

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time- Father's Day

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

BMass Intentions

Saturday June 20

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

Sunday June 21

9:00 am In thanksgiving for Fathers, Grandfathers and Godfathers by the James Family

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of Gerry Phillips by Nancy and Roger Masters

Tuesday June 23

7:00 pm For the repose of the soul of Joseph Jeffrey by Caroline Myher

Wednesday June 24 St. Thomas Aquinas

9:00 am for the intentions of Ms. McMartin and all her teachers by Teresa James

Thursday June 25

9:00 am For the intentions of Josephine Barnes by the James Family

Friday June 26

9:00 am For the intentions of Ms. McAdam and all his teachers by Luke James

Saturday June 27

4:30 pm For the intentions of Mrs. Kozinski, Mlle. Coleman and all his teachers by Joseph James

Sunday June 28

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

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of John and Stella Hudder by the Marsolais Family

IN OUR PRAYER

Hariett Clarke, Jacinthe Bourbonnais, Ray
Lanoue, Ken Gaydamack, Cory
VandenHanenberg, Teresa Morris, Jack Tyo,
Jerry Phillips and Pat Gates.

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

YOUR OFFERINGS FOR

June 13/14th - \$2793.50

Thank you for your generosity & support

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY's...

Monday June 22 - VBS Meeting 7:30 pm Hall, Tuesday June 23 - PPC Meeting 7:30 pm Kitchen

Wednesday June 24 - Pastoral Care Meeting 7 pm - Parish, Last day of school for MTCS and St. Thomas

Sunday June 28 - Baptisms 12 noon, CWL Strawberry Tea Parish

NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY's...

Tuesday June 30 - Volunteer Appreciation Night 7 pm - Rectory **Wednesday July 1 -** Mass at the Parish 10 am, Summer Hours begin

<u>HAPPY FATHERS DAY:</u> Fathers for Good is an initiative of the Knights of Columbus, providing resources for men and their families. For information please go to www.fathersforgood.org

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

For the readers in our parish, I would like to propose a CATHOLIC BOOK CLUB ON DANTE, and offer the unique opportunity to read the greatest Catholic writer in history, and his famous trilogy, The Divine Comedy. I am planning to reread it, and invite others to join me.

On the sixth centenary of the poet's death, Pope Benedict XV wrote: "While there is no lack of great Catholic poets who combine the useful with the enjoyable, Dante has the singular merit that while he fascinates the reader with wonderful variety of pictures, with marvellously lifelike colouring, with supreme expression and thought, he draws him also to the love of Christian knowledge, and all know how he said openly that he composed his poem to bring to all 'vital nourishment.' And we know now too how, through God's grace, even in recent times, many who were far from, though not averse to Jesus Christ, and studied with affection the Divina Commedia, began by admiring the truths of the Catholic Faith and finished by throwing themselves with enthusiasm into the arms of the Church" (In Praeclara Summorum, #8).

The Book Club would consist of independent reading. I propose that we meet 3 times for discussion, one for each book. I think three months is enough to read each one, so we could tentatively meet in late August or early September to discuss The Inferno. We will be reading the translation by Hollander, published by Anchor Books, and available through Amazon for \$15-20 each. Let me know if you are interested!

STRAWBERRY TEA



Please join the Catholic Women's
League as they host the Annual
Strawberry Tea
on June 28th after both 9 & 10:45 am
Masses.

The cost is \$5.00 adults \$3.00 children 10 & under

- **♦ BLESSED TO BE A WITNESS:** For our third and final installment for 2008, we welcome Ken Doyle who will be giving his testimony after Mass on June 20/21st.
- ◆ VOLUNTEER THANK YOU: All Parish volunteers are welcome to attend the rectory for food, drink and fellowship as a thank you for volunteering at the Parish on Tuesday June 30th from 7:30 9:30 pm.
- → SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE & OFFICE HOURS: Summer office hours for the months of July and August are Tuesday to Thursday 9 am. 12 noon. Regular office hours will resume on *Tues.*, Sept. 1st (9:30 am 3 pm). Phone messages will be monitored on a daily basis.



- ♦ SUMMER IS HERE! Have you thought of switching to AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWAL? It's a simple way to continue to support the parish while you are away on holidays! So if you can help by continuing your summer donations or increasing your weekly collection by a loonie or toonie, it would be greatly appreciated. You can simply complete the automatic withdrawal form on our parish website www.olmm.ca
- **♦ MOTHER TERESA CATHOLIC SCHOOL:** Upcoming dates...

