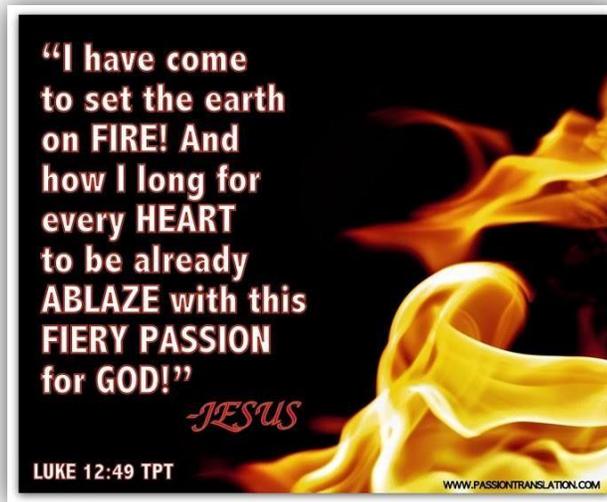


PARISH MINISTRIES

<u>Altar Linens</u>	
Colleen Grum	692-7841
<u>Altar Servers</u>	
Daniel Giguere	736-7889
<u>Amor Dei</u>	
Roxy McCarthy	692-3678
<u>Manotick Food Cupboard</u>	692-6333
<u>Baptism</u>	692-7611
Michelle Dixon	
<u>Carleton Lodge Visitation</u>	
Roxy McCarthy	692-3678
<u>Catholic Women's League (CWL)</u>	
Suzie Noaro	491-0298
<u>Children's Liturgy</u>	
Ashley Allen	219-0785
<u>Cursillo</u>	
Marc & Susan Lamarre	822-2424
<u>Confirmation</u>	
Stephane McNicholl	822-9535
<u>Development & Peace</u>	
Carroll Woods	489-0852
Jean Lashley	491-4775
<u>Finance Council</u>	
Michel Doucet	692-6128
<u>First Communion</u>	
Elizabeth Murphy	491-3334
<u>Knights of Columbus, Council # 11752</u>	
Jim Kile	612-3561
<u>Ladies' Auxiliary and Funeral Hospitality</u>	
Ann O'Neill	491-1751
<u>Liturgical Environment</u>	
Ogo Nwobu Nnebe	819-923-1091
<u>Liturgical Music Ministry</u>	
Bob Russell (Sat.)	692-3233
Everard de Souza	692-5080
<u>Maintenance</u>	
Vince Thomson	425-2713
<u>Marriage Preparation</u>	
Paul & Clare Grant	620-3643
<u>Mary in the Morning Sat. 7:30 a.m.</u>	
Don & Daisy Langdon	298-9016
<u>Mass Ministry Scheduling</u>	
Scott Wilson	692-1187
<u>Pastoral Care Team</u>	
Marc Wood	692-3667
<u>Pastoral Council</u>	
Charles Slade	692-1936
<u>Pro- Life</u>	
Andrew & Eileen Brown	692-2216
<u>RCIA and Adult Faith Formation</u>	
Barry Gauthier	692-0620
<u>Youth</u>	
Colleen Menton	692-1839

August 18 and August 25, 2019 **Twentieth and Twenty-First Sunday** **In Ordinary Time**



The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Sat. Aug. 17 4:30 p.m. **Mass of Thanksgiving** by Bill & Debbie Rodger

Sun. Aug. 18 9:00 a.m. **Parishioners of St. Leonard**
11:00 a.m. **Parishioners of St. Leonard**

Wed. Aug. 21 9:00 a.m.

Thurs. Aug. 22 9:00 a.m.

Fri. Aug. 23 9:00 a.m.

Sat. Aug. 24 4:30 p.m.

Sun. Aug. 25 9:00 a.m. **Rest of the soul of Louisa Johnson**
by Michel and Susan Doucet

11:00 a.m. **Rest of the soul of Pietro Cornacchia**
by his wife Maddalena Cornacchia
Rest of the soul of Juergen Rhades
by the Ressler Family

Wed. Aug. 28 9:00 a.m.

Thurs. Aug. 29 9:00 a.m. **Rest of the soul of Ofelia Gomes** on the first
anniversary of her passing by Sidney Gomes

Fri. Aug. 30 9:00 a.m.

Sat. Aug. 31 4:30 p.m. **Rest of the souls of the deceased members of the Noaro and Franceschini Families**
by Suzie and Giorgio Noaro

Sun. Sept. 1 9:00 a.m. **Rest of the souls of Evered & Kathleen LaSalle**
by Kathy and Pat Plue

11:00 a.m. **Rest of the souls of John S. and Peggy Black**
by Patsy & Felix Siwanowicz

Please Note: There will not be a Sunday 7 p.m. Mass until further notice.

The Prince Of Peace Wants To Set The World On Fire

This Sunday's Gospel can sound more intense than what we may be accustomed to. It's a passage of contradictions. Jesus so clearly prays for unity, yet here he speaks of division. Why would our God who comes as an offering of love speak so frankly about causing relationships to be torn apart?

