Corpus Christi~Year A



Diocesan Theme: THE FAMILY: HOME OF LOVE, MERCY AND JOY.

"The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace..." (Galatians 5.22)

Parish Mission Statement: "LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS, MAKE DISCIPLES"

BMass Intentions

Saturday, June 17th

4:30pm For the repose of the soul of Marc Barretto-Duval

Sunday, June 18th~Corpus Christi

9:00 am For the intentions of the parishioners by the pastor

10:45am For all fathers by the CWL

Tuesday, June 20th

7:00 pm

Wednesday, June 21st~at STA~St. Aloysius

Gonzaga 8:30 am

Thursday, June 22nd

9:00 am For the healing intentions of Jenifer Gunton by the Barretto-Duval family

Friday, June 23rd~The Most Sacred Heart of Iesus

9:00 am

Saturday, June 24th ~The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

4:30 pm For the repose of the souls of George Hendley, family members and friends

Sunday, June 25th~Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am For the birthday intentions of Robert Urlocker by the Urlocker/Lalonde family

10:45 am For the intentions of the parishioners by the pastor

<u>YOUR OFFERINGS FOR</u> June 11th, 2017~\$ 3,416.90

Thank you for your generosity and support

INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER FOR JUNE:

That national leaders may firmly commit themselves to ending the arms trade, which victimizes so many innocent people.

~IN OUR PRAYERS~

For the sick among our families and friends especially:

Tricia Harps, Jenifer Gunton, Yvette Barretto-Duval, and Noreen Plant

Pastor's Corner

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ, the heart and soul of our faith!

The Sacrament of Love and Life

"I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh" (John 6:51). Jesus promised eternal life to anyone who eats of the Divine Food, which He offers, His precious body and blood. The Eucharist is an extraordinary manifestation of the power and love of God and each time we receive Him, we experience something extraordinary – a joy, a fragrance, a well-being that thrills the whole body and causes it to exalt (St John Vianney). What a tremendous gift from a loving God! May we be drawn ever nearer to God's love and to persevere in that love each time we celebrate the Eucharist and partake.

Eucharistic Procession

Today's celebration is an opportunity to renew our appreciation of the Eucharist and to witness to the power and immense love of God. In between the 9 and 10:45 am masses, we shall have our usual Corpus Christi procession - to profess publicly our faith in the Eucharist and to prayerful witness to the love of our Lord Jesus Christ for the world. Please join us!

Pastoral Assignments

As some of you may have heard, the pastoral appointments for the Archdiocese have been published. I'm being transferred to Holy Redeemer in Kanata as the parochial administrator (pastor) as of August 1, 2017. Fr. Robert Masternak, SDS has been appointed pastor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal. Please keep us in your prayers as we continually seek the face of Our Good Shepherd and to do His will.

May we always receive the Eucharist with devotion and reverence so as to enjoy the fullness of life which Christ alone can give!

Fr. Paul

June 18th, 2017

Are you new to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Parish?

WELCOME! If you have not yet registered, please complete a registration form found in the foyer or in the office.

You may bring the completed form to the office or drop it in the collection basket.

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Tues. June 20^{th} ~Adult choir~7:30~church Wed. June 21^{st} ~Edge~retreat

FREE HOUR-LONG CONCERT AT NOTRE DAME CATHEDRAL: Visiting children's choir accompanied by an orchestra from Hungary. Sun., June 25, 6:00 p.m. English, French, Hungarian and Romanian songs. Info: (613-241-7496).

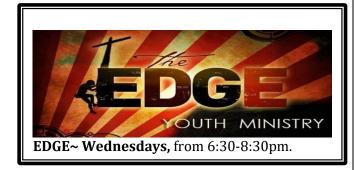
WAUPOOS FARM WORK BEE: Opening up the farm, **June 23 - 29** to families who would like to live the *Pray, Work and Play* motto. Stay in a cottage for free and join the work bee. 2050 Rideau Rd., between Manotick and Greely. To join the work, please call the office (613-822-2189); (contact@waupoos.com).

The CGS team is looking for Bibles of different languages. Bibles can be dropped off in the marked box in the foyer.

OLMM Spiritual Library Do you have Catholic newspapers or magazines that you would like to recycle? The Spiritual Library committee has placed a basket in the library to collect such items and make them available to other parishioners. Please take advantage of this service.

This fall, OLMM is offering Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) Level 1 for children aged 3-5 years old(born in 2012, 2013, 2014) and Level 2 for 6-8 years old (born in 2009, 2010, 2011). CGS is a Montessori approach to sharing the Christian faith with children. Together with trained catechists, children will listen to and wonder about scripture, and be engaged in elements of the Church in a space called the atrium. This past year we welcomed 12 children in Level 1 and 12 children in Level 2. The cost is \$150 for one child, \$100 for each additional child in the family. Payment plan options available upon request. Please pick up registration forms in the foyer or at the parish office. Space is limited. Drop off completed forms to the parish office.

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE at www.olmm.ca Email: admin@olmm.ca



DEVELOPMENT & PEACE SOCIAL JUSTICE

I am writing to invite you to join the Spiritual Elders of the sacred Algonquin Peoples' worship, prayer, & healing site, called Akikodjiwan in the Anishinabe language of the Algonquin Peoples. This sacred site, which has been a prayer & worship ground for centuries for the Algonquin Indigenous Peoples, is facing complete desecration by Windmill Corporation, who has won the right from the city of Ottawa and the federal government to build a huge condominium and retail development on Victoria Island, one of the 3 islands in the Ottawa River. along with the Chaudière Falls, that comprise the sacred Akikowjiwan site. This is a threat to the Algonquin Peoples' right to practise their spirituality, a right guaranteed under the Canadian Charter of Rights & Freedom. It is no different than any a church, Mosque or synagogue being threatened with destruction in the name of profit. The Algonquin Elders are inviting us to support their right to worship on sacred ground by joining them to walk from Victoria Island to Parliament Hill on Friday, June 23rd between 10:00 am & 1:00 pm. We will begin at 10:00 am with traditional Algonquin prayers, welcoming songs, & an opening address by celebrated spiritual Elder Albert Dumont. Please see the posters in the church. More information: Janyce Elser-Ethier 613-618-5749 or janyceelser93@yahoo.com.

SICK CALLS: Please call the parish office if a parishioner is ill, hospitalized or homebound and would like to receive the sacrament of the sick, reconciliation or Holy Communion. Hospitals or other facilities often do not contact us regarding spiritual needs.