



THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

2009-10 Diocesan Theme: *The Priesthood is the Love of the Heart of Jesus*

2009-10 Parish theme: *Sunday -- A Day for God and Family*

Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 17

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Ron Griffith by Linda Griffith

For the repose of the soul of Deloros Lough by Larry Lacelle

Sunday, April 18

9:00 am For the special intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of Murielle Mills by the Brunet Family

Tuesday, April 20

7:00 pm For the repose of the soul of Henry Diepman by Bill and Riek Melenhorst and Family

Wednesday, April 21

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Deacon James J. Hefferman by the Pastor

Thursday, April 22

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Msgr. Jean Fairfield, P.H., By the Pastor

Friday, April 23

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Francois Provost by Family and Friends

Saturday, April 24

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

For the repose of the soul of Deloros Lough by Fr. Tim

Sunday, April 25

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Grace Bouwhuis by Bert and Rita Hendriks

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of Mathew McSheffrey by the Pastoral Care Team

YOUR OFFERINGS FOR

April 11-\$3075.08

Thank you for your generosity & support



Stacey Morrisette, Justin Collins,
Sharon Steele, Justin McKenna, Rosario
Baile, Alison Thompson, Brenda Henke,
and Alex Bennett.

CHECK OUT OUR COMMUNITY SERVICES BULLETIN BOARD for parishioners downstairs in the Church Hall. Parishioners are welcome to advertise or just take a look at our local goods and services.

Website: www.olmm.ca

PASTOR'S CORNER

Parish council is pleased to present a PRAYER INTENTION BOOK on the table at the entrance of the Church. The simple purpose of this book is to inspire prayer.

The Mass already includes the Prayers of the Faithful, or the General Intercessions. Sometimes we can fall into the habit of simply listening to these prayers, but without consciously formulating our own prayers and interiorly expressing them to God.

We hope the Prayer Intention Book will accomplish two things: 1) We can write our own prayers that we bring to Mass, thus reminding ourselves to actively pray for these intentions in Church 2) We can also pray for the other intentions listed in the book, and in this way pray for each other. There is no need to sign your name to the prayers, and you can be as general or specific as you like, such as "for a friend who has cancer," "for employment for _____," "for the conversion of a family member," and so on.

At least one Sunday per month we hope to carry the book in procession with the gifts, as a symbol of bringing our prayers and intentions to the altar of God, offering them to our heavenly Father in union with the sacrifice of Christ. In Christ, Fr. Tim

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Tuesday, April 20 - 7:30 pm Adult Choir Practice

Wednesday, April 21- 7:00 pm Ace Meeting

Thursday, April 22 - 6:15 pm Youth Choir Practice

7:30 pm K of C Meeting (Elections nominations) Hall

Saturday, April 24 8:30 am Men's Prayer Group,

9:30 am Library Meeting

NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Tuesday, April 27 - 7:30 pm Adult Choir Practice

Wednesday, April 28 - 7:00 pm Ace Meeting

Thursday, April 29 - 6:15 pm Youth Choir Practice

Saturday, May 1 - 4:30 pm Mass First Holy Communion of Mother Teresa Catholic School students

BOOK FAIR THIS WEEKEND: Justin Press, a new Canadian publishing house dedicated to Catholic culture and apologetics, will offer its first titles for sale after the 10:45 am Mass on Sunday, April 18. These include "Canadian Converts", Michael O'Brien's "Remembrance of the Future", "A Matter of Conscience" and Patrick Meagher's work about John Paul II, "Perhaps I Love You More"

HONDURAS UPDATE: Thank you for everyone's support in the past year. Our Parish has raised \$11,125.00 for children in Honduras.

ALMS FOR THE POOR BOX: Donations for our Alms for the Poor Box for the months of April, May & June will be donated to *Our Lady of His Mercy*, a drop-in centre for the poor in Ottawa.

APRIL 18, 2010

PILGRIMAGE STATUE OF OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS is at the home of the Sullivan Family over the next week. If you wish to take home Our Lady for 1 week, please sign up on the sheet located on the table in the foyer. Many graces will surely follow.

"Under Mary's protection we shall have nothing to fear."
words of St. Marguerite Bourgeoys

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.

9:00 am No Volunteers

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Let us continue our celebration by meeting with other parishioners after Masses.

