

FRIDAY FACTS

Archdiocese of Ottawa, Pastoral Office

October 26, 2018

FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE

2018 Diaconate Ordinations: Archbishop Terrence Prendergast, S.J. will confer the Holy Order of Deacon on James Victor Schultz and Philip Chi Wah Tang on **Sat., Oct. 27, 5:00 p.m.** at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica.

Prayers: For the repose of the soul of Mr. Frank Van De Laar, brother of Deacon Robert Van de Laar, St. George Parish. Mr. Van De Laar died on Monday, October 22, 2018 in Steinbach, Manitoba, in his 69th year. The Funeral will be held in Manitoba. Please remember him and his family in your prayers.

FOR CLERGY

REMINDER - Priests' Retreat with Fr. Jacques Philippe: Fr. Jacques Philippe is facilitating a special retreat for our priests on *The Spiritual Fatherhood of Priests*. At the Diocesan Centre, **Thurs., Nov. 1, 12:30 - 4:00pm**. Begins with lunch; free. To register, please click here: <https://catholicottawa.ca/priests-day-retreat-with-fr-jacques-philippe>. Info: thurley@archottawa.ca; 613-738-5025 ext 231.

FOR THE PARISH OFFICE

Parish Orders of CCCB Rites & Ordos: Pastoral Services will place a 2nd order of the *Order of Celebrating Matrimony*, *ORDO 2018-2019*, *Excerpts from the Roman Missal*, and *Order of Christian Funerals: Supplement for Celebrations with Cremated Remains* from the CCCB. Please use the online form to order <https://catholicottawa.ca/2nd-fall-order-for-parishes-of-cccb-books>. **Deadline to Order: Wed., Oct. 31.** Parishes will be notified when order is available for pick-up at the Diocesan Centre. An invoice to the parish will be included.

VOCATIONS

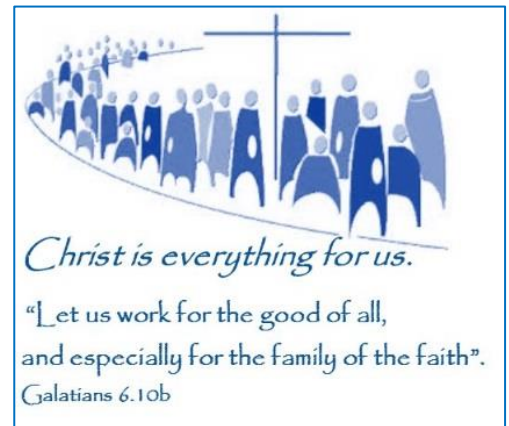
Prayers: Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time - November 4. For a readiness to give to God what is God's in response to His call to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated religious life, we pray to the Lord.

PRO-LIFE

40 Days for Life Closing Rally: Queen St. at Bank St., **Sun., Nov. 4, 7:00 pm**. After the gathering, a candlelight procession will proceed to St. Patrick's Basilica for a reception in the Scavi. Guest speaker: Rev. John Counsell. Info: wanda40daysforlife@clife.ca; 613-299-2515; <https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/ottawa>.

FROM THE CCCB

Update from CCCB Delegates Attending the Synod of Bishops on Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment: The four episcopal delegates elected by the Bishops of Canada to attend the XVth Ordinary General Assembly of the



Synod of Bishops on Young People, Faith and Vocational Discernment have reached the midway point of the assembly. Each of the Canadian delegates was called upon to deliver an address on an aspect of the overall theme. The interventions of the four Canadian Bishops, presented in the language of delivery, are found here: [The Most Rev. Luc Cyr, Archbishop of Sherbrooke \(Français\)](#); [The Most Rev. Lionel Gendron, P.S.S., Bishop of Saint-Jean-Longueuil \(Français\)](#); [The Most Rev. Stephen Arthur Jensen, Bishop of Prince George \(English\)](#); [The Most Rev. Thomas Dowd, Auxiliary Bishop of Montreal \(English\)](#). His Eminence Gérald Cyprien Cardinal Lacroix, Archbishop of Québec and Primate of Canada was named by the Holy Father as a participant to the Synod. For the duration of the Synod, Cardinal Lacroix was likewise elected to be a member of the Commission of Information representing the American Continent. In this capacity, Cardinal Lacroix prepared a short video addressed to young people sharing his impressions on the first part of the Synod: <https://www.facebook.com/synod2018/videos/285897262261836/>.

SOCIAL JUSTICE

Canadian Jesuits International – Tell Ten Campaign: Bridging Borders. Raising awareness about bridging borders and making a real difference in peoples' lives. Focusing on 3 projects in India, Syria and the Amazon. "Tell Ten" of your friends and family about the campaign. Info or to donate: <http://www.canadianjesuitsinternational.ca>.

PRAYER & WORSHIP

In Pace - Sacred Music of the Renaissance: Saint Patrick Basilica's Schola Basilicae will offer a meditational concert of Sacred Music of the Renaissance featuring the Morales Requiem and instrumental music. **Sun., Nov. 11, 3:00 p.m.** at St. Patrick's Basilica, 220 Kent St. All are welcome to this hour of musical prayer and meditation in the month of the Holy Souls. Free admission. Info: 613-233-1126 x 561.

PARISH SOCIAL EVENTS

Father French Library Bi-annual Booksale: Alongside the Knights of Columbus Olde Tyme Christmas Market at Saint Patrick's Basilica. In the Scavi, **Fri. – Sun., Nov. 16-18**. Info: denisblimoges@gmail.com.

Trivia Night at St. John the Apostle Parish: All are welcome; join a team or start your own. Prizes, snacks and drinks provided. Proceeds to St. John the Apostle Parish. 2340 Baseline Rd., **Sun., Nov. 4, 4:00 p.m.** Tickets \$10. Hosted by the Knights of Columbus. Info: battyphil1@gmail.com.

EMPLOYMENT & VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Part-Time Youth Ministry Coordinator: At The Good Shepherd Parish to start in Fall 2018. Job Description: thegoodshepherdparish.com. Interested applicants, send resume and cover letter to Fr. Virgil Amirthakumar by email (pastor10-gsp@outlook.com). We thank all applicants for their interest, but only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

Business Administrator - St. Brigid's Summer Camp: St. Brigid's Summer Camp is looking for a competent, personable and organized individual to fill the role of Business Administrator. Part-time, paid position. A background in accounting and/or HR would be an asset. More info about position: stbbod@gmail.com.

WIDER COMMUNITY INTEREST

2018 McMartin Memorial Lecture: Why are human beings religious? Speaker: Karen Armstrong. **Thurs., Nov. 8, 7:30 p.m.** Hosted by the Department of Classics and Religious Studies University of Ottawa. At Huguette-Labelle, Room 112, Tabaret Hall. RSVP by Nov. 1 at eventbrite.ca/e/2018-mcmartin-memorial-lecture-karen-armstrong.