



Friday Facts

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FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE

PARISHES & RELIGIOUS - DIOCESAN FEAST DAY CELEBRATION: At Notre Dame Cathedral, **Thurs., June 8, 7:30 p.m.** To commemorate the Marian Congress of 1947, held to celebrate the 100th anniversary of our diocese, and the Consecration of Canada to the Blessed Mother which occurred during that congress, we will have a short procession from the Chapel at the Mother House of the Sisters of Charity of Ottawa to Notre Dame Cathedral. Leading the procession will be a replica statue of Our Lady of the Cape identical to the one that was used in the consecration of Canada to the Blessed Mother seventy years ago. Procession with designated parish family or Religious with parish or religious banner, beginning at the Chapel of the Mother House of the Sisters of Charity of Ottawa, 27 Bruyère at **6:45 p.m.** RSVP number of representatives (Parish or Religious) to Annmarie Brown (abrown@ArchOttawa.ca). Please see May 12 letter for further details.

DIACONATE CELEBRATION: With Archbishop Prendergast, S.J., **Sat., June 10.** Reception at Archbishop's Residence, 5:00 p.m. Vespers in Archbishop's Chapel, 5:45 p.m. Supper in Cathedral Hall, 6:00 p.m. **Please RSVP by May 26** (613-738-5025 ext. 233); (rsvp@ArchOttawa.ca).

WILLS, POWERS OF ATTORNEY, PROBATE, EXECUTORS; TAX TIPS FOR SENIORS; CATHOLIC CEMETERY SERVICES; PLANNED GIVING: On **Sunday, June 11, 1:00 p.m.**, a presentation covering the foregoing topics will be given at St. Maurice Parish, 4 Perry St., by professionals in their field and will take about 1 ½ hours. Refreshments will be served; all welcome. Please indicate your attendance with Aisha Poitevien of the Archdiocese of Ottawa (613-738-5025 x202; dev@ArchOttawa.ca). Poster: (<https://www.catholicottawa.ca/>).

THE ORDER OF CELEBRATING MATRIMONY: Now available from the CCCB. Cost is \$55 minus diocesan discount of 20% plus shipping costs. *The Order of Celebrating Matrimony* is the sole English-language translation and version hereby permitted for use in the Dioceses of Canada. **Its use is mandatory beginning September 8, 2017.** Please order from (abrown@ArchOttawa.ca) or (613-738-5025 ext. 217) no later than Fri., June 2, for pick-up at Diocesan Centre by June 22 (Gathering of Priests).

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS PHOTOS: Photos from the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass, held Sunday, May 14 at Notre Dame Cathedral, are available [here](#).

DIOCESAN PASTORAL CALENDAR: The 2017-2018 Pastoral Calendar is now available [here](#) (or online at www.CatholicOttawa.ca under Pastoral Services, Pastoral Calendar). A hard copy was also provided to parishes in the May Pastoral Day envelope. Please note the date of diocesan events in your calendar. Any changes will be announced in the Friday Facts.

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mercy and joy.**

*"The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy,
peace..." (Galatians 5.22)*

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Events/Deadlines to Note

Jun. 4 – Pentecost
Confirmations

Jun. 8 – Diocesan Feast Day

June 10 – Celebration with
Deacons

Jun. 22 – Gathering of Priests

REMINDER – PRIESTS FOR LIFE CANADA: 2017 Pro-Life Clergy Symposium in Ottawa, **Mon., Aug. 28 – Wed., Aug. 30.** Info & registration details (mail@priestsforlifecanada.com); (1-888-300-2007).

VOCATIONS

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS: The Most Holy Trinity - June 11. That Catholic fathers will foster vocation awareness among their children, knowing that they will be helping to reveal the Heavenly Father's love by their prayer, guidance and example, we pray to the Lord.

FAMILY, YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS – www.fymottawa.com

MESSAGE FOR CLERGY – STEUBENVILLE TORONTO: On July 28-30, a busload of youth will be going to Steubenville Toronto. Priests who would like to attend the conference to hear confessions are asked to contact Krista Wawrykow (613-738-5025 x222; kwawrykow@archottawa.ca).

ANGEL CHOIR AT ST. GEORGE PARISH: For everyone, ages 8 and up, beginners and advanced. 415 Piccadilly Ave. **June 17** and every **2nd Saturday, 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.** Info: Miriam Westen, MEd. (westenmiriam@gmail.com); (1-613-602-3028).

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

CARE FOR GOD'S CREATION – A GUIDE FOR PARISHES: A guide for parishes on Care for God's Creation may be found on the Archdiocese of Ottawa website: catholicottawa.ca/environmental-stewardship. Parish Pastoral Councils and committees are encouraged to review this document and identify ways that we may continue to improve in our shared responsibility as stewards of creation. Info: John Dorner (jdorner@ArchOttawa.ca); (613-738-5025 ext. 251).

PRO-LIFE

EUTHANASIA PREVENTION COALITION: Screening the documentary "The Euthanasia Deception" near Parliament Hill on **Tues., June 6, 7:00 p.m.**, 131 Queens St., Room 7-52. Trailer: (www.VulnerableFilm.com). Info: (519-439-3348); (1-877-439-3348); (info@epcc.ca; www.epcc.ca).

