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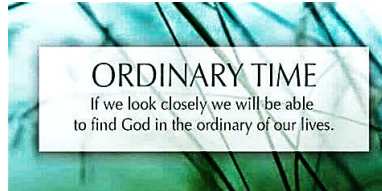
## Roman Catholic Parish

*Sunday Bulletin • Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time  
June 14, 2026*

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### *Pastor's Message*

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This Sunday of Ordinary Time, we return to the proclamation of the Gospel of St. Matthew (Sunday Readings Cycle 'A'). The text is the calling of the Twelve Apostles by Jesus and sending them on mission. The Lord does so after seeing the crowds who "were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd." Moved

by compassion, Jesus chooses others who will follow him in mission, ministering to all with a particular concern for the least among us. Let us continue to pray for those whom he calls to serve the People of God. We are particularly attentive to supporting the eleven men who will be in seminary formation for our diocese.

Friday was the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus which is celebrated annually as the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests. The day was begun by St. John Paul II in 2022 with the objective of having all Catholics pray that our Church be gifted with the presence and ministry of holy priests who bring the Lord to his faithful especially in the celebration of the sacraments. Historically, the devotion to the Sacred Heart is an outgrowth of devotion to Christ's sacred humanity. The most significant source for the devotion to the Sacred Heart in the form it is known today was St. Margaret Mary Alacoque (+1690), a nun of the Order of the Visitation of Holy Mary, who received Sacred Heart revelations from Jesus between 1673 and 1675 in the Burgundian French village of Paray-le-Monial. The Society of Jesus (Jesuits) became instrumental – and still are – in the promotion of this devotion. The statue of the Sacred Heart in our church vestibule is a reminder of how widespread this Catholic devotion is and an invitation to us to renew our devotion.



The reception that the Holy Father has received during his Apostolic Visit to Spain has been extraordinary by the numbers, and depth of faith, shown by those who have welcomed him. On Corpus Christi Sunday, 1.2 million of the faithful gathered with him, in the central plaza of Madrid to celebrate Mass and the Corpus Christi procession which followed. The Pope expressed his joy in being with them, "gathered around the Eucharist, the gift of Christ's living presence among us." On Tuesday, he travelled to Barcelona where, among other engagements, he will bless the "Jesus Tower" of the Sagrada Familia Basilica. In 1883, when the original architect resigned, Antoni Gaudí took over as chief architect, transforming the project with his architectural and engineering style, combining Gothic and curvilinear Art Nouveau forms. Gaudí devoted the remainder of his life to the project, and he is buried in the church's crypt. At the time of his death in 1926, less than a quarter of the project was complete. The church remains under construction. The photo shows the completed portions in white with the sections yet to be constructed shown in brown. (cf. Vatican News, Wikipedia, photo: <https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/User:Balou46>)

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## *Sunday Readings*

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### **Sunday, June 14 – 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Exodus 19.1-68

*You shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation.*

Psalms 100

*We are his people: the sheep of his pasture.*

Romans 5.6-11

*If we were reconciled to God through the death of his son, much more surely will we be saved by his life.*

Matthew 9.36-10.8

*Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and sent them out to proclaim the good news.*

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## *Liturgies*

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### **Saturday, June 13 – 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Confessions 3:00 pm – 3:45 pm

4:30 pm + Mary Burke by Cheryl and Corinne Burke

+ John Shearon by Jim Shearon

+ Michael McHale by St. Isidore parishioners

### **Sunday, June 14 – 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:00 am + The Burke families by Cheryl and Corinne Burke

For the personal intentions of birthday blessings for

Hannah Kuriakose by her family

For the personal intentions of Sean Clarke by Carolyn

Marushko

11:00 am For the intentions of the living and deceased members of St. Isidore Parish

### **Tuesday, June 16**

9:00 am For the recovery of health of Chantal Balthazar by Margaret Malaska

### **Wednesday, June 17**

9:00 am No requested Intention

### **Thursday, June 18**

9:00 am + Yvette Lussier by her family and friends

7:00 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

### **Friday, June 19**

Confessions 9:00 am – 9:45 am

10:00 am No requested Intention

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## *Parish Announcements*

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❖ Congratulations and blessings to **Aria Redman** and her family on her Baptism this Sunday, June 14. May Aria grow in the light of Christ's love, and may God's grace guide her family always.

❖ Join us for the **Annual General Meeting (AGM)** this **Sunday, June 14**, following the **11:00 am Mass** in the **Parish**

**Hall.** This meeting is where we **review the past year.** Come hear important reports from both the **Pastoral** and **Finance Councils.** A light lunch will be provided, courtesy of the CWL.

### ❖ **Special Collection for the Indigenous Reconciliation**

**Fund.** Help us complete the final phase of our diocesan pledge. Thanks to your support, over \$1 million has already been raised toward our Archdiocese's \$1.2 million goal. This fund supports Indigenous-led projects focused on healing, education, and culture, including *Isaruit Inuit Arts* and *Reconciliation Through Art*. To participate, you may pick up a special collection envelope in the pews or at the Welcome Centre and return it by next Sunday, June 21. Please fill out all the required information on the envelope if you require a tax receipt. Online donations and additional information can also be found [here](#).

### **SUPPORT OUR PARISH MISSION**



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❖ **The parish office will be closed all day on Friday, June 26. However, the liturgical schedule remains unchanged.** Confessions will be available from 9:00 AM to 9:45 am, and morning Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 am.

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## *In our community*

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❖ **"Is Life Always Worth Living? A Workshop on Aging, Value, and Purpose" on Saturday, June 20** from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Holy Spirit Parish Hall (1489 Shea Rd., Stittsville). An increasing number of people think that there are circumstances under which it is reasonable for someone to ask someone else to end their life. Some of the reasons listed in government reports are due to cancer, chronic illness, disability, and dementia. Does life lose its sense in the face of suffering? Or, is life always worth living? This formative workshop will empower you to encounter, understand, and overcome the euthanasia temptation. Cost: \$25 before June 15 or \$30 after. Two mini talks, Q&A, a delicious catered lunch, and an interactive workshop are included!

Workshop presenters are Amanda Achtman, Ethics Director, and Nicole Scheidl, Executive Director of Canadian Physicians for Life. [Click here to register](#) or phone Deacon James Kubina at (613) 805-4688.