

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 3rd, 2010

Diocesan Theme **“Called for Holiness, the Saints Among us”**

Parish Theme **“Encounter Christ. Share Him with Others.”**

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 2nd

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

Sunday, October 3rd

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Vange Sunstrum by the Trottier Family

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of Gable Berard Beaupre by his Family

Tuesday, October 5th

7:00pm For the repose of the soul of Rosanna Lalonde Vachon by the Steele Family

Wednesday, October 6th

St. Thomas 10:00 am & 1:00 pm Thanksgiving Liturgy

Thursday, October 7th

9:00 am For the intentions of Dene Lysiuk by the Parish

Friday, October 8th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Giusappa Cacciato by the Blanchfield Family

Saturday, October 9th

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Joyce Piovesan by Mom & Dad

For the special intentions of the James Family

Sunday, October 10th

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

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of Eugenija Barysas by Diane Cefonkus

PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The month of **OCTOBER** is the month of the **ROSARY** (Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary October 7th), so I would like to share with you some quotes by John Paul II from his letter on the Rosary from 2002. He writes, “With the Rosary, the Christian people *sits at the school of Mary* and is led to contemplate the beauty on the face of Christ and to experience the depths of his love. Through the Rosary the faithful receive abundant grace, as though from the very hands of the Mother of the Redeemer” (#1)

He encourages families with children to pray the Rosary. “Training (children) from their earliest years to experience this daily “pause for prayer” with the family . . . is a spiritual aid which should not be underestimated.” (#42). Even if it is not practical to pray five decades, families could find time to pray even one decade together.

I pray the Rosary every day, though rarely sitting in one spot the whole time. Driving, biking, jogging, walking, even doing chores - all are acceptable times in which to pray the Rosary. But I must admit that a truly contemplative Rosary, prayed with others in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament, is the most powerful. Any way we pray it, I encourage all of you to re-discover this beautiful prayer, based on Scripture, given to us by Jesus through Mary. O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee!

In Christ, Fr. Tim



Brynn MacKinnon, Brenda Henke,
Monica Baker, Gilles Gauthier,
Justin Collins, and Justin McKenna

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

YOUR OFFERINGS FOR

September 25/26 - \$3115.36

Thank you for your generosity & support

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR
RECONCILIATION /FIRST COMMUNION:** Please call
Stephanie Montojo at 613-443-3230.

Website: www.olmm.ca

THIS SUNDAY: Life Chain is asking you to join the pro-life movement as a witness that abortion, is in fact, the killing of an innocent life, the life of a baby, growing peacefully in it's mother's womb. These little ones can not speak for themselves and so we will stand peacefully and prayerfully to raise awareness of the atrocity of abortion. Join your friends, family and neighbors as we attempt to protect the vulnerability of those waiting to be born. Signs are provided.
2:00pm Concession and Caster Streets, Russell

October 3, 2010

This week at Our Lady's...

Sunday October 3rd - KofC Installation of Officers
9:00 am Mass, Altar Server Practice after 10:45 am
Mass, Life Chain 2:00-3:00 pm

Tuesday October 5th- Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm,
ACE 7:00 pm-Hall, Sacramental Meeting Grade two
Parents 7:30 pm

Wednesday October 6th - Life in the Spirit 7:30 pm
Hall

Thursday October 7th -CWL Executive Meeting 7:00
pm-Kitchen, Sacramental Meeting Grade two Parents
7:30 pm

Saturday October 9th- Young Men's Group 9:30 am

Next week at Our Lady's...

Tuesday October 12th-Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm,
ACE 7:00 pm

Wednesday October 13th- Thanksgiving Mass at
Mother Teresa 8:35 am, Life in the Spirit 7:30 pm Hall

Thursday October 14th- CWL General Meeting 7:00
pm

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR AT OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL :

We all need the Power of God's Holy Spirit to live out
our daily lives.

Wednesday's at 7:30 pm

September 22nd to November 3rd Please call the
office for information 613-445-3054

YOUNG MEN'S GROUP: October 9th, 9:30 am. Canoeing
followed by lunch. For information please call Nick
Baker 370-6371

COFFEE SUNDAY

Thank you to everyone who volunteered for Coffee
Sunday during the summer. The sign up sheet is in the
hall waiting for you to pick a date. **Please hurry as
the list will fill up fast!**

9:00 am Knights of Columbus

10:45am The Desrosiers

Everyone is invited downstairs for refreshments and
fellowship following both Masses today.

Many thanks to our volunteers!

ADVERTISEMENT SPACE IN OUR PARISH BULLETIN is
available. Ads cost \$195/year-single space ad;
\$395/year-double 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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: We welcome the Sarault
family as the newest members of our Knights of
Columbus. If you would like information about the
benefits of joining, please contact Robert Fortier at
613-443-2657.

LITURGY CORNER:

One of (Cardinal Newman's) best-loved meditations includes the words, "God has created me to do him some definite service. He has committed some work to me which he has not committed to another" (Meditations on Christian Doctrine). Here we see Newman's fine Christian realism, the point at which faith and life inevitably intersect. Faith is meant to bear fruit in the transformation of our world through the power of the Holy Spirit at work in the lives and activity of believers. No one who looks realistically at our world today could think that Christians can afford to go on with business as usual, ignoring the profound crisis of faith which has overtaken our society, or simply trusting that the patrimony of values handed down by the Christian centuries will continue to inspire and shape the future of our society. We know that in times of crisis and upheaval God has raised up great saints and prophets for the renewal of the Church and Christian society; we trust in his providence and we pray for his continued guidance. But each of us, in accordance with his or her state of life, is called to work for the advancement of God's Kingdom by imbuing temporal life with the values of the Gospel. Each of us has a mission, each of us is called to change the world, to work for a culture of life, a culture forged by love and respect for the dignity of each human person. As our Lord tells us in the Gospel we have just heard, our light must shine in the sight of all, so that, seeing our good works, they may give praise to our heavenly Father (cf. Mt 5:16).

**PRAYER VIGIL ON THE EVE OF THE BEATIFICATION OF
CARDINAL JOHN HENRY NEWMAN - ADDRESS OF HIS
HOLINESS BENEDICT XVI** Hyde Park – London, Saturday,
18 September 2010.

ALMS FOR THE POOR BOX: Donations for our Alms for
the Poor Box for the months of October, November
and December will be donated to the Myriam Centre.
Thank you for your generosity!

OTHER INFORMATION RECEIVED:

40 DAYS FOR LIFE: A time to pray and fast for an end
to abortion. Gather to pray for the innocent unborn
child, across from Ottawa's abortion site, 65 Bank St.
Campaign Life Coalition (613-729-0379).

NEEJE ASSOCIATION FOR WOMEN AND FAMILY

Proudly presents its 6th annual Parenting seminar
welcoming Javier Reguart who has actively been
involved in counseling parents through Family
Development Programs for over 20 years.
Friday, October 22/10

7:30 pm Ben Franklin Place, 101 Centerpointe Dr.

Tickets: WWW.neeje.ca or contact Rachel Beaudry at
olmm@bellnet.ca 819-775-5429. \$25/person

\$40/couple 819-775-5429. \$25/person \$40/couple