Monday June 22nd - Awards Night and Grade 6 Graduation 7 pm, Report Cards go home. Wednesday June 24th - Last Day of School

♦ ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CATHOLIC SCHOOL: Upcoming dates...

Wednesday June 24th -Last Chapel Mass

Friday July 24th - R.J McCarthy Mobile Store: Friday July 24th, 3-7pm and Wednesday August 26th 3-7 pm to purchase all uniform pieces needed to get your children started.

→ IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS...

BAPTISM: We are looking for parishioners to join the Baptism team. This would be approx. 4 hours every two to three months. For more information please call the office 445-3054

COFFEE SUNDAY: We are looking for a co-ordinator or maybe a team of co-ordinators to help organize Coffee Sunday. Please call Kristine in the office for details. 445-3054

→ TEMPORAL AFFAIRS GENERAL MAINTENTANCE FUNDRAISER:

The Temporal Affairs Committee will hold a raffle for a Romantic Getaway to Montreal. The draw is scheduled to take place on 9 August 2009 following the 10:45 mass. Included in the getaway is return Via Rail transportation from Ottawa to Montreal, two nights at the Marriot Champlain Hotel Montreal with a 1 hour carriage ride through Old Montreal and breakfast in bed. It is hoped that each Parish Family will take one book of tickets to sell. There are sold in books of 10 - 99 cent a tickets in each book. Please obtain your tickets from your Temporal Affairs Committee following each Mass on the June 27-28

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

generosity!

- ♦ THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD PROGRAM at the 9:00 & 10:45 am. Masses will be on summer vacation after Sun., June 21st. We will resume in September, the first Sunday after Labour Day. We would like to extend a special thanks to all our leaders who did an awesome job with assisting in Children's Liturgy.
- ◆ DOROTHY LUDLOW: Life is Not A Dress Rehearsal, A Time Of Healing. Cd's are available to be purchased at a cost of \$20.00. For sale in the foyer after Mass or in the office with Kristine 445-3054.
- ♦ ATTENTION ALTAR SERVERS: As there is no server schedule, please try to volunteer over the summer if you see that there are no servers at Mass. Father needs your help. Thank you so much for all your efforts this year have a good summer! The next Altar Server Workshop will be in October 2009.
- ◆ PILGRIMAGE STATUE OF OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL is at the home of Kathy Mack this week. To reserve a week to have Her visit with you and your family, sign up on the sheet in Foyer.

OTHER INFORMATION RECEIVED:

- ♦ DIOCESAN FEAST DAY: This celebration marks the anniversary of the foundation of our Diocese. All are invited to the celebration at Notre Dame Cathedral, Thursday, June 25, 7:30 pm. The closing of the year of St. Paul will be one of the highlights of this celebration. Please note that you can receive the Special Indulgence for the Pauline year during this mass. Another highlight of this celebration will be the welcoming into the Archdiocese of the Ark of the New Covenant a symbol of the Youth Summit which will be held here in 2010.
- ♦ SUMMER SCHOOL FOR LITURGICAL MUSICIANS: Parishes, please consider financially supporting a member of your parish music ministry to attend. PLEASE ENCOURAGE PARTICIPATION AND LET US KNOW OF YOUR INTEREST A.S.A.P. At Saint Paul University, August 23-27, 2009. Intense liturgical and musical formation. Of special interest to those who work with youth and children's choirs. Meals included. Info & flyer: (www.ArchOttawa.ca) under Pastoral Services/ Liturgy. Support your music ministry. Info: Klara Kinahan (613-829-4908).
- ♦ ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA PARISH, METCALFE: Reaching out to neighbours! Cemetery Mass, Parish Barbeque & Picnic, Sunday, June 21, 12:30 pm, with food, music, games, silent auction and much more. RAIN OR SHINE. Info: Lynda (613-821-3776).
- ♦ RUSSELL AA MEETINGS: Mondays and Saturdays at 8 pm. Location: Russell United Church, Mill Street. For Information with confidentiality call Gib at 613-445-8008.
- ♦ BULLETIN: There will be one bulletin for July and August if there is something that you would like to ad, please remember that the deadline is Tuesday June 30th by 12 noon.