency-effects-of-parkinson-s-disease-on-caregivers-care-partners_7457_17.htm). For more information, contact: pmarsdendole@archottawa.ca.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

- ❖ The Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall is looking for a full-time, bilingual Administrative Assistant/Reception. For complete job description, please visit: <https://en.archoc.ca/employment-opportunities>. The deadline to apply for this position is **Monday, September 20, 2021**.
- ❖ St. Basil's Parish is looking for a Pastoral Office Administrator (shared position). This position is for 15 hours/week (Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday). Please call the parish office [(613) 729-5149] for a copy of the job description. Application deadline is **Tuesday, September 27**.
- ❖ St. Patrick's Home Foundation is recruiting Board Members. Our Foundation is an independent, registered charitable organization that is governed by a volunteer Board of Directors. We meet and collaborate with their Board of Directors and Leadership Team to support the vision, mission and values of St. Pat's. To learn more, or to complete an application form, please visit: <https://stpatsfoundation.ca/board-recruitment/>. For information, call 613-731-0094 x350.

*"We have received baptism, entrance into the Church and the honour of being called Christians.
Yet what good will this do us, if we are Christians in name only and not in fact?"
Saint Andrew Kim Tae-gon*