The sobering truth is that Jesus is divisive. We see this throughout the Gospels, as the Pharisees critique him, the Romans condemn him, and not everyone in the crowd is enthusiastic about his words. Jesus has not come for the purpose of dividing, but what he does is so radical that it upends the status quo. And it doesn't end with his preaching and miracles! "There is a baptism with which I must be baptized." Jesus isn't talking about his baptism at the Jordan River, which has already occurred, but the passing through the waters of death on the Cross and rising again to new life in the resurrection. This is divisive stuff! Christ's spiritual fire turned the "fathers" - the Jewish people and Pharisees - against the "sons" - the common people. Not everyone wants the Gospel Jesus is preaching. Not everyone wants to be set on fire with the desire to love others. Some prefer to put on a warm sweater and curl up in front of the TV.

In living and loving as Jesus did, we, too, might ruffle some feathers. In disciplining our teenage child for sneaking out, we may cause some division (temporarily, we hope!). In standing up to gossip and the spread of cruel rumors in our workplace, we might cause division. In emphasizing the dignity of both the desperate mother and the unborn child, we might cause division. Not everyone wants the Gospel Jesus is preaching. Not everyone wants the Gospel we are invited to live. But that's no excuse not to live it.

From The Archdiocese

The Archdiocese of Ottawa and the Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall are in the process of amalgamating: Archbishop Terrence Prendergast, SJ, was appointed, January 14, 2016, as the Apostolic Administrator for the Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall. On April 27, 2018, the Holy Father, Pope Francis, united, in persona episcopi, the Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall with the Archdiocese of Ottawa, and appointed Archbishop Prendergast as archbishop of Ottawa and bishop of Alexandria-Cornwall. On December 12, 2018, the Holy Father appointed as auxiliary bishop of the diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall, the Rev. Fr. Guy Desrochers, C.Ss.R. In consultation with both Dioceses, the decision was made that the new unified diocese will be known as the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall. The process of amalgamation under canon and civil law is both lengthy and complex. We aim to periodically report our progress and the key decisions that have been reached. To read the full communiqué online: <https://ArchOttawa.ca>

Coffee Mug/Dishes Collection For Shepherds of Good Hope

We will be collecting your old coffee mugs, dinner plates, medium plates, and soup bowls to donate to Shepherds of Good Hope from July 21 - Sept 1. Please drop off dishes in the box in the foyer. Please no glass ware. For more information please contact Natalie Hawkins: Nataliec07@gmail.com

Some Are Last Who Will Be First And Some Are First Who Will Be Last

Have you ever seen a celebrity? Have you ever met a political representative? Did the encounter leave you with newfound acting or musical abilities? Did it give you a grasp of the intricacies of the latest city ordinance or controversial law? Talents, expertise, and skill are hard-won traits, not rewards that spread by contact. Our life of faith is also not so easy.

"We ate and drank in your company and you taught in our streets!" In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus notes that it requires moral strength to enter the kingdom of God. It's not mere proximity to righteousness that saves. Rubbing elbows with the righteous is not the same as being truly holy ourselves. Unfortunately, we can have this attitude in many areas. It's easy to see who may seem "first" in the eyes of the world. This occurs in our workplaces and among our public figures. It can also happen in our schools, local parishes, and the larger Church. For some of us, the temptation to have the popularity and prestige rub off on us can be fairly strong. If only we are in the right place with the right people, surely others will associate us with what they possess!

But salvation is worked out in each individual life. It is our task not merely to show up, but to be transformed. And the truly transformed may not be everyone we expect. "People will come from the east and the west and from the north and the south... some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last." Some who seem first in reputation now may be last in the kingdom of God. Others who appear now on the furthest fringes of society - but better imitate the lowly holiness of Jesus - will be first in his kingdom. What are your concerns? Proximity and reputation? Or prayerful righteousness?

Gold Mass for Scientists - Tues. Sept. 17

The Most Reverend Terrence Prendergast, SJ, Archbishop of Ottawa, will preside at a bilingual Gold Mass for scientists on Tues., Sept. 17, 5:00 pm at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica, 385 Sussex Dr. Scientists, science educators, engineers, and mathematicians are particularly welcome. Reception follows in the Cathedral Hall.

Ottawa Men's Conference - Warrior Identity Sat. Sept. 7, 2019 with

Archbishop Prendergast & Bishop Riesbeck

"If You Want Peace... Prepare for War" on Sat., Sept. 7, 7:30 am - 3:30 pm at St. Augustine Parish, 1060 Baseline Rd. Guest speakers: Bishop Christian Riesbeck CC and Fr. Mark Goring CC. Mass with Archbishop Prendergast SJ. Ticket info: www.jp2centre.com. Cost: \$35. Hosted by John Paul II Centre for Divine Mercy.

Father Gerard's Installation Sunday Aug. 25

On Sunday Aug. 25 at 11 a.m. at St. Leonard Church, Bishop Guy Desrochers C.Ss.R will formally present Father Gerard to his new parishes. A reception will follow in our parish hall. Please join us for this joyful celebration to welcome our new pastor.