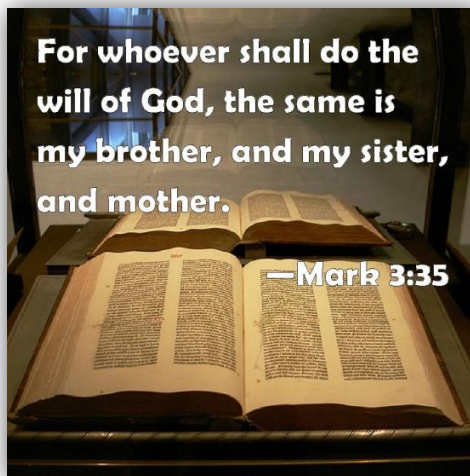


**PARISH MINISTRIES**

- Altar Linens**  
Colleen Grum 692-7841
- Altar Servers**  
Daniel Giguere 736-7889
- Amor Dei**  
Roxy McCarthy 692-3678
- Baptism**  
Michelle Dixon 692-7611
- Catholic Women's League (CWL)**  
Carol Dailey 825-6485
- Children's Liturgy**  
Elena & Nadia Wilson 692-1187
- Children's Mass**  
Marc Paradis 323-2397
- Confirmation**  
Geills Kaluza 692-1672
- Cursillo**  
Marc & Susan Lamarre 822-2424
- Development & Peace**  
Carroll Woods 489-0852
- Emergency Food Cupboard** 692-6333
- Finance Council**  
Andre Lefebvre 692-1146
- First Communion**  
Elizabeth Murphy 491-3334
- Knights of Columbus, Council # 11752**  
Jim Kile 612-3561
- Ladies' Auxiliary and Funeral Hospitality**  
Ann O'Neill 410-6977
- Liturgical Environment**  
Claudia Ressler 255-3221
- Liturgical Music Ministry**  
Bob Russell (Sat.) 692-3233  
Colleen Campbell 11 a.m. 868-2214  
Everard de Souza 692-5080
- Maintenance**  
Vince Thomson 425-2713
- Marriage Preparation**  
John & Janice Villeneuve 822-9916
- Mary in the Morning Sat. 7:30 am**  
Don & Daisy Langdon 298-9016
- Mass Ministry Scheduling**  
Scott Wilson 692-1187
- Pastoral Care Team**  
Marc Wood 692-3667
- Pastoral Council**  
Charles Slade 692-1936
- Pro- Life**  
Andrew & Eileen Brown 692-2216
- RCIA and Adult Faith Formation**  
Barry Gauthier 692-0620
- Seniors' Homes Pastoral Visitation**  
Roxy McCarthy 692-3678
- Youth**  
Colleen Menton 692-1839

**Sunday June 10, 2018**

**Tenth Sunday In Ordinary Time**



**Celebrations Of The Eucharist (Masses)**

Sat. June 9 4:30 p.m. Repose of the soul of **Janet Van Duzer**  
by Martin and Sandra Stone  
**Luis Elsie and Jesse-Luis** by sgr

Sun. June 10 9:00 a.m. **Parishioners of St. Leonard**  
11:00 a.m. **Parishioners of St. Leonard**  
7:00 p.m. **Parishioners of St. Leonard**

Wed. June 13 9:00 a.m. No Mass  
Thur. June 14 9:00 a.m. No Mass  
Fri. June 15 9:30 a.m. No Mass

Sat. June 16 4:30 p.m. Repose of the soul of **Florence Malone**  
by Don and Clare Craig

Sun. June 17 9:00 a.m. Repose of the soul of **Jerome Pierunek**  
by Nancy McDonald

Repose of the soul of **Rodolphe Doucet**  
by Michel and Susan Doucet and family

11:00 a.m.  
7:00 p.m.

