

## 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent

“The light has come into the world, and people loved darkness rather than light.”

### Announced Masses for the Week of March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018



**Sunday, Mar. 11, 2018**

**9:00 am** † Celine Tower by Courtney Tower

**11:00 am** For all parishioners

**Monday, Mar. 12, 2018**

**7:30 am** † George Szilvasi by Anna Marinelli

**Tuesday, Mar. 13, 2018**

**NO MASS**

**Wednesday, Mar. 14, 2018**

**7:00 pm**

**Thursday, Mar. 15, 2018**

**7:30 am**

**Friday, Mar. 16, 2018**

**7:30 am**

**Saturday, Mar. 18, 2018**

**9:00 am** † Vincent Serrao & Betty Joachim by the Serrao family

**4:30 pm** † Don Muldoon by his wife & children

**Sunday, Mar. 19, 2018**

**9:00 am** Brenda Lee Dunnigan by Elaine Charter & Richard Spearman

**11:00 am** For all parishioners

**First Reading:** 2 Chr. 36:14-17a, 19-23 The Israelites were repeatedly unfaithful to God. They ignored the prophets sent to them. God allowed them to fall to the Chaldeans, which Jeremiah had foretold.

**Second Reading:** Eph 2:4-10 God's mercy and love brought Jesus into the world. Salvation is God's gift, not our human work. Jesus leads all people to perform good works.

**Gospel:** Jn 3:14-21 Jesus is to die on the cross—the proof of God's unlimited love for us. God sent Jesus that all people might believe. Through belief in him we will be saved.

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### COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY 04 March, 2018:

Envelope Holders: \$3845.10 Loose Collection: \$569.65; Other

Collections: \$245.00; Candles: \$227.25

Thank you for your generosity and support.

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The Secular Franciscans within our parish invite YOU to join us as we walk with Jesus in the Way of the Cross every Friday during Lent at 7 p.m. (February 16 - March 23) and on Friday March 30 at 10 am. See posters on the Parish bulletin

boards for more information. Two thousand years later, Jesus, and we still remember. **Will you walk with us?**

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**We welcome to the family of the church the newly baptized:**



**WILLIAM ROBERT NAVARRO**

**TOGETHER FOR PEACE** is the theme for this year's Share Lent program of Development & Peace. Solidarity Sunday, day of international collection will be held next weekend, March 17-18th.

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**Our Lenten Reconciliation will be held on Saturday March 17<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.**

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This weekend you will find in your bulletin an insert which explains the different Church Offering Envelopes. We hope this explains your envelopes better.

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**Other Communications:**

**Journey of Hope** – A Program for Separated and Divorced Catholics: Six week sessions for women (Tuesdays, Mar. 20 – Apr. 24, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.) and men (Thursdays, Mar. 22 – May 3, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.). Fee: \$25. At Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Parish Hall, 20 Grant St. Register by Mar. 16: [www.journeyofhopeottawa.com](http://www.journeyofhopeottawa.com); Mary Jane Manley (613-294-1308).

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**New Evangelization Summit 2018**

On April 27 & 28, join over 5000 Catholics from across North America at the premier conference on the New Evangelization. The vent will be held at the Infinity Convention Centre in Ottawa and webcast to host sites across Canada and the US. This year's Summit is once again featuring world-class Catholic speakers: Michael Dopp, George Weigei, Patrick Madrid, Cutis Martin, Sr. Ann Shields and more. Register online today (<https://www.newevangelization.ca/>)

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Holy Cross Parish **Lenten Retreat 2018**: 685 Walkley Rd., March 19, 20 & 21, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. in parish hall. Theme: The Gospel of the Family: Joy for the World. Preacher: Fr. Eslin Pereira CMF. Celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation on March 21. Free-will offering. All are welcome. No registration required. Info: (613-731-7834).

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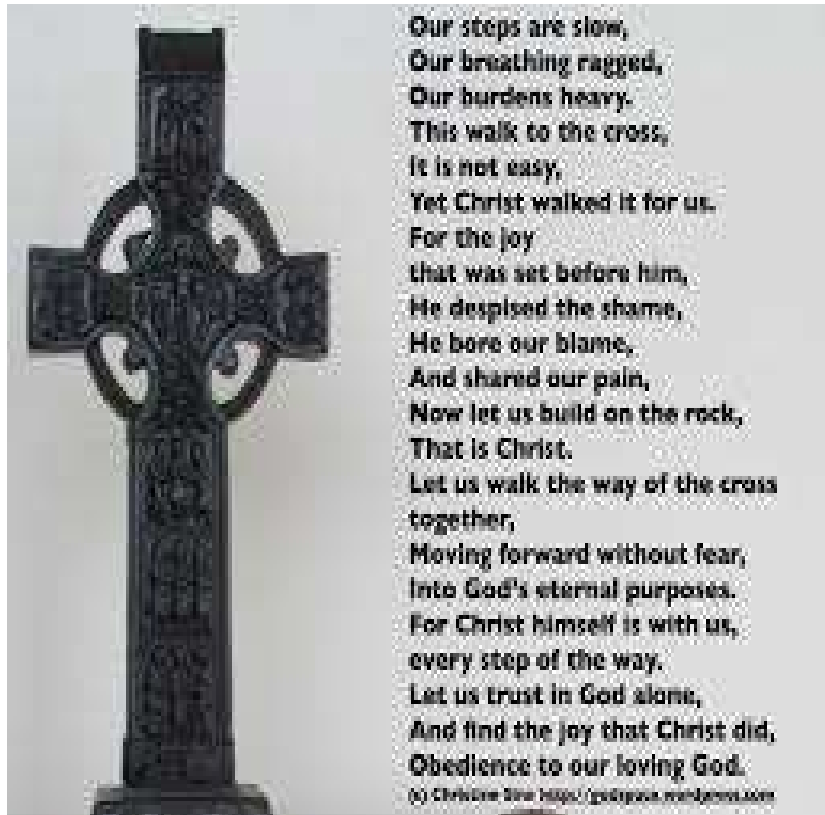
**Communion and Liberation - Way of the Cross**: On Good Friday, March 30, through the streets of downtown Ottawa. Led by Most. Rev. Terrence Prendergast S.J., Archbishop of Ottawa. Departure at 9:30 a.m. from St. Patrick Basilica, 220 Kent St. Arrival around 12:00 Noon at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica. Info: David McConkey ([clonottawa@gmail.com](mailto:clonottawa@gmail.com)).

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## Our Easter Schedule

<b>Holy Thursday</b>	8:00 p.m.
<b>Good Friday Way of the Cross</b>	10:00 a.m.
<b>Good Friday Service</b>	3:00 p.m.
<b>Easter Vigil</b>	8:00 p.m.
<b>Easter Sunday</b>	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
No Thursday 7:30 a.m. Mass and no Saturday 9:00 a.m. Mass	



### VOLUNTEER SIGN UP FORM

Would you like to participate in a parish activity or ministry?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Which Mass do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_

Which Ministry would you like to volunteer for? \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete this form and place it in the collection basket OR drop it off at the Parish Office