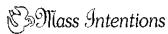
TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Diocesan Theme "The Word of God grew and multiplied." Parish Theme "Though many, we are one body in Christ"."

Month of the Holy Rosary



Saturday, October 15th

4:30 p.m. For the special intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

Sunday, October 16th

9:00 a.m. For the repose of the soul of Brende Henke by June and Andre Pare

10:45 a.m. For the for the repose of the soul of Gilles Gauthier by Claude Labbe

Tuesday, October 18th

7:00 p.m. For the intentions of Our Lady's RCIA group by J.P. Taillefer and Lorna Russell

Wednesday, October 19th Mass at St. Thomas 9:00 a.m. For God's Blessing on the Benoit's on their wedding day and for their marriage by the James Family

Thursday, October 20th

9:00 a.m. For the intentions of Karen Urlocker by Sarah Steele

Friday, October 21st

9:00 a.m. For the conversion of souls by the Berard Beaupre Family

Saturday, October 22nd

4:30 p.m. For the repose of the souls of Christian John deRidder and James Findlay Menzies by the Graham Moreau Family

Sunday, October 23rd

9:00 a.m. For the intentions of Daisy by the Berard Beaupre Family

10:45 a.m. For the intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor



Matthew Holmes, Beryl Cummings, Monica Baker Michael Stephenson, Paul Beaupre, Julie Lefebvre, Eunice Chartrand, Micheline Gray, Laura .M., Shawn English and Justin McKenna

PASTOR'S CORNER

As Christians we are called to be followers of Christ, to live the way He lived and to endeavour to love others the way He did.

Today's gospel passage is a great reminder that all that we are and all that we have comes from God and ultimately belongs to Him. As good stewards, therefore, we are obliged in conscience to give God what is His without holding back anything. Today in faith we have come to offer ourselves completely to Him as Jesus did on the cross of Calvary. The question I would like us to ask ourselves is: what is it that is holding me back from committing my entire life to God and of recognizing Jesus as the author and finisher of my faith?

Chosen in Christ

"He (God) has chosen you", says St. Paul in today's second reading, to be His witness in a world that is more and more political and less and less religious. We are, therefore, challenged and our faith tested everyday. In such situations all we have to do is to look to Jesus, look to the traditions of the early church, look to the Holy Spirit and say "Yes" as Mary did to God Who has chosen us in Christ.

P.S. Thank you Fr. Joe for making out time to come and celebrate the Holy Eucharist with us and, on behalf of the archbishop, to install me as the 18th pastor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal parish.

May God grant success to the work of our hands and may He help us to be good citizens of this world and of the world to come.

Fr. Paul

YOUR OFFERINGS FOR
October 10th-\$2767.50
Thank you for your generosity and support

ALMS BOX_Donations for the months of October, November and December will be to the emergency assistance fund. Thank you for your generosity!

October 16th, 2011

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Sunday, October 16th -

Fr. Paul's Installation 10:45 a.m. Mass with reception to follow

Tuesday, October 18th – Adult choir practice 7:30 RCIA 7:30 p.m. Kitchen,

Altar Server Training 7:30 p.m. Church

Wednesday, October 19th -

Life in the Spirit 7:30 p.m. Church

Thursday, October 20th -

PPC Meeting 7:30 p.m. Parish Hall

NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Tuesday, October 25th – Adult choir practice 7:30 RCIA 7:30 p.m. Kitchen,

Wednesday, October 26th -

Life in the Spirit 7:30 p.m. Church

Thursday, October 27th -

KOC General Meeting 7:30 p.m.

GIFTS & SERVICES WORKSHOPS:

ALTAR SERVERS - WORKSHOP:

Tuesday October 18th at 7:30 p.m.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS - WORKSHOP:

Tuesday October 25th at 7:30 p.m.

All Eucharistic Ministers MUST attend LECTORS - WORKSHOP:

Tuesday November 8th at 7:30 p.m.

40 Days for Life Campaign: Sept 28th –Nov 6th people of faith are invited to participate in the International 40 Days for Life Campaign consisting of <u>prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil</u>. His Grace, Archbishop Terrence Prendergast is totally supportive of the campaign. Parishes are invited to participate, especially by praying at the vigil site thereby providing an opportunity to be witnesses for the "least of our brethren" – the unborn.

Our Parish has signed up to cover a 12 hour day. Our day at the vigil site, 65 Bank St., is November 5th from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Please agree to pray at the site for one hour with fellow parishioners. The sign-up sheet is in the foyer.

Information: please contact Robert Desmarais 613-445-3683, Campaign Life Coalition 613-729-0379 or visit www.40daysforlife.com/ottawa

COFFEE SUNDAY

The sign up sheet is in the hall waiting for you to pick a date.

9:00 a.m. - No Volunteers

10:45 a.m. - Knights of Columbus.

For information please call Kristine in the office 445-3054.

On **October 23rd, 2011** There will be a special collection for the Evangelization of the Nations. Envelopes will be available in the pews for those who do not have printed envelopes.

SPIRITUAL LIBRARY NEW ADDITIONS:

B02 - Beloved and Blessed: Biblical Wisdom for Family

Life - Kimberly Hahn

B07 - The Four Teresas - Gina Loehr

B11 - <u>Life Issues, Medical Choices: Questions and Answers for Catholics</u> - Janet E. Smith, Christopher Kaczor

B13 - <u>Marriage</u>: <u>Love and Life in the Divine Plan</u>; a <u>Pastoral Letter of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops</u> - USCCB

B13 - <u>Preparing for Adolescence: a Planning Guide for Parents</u> - James B. Stenson

B13 - <u>Preparing for Peer Pressure: a Guide for Parents of Young Children</u> - James B. Stenson

K-Children - <u>I Am a Promise</u> - Gloria Gaither (includes CD)

Adult CDs - <u>Eucharistic Messages</u> - Steve Wood; Family Life Center International (2 CDs)

Children's DVDs - 7 new DVDs from EWTN (Eternal World Television Network)

OTHER INFORMATION RECEIVED

REMINDER - SING WITH NEW WORDS: Workshop concerning the changes in the new Roman Missal and the General Instruction of the Roman Missal, Sat., Oct. 22, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at St. John the Apostle Parish. Morning session: with Fr. Bill Burke; for anyone interested in understanding the changes; sung responses for the assembly with Heather Reid. Afternoon session: primarily for musicians. Full day includes lunch and 'Celebrate in Song': \$30. Morning only: \$10. Registration: (613-738-5025 x217); (abrown@ArchOttawa.ca).

ANNUAL ARCHBISHOP'S CHARITY DINNER: Hampton Inn Ottawa & Conference Centre, Wed., Oct. 26, 7:00 p.m. Beneficiaries: Catholic Family Services Ottawa, Catholic Centre for Immigrants Ottawa and The Waupoos Foundation. Tickets: \$130 each; table of 9 for \$1,150. Charitable tax receipt of \$60 issued for every individual ticket purchased. Ticket Order Forms at all parishes and at (www.ArchOttawa.ca). Info: Kristine Steele admin@olmm.ca Up-date: To date, approx. 60% of the tables have been reserved.

Parish Email: admin@olmm.ca