# St. Basil's Church

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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

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#### 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

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Michelle Gleeson (Chair)	613-729-5299
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#### **OUR FOUR CENTRAL PARISH MINISTRIES**

LITURGY MINISTRY			FAITH FORMATION MINISTRY		
Liturgy Coordination	Kevin Burns	613-728-6831	Infant Baptism	Call Parish Office	613-729-5149
Lectors	Elizabeth Elliot	613-692-2915	St. Daniel's School Counc	eil Aaron & TracyLudmer	613-883-2855
Altar Servers	Kevin Murnaghan	613-226-7028	1st Communion	Parish Office	613-729-5149
Altar Society	Arlene Dolan	613-422-7309	Confirmation & Youth Ma	ass / Group Maria Costantini	613-897-8935
Children's Liturgy	Susan Fekete	613-299-6426	Marriage	Michael & Michelle Gleeson	613-729-5299
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Hospitality Ministers	Paul Davis	613-225-3449	<u> </u>	Alina Popp	613-729-4650
Music Co-ordinator	John McGovern	613-225-2807	Caring Ministries Coordin	nator Maureen Ramsay	613-726-1767
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OUTREACH MINISTRY		Catholic Women's League	Elizabeth Elliot	613-692-2915	
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nerage commune co co	Bill Elliott	613-226-3509	Webmaster	Aaron Ludmer	613-883-2855
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# Celebrating 62 Years of Faith and Community

After eight days Jesus came and stood among them. John 20:19-31

### Mass Intentions and Events for the Week

**Saturday, April 15: 5:00 p.m. Mass Intention for** Sr. Shirley Armstrong, requested by Marion and Family.

**Sunday, April 16, 10:00 a.m.** Children's Liturgy. Baptisms. Mass Intention for †Mr. Peter Bangs, requested by Brenda and Craig Whitten.

**Sunday, April 16, 10:00 a.m.** Children's Liturgy. Baptisms. Mass Intention for the repose of the soul of Bryan Morry, requested by family.

**Sunday, April 16, 10:00 a.m.** Children's Liturgy. Baptisms. Mass Intention for the Souls in Purgatory, requested by a Parishioner.

**Sunday, April 16, 2:30 p.m.** Zoom Webinar Series: Conversation for Our Times with Christopher De Bono.

Monday, April 17: No Mass

**Tuesday, April 18, 9:00 a.m.** Feast of Blessed Marie-Anne Blondin. For the sick throughout the world and all those affected by war.

Wednesday, April 19, 9:00 a.m. For leaders throughout the world and for Peace.

Thursday, April 20: 9:00 a.m. For the homeless in our city.

**Friday, April 21: 9:00 a.m.** Feast of St. Anselm. For the oppressed throughout the world.

**Saturday, April 22: 10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.** Earth Day – Help Clean-up at St. Basil's. *Youth Community Services hours.* Hot dogs and snacks served by Knights of Columbus.

**Saturday, April 22: 5:00 p.m.** Mass Intention for the People of the Parish.

**Sunday, April 23, 10:00 a.m.** Children's Liturgy. Mass Intention for the repose of the soul of Aidan Worswick, requested by Vi Halstead.

**Sunday, April 23, 10:00 a.m.** Children's Liturgy. Mass Intention for the repose of the soul of Barb Gauthier, requested by Marion and Family.

**Sunday, April 23, 10:00 a.m.** Children's Liturgy. Mass Intention for the souls in Purgatory, requested by a Parishioner.

**Sunday, April 23, 11:00 a.m.** First Communion Preparation - Preparation for First Reconciliation.

Sick and Deceased in Our Parish: We pray for those needing healing in our Parish, especially, Duane Domanko, 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 Shirley Armstrong, Peter Bangs, Bryan Morry, those who have died in Ukraine, those who have died from the coronavirus, and for all who mourn them

### The next Conversation for Our Times:

Sunday, April 16, 2023, at 2:30 p.m.

Medical Assistance in Dying in Canada
through a Catholic Lens
with Christopher De Bono

**Zoom link on the Parish website** 



St. Basil's Parish, Ottawa
Conversations for Our Times
Zoom Series

Medical Assistance in Dying
in Canada
through a Catholic Lens

with Dr. Christopher De Bono
2:30 p.m. EST, Sunday, April 16, 2023

You are invited to CELEBRATE EARTH DAY next SATURDAY 22nd April: Please

join us in Cleaning Up St Basil's - 10 am - 12 noon.

Youth are invited to earn *Community Service Hours*. (See poster in the Narthex)

The Knights of Columbus will be serving hot dogs and snacks.

A Message from the Green Team: The average Canadian uses about 329L of water per day. Out of 29 OECD countries, Canada was the second largest consumer of water in 2020. (McGill University)

St. Kateri Tekakwitha, pray for us. Feast Day on Monday April 17

### First Communion Preparation 2023:

Sunday, April 23 at 11:00 a.m.- Preparation for First Reconciliation.

Tuesday May 2 at 6:30 pm: First Reconciliation Service.

Sunday, May 7 at 1 pm: First Communion Mass.

## **Confirmation Prep Schedule:**

Tuesday, May 9, 2023: 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. Confirmation Ceremony will be at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, May 25, 2023 with Bishop Yvan Mathieu, s.m. presiding.



WELCOME TO THE AL MOUSA FAMILY! We are very pleased to welcome to Ottawa and to St. Basil's, Youssf Almousa, his wife Houda and

their three adult children, Madeleine, Khalil, and Joelle, our newly arrived refugee family.

- -Volunteers from St. Basil's will help the family settle in and our parish will support the family financially and otherwise throughout their first year in Canada. St. Basil's has already rented a home for the family on Checkers Road, and work continues to obtain furniture and all the family will need for their move-in date of April 15.
- -We are asking for your help and counting on your generosity to enable St Basil's to meet our sponsorship obligations and to make the family's first year in Ottawa a success. Tax receipts will be issued for your donations and 100% of the funds raised will go to St. Basil's Refugee Fund.
- -Donations can be made over time and post-dated cheques would be welcome. Pledge forms are available at the back of the church, as are envelopes. These can be placed in the regular collection basket or provided to the parish office. You can also donate online using the link provided on St. Basil's website. Please give generously. Thank you.
- -Regular updates about the family and our fundraising campaign will be provided. Further information can also be obtained from our Refugee Committee Co-Chairs.

"Let us make haste to surmount our conflicts and divisions, and to open our hearts to those in greatest need. Let us hasten to pursue paths of peace and fraternity." ~Pope Francis – Pontifex

### Youth Mass Sunday, April 30, 6:30pm:

A social gathering with snacks will be held after the Mass. For Confirmation and Youth Mass / group, please contact Maria Costantini at 613-897-8935 or <a href="mailto:maria\_costantini@yahoo.ca">maria\_costantini@yahoo.ca</a> if you are interested in helping with this Mass in any way. Please spread the word! (Schedule for upcoming Youth Masses: April 30, May 28, at 6:30 pm).

Save the Date: Sunday April 23, 2023 at

<u>2:15 pm</u>: 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. You are invited to attend (members, volunteers and interested party). It will be a great opportunity to get to know MHI more closely.

Please see Posters in the Narthex.



A Saint Basil's Angel in the making.

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