

RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD PARISH COMMUNITY

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*A dynamic Catholic community called by the Risen Lord to share God's love
through worship, service and solidarity.*

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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	9:00 a.m.
	11:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays	4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Fridays	8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
First Friday	7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday – Friday	8:00 a.m.
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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays	8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
First Friday	5:00 p.m. to Midnight

OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday to Thursday – 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. / 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

BAPTISMS: contact the parish office at least two months in advance.

MARRIAGE: Please notify the parish office at least six months before the marriage.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

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Masses For The Week

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday September 9

5:00 p.m. -for the Living and Deceased Members of the Stofko Family and its Relatives by Evelyn Stofko
+for the Repose of the Soul of Vittoria Rinaldi by the Rinaldi Family
+for the Repose of the Soul of Luis Enrique Castro by the Castro Family

Sunday September 10

9:00 a.m. -for the Intentions of the Dalusung Family
+for the Repose of the Soul of Marie Magdalena Serrao by the Estate of Nancy Marie Serrao
+for the Repose of the Soul of Clare Elder by her Children
+for the Repose of the Soul of Berry Macrae by Irene Casey

11:00 a.m. -Resurrection of Our Lord Parishioners

WEEK DAY MASSES

Tuesday September 12

8:00 a.m. +for the Repose of the Soul of Robert Galloway by his brother Harry

Wednesday September 13

8:00 a.m. +for the Repose of the Soul of Nancy Marie Serrao by her Estate

Thursday September 14

8:00 a.m. +for the Repose of the Soul of Henrique Oliveira by his Wife, Maria Oliveira

Friday September 15

8:00 a.m. -in Thanksgiving by Virginia Chicot

Blessing of School Supplies and Backpacks: will be this Sunday, September 10th.

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday September 16

5:00 p.m. -for the Intentions of Ana Diaz de Gonzalez by the Castro Family
+for the Repose of the Soul of Vittoria Rinaldi by the Rinaldi Family
+for the Repose of the Soul of Kenneth Clark uncle of Diane Bontes
+for the Repose of the Soul of Betty Joachim by Nancy Marie Serrao

Sunday September 17

9:00 a.m. -for a Special Intention of the Detillieux Family
+for the Repose of the Soul of Joy Mullan by Joseph and Fina Lobo
+for the Repose of the Soul of Clare Elder by her Children
+for the Repose of the Soul of Genevieve Lutes by Joan Moon

11:00 a.m. -Resurrection of Our Lord Parishioners

Confessions

Saturdays / 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Fridays / 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
First Friday / 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Fridays / 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
First Friday / 5:00 p.m. to Midnight

WE REMEMBER THE SICK IN OUR COMMUNITY:

Alan Jane, Grazynka Daszczyński, Joseph Lobo, Byron Howat, Gabrielle Etter, Theresa MacDonald, Elizabeth Maddox.

Hour of Prayer

Mon. to Thurs. 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Resurrection of Our Lord Parish
•ANNOINTING OF THE SICK• MASS,
Saturday, September 16th, (9:00 a.m.)

Couples for Christ: Couples for Christ (CFC) is a Catholic community recognized by the Vatican as a Private International Association of the Faithful of Pontifical Right. CFC strives to build the church of the home and the church of the poor by providing support to couples and (through their families) people of all ages in living out the vocation that God has planned for them. Since its establishment in 1981, CFC is now present in over 100 countries worldwide. CFC members receive regular formation teachings, attend fellowships, conferences and actively support various parishes in Ottawa. It is a blessing to serve God as a family. Every member receives nourishment through various ministries: for kids below 12 years old, "Kids for Christ"; for youth ages 12 to 20, "Youth for Christ"; for young single adults ages 21 to 40, "Singles for Christ"; and for mature men and women (41 years old and above), "Servants and Handmaids of the Lord".

Christian Life Program (CLP): Have you ever wondered what your purpose is in life, or what are the things you ought to do to enjoy life? This Fall Couples for Christ invites you to join us on a journey to discover that God wants each one of us to enjoy a wonderful life, and to find out together how to make the best of our lives and family.

The Christian Life Program is a free faith study for adults of all ages, and married couples, intended to lead the participants to a renewed understanding of God's call to each one of us as Christian individuals, and couples. The Christian Life Program consists of 8 sessions. Each session lasts approximately 2 hours and includes prayer time, a teaching, group discussion, and fellowship.

CLP Starts on October 14th to December 2nd (Every Saturday from 1:30 to 3:30 PM). To register or for more information please contact Jerico Gapas via email: jerico.gapas@gmail.com or mobile: 613-291-1229

Blessing of the Crosses: Feast Day of the Exultation of the Holy Cross, at a Special Mass, this coming **Thursday, September 14th, 11:00 AM.** For the Blessing of Everyone's Crosses. Bring your Crosses to the Mass and they will be Blessed.

Why We Need to be Blessed

This world is the blessed creation of God, and we need His continual blessings to overcome the seven deadly sins: Pride, Avarice, Envy, Anger, Sloth, Lust, and, Gluttony. *O God...your mercy preserves us and prolongs our life, giving us time to return and be reconciled with you. ... In mercy you preserved the scars in your Son's body so that he might with these scars beg for mercy for us before your majesty.* (St. Catherine on Sienna.)

When God calls us, it is not within our capacity to fully respond by our own powers. Our only hope is that God will give us the capacity to love Him in return and act with the commandments of charity. A confident expectation of hope is that of divine blessing. Because God blesses the human heart, it can in return bless him who is the source of every blessing. Blessing is a divine and life-giving action, the source of which is the Father, his blessing is both word and gift. For us, "blessing" means adoration, and surrender to our Creator in thanksgiving. (Catechism of the Catholic Church.)

Once you have been blessed, then enter the mission of Jesus who's cross is the highest expression of his love and self gift, then let God's Spirit take possession of you in such a way that Jesus himself lives his desires of Salvation for you, as did Fr. Francis Mary Jordan of the Cross, SDS – founder of the Salvatorians. (The fruits of the mystical life of Fr. Francis Mary Jordan of the Cross, SDS – pp. 109-110 – His love of the cross.)

In our history, we have many historical blessings:

An Irish Blessing

May the road rise up to meet you.
May the wind be always at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face;
the rains fall soft upon your fields
and until we meet again,
may God hold you in the palm of His hand.

Family Blessing

Parents, godparents, family members, you have it within your power to bless your children. Please bless them. It is important that your children go forth from your homes in a good way. Parents, godparents, aunts, uncles, everyone, has the strength to bless our children:

*I bless you,
in the name of The Father, The Son,
and, The Holy Spirit. Amen.*

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