
Sunday, June 8, 2014

Pentecost Sunday



**The Catholic
Communities of
St. John the Evangelist**

2540 Stagecoach Road, Osgoode 
and

St. Brigid

2015 River Road, Manotick 

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LED BY THE SPIRIT

As we go through life, there are many times when we have to make difficult choices. Should I go here or there? Should I buy this or that? Should I join this group or another? Should I wait longer before changing jobs? It seems that we never finish with making decisions. And when we think about it for a moment, we soon come to realize that our decisions are the backbone of our lives.

As Christian, our goal is to allow the Holy Spirit to lead us through our lives in every decision we have to make, no matter how small or big. This is why it's so important for us to remain open to the promptings of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit teaches us what we need to know, when we need to know it. We are reminded by the Holy Spirit of the particular truths we need to remember when we are involved in an important moment in our lives.

When we are afraid to move forward with our lives, we often find ourselves the slave to fear. It's a terrible place to be in because it makes life such a terrible burden. Fear keeps us in prison. But when we make the choice to allow the Spirit to speak deeply to our hearts, we then have the freedom to make new and life-giving decisions and to go where we have not gone before.

MASS INTENTIONS

St. John

Sunday, June 8 at 9:00 a.m.

Soul of Joseph McEwen, by
Colleen & Gordon Joice & family

Thursday, June 12 at 7:00 p.m.

Souls of Mr. & Mrs. Gus McEvoy &
Orville McEvoy

Friday, June 13 at 9:00 a.m.

NO MASS

Sunday, June 15 at 9:00 a.m.

Soul of Tony Princiotta, by Rosalia
Princiotta

St. Brigid

Saturday, June 7 at 5:00 p.m.

Souls of Luis & Elsie Gama-Rose,
by Sheila Gama-Rose

Sunday, June 8 at 10:30 a.m.

Souls of Arthur & Doris Rooney,
by Janice and John Kelly

Saturday, June 14 at 5:00 p.m.

Soul of Jacques Lemay, by Freda
Lemay

Sunday, June 15 at 10:30 a.m.

Souls of Luis & Elsie Gama-Rose,
by Sheila Gama-Rose

**Sacrament of Reconciliation
(Confession):**

- Saturday at **St. Brigid** from
4:30 to 4:45 p.m.
 - Sundays at **St. John** from
8:30 to 8:45 a.m.
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Parish News and Community Life

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Fr. Titus will be attending a retreat from June 9–20. Fr. Charles will be away on retreat from June 14–24. There will be no mass **Fri. 13, Thurs. 19 & Fri. 20.**

ST. JOHN'S PARISH

We are asking for the parishioner who has envelope #28 to please call or e-mail the parish office. Thank you.

ST. BRIGID'S VOLUNTEER SACRISTAN

We are thankful for the work our sacristans do, we are looking for volunteer's to help set-up Sunday mass when they are not available. If interested, please see Father Charles after mass.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH – HOLY HOUR

You are welcome to join with the parish the Cenacle Group for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every **Saturday from 3 – 4:15 p.m.**, followed by Benediction.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH PROJECT

Looking for one or more parish volunteer(s) to act as a project manager for upcoming structural work that needs to be done on the church building. Useful experience would include: dealing with contractors, engineering firms, trades personnel, construction and/or home building. Contact any member of the parish council or parish office.

PICNIC & ROAST BEEF DINNER – JULY 19th

Request that you buy your tickets by mid June in order to give the organizing committee a better estimate of the number of attendees. We need your help to make this event a success – looking for many volunteers to assist on the day of July 19th as well as for preparations leading up to this day. Proceeds from this activity will go towards future structural work on the church. Contact Dennis McEvoy, any member of parish council or office.

PILGRIMAGE TO ST. ANN, CORMAC

76th annual pilgrimage to the Shrine of St. Ann, **Sun., July 27** with Bishop Michael Mulhall. Theme: "Healing Through Forgiveness". Mass at 11:00 am Mass for healing 2:00 p.m.; anointing with St. Ann's Oil. Preferential seating in the shade to those with lawn chairs. Info: (www.cormacpilgrimage.com)

PILGRIMAGE

Rome, Florence, Naples with Fr. Scott McCaig, CC. **Sept. 22 – Oct. 3, 2014.** \$2995 U.S./person, double occupancy. Mention Ottawa Pilgrims group. Info: (1-855-710-7663); (rome@takeapilgrimage.com).

SEEKING SUMMER STUDENT – DIVINE INFANT PARISH

Seeks a post secondary student from June 16 – August 29, 32.5 hours/week; \$11.50/hr. Experience with maintenance equipment and painting. Application: (parishadministrator@rogers.com).

Clothing Depot

Open Saturday mornings from 10 a.m. until 12 noon.
Coordinator: Wilda Corcoran at 613-821-3730.

Food Bank

Open Saturday mornings from 10 a.m. until 12 noon.
Coordinators: Len or Denise Herbert at 613-821-1481.

Hospitality

St. Brigid – if you know of a parishioner who is ill, or has suffered a loss, and would appreciate receiving a card, please call Sharon Van Schyndel at 613-489-0247.

Baptisms

Upon Request. A baptism preparation course is required.

Marriage

Please notify the parish office at least six months prior to the anticipated wedding date.

Our St. Brigid Community

St. Brigid Parish Council*

Maureen Goodspeed -
Chair
Deanna Kelly
John Kelly

St. Brigid Cemetery

Mike Kelly 613-692-4293

Our St. John Community

St. John Parish Council*

Dave Sandre, Chair
Sean Blanchfield
Brian Kelly
Susan Phillips, Finance

St. John Cemetery

Leonard Lapensee
613-821-3249

*Please contact Parish Office for Council information.

Last Sunday's Collection

St. Brigid: \$ 1,047.10

St. John: \$ 1,150.00