



# Canadian Martyrs Church

**A welcoming Oblate Parish**

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## Mass Times

Sunday 10am  
Saturday 5pm  
Weekdays 11:30am  
(No mass on Mondays)  
Sacrament of Reconciliation is a half an hour before mass or by appointment

## Pastoral Team

**Pastor:**  
Fr. Robert Smith, O.M.I.  
**Pastoral Assistant:**  
Jane Staples  
**Secretary:**  
Kaye Boone

**Pastoral Council Chair**  
John O'Keefe 613-736-8884  
Meetings: 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues, 7:15pm

**Finance Committee Chair**  
Bob Richer 613-738-4731

**Development and Peace**  
Evelyn Kelly 613-235-6266

**Diocesan Centre**  
1247 Kilborn Place  
613-738-5025

**Schools**  
Corpus Christi 613-232-9743  
Immaculata 613-237-2001

**Cemeteries**  
Hope Cemetery 613-822-1212  
Notre-Dame 613-746-4175

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Feb. 6-7/10/0

## ANNOUNCED MASSES

Sat. Feb. 6	Len Boone req by his wife Kaye
Sun. Feb. 7	Casimir Waclawik req by his wife Nellie Pro populo – for intentions of all parishioners
Tue. Feb. 9	Fr. Larry Janisse req by Ruth LaRochelle
Wed. Feb. 10	Requested intentions
Thu. Feb. 11	Requested intentions
Fri. Feb. 12	Deceased members of the Lorente family req by Ruth LaRochelle
Sat. Feb. 13	Michael Turcotte req by the family
Sun. Feb. 14	Pro populo – for intentions of all parishioners

## PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SICK

Eduardo Casas, Audrey Guillet, Grace Macli, Melva Muleski, mother of Marilyn; Alma Cull, mother of Theresa; Bruce Saunders, Cecile Lamoureux, wife of Leo; Gloria McAllister, sister-in-law of Peter; Jordan McGillis, Eva Nagy, Diane Verity, daughter of Shirley Eagen, Margaret Quinn and Frances Arbour.

## PARISH EVENTS

Sat. Feb. 6	Pizza Supper	6:00pm	Centre
Sun. Feb. 7	Family Mass	10:00am	Church
Wed. Feb. 10	Prayer Group	7:00pm	Centre
Wed. Feb. 17	Ash Wednesday Service	11:30a/7:30p	Church
Wed. Feb. 17	RCIA	8:30pm	Centre
Thurs. Feb. 18	Sacramental Prep (Reconciliation)	7:00pm	Centre
Sun. Feb. 21	Enrollment/Sacramental Prep	10:00am	Church
Tue. Feb. 23	Joint Meeting Past. Coun/Finance	7:15pm	Centre

**PLEASE PICK UP YOUR INCOME TAX RECEIPT AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH**

## ASH WEDNESDAY IS COMING!!

Lent begins on February 17. It is a time of repentance, change of heart and prayer. The ashes that will be used to mark the beginning of Lent come from the branches blessed and distributed last Passion Sunday. We invite you **to bring in the palms** you took home last year so that they may be burned and used in the Ash Wednesday liturgy.

Please feel free to join us for coffee in the parish centre after Sunday mass.

**Luke 5:11 “Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men.”  
When they brought their boats to the shore, they left everything and followed him.**

**PLEASE NOTE: YEAR-END FINANCIAL REPORT** - This weekend, members of the Finance Committee will give a brief presentation on our 2009 finances.

**PRESIDER'S ASSISTANT/ALTAR SERVERS**  
We would like to introduce the ministry of Presider's Assistant (ADULTS) This role will be very similar to that of an altar server. At the moment we have 4 teams of altar servers covering 8 masses a month. We need more servers and/or Presider's Assistants. If you are interested in participating in this ministry, please call the office 232-5347

**"AWAKENING YOUR HEART"**  
Carty House, a home for refugee women, needs your support. Be sure to get your raffle ticket for the International Dinner for six. (You may pick them up in the office from Kaye, if you wish. As well, bring your loonies and toonies to buy delicious, homemade Valentine cookies **next weekend.**

**LENTEN FAIR**  
On Sunday, February 21 at 11:00 am at Immaculata High School, 140 Main. Free will offering appreciated. Fun for the family. Activities, games and crafts. Free Lenten materials to take home. Lunch included: hot dogs, veggie dogs, cookies and fruit. Books, Chocolate, Fair Trade shopping and lots more! Learn how to celebrate Lent in your home. Lent is a fun, simple and meaningful way to prepare for Easter with your family. This event is hosted by Canadian Martyrs and the Church of the Ascension.

**FOOD DRIVE**  
Once again we are planning a Food Drive to assist six needy families in our area. We are grateful to Maryalice Nugent who has kindly volunteered to co-ordinate this effort. There will be symbols on the windows at the back of the church next weekend. We ask that you take one or two symbols and return the items listed on the weekend of February 27-28. Delivery will be immediately after Mass on the 28<sup>th</sup>. If you are available to deliver an order, please call the office 232-5347.

**AN INVITATION TO THE PRAYER GROUP**  
The Prayer Group invites anyone who would like to join them for an evening of prayer and reflection every second Wednesday evening at 7:15 in the Parish Centre. The next meeting will be on February 10. The Prayer Group generally follows the "Evening Prayer" as outlined in the Daily Missal. If you have a prayer request, paper and pen can be found on tables at the front and back of the church. The prayer box is located in front of the ambo (lectern). You may place your request in the box. The requests remain in the box and are prayed over but never read to respect the privacy of those requesting prayers.

**SHARE LENT WORKSHOP**  
on February 13 from 9am to 12noon at the Diocesan Centre, 1247 Kilborn. RSVP Larry Martin at 613-526-0390 or [ldmartin@sympatico.ca](mailto:ldmartin@sympatico.ca)

**L'Arche Ottawa - Valentine's Day concert.**  
Come and Join the members of L'Arche Ottawa in a Valentine's Day Concert on Sunday February 14 at 2:30. It will feature music from Donizetti's comic opera, L'elisir d'amore presented by Southminster Music for Charity and Community (SMCC). The event will be **narrated by the Honourable Bob Rae**, the performance will feature Alexander Dobson; Taras Kulish; Maria Knapik; Sophie Martin; and, Fraser Rubens and will be directed by Esther Gonthier. **Proceeds from those tickets sold by L'Arche will go to the L'Arche community in Haiti.** Tickets are \$30 for general admission and \$20 for students and are available from Don MacDonald or Terry Burbridge after Mass or from L'Arche Ottawa, (11 Rossland Avenue) [office@larcheottawa.org](mailto:office@larcheottawa.org) or 613-228-7136, ext. 21.

**KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION**  
Registration will continue into the spring at all Ottawa Catholic School Board elementary schools. [www.ottawacatholicschools.ca/content.php?doc=5410](http://www.ottawacatholicschools.ca/content.php?doc=5410)

KAIROS - Spirituality-for-Social Justice Centre  
[www.greysisters.ca/engagingwithourworld/newsandevents/documents/KairosPrograms.pdf](http://www.greysisters.ca/engagingwithourworld/newsandevents/documents/KairosPrograms.pdf).

Welcome to our guests and new parishioners who have chosen to be with us for this celebration. As we worship and pray together may your experience among us be one of peace and joy. Please join us for coffee after Sunday Mass. If you wish to register, please call the office 232-5347.