

### Joke of the Week

A priest decides to play hookie from Sunday Mass. He says he's sick and goes golfing. He gets to the golf course and no one else is available so he decides to golf by himself. He tees off, at the first hole and gets a hole-in-one! He's thinking this is awesome!!!  
 Next hole, another hole-in-one! My gosh, the priest thinks this is amazing!  
 Third hole, another hole-in-one! WOW!  
 Sts Peter and Paul are watching all this and they say, "Um, God? Why are you letting this priest get all these holes-in-one?"  
 God says, "Who's he gonna tell?"

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# Saint Monica Parish

Worship of God, Fellowship with Each Other, Service to All

2080 Merivale Road, Nepean, ON K2C 3H1 Phone: (613) 727-1067  
**Office Hours:** Monday - Friday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.  
 Closed Saturday and Sunday.

**WEEKEND MASSES**  
 Saturday: 5pm  
 Sunday: 8am, 9:30 am, 11am, 7pm  
**WEEKDAY MASSES**  
 Monday: 7pm (9am on holiday)  
 Tuesday: 9am  
 Wednesday: 7pm  
 Thursday: 9am  
 Friday: 9am  
 1st Saturday of the month - 9am

**CONFESSIONS**  
 Sat. Evening: 4:15 pm - 4:45 pm  
 Sun. Evening: 6:15 pm - 6:45 pm  
 Weekdays:  
 One hour before Mass  
 or by appointment

**ADORATION**  
**Monday & Wednesday**  
 6pm - 6:45pm  
**Tuesday, Thursday & Friday:**  
 8am - 8:45am  
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**First Friday of the month**  
 9:30am - 4pm  
**First Saturday of month**  
 8am - 8:45am  
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**Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena**  
 Wednesdays after Mass  
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**Divine Mercy Cenacle**  
 Every 4th Monday of the month  
 after the 7 pm Mass

**WEBCAST SUNDAY MASS**  
 The celebration of 11am Sunday Mass on the internet (YouTube)  
<https://www.youtube.com/@StMonicaChurch>

## June 6th 2026 Corpus Christi Sunday



**Important Notice**  
 Please note the Parish Office will be closed at noon on Wednesday June 17th. We will reopen at 9 am on Thursday June 18th. Sorry for any inconvenience.

**Family Member or Friend Hospitalized?**  
 If you have a loved one at The Civic or General hospitals and would like someone to bring them Communion or visit with them, please contact the Parish Office with their name, floor, room and bed number. We will do our best to get someone to bring Communion or just visit and pray with them.

**June 27th/28th**  
*In the beginning God created 3 parishes. With His blessing they grew and grew and grew. Soon a new church was needed. After much searching and prayers land was purchased. Next God called a committee together to oversee the building of His new church. A panel of very smart people were gathered to lead the organization building the new church. They planned a survey to invite parishioners to get involved in the building of the new church and to help all parishioners to join this journey. God looked at this creation and saw that it was good. It was very good. He sees you and wants to hear from you. We will hand out the survey on June 27th & 28th*

# Mass Intentions *Praying Always*

	<p>+ Indicates deceased relatives &amp; friends. To arrange a Mass intention, please call the parish office (613-727-1067 x 221).</p> <p>+++++</p>
<b>Sat Jun 06</b>	<p><b>Corpus Christi Sunday</b></p> <p>9:00 am Birthday Blessings for Louise Marie Bogen by Louise</p> <p>5:00 pm Thanksgiving for Blessings Received for Andy Plonquet by Jocelyn</p>
<b>Sun Jun 07</b>	<p><b>Corpus Christi Sunday</b></p> <p>8:00 am Blessings for Fernand Monpetit by Ian</p> <p>9:30 am + Tommy Craig by his Family</p> <p>11:00 am +Jean Bernato Lafleur by Jean Baptise &amp; Marie Yvanna Samedi</p> <p>7:00 pm Blessings for Tam Bolivar by Rommelle</p>
<b>Mon Jun 08</b>	<p>7:00 pm Birthday Blessings for Gabriella Grabetz by the Coorays</p>
<b>Tue Jun 09</b>	<p>9:00 am Birthday Blessings for Jonathan Gulas by Gary &amp; Madeleine Gulas</p>
<b>Wed Jun 10</b>	<p>7:00 pm <i>Birthday Blessings for Marian Silva by the Silva Family</i></p>
<b>Thu Jun 11</b>	<p>9:00 am + Terry Murphy by the Family</p>
<b>Fri Jun 12</b>	<p><b>Most Sacred Heart of Jesus</b></p> <p>9:00 am +Lucia Pham Thue by Nga Dang</p>
<b>Sat Jun 13</b>	<p><b>Eleventh Sunday of Ordinary Time</b></p> <p>5:00 pm +Tony Mariados by the Mariados Doucet Family</p>
<b>Sun Jun 14</b>	<p><b>Eleventh Sunday of Ordinary Time</b></p> <p>8:00 am + Giovanni Rispoli by Luisa Rispoli</p> <p>9:30 am + Geoffrey &amp; Maria Fonseca by Barry Brown</p> <p>11:00 am Blessings for Cameron McCormick by Ian</p> <p>7:00 pm Mass</p>



**PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS, THOSE WHO ARE SICK...**

Robert Clayton, Gianna Crupi, Ludmilla Grabetz, John Ward, Mike O'Neil, Jean Lapiere, Loraine Lamothe, Jacques Drury, Josephine Manalo, Josh, Sylvia Lopez, Norah Shanque, Norma Mousaw, Filomena Micucci, Linus Fontenard, Pam Devaux, Maureen Derrick, Edouardo Vásquez, Jeannette Ranta, Craig Campbell, Laura Lamothe, Mary MacNeil


If you would like us to pray for someone who is ill, please call the parish office

## Finance Council

You are welcome to continue to use automatic bank deposits, Interac, (donations@saintmonicaparish.ca) and credit card. Note that 'CanadaHelps' will issue the income tax receipt if you use this feature to donate through our parish website (<https://saintmonicaparish.ca>). For a set of donation envelopes, call the parish office at 613-727-1067.

**INCOME TAX RECEIPTS :** Anyone wishing to receive their income tax receipts electronically please email Robella at: [finance.pariah.smp.sap@gmail.com](mailto:finance.pariah.smp.sap@gmail.com)

## Pope's Prayer Intentions June 2026



That sports be an instrument of peace, encounter and dialogue among cultures and nations and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity and personal growth.

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**Land & Building Committee**  
 Vacant

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 Reno Santini (5:00 & 7:00 pm) 613-843-8210  
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 Connie Carlotti 613-327-6037

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**Parish Leadership Council**  
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**Social Outreach:**  
 TBA

*Lord, send forth your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.- Psalm 104*

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 Principal: Kristen Charles

**St. Andrew Elementary School**  
 613-843-0050  
 201 Crestway Dr.  
 Principal: Jennifer Flynn

## Pastor's Corner

### Phishing Scams

It's come to my attention that some of you have received fake emails CLAIMING to be me, asking for money or favours. Rest assured that I have never sent anyone an email or message of this sort. If you find that an email claiming to be from me doesn't seem like me, verify by emailing the office with the message or contact me directly. You'll also notice that the email address is different than my office or personal email. Phishing is a cybercrime where attackers trick people into giving sensitive information through fake emails, texts, or calls.

- Criminals pose as trusted sources (such as parishes and other businesses) and create urgent messages to push victims into clicking links or sharing credentials.
- Phishing uses spoofed senders, scary messages, and fake websites that look real to steal login details or financial data.
- Warning signs include too-good-to-be-true offers, unexpected attachments, urgent language, unusual senders, and suspicious URLs.
- Anyone can be targeted, so protection includes avoiding unknown links, using MFA, verifying senders, and relying on security software.

### Tips to Protect yourself from phishing attacks

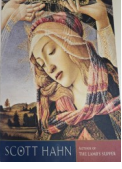
1. Don't open e-mails from senders you are not familiar with.
2. Don't ever click on a link inside of an e-mail unless you know exactly where it is going.
3. If you are asked to provide sensitive information, check that the URL of the page starts with "HTTPS" instead of just "HTTP." The "S" stands for "secure." It's not a guarantee that a site is legitimate, but most legitimate sites use HTTPS because it's more secure. HTTP sites, even legitimate ones, are vulnerable to hackers.
4. Enable Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA): Utilize MFA wherever possible to add an extra layer of security. Even if phishers obtain your password, they'll need to bypass additional verification steps to access your account.
5. Lookout for the digital certificate of a website.
6. To layer that protection, if you get an e-mail from a source, you are unsure of, navigate to the provided link manually by entering the legitimate website address into your browser.
7. Mouseover the link to see if it's a legitimate link.
8. If you suspect an e-mail isn't legitimate, take a name or some text from the message and put it into a search engine to see if any known phishing attacks exist using the same methods.

God bless you and be prudent when using the internet.

*Fr Pierre Champoux*

## In the Parish


### Four Seasons Book Club



Join us for our next book "Hail Holy Queen" by Scott Hahn. Our next book club meeting will be held on 11th of June, 2026 at St Monica Church in the Upper Room beginning at 7 pm. Join us for discussion on this inspiring book.

### Motorcycle Blessing and Ride

If you own a motorcycle, join us on **Saturday June 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am** in the main parking lot at St. Monica for the blessing of the motorcycles, followed by a fun ride to St. Albert Cheesehouse. Pegs up at 10:15am. The ride is one hour each way, with a ½ hour stopover at the Cheesehouse. Please arrive at the parking lot gassed up and ready to go. Who wants to join me?




**Dinner & Movie Night:** The evening begins at **6:15pm** with a bring your own brown bag dinner, followed by the movie at 7pm. Of course there will always be popcorn!

**When:** Friday 19th June

**Feature::** Field of Dreams starring Kevin Costner

**Trailer :** [Field of Dreams Official Trailer #1 - \(1989\) HD](#)

# Confirmation

**Congratulations!**

Congratulations to all the students who this past week received the Holy Spirit at their Confirmations. Please continue to pray for them as they start their Adult journey in their Faith.

**Land & Building Committee Members Needed**

Re-establishing this committee is a top priority for St. Monica Parish, which is currently over 60 years old. Like your own home, the parish needs to be proactive in maintaining the building and anticipating future repairs. Due to the importance of this committee, this is being established as a 'stand-alone' committee reporting to the parish pastor. We are seeking members with a background in property management, engineering, and building trades.

