



FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Be Reconciled to God” (2 Cor 5:20)



- Saturday February 7th** **Welcome Fr. Ingram**
4:30 pm For Jack & Pauline Tyo on their 50th Anniversary by their family
- Sunday February 8th** **Welcome Fr. Ingram**
9:00 am For the repose of the souls of deceased family members of Corry Vandenhagenberg by all family members
10:45 am For the special intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor
- Tuesday February 10**
7:00 pm For the healing of George Archibald by Fr. Tim
- Wednesday February 11**
9:00 am For the healing of George Archibald by Diane McCauley
- Thursday February 12**
9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Paul Wyczynski by the Mother Teresa School Staff
- Friday February 13**
9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Murray Fleet by the James family
- Saturday February 14**
4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Colette Vaillancourt by Donna McKlusky
- Sunday February 15**
9:00 am For the healing intentions of Justin McKenna by the family
10:45 am For the special intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY'S...

- Monday February 9** - First Communion/Confirmation Parish Program 6:30 pm hall
- Tuesday February 10** - Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm, RCIA 7:30 pm
- Wednesday February 11** - Lenten Bible Study 7:00 pm hall
- Thursday February 12** - Catholic Womens League General Meeting 7:00 pm, K of C Executive Meeting 7:30 pm

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES AT OUR LADY'S . . .

- Saturday February 14** - Soul Food Saturday 2:45 pm hall; K of C Membership Drive 4:30 Mass
- Sunday February 15** - K of C Membership Drive both Masses
- Monday February 16** - First Communion/Confirmation Parish Program 6:30 pm hall
- Tuesday February 17** - Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm, RCIA 7:30 pm

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

In my work as vocations director, I will be participating in a “Come and See” retreat at St. Augustine’s Seminary in Toronto, from February 6-8. Please welcome Fr. Pierre Ingram who will be celebrating the Eucharist for us this weekend.

There are several young men in Ottawa seriously discerning the call to priesthood, one of whom will be attending the retreat with me; let us pray that some of them will take the “leap of faith” and attend Seminary this fall! Please continue to pray for our seminarians whom I will be visiting this weekend: Jonathan Blake, Matt Choyne, and Matthew Keshwah (and also Hezuk Schroff in his parish internship at St. Remi). Fr. Tim

♦ **NEW HOLY WATER FONT:** Thanks to St. Thomas Aquinas High School for donating their extra holy water font, so that we could install two at the main entrance of our Church, in addition to the one at the side entrance.

♦ **LENTEN BIBLE STUDY** for the Pauline Year: Paul’s Letter to the Corinthians on Wednesdays March 4th, 11th, 25th and April 1st. Required reading is the commentary from Ignatius Press for \$11. Please sign up early (in the foyer) so we can order these commentaries.

♦ **THEOLOGY ON TAP RUSSELL IS BACK!** For a Valentine’s Special on Marriage on Sunday, February 15th at 5 p.m. at Russell House. Come hear Charles and Christine Labrosse present on “Putting into Practice Ephesians 5: St. Paul’s Teaching on Mutual Submission and Forgiveness.”



WORLD MARRIAGE DAY is this Sunday, Feb. 8, 2009. World Marriage Day honors husband and wife as head of the family, the basic unit of society. It salutes the beauty of their faithfulness, sacrifice and joy in daily married life. Sponsored by Worldwide Marriage Encounter.

Info: <http://wmd.wwme.org/>. At the Masses married couples will have the opportunity to receive a special blessing. Also, visit our website www.olmm.ca for an inspiring article by Father Cantalamessa on What Marriage Needs.

YOUR OFFERINGS FOR

February 1, 2009 - \$3633.73

(Average weekly collection needed to cover all expenses:
\$3,000.00)

Thank you for your generosity & support

♦ **SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER** with all the trimmings will take place on Tues., Feb. 20th from 5 - 7 pm. here in the Church Hall. Mark your calendar!

February 8, 2009



Ken Gaydamack, Norita Trottier,
Cory VandenHabenberg, Teresa Morris, Jack
Tyo and Gilles Benoit.

If you would like a name added to this list
please call the office.

