

St. Basil's Church

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, of St. Basil's Parish, strive to be a welcoming community of Christian believers - Empowered by the Spirit - Challenged and nourished by the Word of God - Discerning together the way of Jesus - Supporting and nurturing one another in love - Compassionately committed to the poor and oppressed - Harnessing the wealth of our gifts - In joyful celebration - Rich in a heritage built by laity and Basilians, - We journey in hope.

SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m. Sunday Morning Mass: 10:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY LITURGIES

No Mass on Mondays

Tuesday – Friday 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: By appointment. Please call the parish office.

PASTOR: Fr. Daryold Winkler

PARISH OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR: Mary Lou Daze

CUSTODIAN: Ibrahim Kreit

PARISH WEBSITE: www.stbasilsparish.ca

PASTORAL COUNCIL

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NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to Saint Basil's Parish. We invite you to fill out the white registration card found on the table in the Church entry and put it in the collection plate. If you have requested envelopes please check the table in a couple of weeks. If you have any questions or concerns please leave a contact number with the Parish Office and a member of the parish will gladly contact you.

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Daniel Elementary School	613-225-4603
Notre Dame High School	613-722-6565
Frank Ryan Intermediate School	613-224-8833

OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday: 10:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Bulletin Submission -must be received at the Parish office by 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday morning.

PARISH EMAIL: stbasilsparish@gmail.com

FINANCE COUNCIL

Michelle Gleeson (Chair)	613-729-5299
Peter Charbonneau	
Qing Yang	613-224-7033
Rod Noakes	613-228-8644
Patricia Marrs	613-858-4056
Jim Shields (Chair: Premises Ctte)	613-728-8504
Nick Ogrodnik	

OUR FOUR CENTRAL PARISH MINISTRIES

LITURGY MINISTRY

Liturgy Coordination	Kevin Burns	613-728-6831
Lectors	Elizabeth Elliot	613-692-2915
Altar Servers	Kevin Murnaghan	613-226-7028
Altar Society	Arlene Dolan	613-422-7309
Children's Liturgy	Susan Fekete	613-299-6426
Eucharistic Ministers	Margo Latimer & Karen Zappia	613-225-8553
	Judy Young	613-727-5251
Environment	Pat Latimer	613-728-9026
Funeral Assistants	Michael Gleeson	613-225-8553
	Paul Davis	613-729-5299
Hospitality Ministers	John McGovern	613-225-3449
Music Co-ordinator	Danielle Allard	613-225-2807
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OUTREACH MINISTRY

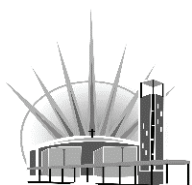
Mission & Social Justice	Rosemary Williams	613-829-1912
Refugee Committee Co-Chairs	Terry Tunney	613-722-4472
	Bill Elliott	613-226-3509
Social Action	Mary Ross	613-797-9460
Food Cupboard	Michael Gleeson	613-729-5299

FAITH FORMATION MINISTRY

Infant Baptism	Call Parish Office	613-729-5149
St. Daniel's School Council	Aaron & Tracy Ludmer	613-883-2855
1st Communion	Parish Office	613-729-5149
Confirmation & Youth Mass / Group	Maria Costantini	613-897-8935
Marriage	Michael & Michelle Gleeson	613-729-5299
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults	Carmel Horan	613-737-3681

PARISH VITALITY MINISTRY

Coffee Sundays	Tom Charlebois	613-798-1206
Seniors' Bridge Club	John Power	613-290-2010
	Alina Popp	613-729-4650
Caring Ministries Coordinator	Maureen Ramsay	613-726-1767
(Home Visits; Bereavement; Prayer Shawl; Medex Mass)		
Catholic Women's League	Elizabeth Elliot	613-692-2915
Collections	Elizabeth Elliot	613-692-2915
Knights of Columbus	Pat Latimer	613-225-8553
Webmaster	Aaron Ludmer	613-883-2855
Parish Communications	stbasilscotts@gmail.com	
Green Team	stbasilsgreenteam@gmail.com	613-672-6440



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John 11:1-45

Mass Intentions and Events for the Week

Saturday, March 25: 5:00 p.m. Fifth Sunday of Lent. Mass Intention for the repose of the soul of Jackie Bonderski, requested by her family.

Sunday, March 26: 10:00 a.m. Fifth Sunday of Lent. (With Children's Liturgy.) Mass Intention for the repose of the soul of Rita Anderson, requested by the DeBruyn family.

Sunday, March 26: 10:00 a.m. Fifth Sunday of Lent. (With Children's Liturgy.) Mass Intention in thanksgiving for Natasha Randing requested by family.

Sunday, March 26: 10:00 a.m. Fifth Sunday of Lent. (With Children's Liturgy.) Mass Intention for the souls in purgatory requested by a parishioner.

Sunday, March 26: 11:00 a.m. First Communion Preparation: Session 2 - Come!

Sunday, March 26: 6:30 p.m. Fifth Sunday of Lent. Youth Mass. For all the Youth of our Parish. Followed by snacks and social gathering.

Monday, March 27: No Mass

Tuesday, March 28: 9:00 a.m. No Mass: Liturgy of the Word.

