The Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time~Year A

Diocesan Theme "Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, For the glory of God." (Romans 15:7) Mission Statement: "LOVE GOD. LOVE OTHERS. MAKE DISCIPLES"

BMass Intentions

Saturday, September 20th ~ St. Andrew Kim Tae-Gon, Paul Chong Ha Sang and Companions

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Margaret Keller Liberatore by Faith and Tom Stephenson **Sunday, September 21**st

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

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of Rita Hendriks by Bob and Angie Maidment

Tuesday, September 23rd ~ St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)

7:00 pm For the repose of the soul of Armande Taillefer by J.P. Taillefer and Lorna Russell

Wednesday, September 24th ~ STA 9:00 am

Thursday, September 25th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of George Stephenson by J.P. Taillefer and Lorna Russell

Friday, September 26th ~St. John De Brebeuf and

St. Issac Jogues 9:00 am For the intentions of June Pare and Denise Parenteau by the Parish

Saturday, September 27th ~St. Vincent De Paul 4:30 pm

Sunday, September 28th

9:00 am For the healing intentions of Maureen Wright by Charlene and Paul Chenard **10:45 am** For the intentions of the parishioners by the Pastor

~ <u>IN OUR PRAYERS</u> ~

Trish McNulty, Margaret Robertson, and Annette Cyr

<u>YOUR OFFERINGS FOR</u> September 14th 2014 = \$3285.00 Thank you for your generosity & support

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.

Pope's prayer intentions for the month of September: That the mentally disabled may receive the love and help they need for a dignified life.

Pastor's Corner

The landowner in today's parable represents God whose grace and mercy are extravagantly poured out to all of us called to be His disciples, to imitate His love. It doesn't matter whether He calls one early or later in life to share in His grace. The glory and praise of our salvation is His and His alone. Our duty is simply to respond and to follow Christ closely and to imitate the great love and generosity of our Father in order to enjoy the fullness of life.

Ministry Fair

I encourage everyone to take part in our Ministry Fair which takes place in the parish hall after all masses this weekend. The Fair serves as a prelude to our gifts and services campaign next weekend. As I thank all our various ministry heads for their dedication and service, I invite everyone to go down to the hall to check out all the ministries and to consider volunteering in one ministry or the other. To volunteer is one of the practical ways of discipleship and of saying "Thank You" to God for the many gifts, talents and abilities that we have received from Him.

Volunteer Appreciation

Our volunteers are always caring, always sharing! Their dedication and gift of time are invaluable. The work they do in some way promote God's love within us and allows us as a community to grow and shine as sons and daughters of God. We cannot thank them enough! There will be a volunteer appreciation party in honour of ALL our parish volunteers on Tuesday, September 23 in the parish hall immediately following the 7 pm mass. As the French writer Marcel Proust once wrote: "Let us be grateful to people who make us happy: they are the charming gardeners who make our souls blossom."

May we always find joy in the service of the Lord Peace!

Fr. Paul

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE at www.olmm.ca

Email: admin@olmm.

September 21st, 2014

Are you new to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal 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 LADY'S

Monday, September 22nd

~Rediscover Catholicism~7:30pm ~Church/hall

Tuesday, September 23rd

- ➤ Adult choir~7:30~Church
- ~RCIA ~6:30-9:00~kitchen
- ~STA Grade 7 NET retreat~9:00am-2:15pm, Church/hall
- ~Volunteer appreciation party~after 7:00pm Mass **Thursday, September 25**th
- ~ K of C general meeting~7:30~hall
- ~ STA grade 8 NET retreat ~9:00am-2:15pm, Church/hall

Saturday, September 27th

- ~ Men's Breakfast Prayer Group~8:30am~hall
- ~Gifts and services campaign at Mass

NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Sunday, September 28th ~Gifts and services campaign at both Masses Monday, September 29th ~Rediscover Catholicism~7:30pm ~Church/hall Tuesday, September 30th ~ Adult choir~ 7:30~Church ~RCIA~6:30-9:00~kitchen Wednesday, October 1st ~Edge youth group~6:00-9:00pm~hall

First Friday 24-hour adoration, Friday, October 3rd from 4:00pm to Saturday October 4th, 4:00pm.

PEANUT ALLERGY ALERT!

Peanut allergy is one of the most common food allergies that can cause a severe potentially fatal, allergic reaction in both children and adults. Please, we request that out of concern for fellow parishioners who may have peanut/tree nut allergies, we invite all who attend Mass to refrain from bringing food that may contain peanut/tree nut. Thank you for your understanding.

They plan to marry:

Stephanie Lacombe Gallagher and Jason Lanthier October 18th, 2014

Men's Breakfast Prayer Group

All men are invited to the next men's prayer and breakfast gathering on Saturday, Sept. 27th at 8:30am. Join us in the church hall with about a half an hour of prayers and faith sharing and then go for breakfast at a nearby restaurant. We are usually finished by 10:30am so it doesn't take up your whole morning and it 's a relaxed "no pressure" setting to meet other men within our parish. Men attending for their first time have their breakfast paid for. If you have any questions call Mike Sliva at 613-443-9469. We look forward to seeing you.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: Renewal of Marriage Vows will take place on Saturday, October 4th at the 4:30 pm Mass for couples whose anniversary this year is a multiple of 5 - 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 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 30.

The beautiful movie about Mary, the Mother of Christ, called Mary of Nazareth which was shown on the big screen at the Landmark Cinemas located in Orleans in May is NOW available in DVD format. This would make a wonderful Christmas gift (s). To order your personal copy today please call Bob at <u>613</u>

<u>841 0646</u> or by email at <u>erileya986@rogers.com</u>

OLMM REDISCOVERS CATHOLICISM Based on

Matthew Kelly's book, *Rediscover Catholicism*. Join us for a dynamic, parish-oriented program designed to explore what it means to be a Catholic today. We will meet every Monday evening in the Parish Hall at 7:30pm to discuss the genius of our faith. Contact the Parish Mission Team for more info.

BULLETIN SPONSORSHIP We encourage parishioners to patronize our bulletin sponsors who advertise on the back page of the bulletin. Their financial support provides bulletin service to the Church at no cost to us.

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

If you are new to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church, welcome to our Parish. Please take a moment to fill in the registration form found on the table in the Church foyer. Say "hello" to Fr. Paul and share fellowship with parishioners at one of our events.