◆ **NEXT SOUL FOOD SATURDAY:** “*Let the games begin*” Put
on your Red and get ready for fun. Feb. 14th from 2:45 pm. -
4:00 pm. in the Church Hall. All youth ages 9 - 13 are
welcome. Come learn more about your Catholic faith and have
fun too. Mark your calendar



COFFEE SUNDAY: Please remember this is a
service to the parish. It is your donations that will
keep it viable.

Sunday February 15th will be hosted by:

9:00: K of C

10:45: K of C

CALENDAR OF DATES FOR SACRAMENTS OF FIRST EUCCHARIST & CONFIRMATION FOR THIS PASTORAL YEAR

Rite of Enrolment

Saturday, March 7th - 4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, March 8th - 9:00 am & 10:45 am Masses

Celebration of the Sacraments of First Communion & Confirmation

Saturday, April 25th at 4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, April 26th at 9:00 am & 10:45 am Masses

Sunday May 2nd - 10:45 am Mass

Parish Program: Sunday, May 3rd at 10:45 am Mass

◆ **RITE OF ENROLLMENT:** An enrollment ceremony will be
held Saturday/Sunday, March 7/8 at all Masses for the children
who are preparing for full initiation in the Christian
Community. As members of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal
parish, let us support these children on this journey through
our prayers.

◆ **PILGRIMAGE STATUE OF OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS
MEDAL** is at the home of the Kupferschmit family this week. If
you wish to take home Our Lady for 1 week, please sign up on
the sheet on the table in the foyer.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: TUESDAY NOON to Church Office:
email olmm@bellnet.ca or fax 613-445-9839.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBERSHIP

WEEKEND FEB. 14/15: Now is the best time
to join your Knights of Columbus Council
#12401! Consider joining one of the most
active, if not the most active group, within

our Parish Community. Experience Fraternity, Unity,
Involvement and the personal satisfaction of lending a helping
hand. Info: Tom Sullivan 764-3822

◆ **CHURCH PHOTO DIRECTORY:** If you had your family photo
taken for the church album, be certain to pick up your free
directory located in the church foyer. Please sign the sheet so
we know that you received yours.

There is a limited number of church photo albums for sale -
\$7.00 each. Contact the church office to buy one.

OTHER:

◆ **SYMPOSIUM ON ST. PAUL:** “In the footsteps of Saint Paul:
with Christ in the Service of God’s people.” Saint Paul
University, Centre for Ministry Formation. Feb9-11, 09. Cost:
\$50.00/person. Info: (613-236-1393, ext.3011).

◆ **FAITH FORMATION:** What does it mean for me to be a
Catholic in the World... full day session: in the morning,
“Liturgy & Life” with Fr. Bill Burke; and in the afternoon, “Bring
the Pain of our Lives to the Liturgy” with Fr. Mark Slatter. A
collaboration between Adult Faith Development & Diocesan
Liturgical Commission. Sat., Feb. 14, 9:00 a.m. -
3:30 p.m. Diocesan Centre, 1247 Kilborn Pl. Cost: \$15 (bring
lunch). Register by Feb. 9: (abrown@ecclesia-ottawa.org).

◆ **ANXIETY & DEPRESSION SEMINAR:** St. Patrick’s Basilica (220
Kent St.), Mon., Feb. 16, 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. (use ramp entrances).
Mike Glugosh, of Midwest Center for Anxiety & Depression, once
suffered from both but now promotes a 16-step cognitive
coping technique for overcoming struggles with anxiety and
depression. Info: (613-233-1125). Free.

◆ **40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN:** During Lent, Feb. 25 - Apr. 5.
In repentance for all the victims of abortion, the Campaign
consists of prayer, fasting, and peaceful vigil during the entire
40 days. With the endorsement of His Grace Archbishop
Prendergast, all parishes are invited to participate. Info:
Robert Desmarais 445-3683/ Campaign Life Coalition (613-729-
0379);(www.40daysforlife.com/ottawa/).

◆ **HELP FOR MOTHERS AND FAMILIES:** Do you have low income?
If you are pregnant or if you have children ages 4 & under and
you need clothes, call Miriam Centre. If you need someone to
talk to, we are there for you. Free & confidential. Info: 613-
830-8623

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