



Saturday May 9

Month of Mary

4:30 pm For the special intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

Sunday May 10 Pro-Life Sunday

9:00 am In thanksgiving for Mothers, Godmothers and Grandmothers by the James family

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of Dave Phillips by the Pastor and the Pastoral Care Team

Tuesday May 12

7:00 pm For the repose of the soul of Catherine McSweeny by Tom & Faith Stephenson

Wednesday May 13

7:00 pm For the special intentions of the Tanguay family

Thursday May 14

9:00 am No Mass due to Pro-Life Mass downtown Friday May 15

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Alvina Landry by Ken & Laurie Doyle

Saturday May 16

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Mary Urlocker by the Urlocker/ Lalonde family

For the intentions of Bep Versteeg by Bibianna Dodd Sunday May 17

9:00 am In celebration of Fr.Tim's 7th year of Ordination

10:45 am For the intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

IN OUR PR

Ken Gaydamack, Cory VandenHanenberg, Teresa Morris, Jack Tyo, Gerry Phillips, Gilles Benoit and Pat Gates.

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

<u>CHRISTIAN GIVING...</u>

May 2/3 - \$4472.71 Thank you for your generosity & support.

It is appreciated!

Making a Will - A Lasting Legacy: Please consider a gift to your Parish in your will as a lasting and beneficial testimony of faith.

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY's...

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Be Reconciled to God" (2 Cor 5:20)

Saturday May 9 -KofC Roses for Life 4:30 pm Mass Sunday May 10 - KofC Roses for life 9 & 10:45 am Masses Tuesday May 12 - Adult Choir 7:30 pm Church Thursday May 14 - Children's Pot Pourri Choir 6:20 - 7:00 pm Church, Pot Pourri 7:00 pm Church, CWL General Meeting 7:00 pm Joyce Piovesan's home, K of C Executive Meeting 7:30 pm Kitchen

NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY's...

Saturday May 16 - Youth Group 6 pm Hall Sunday May 17 - Fr. Tim's Ordination celebration and KofC breakfast in the Hall Thursday May 21 - Children's Pot Pourri Choir 6:20 - 7:00 pm Church, Pot Pourri 7:00 pm Church

Prayer for Vocations

Lord God, in every generation you have provided shepherds after your own heart and spiritual fathers for the family of the Church. Hear us in our day as we beg you: "Do not leave us orphans! Send us the Holy Spirit!" Stir up in the hearts of those whom you have chosen to be priests an awareness of your call and the courage to say, "Let it be done to me according to your word." By your Spirit, mould them in the heart of Mary to be the image of your Son, faithful stewards of your grace. Shape them into zealous apostles, who will preach the Gospel with boldness, celebrate the Eucharist with reverence and be living signs of your love for all people.

We ask You this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PLEASE NOTE...

★ COFFEE SUNDAY: We Serve Fair Trade Coffee! Please remember this is a service to the parish. It is your donations that will keep it viable.

This week's Coffee Sunday will be hosted by:

9:00 am- Chesser family 10:45 am- No Volunteers

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~Volunteers needed at 10:45 am Masses~

◆NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE: THE FIRST HUMAN RIGHT! Thursday May 14th, bus leaves OLMM at 8:45am. Pro-Life Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral 10:00am. Gathering on Parliament Hill 12:00 noon with a March through downtown Ottawa at 1:30 pm. Bus leaves downtown between 2:30 & 3:00pm. All are welcome! For information or to sign up contact: Kristine 445-3054.

Parish Website: www.olmm.ca

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"Motherhood involves a special communion with the mystery of life, as it develops in the woman's womb . . . This unique contact with the new human being developing within her gives rise to an attitude towards human beings not only towards her own child, but every human being, which profoundly marks the woman's personality". Pope John Paul II

♦ROSES FOR LIFE: The Knights of Columbus will be distributing "Roses for Life" stickers after all Masses this weekend. Wear one from now on to show the value of the infirm and the unborn. Proceeds will be donated to the Catholic Organization for Life and Family (COLF).

