THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD



Diocesan Theme "The Word of God grew and multiplied." Parish Theme "Though Many We Are One Body in Christ."

🖒 Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 19h

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Raymond Lacharity by Catherine Gray

Sunday, May 20th

9:00 am For the deceased relatives of M.Heymans by Martina Heymans **10:45 am** For the intentions of the Parishioners

Tuesday, May 22nd

7:00 pm No Intention

Wednesday, May 23rd

by the Pastor

Mass at St. Thomas

9:00 am No Intention

Thursday, May 24th

9:00 am For the healing of Jane Munro

Friday, May 25th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Joyce Piovesan by her Mom & Dad

Saturday, May 26th

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

Sunday, May 27th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Gable Berard Beaupre by his Family

10:45 am In celebration of the CWL's 35th Anniversary by the CWL



Isaac Berkers, Matthew Holmes,
Annette Dawson, Lydia Nyedkamp,
Douglas Beaudoin, Judy Johnston,

PRAYER
Monica Baker, Jack Clarke, Julie
Lefebvre, Pat Gates, Ken Poirier
Shawn English and Justin McKenna.

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

~PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY: Inquiries call Joyce 613-445-0536 or Faith 613-445-5691

PARISH LOCK BOX code will be changing effective Friday June 1st. If you require the lock box code please call Kristine in the office 613-445-3054.

<u>BULLETIN DEADLINE</u>: TUESDAY NOON to Church Office: admin@olmm.ca

PASTOR'S CORNER

St Paul in the second reading reminds us that each and every one of us by virtue of the ascension of Jesus Christ is called to a hope. And what is that hope? It is the realisation that we are called to share in the divinity of Christ; to share the very life of God. It is the assurance that where Christ, the head, has gone, we the body will follow. Right now Jesus is exulted at the right of the Father, we are going to be there with him!

Called to be Missionaries

"Why do you stand looking up to heaven?" the Angels asked the disciples. In other word, they should go back to Jerusalem to continue the work Christ had entrusted to them. Similarly, we come to church to praise and worship God but we don't stand here all day looking up to heaven, we leave this place to witness to Christ in the world by our actions. Jesus is counting on you! As Teresa of Avila would put it: "Christ has no body now on earth but yours, no hands but yours, no feet but yours; yours are the eyes through which he is to look out to the world with compassion; yours are the feet with which he is to go about doing good, and yours are the hands with which he is to bless us now."

Congratulations

To Bep Versteeg, a member of the parish who recently received the CWL Bellelle Guerin award for her outstanding service to the League both at the parish and diocesan levels. And a special welcome to Fr. Paul Varuvel of the diocese of Kottar, India who will be speaking to us this weekend on the missionary work going on in his diocese.

May the risen and ascended Lord continue to strengthen us in our efforts to do His will!

Fr. Paul

May 20, 2012

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Tuesday, May 22nd - Parish Spring Fling 12:00 noon (with tickets only), Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm **Thursday, May 24th** - CWL Executive meeting kitchen 9:45 am, KOC Meeting 7:30 pm **Softwarday, May 26th** Mission Team Prayer night

Saturday, May 26th - Mission Team Prayer night help the Missionary work in the **Sunday, May 27th** - CWL Installation 10:45 am Mass with Thank you for your generosity. reception to follow

NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Tuesday, May 29th - Adult Choir Practice 7:30 pm Thursday, May 31th - KOC Meeting 7:30 pm Friday, June 1st - 24 hour Adoration Saturday, June 2nd - Holy Land Sales/foyer Sunday, June 3rd — Holy Land Sales/foyer Parish Outreach 3:00 pm

YOUR OFFERINGS FORMay 13th, 2012 - \$2737.94

(Average weekly collection needed to cover all expenses: \$3,000.00)

Thank you for your generosity & support.

THE YOUTH OF THE PARISH are invited to spend an exciting weekend with up to 500 other high school students. Journey to the Father is for you. Held July 13 to 15th in St. Raphael's, it's an exciting weekend filled with youth talks, upbeat Christian music and special times spent with God and friends. For Youth entering high school to grade 12. More information is available in the foyer or call Brenda Sliva at 613-894-0835.

THE PARISH MISSION TEAM would like to invite all parishioners to a special Pentecost Event, on Saturday, May 26th, beginning at 7:00pm. Guest speaker Fr Mark Slatter will be giving a talk on the themes surrounding Pentecost. A time of Praise & Worship will follow. Prayer teams will be available for those who would like to be prayed over. Father Paul and Father Mark will be available for confession. Come experience the power of Pentecost!

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE CORNER Confirmation items are available in the religious articles cabinet in the foyer after masses or call the Parish during office hours at 445-3054.

PARISH PASTORAL CALENDAR 2012/2013 Any organization within the Parish that needs events placed into our upcoming Pastoral Calendar (Sept. 1/12-July 2013), should provide that information to the office by May 30th.

ALMS FOR THE POOR BOX Donations for our Alms for the Poor Box for the months of April, May & June will be donated to the emergency assistance fund.

WELCOME FR. PAUL LEON VARUVEL Priest from India, in our Parish this Weekend participating in our Annual Missionary Cooperation Plan. He will preach at all the Masses and will make an appeal on behalf of his diocese, Kottar in India. There will be a special mission collection to help the Missionary work in the diocese of Kottar, India. Thank you for your generosity.

VBS 2012- A Wilderness Adventure Through the Sacraments from CAT CHAT July 9-13 9:00-11:30am. Ages 4-12 Cost: \$15.00 child or \$30.00 family. Register before Fri. June22 and avoid the \$10.00 late fee! Registration papers can be obtained in the foyer. We welcome all volunteers to assist with this wonderful program.

Contact Karen Urlocker 613-445-2962

MARK YOUR CALENDARS THE Parish Picnic will be on June 10th this year starting at 1:00 pm. There will be more details in the upcoming weeks.

HELP WANTED -BOOKEEPER: Simply Accounting experience an asset, one day a week. Please call the office for details 445-3054.

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OTHER INFORMATION RECEIVED

UNDER THE SON YOUTH RALLY: Open to all high school aged youth. Featuring Adoration, Mass, talks, food, small group sharing, music, Ultimate Frizbee and much more. **Fri., June 1 – Sun., June 3.** Info: Ted (613-738-5025, ext. 231): (thurley@archottawa.ca). Registration: (http://www.ottawacatholicyouth.com/uts/).

TENTS NEEDED: The Diocesan Youth Office is organizing the *Under the Son Youth Rally* on June 1-3. This is an outdoor event, held on the grounds of the Diocesan Centre. Tents are needed to house our participants and leaders. If you would like to lend your tent for this event, please contact Ted (613-738-5025 ext 2313); (thurley@archottawa.ca).

QUO VADIS MEETING FOR MEN DISCERNING THE PRIESTHOOD: Gathering next on **Friday, May 25, 5:30 p.m.** at St. Margaret Mary, Ottawa. Info: Fr. Tim McCauley (613-730-8912).

St. Catherine of Siena Parish – Metcalfe Mass Times: Sunday's 9:00 am, 11:00 am & 7:00 pm Weekday Mass: Mon – Wed 8:00 am & Friday 8:00 am Public Rosary – before all weekday Masses at 7:30 am