<u>Collections</u>	<u>Current Year</u>	<u>Current Budget</u>	<u>Last Year</u>
Last Week (week 22)	5,526	4,800	4,336
Year to Date	121,068	112,450	107,891



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## The Family of the Faithful

Have you ever felt judged by your family? St. John Paul II noted that the family "is the cradle of life and love" (*On the Lay Members of Christ's Faithful*, 40). Yet unmet expectations and divergent priorities can cause tension in even the most loving family situations. This is true for us, and it was true for Jesus!

In today's Gospel, Jesus has returned home to Nazareth. A large crowd gathered, and Jesus finds himself facing stiff opposition from his family. This was likely Jesus' large, extended family. The Semitic language has no specific words for extended relatives, so everyone is "brother" or "sister." The entire clan has gotten wind of Jesus' preaching, and they are not amused. "They set out to seize him, for they said, 'He is out of his mind.'" To make matters worse, the religious authorities even accuse Jesus of being possessed by a demon. It's a mess by any standards.

The family's perspective is perhaps understandable. In Jewish culture, teachers and scribes underwent intensive schooling and apprenticeships, none of which Jesus had done. The family knew Jesus the carpenter, not Jesus the rabbi. For them, Jesus' bold preaching threatened the reputation of their family!

Jesus' words to his family can seem controversial. "Who are my mother and my brothers?" Yet Jesus knows what he is about. He has always known he would be about the business of his Heavenly Father. And what is that business? It is the business of the new covenant and the Kingdom of God. In this Kingdom, we are all adopted sons and daughters of the King. Jesus begins, even now, to expand the perspective of his listeners. Being welcomed into this family does not depend on our families of birth or ethnic origin, but a wholehearted commitment to "do the will of God."

## Pro-Life Initiative

The St Leonard's Pro-Life committee invites you to drop off new or clean gently used children's clothing (infant to 2 years), diapers, blankets, crib sheets, towels, formula, bibs, baby wipes as well as boys clothes size 2-3 years which will be donated to the Miriam Centre. We will put a playpen at the front of the church during the month of June. Please leave donations in the playpen! Miriam Centre offers emotional, spiritual and practical support to all those who face a difficult pregnancy, to those grieving a loss of a child (from whatever means, including miscarriage, sudden death or abortion) and provides follow up care after the birth of a child. The Centre receives no funding from the government or United Way and depends on fundraising. See website [www.miriamottawa.org](http://www.miriamottawa.org) for info. If you have any questions see the bulletin for our Pro-Life number. Thank you in advance for your support!



## Youth Movie Night – June 29

We are having our first youth movie night! It will be on Friday, June 29 from 7:00 pm to 9:30 pm. The movie being shown is "God's Not Dead". Free pizza will be provided! Please bring enough of your favourite peanut free candy to share. A sign up sheet is available at the back of the church until June 24. Please sign up so we can buy enough pizza for everybody!

## The Two Shall Become One



**Theresa Matheson & Steve Briscoe**  
will celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage  
on Saturday July 14, 2018 at 3:00 p.m.  
Please pray for this couple as they prepare  
for their life together.



Special blessings to all the children who received their FIRST HOLY COMMUNION in our parish in April and May.



CONFIRMATION MASS at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica on Sunday June 24<sup>th</sup> 2:30 p.m. Bishop Christien Riesbeck, Auxiliary Bishop of Ottawa will preside at the Mass for the Confirmation of seventy-three children from our parish.

## St. John the Evangelist Church 100th Anniversary Dinner Saturday June 23

The celebration will begin with a 4 p.m. Mass Saturday, June 23rd with Archbishop Terrence Prendergast. A hot buffet dinner in the parish hall will be follow at 5:30 p.m. For tickets please contact St. John the Evangelist parish office at 613-821-0761.

## Divine Mercy Breakfast

St. Augustine Parish, 1060 Baseline Rd., Sat., June 16, 8:00 a.m. Continental breakfast \$5. Speakers Keith & Peggy Doucette on Divine Mercy. RSVP Denis (613-228-7646) [breakfastforall.staugustine@gmail.com](mailto:breakfastforall.staugustine@gmail.com)