✦FR. TIM'S ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION -Sunday May 17th, 2009. Please join us in celebration of Fr. Tim, downstairs after 9 & 10:45 am Masses.

◆VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: Our OLMM Catholic VBS will run July 13 - 17th from 9am - noon \$10 per child or \$20 per family for the week Register in foyer May 17,24 or June 7 & 14th. deadline to register is June 14th JK - Grade 5 are invited to participate older Students who are interested in helping out for the week will earn community volunteer hours! For more info contact Gwenn <u>olmmvbs2009@gmail.com</u> or (613)443-0325

★ ALMS FOR THE POOR BOX donations for the months of April May & June will be donated to Action Life. Thank you for your generosity!

✦ LIBRARY NEWS: Do your spiritual batteries need recharging? Looking for a good book or video for the weekend? Check out our Spiritual Library downstairs in the Church Hall.

★ KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 3rd ANNUAL GOLF FUN DAY: June 7, 2009 Hammond, Ontario. 'Draw for a week for 4for a Myrtle Beach Golf Package'. Golf, Cart & Steak Dinner \$85. Steak Dinner only \$25.00. Please call Bob Maidment 835-3402 or Bert Hendricks 443-3928.

◆ PARISH PASTORAL CALENDAR 2009/2010: Any organization within the Parish that needs events placed into our upcoming Pastoral Calendar (Sept. 1/09-July 2010), should provide that information to the office by June 15th.

★ADVERTISEMENT SPACE IN OUR PARISH BULLETIN is available. Ads cost \$195.00/year-single space ad; \$395/year-double space ad; & \$585/year-triple space ad. Please contact the office for further information. We especially welcome ads from members of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Parish who wish to promote their businesses or practices. ★WOMEN'S RETREAT: DOROTHY LUDLOW : Life is Not A Dress Rehearsal, A Time Of Healing. Saturday May 23rd at 5:30 pm. Snacks will be provided. Free will offering. Dorothy will be travelling from Halifax to bring this wonderful retreat to OLMM. There will be music and Cd's to be purchased at a cost of \$20.00. Come out and enjoy this special event.

✦ LOST & FOUND: Please check out the box for any of your lost possessions at the back of the Church. There was an MP3 player found, please call the office to identify.

OTHER INFORMATION RECEIVED:

✦Join pro-life people from across Canada as we gather to celebrate God's gift of life during the National March for Life, May 13, 14 & 15. On Wednesday May 13 a pro-life Mass takes places at St. Theresa Parish at 7:30 pm, followed by a candlelight procession and memorial at the human rights monument on Lisgar and Elgin Sts. On Thursday May 14, pro-life Masses are being held at 10:00 am at both Notre Dame Cathedral and St. Patrick's Basilica. People gather on Parliament Hill for the march at noon. The day ends with an evening Rose Dinner Banquet at the Hampton Inn. On Friday a pro-life Youth Conference is taking place at the Hampton Inn. For more details and information see www.marchforlife.ca or call Campaign Life Coalition at 613-729-0379.

◆PALLIATIVE CARE PRESENTATIONS: "Palliative Care: Living Your Life with Dignity" with Maryse Bouvette, RN, pain and symptom management consultant, Thurs., May 14, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. St. Paul University, Rm 203. Cost: \$10/session. No registration required. Info: (abrown@archottawa.ca); (613-738-5025, ext.217).

◆QUO VADIS MEN'S GROUP for men discerning priesthood. Meets every third Friday at St. Theresa's (95 Somerset W.) for dinner, prayer and a testimony by one of the priests of our diocese. The next gathering is May 15th at 6pm. For more info, see the vocations director, Fr. Tim.

◆BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH YOUTH SUMMER DAY

CAMPS: For teens entering Grades 7 - 10. July 21 - 31, on uncovering the everyday hardships of being a Catholic Teen in today's world. Cost: \$110/2 weeks; \$70/one week; \$15/day. August 10 - 14, a girls week - learning how to be Daughters of God despite the media and culture today. Cost: \$70. 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (before & after care available). Info: Melissa at Blessed Sacrament (613-232-4891).

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