

FIFTEENTH AND SIXTEENTH SUNDAYS IN ORDINARY TIME

SCRIPTURE MESSAGE: Today's readings remind us of our Divine adoption as God's children and of our call to preach the Good News of Jesus by bearing witness to God's love, mercy and salvation as revealed through Jesus. **Scripture lessons:** The first reading warns us that our witnessing mission will be rejected, as happened to the Old Testament prophets like Amos. Like Amos, each one of us is chosen by God through the mystery of Divine adoption in Jesus, to become a missionary and to preach the "Good News," mainly by Christian witnessing. In the second reading, St. Paul explains the blessings that we have received through our Baptism and the responsibility we have to become missionaries. In the Gospel, the evangelist tells the story of Jesus' commissioning of the twelve apostles to preach the "Good News" of repentance, forgiveness of sins, liberation and salvation through Jesus. Just as God sent the prophet Amos to preach repentance to ancient Israel and St. Paul to preach the Good News of salvation to the Gentiles, so Jesus sends forth his followers to proclaim the Good News of God's Kingdom and to bring healing to those who need it most. Life Messages: We too have a witnessing mission: We are called to be witnessing disciples and evangelizing apostles. As witnessing disciples, we need to follow Jesus, imitate him, reflect him and radiate him. As apostles, we need to evangelize the world by sharing with others our experience of God and His Son, Jesus, proclaiming the Gospel and the salvation promised by Jesus through our transparent Christian lives and radiating the love, mercy, forgiveness, spirit of humble service and concern of Jesus to the people around us.

2) We also have a liberating mission, helping free people from the demons of nicotine, alcohol, drugs, gambling, pornography, promiscuous sex, hatred, jealousy, racial prejudice and consumerism. We need the help of Jesus to liberate us and others from these things.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL: Please pray for:

Reggie Bernardo, Fr. Martin, Hilda Armstrong, Gerard Parker, Valerie Cooper, Mary Lambert, Denis & Norma Savage, Dorothy Meaney, Stella Alberry, Heidi Reid, Gerald & Irene Moriarty, Bibin John, Leone McIntyre, Justin Lefave, Ann Ruigrok, Maurice and Madeleine Belec, Margaret Smith, Margrite Dezainde, John Beriau, Debbie Freer, Shelley McCaffrey, Stella Popek, Brian Brougham and Ronald Roy.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY: Prayerful best wishes to all who are celebrating wedding anniversaries in July:

<i>Albert and Maria Lelievre</i>	<i>41 years</i>	<i>July 16</i>
<i>Peter and Carol Lynch</i>	<i>47 years</i>	<i>July 17</i>
<i>Roger and Lorraine Duchesne</i>	<i>54 years</i>	<i>July 18</i>
<i>Rick and Debbie Zabloski</i>	<i>44 years</i>	<i>July 20</i>
<i>Peter and Jane Verhoeven</i>	<i>39 years</i>	<i>July 21</i>
<i>Christopher and Pastel Andress</i>	<i>18 years</i>	<i>July 21</i>
<i>Michael and Jennifer O'Reilly</i>	<i>7 years</i>	<i>July 23</i>

MASS SCHEDULE JULY 14 -29, 2018		
Saturday, July 14	5:15 p.m.	Bill and Marguerite Clifford
Sunday, July 15	8:30 a.m.	Our Parishioners
	10:00 a.m.	Fabienne Gladu
Tuesday, July 17	6:30 p.m.	Tom Barr
Wednesday, July 18	9:00 a.m.	Deceased members of the Dennis family
Thursday, July 19	9:00 a.m.	Deceased members of the MacDonald family
Friday, July 20	9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Father Jacob
Saturday, July 21	5:15 p.m.	Rita Riley
Sunday, July 22	8:30 a.m.	Tom Barr
	10:00 a.m.	Hannah Byrne
Tuesday, July 24	6:30 p.m.	Deceased members of the LaBonte family
Wednesday, July 25	9:00 a.m.	Paul McDermott
Thursday, July 26	9:00 a.m.	Unannounced Mass
Friday, July 27	11:00 a.m.	Bridlewood Manor Intentions of Father Jacob
Saturday, July 28	5:15 p.m.	Tom Kenney
Sunday, July 29	8:30 a.m.	Our Parishioners
	10:00 a.m.	Margaret Tobin
The Sanctuary Candle burns this week for: <i>July 15 -21 - Intentions of the Zabloski family</i> <i>July 22 -28 - Intentions of the Wooller family</i>		

Weekly Target: \$3500.00	Actual Offering – July 1 : \$ 3076.66 July 8 : \$ 3471.55	Operating Shortfall: \$423.34 Shortfall: \$28.45
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CALENDAR OF UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Wednesday, July 18	9:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday, July 19	9:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Prayer Group in the Chapel
Wednesday, July 25	9:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday, July 26	9:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Prayer Group in the Chapel

BULLETINS: During July and August, our bulletins will have information for two weeks.

