



# AUGUST 2006

**“Unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man  
and drink his blood, you have no life in you.”**

## Regular events for August...

Daily Mass 12:15PM Tuesday thru Friday  
 A.A. 8:00PM Hall – Tuesdays  
 Prayer Group 9:30AM Rm. A – Saturdays  
 Rosary 4:30PM Church – Saturdays  
 Fri., Aug. 11 & 25 1:00PM Rm. A – African Angels

## Announced mass intentions for the month...

Sat., Aug. 05 5:00PM Mass – John & Eunice Monaghan+  
 Sun., Aug. 06 8:00AM Mass – Georgette Danis+  
 9:30AM Mass – Ray Moore+  
 11:15AM Mass  
 7:30PM Mass – Holy Cross Parishioners  
 Tues., Aug. 08 12:15PM Mass – Humbert Savoia+  
 Sat., Aug., 12 5:00PM Mass  
 Sun., Aug. 13 8:00AM Mass – Rigden & Frenette Fam+  
 9:30AM Mass – Rita & Richard Lemieux+  
 Ray Moore+  
 11:15AM Mass  
 7:30PM Mass – Holy Cross Parishioners  
 Thurs., Aug. 17 12:15PM Mass – Pro Life  
 Sat., Aug. 19 5:00PM Mass – Ray Moore+  
 Sun., Aug. 20 8:00AM Mass – Holy Cross Parishioners  
 9:30AM Mass – Betty Holmes+  
 Ada McLean+  
 Todd Fischer+  
 11:15AM Mass  
 7:30PM Mass  
 Sat., Aug. 26 5:00PM Mass  
 Sun., Aug. 27 8:00AM Mass  
 9:30AM Mass – Ray Moore+  
 11:15AM Mass  
 7:30PM Mass – Holy Cross Parishioners  
 Fri., Sept. 01 11:00AM Adoration until 12 noon  
 12:15PM Mass  
 Sat., Sept. 02 5:00PM Mass – Holy Cross Parishioners  
 Sun., Sept. 03 8:00AM Mass – Georgette Danis+  
 9:30AM Mass – Ray Moore+  
 11:15AM Mass  
 7:30PM Mass

## We remember in our prayers the sick...

**-our parishioners-** Laurette Allen, Allan Brooks (husband of Gloria), Helen Charbonneau, Emile Chartrand, Clare Desjardins (husband of Alicia), Ron Dexter (husband of Diane), Joan Dumbrell (wife of Bob Irvine), Margaret FitzGerald, Marie Claire Grandbois, Gertrude Kennedy, Alice Haughton (wife of Bob), Audrey Hester, Frank Laternus (husband of Edwina), Eveline Lavoié, Reg MacDonald (husband of Joan), Odette MacKinnon (wife of Leo), Deacon Bruce McLeod, Yolanda Miron (mother of Mina), Mary O'Connor (wife of Al), Grace & Bill Reid, Barbara Riggins, Margaret Ross, Claude Thibault (husband of Geneva), Ray Valin (husband of Betty)

**-relatives-** Cathy Becker (sister of Maureen Monaghan), Barbara Burke (mother of Margie Kennedy), Barbara Cooper (sister of Imelda Marrast), Patricia Esmond (mother of Liz), Guy Gosselin (brother-in-law of Theresa Sarceвич), Anastasia Gorecki (sister of Theresa Sarceвич), Vivian Hunt (brother of Beryl Budzinski), Cathy Jirsch (sister of Aileen Halls), Marian Lane (sister of Betty Dillon), Theresa Lassaline (sister of Mary Simms), Ayin & Godwin Lee (parents of Robert), Jerry Lorbetskie (brother of Dorothy Daub), Oswald Luke (father-in-law of Robert Lee), Louise MacAdam (daughter-in-law of Helen Castle), Elizabeth McEwan (mother of Joanne), Patricia McGowan (daughter of Ray & Betty Valin), Marie Miele (mother of Christine), Dominci O'Hara (brother of Monica Ryan), Katherine Paine, Donald Pajot (brother of Marc), Sonia Pereira (cousin of Marlene Braganza), Simon Schmidt (nephew of Rosemary Uren), Jonathan Seepersad (nephew of Robert Lee), Eleanor Spafford (mother of Barb Goski), Paul Sowinski (brother of Theresa Sarceвич)

**the deceased** – Betty Holmes (sister of Edwina Laternus),

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## COLLECTION REPORT

~ A Summary of Your Generosity ~

July 02 – \$4,523.17 (env.) / \$891.93 (loose)  
 July 09 – \$4,236.96 (env.) / \$784.87 (loose)  
 July 16 – \$4,644.60 (env.) / \$614.63 (loose)  
 July 23 – \$5,403.70 (env.) / \$600.13 (loose)

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## Pastor's column...

### 17<sup>th</sup> Ordinary Sunday

Multiplication of bread and fish happen many times over in our lives. Like Jesus, we also get to face a multitude—an unloved teenager, an aging parent, a frustrated friend, a depressed neighbour, an unloving partner, an ungrateful companion—we look at our meagre resources and cry out: “Lord, I don’t have enough time for them; I don’t know how to help them. Where shall I go to get what they need?” Facing our helplessness Jesus says assuringly: “Trust in me. Just give me your five loaves and two fish, and I will multiply them for you.” And sure he does! Theologian William Barclay writes: *“The fact of life is that Jesus needs what we can give him. We may not have much to bring but he needs what we have. Little is always much in the hands of Christ.”* All we need to do is to give ourselves, our inadequacies in faith to the Lord.

Have a safe and wonderful summer!

