



THE 24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ Year C

Diocesan Theme "When they arrived, they called the church together and related all that God had done with them and how he had opened a door of faith"(Acts 14.27)

"Increase our Faith (Luke 17.5)..."

Mission Statement: "LOVE GOD. LOVE OTHERS. MAKE DISCIPLES"

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 14th

8:00 am (Adoration and Mass at OLMM)

For Peace in Syria and Egypt.

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Felix &

Alice McLaughlin by their children

Sunday, September 15th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Fred

DiBartolo by Karla and Rodney Butt

10:45 am For intentions of the Parishioners by the Pastor

MASSSES CANCELLED FOR THIS YEARS PRIESTS'

RETREAT Tuesday September 17th ~

Friday, September 20th

Saturday, September 21st

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Helene

MacDonald by Ghislaine Gaydamack

Sunday, September 22nd

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

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of J.Michael Paupst by Merrilynne Paupst-Happy and His siblings

~ IN OUR PRAYERS ~

For the sick among our families and friends especially:

Annette Cyr, Linda Pepler,
Megan Shane, Ryan Beaudette,
Matthew Holmes, Isaac
Berkers, , Gisele Langevin,
Patrick Egan, Trish McNulty,
Margret Robertson, Helene
MacDonald, Ashley Egan, Ken
Poirer and Justin McKenna



HOUSE BLESSING

In keeping with the old Christian Tradition of house blessing, Fr. Paul will be available to visit your home to bless it. Please call the office to set a date and time.

PASTOR'S CORNER

"This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them."
How true!

The Prodigal Father

Some Biblical commentators have suggested that this parable might better be called "The Story of the Prodigal father", because in the real sense of the word it was the father who lavished his love, welcome and forgiveness on his son. In this powerful story contains the essence, indeed the heart of Jesus' message. It is the "Good News" par excellence. It reminds us that "God loves each one of us, as if there were only one of us to love", and that when we go astray, He goes all out in search of us and that when eventually He finds us, nothing can stop Him from showing mercy and forgiveness.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

In his Pastoral Letter for the 2006 year of Reconciliation, Bishop Pfeifer, OMI of San Angelo, Texas, wrote: "In the sacrament of confession, we are the prodigal sons and daughters who have already accepted the grace to admit our sin and to return to our heavenly Father, the merciful father of the parable, who is always willing and ready to forgive us, to welcome us with a loving embrace when we have strayed from home. When we humbly admit our guilt and are sorry and confess our sins, God embraces us in mercy and love as we celebrate the sacrament of reconciliation and pardon."

Thank you!

Thank you all for your generous donation in support of the missionary work in Okigwe diocese, Nigeria. The sum of **\$4,034.90** was collected. I think this year's missionary appeal was a huge success. Thank you everyone who contributed. May God bless and reward you all.

Peace to all!

Fr. Paul

September 15th 2013

ARE YOU NEW TO OUR LADY 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 PARISH

Tuesday, September 17th - Adult Choir Practice in the church 7:30. RCIA 6:30 – 9:00 pm Hall

Saturday, September 21st - Ministry fair in the hall after 4:30 pm Mass.

Sunday, September 22nd - Ministry fair in the hall after all Masses.

NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Tuesday, September 24th - St. Thomas grade 7 NET Retreat Hall. Adult Choir Practice in the church 7:30. Volunteer Appreciation Party after 7:00 pm Mass Hall.

Wednesday, September 25th - Photo taking for Directory 2-8:30 pm. Biblical Walk Through Mass 7:30pm

Thursday, September 26th K of C General Meeting. 7:30 pm Hall. Photo Directory 3:30 pm- 8:30 pm
ST. Thomas Grade 8 NET Retreat Hall 9:00 am – 2:30 pm

Friday, September 27th - Photo Directory Photos 2:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Saturday, September 28th - Men's Breakfast Prayer Group in the church – 8:30 am. Photo Directory Photos 9:00 am – 3:00 pm. Gifts and Services Campaign during 4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, September 29th – Gifts and Services Campaign at all Masses. Special Collection for the Needs of the Canadian Church

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Sunday Sept 22, 2013 children's liturgy will be up and running for this new school year at the 9:00 am mass only! All children ages 3-8 are welcome. If you need more info or would like to volunteer please contact Corey Bryk (613-445-8699).

They Plan to Marry



Stepahnne Hofley and Fedrick Genest
October 5, 2013

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION NIGHT

For: All our 2012/2013 Parish Volunteers (please bring a guest) **When:** Tuesday September 24, 2013

Time: 7:00 pm Mass and then the Reception will follow in the Parish Hall

OUR PARISH will be running a fascinating 5-part series on the Mass, entitled, *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass*, starting Sept. 25 – Oct. 30, 7:30 – 8:45 pm. In this study, you will come to know and understand the Mass like never before. You will discover the rich meanings behind why we say what we say and do during the Liturgy. The words and gestures of the Mass will be seen in a new light, leading you to a richer, more fruitful worship experience. Sign-up sheets are available in the foyer.

THE NEXT MEN'S PRAYER & BREAKFAST GATHERING IS ON SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 28TH AT 8:30 a.m. All men in our parish are invited to join us in the church with about half an hour of prayer and faith sharing and then go for breakfast. We are usually finished by 10:30 a.m.; so it doesn't take up your whole morning and it's a relaxed setting to meet other men within our parish. If you have any questions, call Mike Sliva at 613-443-9469. We look forward to seeing you.

PARISH MINISTRIES FAIR

Our fall Ministries Fair will be held in the church hall on **Sat./Sun., Sept. 28/29** after all Masses. Speak to ministry representatives, have your questions answered, consider volunteering or participating in a program. Coffee will be served on Sunday morning. See the parish web-site for more info on our ministries and programs: www.olmm.ca

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY Renewal of Marriage Vows will take place on Saturday, **October 5th** at the 4:30 pm Mass for couples whose anniversary this year is a multiple of 5 - 5, 10, 15, 20, 25 etc. If this is a special anniversary year for you and you would like to participate, please contact the parish office at 613-445-3054 to register **by September 28**

Parents of children in Grade 2, but not enrolled at MTCS, who wish to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion are asked to contact the office to registrar their child by October 1st, 2013.

PILGRIMAGE STATUE OF OUR LADY OF THE

MIRACULOUS MEDAL is available to go home with a family this week. If you wish to take home Our Lady for 1 week, please sign up on the sheet on the table in the Foyer.