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

MASS OF HEALING: With the Sacrament of the Sick, **Wed., May 31, 7:00 p.m.** at St. Leonard Church, 5332 Long Island Road, Manotick. Celebrant: Rev. Titus Egbueh. All are invited. Info: (613-692-4254).

PENTECOST EVENING PRAYER: Celebrated at St. Basil parish on Pentecost **Sunday, June 4, 7:30 p.m.** as we close the Easter Season. Please come out and bring along a friend for this special Evening Prayer. Info: (613-729-5149).

PARISH & OTHER EVENTS

NET CANADA ANNUAL THANKSGIVING MASS AND BANQUET: St. Isidore Parish, Kanata, **June 3.** Doors open at 9:30 a.m., Mass at 10:00 a.m. Cost for banquet: \$20. Tickets & info: (melissa@netcanada.ca).

SPIRITUAL MOTHERHOOD OF PRIESTS APOSTOLATE 7TH MASS AND INDUCTION CEREMONY: At St. John the Apostle Church, Baseline Rd. on **Sat., June 3, 11:00 a.m.** Women professing their life-giving promises to become new spiritual mothers of priests and renewal promises of current spiritual mothers. Priests invited to concelebrate with Bishop Scott McCaig, CC. Info: (613-225-6067); (613-875-6279); (spiritualmotherhoodottawa@gmail.com).



ST. PETER PARISH 40TH ANNIVERSARY MASS & RECEPTION: Celebrating 40 years along with Prince of Peace School. Mass of Thanksgiving and the Rite of Confirmation on **Sun., Jun. 4, 10:30 a.m.**, with His Excellency, the Most Rev. Christian Riesbeck, CC, Auxiliary Bishop of Ottawa. All former clergy, parishioners, teachers, students and friends are invited. Free lunch reception will follow. Info: (stpeters1640@gmail.com); (613-733-1553).

ANNUAL STEAK BBQ AT ST. MARTIN DE PORRES PARISH: Hosted by members of Knights of Columbus and Catholic Women's League, St. Martin de Porres Parish on **Wed., June 7, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.** in the Parish Hall, 3891 Old Richmond Rd., Bells Corners. Tickets available from the Parish Office (613-828-6720). The cost is \$20 per person.

ST. CLEMENT BOOK, BBQ & BAKE SALE: St. Anne Church, Old St. Patrick St. **Sat., June 10, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** Rain or shine. Info: (613-821-9530).

COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE AT RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD: 1940 Saunderson Dr., **Sat., June 24, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.** Tables are \$20 each and can be reserved by calling the church office (613-733-4661) between 9am – 3pm.

FEAST OF ST. JOSEMARIA ESCRIVA, FOUNDER OF OPUS DEI: Solemn Mass in honour of Saint Josemaría Escrivá, **Mon., June 26, 7:30 p.m.**, Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica. Principal celebrant: the Most Reverend Terrence Prendergast, SJ, Archbishop of Ottawa. Everyone welcome. Priests wishing to concelebrate should bring alb and stole. Sacrament of Reconciliation available from 6:30 p.m. Info: Fr. Paul Cormier (613-565-0762; 613-608-7101).

EMPLOYMENT & VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

JOB POSTING – ARCHDIOCESE OF OTTAWA: The Archdiocese of Ottawa is seeking a Chef Manager for the Archbishop's Residence. This is a bilingual, full-time, permanent position with a minimum of 36 hours per week. A recent Canadian Criminal Records check is a requirement for this position. A copy of the job description can be found on the Archdiocese of Ottawa web site at www.catholicottawa.ca. Please send your C.V. along with three references who are not family members to Ms. Colette Legault, Human Resources Officer, either by e-mail at clegault@archottawa.ca or by fax at 613-738-0412. The deadline for applications is 12:00 noon on Friday, June 2, 2017. No phone calls. We thank all applicants for their interest, but only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

OTTAWA CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD - SCHOOL BOARD TRUSTEE VANCANCY: The Ottawa Catholic School Board is seeking applications from individuals qualified to serve as a Board Trustee to fill a vacancy in Zone 7 (Kitchissippi/Bay) from June 20, 2017 - November 30, 2018. According to the Education Act of Ontario, the Board has 90 days to appoint a new Trustee once a position has become vacant. Interested candidates who meet the qualifications should submit an application no later than **10:00 a.m., Mon., June 5**. Eligibility qualifications & applications forms: (<http://ocsb.ca/trustee-vacancy>).

FULL-TIME ACCOUNTS MANAGER: Salary \$11.50/hour. Miriam Centre, a Christian ministry, is seeking a compassionate pro-life person whose primary responsibility will be to help pregnant women and their families. Must be fluently bilingual (oral and written) and possess good accounting and computer skills (QuickBooks, MS Word, Excel and database). Please submit resume to: Sr. Rita Lacelle, 030- 2742 St-Joseph Blvd., Orléans, ON K1C 1G5; (info@miriamottawa.org); (613-830-8623). Info & job description: (www.miriamottawa.org).