Fr. James Raphael

## Thought For Food

The more you give, the more you get. The more you laugh, the less you fret; the more you do unselfishly, the more you live abundantly; The more of everything you share, the more

you always have to spare; The more you love, the more you'll find that life is good and friends are kind; For only what we give away, Enriches us from day to day. (Author unknown)  
Please remember those who depend on your generosity. The food banks are in great need of canned soups, vegetables, stews, pasta, spaghetti sauce, beans, fish, cereals, jars of baby food, tea, sugar, flour etc. Also, they are in great need of empty egg cartons. Please bring what you can to Church on Sunday.

### *Parish and Community Life*

**CATHOLIC NEAR EAST WELFARE ASSOCIATION (CNEWA)** has launched an emergency appeal inviting Canadians to aid Lebanese families displaced by the shelling of southern Lebanon and Beirut's southern suburbs. **To help, contributions, which are tax-deductible, can be sent by mail to: CNEWA Canada, 1247 Kilborn Place, Ottawa, ON K1H 6K9, or through CNEWA's website [www.cnewacanada.ca](http://www.cnewacanada.ca) or by phone 1-866-322-4441.**

**TRANSPORTATION BUS SCHEDULE:** Ottawa-Carleton School Board bus schedules for the 2006-2007 school year are now available on the Board's website at [www.ocdsb.on.ca](http://www.ocdsb.on.ca) or by calling the Board's Transportation Department at 613-224-4455 ext. 2336. Additional copies of high school bus schedules are now available at all high schools locations. Elementary school schedules can be obtained at all elementary school locations as of August 29.

**THE COUNTDOWN FOR THE 4<sup>th</sup> DEGREE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS VINCE TAILLON ASSEMBLY GOLF TOURNAMENT IS STARTING NOW!** The date is Monday, August 14 at the Hylands Golf Club commencing at 1:30 p.m. In order to have a shotgun start, we will require a minimum of 108 golfers. All are welcome including wives and friends. Deadline for registration is Monday, August 07. Registration forms may be found at the entrances of the Church and cheques are to be made payable to SK Vince Taillon Assembly #2903. Cost: \$63 for green fees/dinner for non-members; \$22 for club members' dinner, non-golfing family members and friends. For information call Len Fluet at 613-737-3657 or George Lavack at 819-671-3739.

### BEREAVEMENT

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS**—the Bereavement Committee is sponsoring a seminar on "**UNDERSTANDING LOSS AND THE GRIEVING PROCESS**" which will be held at Holy Cross on Saturday, September 23 from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. This seminar will explore the meaning of loss and its implications in our lives. This day is designed especially for those involved in all kinds of ministries. (It is not suitable for those experiencing a recent loss. A grief support group will be offered in the fall to meet their needs). **Register by September 10** by email to [Margie@magma.ca](mailto:Margie@magma.ca) or call June Kelly at 613-737-7139. More information will follow.

### PASTORAL CARE

**TEAM MEMBERS MARK YOUR CALENDARS** for the upcoming events: **TEAM MEETING**—on Wednesday, September 06 at 7 p.m. in the library.

**CONTINUING EDUCATION EVENT:** "UNDERSTANDING LOSS AND THE GRIEVING PROCESS" on Saturday,

September 23 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. held at Holy Cross in the hall. Please call June Kelly at 613-737-7139 to register.

**ANYONE INTERESTED IN JOINING OUR TEAM?** Please call Myrnah Vullings at 613-737-0755. You are not too late to register for the fall training program.

The Pastoral Care Team and our Priests are **committed to serving you, our parishioners.** All you need to do is ask. Please call Helen Castle at 613-737-5798 or the parish office at 613-731-7834.

### YOUTH CORNER

**NET MINISTRIES OF CANADA:** I would like to give everyone an update on my sponsorship to NET. Thanks to your generosity, I have received a total of \$4,252 towards my sponsorship for NET. **THANK YOU SO MUCH!!** I will be leaving on Wednesday, August 23 for my five week training and afterwards I will know where I am being transferred to. I am really excited about my journey and touching the many lives of the youth and as promised I will keep all of you in my prayers and close to my heart. God bless. Melanie Costanza

### *Social Action...*

#### MISSION PEACE AND DEVELOPMENT

We received a very generous donation of yarn to be used to make bonnets for children in Afghanistan. Thank you! Thanks also to those who donated men's neckties for another worthwhile project. It is discouraging to learn of the failure of recent trade talks to reach an agreement on the lowering of agricultural subsidies that western nations provide to farmers. Such subsidies limit the ability of those in the Global South to export their products. No further movement on this issue is expected until 2009. The documentary "An Inconvenient Truth" with Al Gore, is still playing in a downtown Ottawa theatre. Depicting the probable long term effects of climate change, the film is well worth seeing.

Our MPD committee will start meeting again in September, with regular meetings every first Tuesday of the month starting at 7:30 p.m. and usually finish a little after 9 p.m. We would be pleased to have you join us.

Our Angel Makers will meet in August on the 11 and 25 at 1 p.m. in room A.

### *Food For Thought* †

*"We can often be distracted, even when we pray. All prayer is a conversation with God, and we need to give him our full attention, otherwise it is like getting an appointment with someone and then day dreaming during the interview."*

St. Francis De Sales

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The **OFFICE HOURS** published in the front of our bulletin will have to be adjusted to accommodate vacations.

**Our Parish Secretary** will be on holidays from **August 14 to August 25 inclusive**, so during that time **THE OFFICE WILL BE OPENED ON MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY'S ONLY from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

Our **regular weekly bulletin** will resume on **September 02** and deadline for submissions are on **Wednesday, August 30 by 12 noon.** Thank you.

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