“Jesus called the twelve and sent them out two by two.” - Mark 6.7-13 - July 15
“They were like sheep without a shepherd.” – Mark 6.30-34 - July 22

JULY 15 & JULY 22, 2018

MINISTRY SCHEDULES				
<i>MASS TIMES</i>	<i>HOSPITALITY</i>	<i>LECTORS</i>	<i>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS</i>	<i>ALTAR SERVERS</i>
Saturday, July 21 5:15 p.m.	Mary MacDermott Josie Bracamonte	Joanne Story Sylvia Shackles	Cecile Houle Melinda Condon	Lauren and Sarah McDonald Allie white
Sunday, July 22 8:30 a.m.	Rick Zabloski Noreen Shepherd	Theresa Iddon Debbie Zabloski	Marc and Phyllis Dennis	Grace Whiteland Evan Duffy
Sunday, July 22 10:00 a.m.	Teresa and Kevin Tanney	Johanne Cardinal Christine Provost	Deacon Shawn Souder Norma Burns	Christopher Logstrup Joshua O'Keefe
Saturday, July 28 5:15 p.m.	Theresa Houston Carol Ravnaas	Mary MacDermott Camille Ballantyne	Paul and Cynthia Mantha	Grace Kelly Allie White
Sunday, July 29 8:30 a.m.	Donna Brewer Heather Charbonneau	Marc and Phyllis Dennis	Noreen Shepherd Margaret Bougie	Grace Whiteland Evan Duffy
Sunday, July 29 10:00 a.m.	Carmen Hampel Donna Cody	Doug and Mary Roughton	Deacon Shawn Souder Larry Baldissera	Isabelle and Liam Heffernan

OUR PARISH MINISTRY – BRINGING THE OFFERTORY

GIFTS: At each Mass, parishioners are asked to bring the offertory gifts of bread and wine to the altar at the beginning of the Liturgy of the Eucharist. This happens as the Offertory is being collected by the ushers. If you are asked to bring the gifts to the altar, it is best to follow these simple steps: 1) the persons should come to the altar in a single line with the wine first and then the bread, 2) the persons should be waiting at the front of the chairs for the priest, deacon and altar servers to meet them – **DO NOT WAIT AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH UNTIL THE PRIEST, DEACON AND ALTAR SERVERS LEAVE THE ALTAR** and 3) please wait at the front after the priest has received your gift for a blessing and then return to your seats. If you have any questions about this ministry or any ministry within our parish, please contact Father Jacob or the parish office.

THANK YOU FROM ARCHBISHOP O'BRIEN: His Grace Archbishop Brendan O'Brien has expressed his sincere thanks to our parishioners at St. John Bosco Parish for our best wishes and prayers and gifts in the celebration of his 50th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood.

WOMEN'S FALL RETREAT: "Be joyful in Hope" is the theme for 9th Annual 2018 Women's Fall Retreat scheduled for September 21st-23rd at Glen House Resort. The Lay Faith Retreat Team, supported by the Archdiocese of Kingston, provides women with this opportunity for fellowship, praise, reflection and inspiration by Dr. Josephine Lombardy, breakout session, and entertainment by Fiddlehead Soup, all in a peaceful riverside setting. With 60% already sold out by July 1st you will want to reserve your place soon. See www.womensfallretreat.com for more information and

registrations details or contact Annette Larmour at 613-275-7885.

PILGRIMAGE to BASILICA of OUR LADY of GUADALUPE, MEXICO, PUEBLA, TAXCO and ACAPULCO:

Under the spiritual guidance of Fr. Joseph Machaj and Fr. Jan Kusyk. October 10 to 20, 2018 (10 days). REDUCED PRICE \$2150.00 (Canadian - tips and taxes included). Arrangement by Polish Travel Agency ME TOURS-MEXICO ENTERO. For more information and to register please call or e-mail Fr. Joseph Machaj 613.962.1092 or frjosephmachaj@gmail.com; Fr. Jan Kusyk 613.259.2155 or frjankusyk@gmail.com; or juliapilgrimage@yahoo.com. **DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS AUGUST 5, 2018**

WORKSHOP – REDISCOVERING THE ART OF DYING:

Saturday, 13 October 2018, from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall. Presenter Sister Nuala Kenny. Doctor Nuala Kenny is a doctor, ethicists, and former Nova Scotia Deputy Minister of Health. She is an expert palliative and end of life care. Registration: \$10.00 Lunch included. To register on-line, please visit the Archdiocese of Kingston website at romancatholic.kingston.on.ca.

JOKE OF THE WEEK: The young pastor was teaching the 23rd psalm to the Sunday school children. He told them that they were sheep who needed guidance. Then the priest asked, "If you are the sheep then who is the shepherd?" (Obviously meaning himself). A silence of a few seconds followed. Then a young boy said, "Jesus. Jesus is the Shepherd." The young priest, obviously caught by surprise, said to the boy, "Well then, who am I?" The boy frowned thoughtfully and then said, "I guess you must be a sheep dog."

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