



# St Edith Stein Parish

2014-2015 PASTORAL YEAR THEME

“Faith creates communion,  
strengthens family, commissions to  
renew society.”

**CELEBRATING 15 YEARS!**

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**SCHEDULED SUNDAY MASS** 9 AM at Ste-Félicité Church, 1646 Landry St, Clarence Creek

**WEEKDAY MASSES AT ST. MARGARET MARY** 7 PM Wednesdays and 4 PM Saturdays

**ENGLISH WEEKDAY MASSES AT NEARBY PARISH**

Divine Infant, 6658 Bilberry Drive, Orleans 613-824-6822 – Mon & Tues evgs 7 PM;  
Wed to Fri morning 9 AM; Holiday Mondays at 9 AM – Confessions 10 minutes before Mass.

## January 11, 2015 – Baptism of the Lord – 1st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Baptism is the foundational sacrament. It begins our life with Christ. It defines us as followers of the Christ. But it is so much more. The baptism of Jesus is a paradigm for our baptism and our life as Christians. When we were baptized, the Father spoke to us as his children and we received his Spirit.

Go to [www.word-sunday.com](http://www.word-sunday.com) for in-depth information about today’s readings.

**HOLY FATHER’S PRAYER INTENTIONS – January 2015:** “That those from diverse religious traditions and all people of good will may work together for peace”. **For evangelisation:** “That in this year dedicated to consecrated life, religious men and women may rediscover the joy of following Christ and strive to serve the poor with zeal.

**SUGGESTED PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS** – Go to the *News from Pastoral Services – Friday Fax* page of the Ottawa Archdiocese site: <http://www.catholicottawa.ca/archbishop>



*For the prayers and intentions of  
St. Edith Stein and St. Margaret Mary parishioners*

Pray for priests who are sick and retired from active ministry.

(Call Rose at 613-446-1870 for Mass Intentions, or add your name & intention to the book at the back of the church)

## “CATHOLICISM: THE NEW EVANGELIZATION”

Deacon Tom Donohue presents this engaging series by Fr. Robert Barron. Come join him Wednesdays after 7 pm Mass at St. Margaret Mary to share in study program. You can attend any one session or all of them!



## THE DIVINE MERCY CENACLE

The message of The Divine Mercy is simple. God loves us – all of us. And, he wants us to recognize that His mercy is greater than our sins, so that we will call upon Him with trust, receive His mercy, and let it flow through us to others. Thus, all will come to share His joy. Come join St. Edith Stein’s “Divine Mercy Cenacle” in prayerful devotion. The Cenacle meets every Monday evening. For more information, please contact Jerome Gagnier at 613-446-5331 or email him at [gagnier@mac.com](mailto:gagnier@mac.com).

**LITURGY MINISTERS:** Lectors proclaim the Word of God clearly and understandably so that all who hear may respond. If you wish to consider this ministry, please contact Betty Fehr at 613-446-0263 or [rbfehr@videotron.ca](mailto:rbfehr@videotron.ca).

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** These lay people are referred to as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. They serve by bringing communion to parishioners who reside in nursing homes, assisted living facilities, or in their own homes and unable to get to church. They also assist the priest in distributing the Eucharist at Mass. If you wish to consider this ministry, please contact Marjorie Hinds at 613-446-4771 or [marjorieh@videotron.ca](mailto:marjorieh@videotron.ca).

**ALTAR SERVERS:** This ministry provides members of the parish with an opportunity to function as lay ministers by reverently assisting the celebrant and/or deacon during Sunday Mass and at special liturgies throughout the year.

**USHERS:** These ministers are sometimes referred to as Greeters. Being a welcoming community is very important to us. Ushers are the first face of the parish. They greet those coming into our church, offer assistance to those in need, distribute parish bulletins, take up the collection, and distribute other materials as needed. To consider this ministry, please contact Lloyd Maier at 613-446-6734.

## MINISTER’S SCHEDULE

## -----LECTORS-----

	USHERS	ANNOUNCE	1ST RDG/PSLM	2ND RDG/INT	CHOIR	EUCCHARISTIC
January 11	Group 3	Jerome	Sonja	Rose	Eve’s	TBD
January 18	Group 4	Michael	James/Danielle	Marjorie	SES	TBD
January 25	Group 1	Bonnie	Nicole	Stephane	Youth	TBD

COLLECTIONS DEC 21	24TH	28TH	JAN 1	4TH
Regular	\$1023.75	\$0	\$992.90	\$22 \$353
Bldg Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$200
Special	\$100	\$1,261.05	\$105	\$418 \$45

## WE NEED YOUR HELP! PLEASE VOLUNTEER!

To become a reader, contact Betty Fehr.  
To become a Eucharistic Minister, contact Marjorie Hinds.  
To become a money counter, contact Frits Van Oers.

*See back page for contact information*

## WEEKLY COUNTERS

Jan 11	Colleen, Réal & Nicole
Jan 18	Elenor, Roger & Clancy
Jan 25	Angela, Vincent & volunteer

The 2015 collection envelopes are now available. Please confirm the information on the enclosed slip and report any corrections on a piece of paper inserted into a future collection envelope. This information is required for tax purposes.