Wednesday, March 29: 9:00 a.m. Feast of St. Ludovico of Casoria. For the sick and wounded and displaced people of the world.

Wednesday, March 29: 7:00 p.m. *Journeying with the Blessed of Our Times #3-* On: Sister Thea Bowman (Ed Loziuk / Norita Fleming. (Light refreshments will be served).

Thursday, March 30: 9:00 a.m. Feast of St. Peter Regalado. For Peace throughout the world.

Friday, March 31: 9:00 a.m. Feast of St. Stephen of Mar Saba. For the People of the Parish.

Friday, March 31: 7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross in the Church (Knights of Columbus).

Saturday, April 1: 5:00 p.m. Palm Sunday.

Sunday, April 2, 10:00 a.m. Palm Sunday. With Children's Liturgy.

Sunday, April 2, 10:00 a.m. Palm Sunday. Mass Intention for the Souls in Purgatory requested by a Parishioner.

Sick and Deceased in Our Parish: We pray for those needing healing in our Parish, especially, Pippa Beck, Dennis Meilleur, Mark Elliott, John Dorner, Theresa Hall, Tom Charlebois, Amanda Monette, and those who care for them.

We pray for all who have died, especially: for Mary Lou Johnson, sister of Liz Charbonneau, Bryan Morry, those who have died in Ukraine, those who have died from the coronavirus, and for all who mourn them.

First Communion Preparation 2023:

**Sunday, March 26 at 11:00 a.m. -
Session 2 – Come!**

Adult Confirmations: For all those who, for whatever reason, have not been confirmed, and who would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, there will be an opportunity to receive this sacrament at Notre Dame Cathedral on Pentecost Sunday, May 28th. Please contact the Parish Office for further information.

From Our Lenten Schedule:



**Special Opportunities for
Spiritual Growth and Reflection:
Wednesday, March 29**

***7:00 p.m. Journeying with the
Blessed of Our Times #3***

Presentation by Ed Loziuk &
Norita Fleming on **Sister Thea Bowman** (light refreshments will be served)

Friday, March 31, 7:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross in the Church lead by the
Knights of Columbus

Share Lent Sunday March 26: Share Lent Sunday is this weekend. Two minute talk on why we should be a member of Development and Peace – Caritas; its dream, "Create Hope", for the next five years; and ideas for solidarity that we should ponder. Please give generously.

A Message from the Green Team: The next 7 years are crucial to all our futures - we have to stay under the 1.5°C climate threshold to avoid irreversible damage to our planet. Individuals, communities, businesses, and governments must all urgently step up their efforts to protect and restore our one home. (*Earth Hour Message 2023*)

Refugee Family Fundraising Campaign:



We are looking forward to welcoming the Almousa family, who are to arrive in Ottawa on April 4. St. Basil's obligations as sponsors include financial support for this family of five for the first year they are in Canada. This will require significant resources, especially given the steep increase in costs for housing and other expenses.

We are therefore asking all parishioners to consider making tax deductible donations to the St. Basil's Refugee Fund. Donations can be made using the envelopes available at the back of the church or on-line using the St. Basil's website or CanadaHelps.org.

When making a donation, by dropping an envelope in the weekly collection or on-line, please indicate the donation is for the St. Basil's Refugee Fund. In addition to financial support, St. Basil's volunteers will work closely with the family to help them settle in Canada. To find out how you can help, please contact one of the Co-Chairs of our Refugee Committee, Terry Tunney and Bill Elliott.

We will also be seeking some donations of furniture and household goods. Further information about the family's needs will be provided soon. For the moment, we are looking for good quality pots and pans.

Thank you for your generosity and support.

Church Bulletin Advertising:

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in June 2023 and support the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637

A heartfelt thank you to parishioner Margaret Bott: for the beautiful and clear-sighted Lenten Presentation on Dorothy Day, Wednesday evening of March 15th.

Prayer for Vocations: Lord Jesus Christ, You took to Yourself a body and soul like ours, to teach us the glory of self-sacrifice and service. Mercifully instill in our hearts the desire to dedicate our lives to You. Give us priests and deacons to stand at the altar and to speak the words of the gospel; brothers and sisters to teach the young, nurse the sick and minister charity to all; lay people to imitate You in their hearts, families, work and community. Amen

Save the Date: Sunday April 23, 2023 at 2:15 pm: The in-person **Annual General Meeting of Multifaith Housing Initiative 2023** is scheduled for **Sunday April 23 at Kehillat Beth Israel, 1400 Coldrey Avenue, Ottawa.**

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ, In follow-up to my email earlier last month, I am pleased to announce that the MHI (MultiFaith Housing Initiative) is inviting your presence (members, volunteers and interested party) to attend the AGM (Annual General Meeting). See attached for details.

It will be a great opportunity to get to know MHI more closely if your parish is considering becoming a member or supporting the organization. I encourage you to send a representative of the parish.

Unfortunately, I will personally not be able to attend, so I look forward to hearing of your experience and comments.

In His service,
Dcn. Eugene Perabo

PAX CHRISTI,

Agenda Highlights:

MHI Now! Special presentation by Suzanne Le.

Guest speaker: Catherine McKenney-
"CitySHAPES"

Election of Board Members

Tulipathon Awards 2022

MHI Volunteer Awards 2022



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