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CWL MONTHLY REMINDERS: The CWL are once again offering their \$300 Bursary to a graduating Grade 12 student parishioner of OLMM Parish. Information and Applications are available from Heather Sisk 443-2870 or heatherasisk@gmail.com.

The CWL has restocked the religious cupboard with all new items, perfect for first communion or confirmation gifts. Please check it out.

STUDENT THEATRE COMPANY OF THE ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL is presenting "Last Chance High" - a 2- act musical comedy on April 22-24 at 7:30 p.m in the school Atrium. Tickets are \$10 adults, \$8 students and \$5 for children under 12. Tickets are available at the door or by calling 613.445.0810 ext. 406. All welcome. Helen Zurawski
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MOTHER TERESA CATHOLIC SCHOOL:

The Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario is pleased to announce that Mother Teresa Catholic School will now offer a fullday/everyday Early Learning Program to our four and five year-old children commencing September 2010. If you haven't registered your child yet or if you know of someone who might be interested in registering their child at Mother Teresa Catholic School for September 2010, please contact the school at (613)445-3788 as soon as possible.

MOTHER TERESA CATHOLIC SCHOOL: Thursday Masses
9:00 am at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal.

Please feel free to attend Mass with your children.

April 29th: Grade 2's & ½ split

May 6th: Grade 5L & 1C

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

YOU ARE INVITED ON SUNDAY, APRIL 18th TO A DELICIOUS SPAGHETTI SUPPER SERVED BY OUR KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HERE IN THE CHURCH HALL BETWEEN 5:00 - 7:00 PM.

This time the Knights are having a spaghetti sauce contest.

Come cast your vote.

Cost: Adults \$6, Children \$3, Family \$20.

Profits to the Arthritis Society.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS (Collection for Vocations April 25th): Our liturgy today will remind us of the need for and our duty to work and pray for generous young people to shepherd God's people. We currently have five Seminarians, Jonathan Kelly (first year Philosophy at St. Philip's Seminary in Toronto), Hermey Jasmin-Nemorin (first year Philosophy at St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto), Matthew Keshwah (2nd year Theology at St. Augustine's), Matt Chojna (internship year at St. Pat's Fallowfield), Hezek Shroff (fourth year Theology at St. Augustine's). Thank you for your continuing spiritual and financial support of vocations to the priesthood.

PARISH PASTORAL CALENDAR 2010/2011: Any organization within the Parish that needs events placed into our upcoming Pastoral Calendar, should provide that information to the office by June 30th.

MARK THESE DATES ON YOUR CALENDARS! This is an open invitation to all adults in the parish over the age of 18 to attend a parish retreat. This retreat is an opportunity for all women and men to strengthen their relationship with Jesus in their everyday lives. In chapter 12 of St. Paul's second letter to the Corinthians, God tells St. Paul that "*My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.*" and St. Paul proclaims "*when I am weak, then I am strong.*" We all have weaknesses, but attending this retreat will be a way to allow God's grace to use your weaknesses to make you stronger. Don't be shy and please don't feel that you're not Catholic enough to attend this retreat. **Your presence will be a blessing for all in attendance. The women's retreat will be on Saturday May 29th, 2010 and the men's retreat will be on Saturday June 5th, 2010.** Each retreat will be from 12:30 p.m. in the afternoon to about 6:30 p.m. in the evening. The registration fee to attend is \$10.00 which covers the costs of some beverages, snacks and supper. If you would like more information contact Brenda or Mike Sliva at 613-443-4469.

SPIRITUAL LIBRARY - UPDATES:

CD - Adult

The Sacraments and the Bible : the Biblical Basis for Baptism, Confession and the Eucharist - John Martignoni

Which Came First : the Church or the Bible? - John Martignoni
DVD - Adult Non-Fiction

Seven Secrets of the Eucharist - Vinny Flynn

B02 - Bibles and Bible Study

Mysteries of the Rosary - Stephen J. Binz

B12 - Contemporary Affairs and Apologetics

Little Book of Restorative Discipline for Schools : Teaching Responsibility; Creating Caring Climates - Lorraine Stutzman Amstutz and July H. Mullet

B16 - Prayers and Novenas

Conversing with God in Lent : Praying the Sunday Mass;

Readings with Lectio Divina - Stephen J. Binz