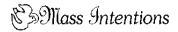
# The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time~Year A

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"



## Saturday, October 11th

**4:30 pm** For the repose of the soul of Burton Harrold by Tom and Faith Stephenson

## Sunday, October 12th

**9:00** am For the repose of the soul of George Hendley by Marion Hendley and family **10:45** am For the intentions of the parishioners by the Pastor

Tuesday, October 14th

7:00 pm

Wednesday, October 15th ~OLMM~ St. Teresa of Jesus 9:00 am

Thursday, October 16th ~St. Marguerite D'Youville Mass cancelled ~Pastoral Day

Friday, October 17th ~St. Ignatius of Antioch 9:00 am

### Saturday, October 18th ~St. Luke

**4:30 pm** Repose of the soul of Ceferina Del Rosario by the Guilbault family

#### Sunday, October 19th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Stephan Carignan by June Pare

**10:45** am For the intentions of the parishioners by the Pastor

#### ~ IN OUR PRAYERS ~

For the sick among our families and friends especially: Margaret Robertson, Annette Cyr, Stephen Williams, Maddy Nichol, Agnes Tanguay, Kim Lehman and Maureen Wright.

> **YOUR OFFERINGS FOR** October 5th 2014 = \$3966.25 Thank you for your generosity & support

Pope's prayer intentions for the month of October **2014:** General Intention "That the terminally ill may be Have a great week! supported by their faith in God and the love of their Fr. Paul brothers and sisters."

#### Mark Your Calendars

There will be a training/workshop for all the Ministers of the Word (Lectors) and the Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, both old and new volunteers, on Friday October 24 and Friday October 31 respectively at 7 pm at the church. Please, all concerned are encouraged to attend this all important workshop. Thank you for your attention to this notice.

### Pastor's Corner

God calls us to be happy not merely in a passing way in this life, but forever in His heavenly kingdom so as to eniov the fullness of life.

In today's gospel Jesus compares heaven to a great banquet. We have been invited to this great banquet. We believe that Christ has gone to prepare a place for us in heaven. The best expression of our faith in heaven can be made in the Eucharist.

#### The Mass

The mass is God's greatest gift to us for which we should be very thankful! The mass reminds us of our great worth in the eyes of God and of Jesus. The mass tells us clearly that God is all loving and that each of us is worth loving. The mass likewise challenges us to go into the world to share the good news and be witnesses of the great love of God revealed in Jesus Christ.

## **Giving Thanks**

On this thanksgiving weekend, we are reminded of God's immense love and goodness to us as individuals and as a family. With King David we cry out: "How can I repay the Lord for His goodness to me?" (Ps. 116). We are pretty lucky and have so much to be thankful for: the gift of life, health, food on our table, our family, our parish, our country, Canada, "strong and free" and above all God's gift of His only son, Jesus Christ in the Eucharist! These are great signs of God's extravagant love and goodness to us! It is, therefore, right and fitting to give thanks to God! We do this by continuously seeking His face and to be mindful of the less privileged in our midst. May God's generosity to us encourage us to reach out to

those in need.

**Parents and Candidates**, in grade 6 or above, who wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, are asked to attend an information night Tuesday, November 4th, **2014 in the OLMM Parish hall.** For more information regarding this important evening please contact the Parish office at 613-445-3054.

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE at www.olmm.ca

Email: admin@olmm

# October 12th, 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, October 13th

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

## Tuesday, October 14th

- ~ Adult choir~7:30~Church
- ~RCIA~6:30-9:00~kitchen
- ~Men of the Eucharist prayer mtg~7:40-9:30pm~hall

## Wednesday, October 15th

~Edge youth group~6:30-8:00pm~hall

## Thursday, October 16th

~PPC meeting~7:30pm~hall

## Saturday, October 18th

Men's breakfast prayer group~8:30am~Church

- ~K of C food bag distribution~4:30pm Mass
- ~1st Communion Enrolment ceremony~4:30pm Mass

# Sunday, October 19th

- ~K of C food bag distribution~both Masses
- ~1st Communion Enrolment ceremony~both Masses
- ~Special Collection~Evangelization of the nations~both Masses
- ~K of C Breakfast after both Masses

#### **NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY'S**

## Monday, October 20th

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

## Tuesday, October 21st

- ~ Adult choir~ 7:30~Church
- ~RCIA~6:30-9:00~kitchen

#### Wednesday, October 22nd

~Edge vouth group~6:30-8:00pm~hall

## Thursday, October 23rd

- ~K of C general meeting~7:30pm~hall
- ~1st Communion parish class~6:00-7:00pm~hall

#### Friday, October 24th

program.

Lectors workshop~7:00pm~Church

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be serving breakfast next Sunday, October 19th after both Masses downstairs in the church hall. In addition to our traditional breakfast, our menu will include delicious omelets and best ever homemade waffles topped with fresh whipped cream. The cost is \$7 for adults, \$4 for children, or \$24 for families. Come and enjoy good food and fellowship. All proceeds will be donated to our parish youth

## **Prayer to the Holy Family for the Synod**

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, in you we contemplate the splendour of true love, to you we turn with trust.

Holy Family of Nazareth, grant that our families too may be places of communion and prayer, authentic schools of the Gospel and small domestic Churches.

Holy Family of Nazareth, may families never again experience violence, rejection and division: may all who have been hurt or scandalized find ready comfort and healing.

Holy Family of Nazareth, may the approaching Synod of Bishops make us once more mindful of the sacredness and inviolability of the family, and its beauty in God's plan.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, graciously hear our prayer. Amen.

**ALL ARE INVITED to Justin McKenna's 5th Annual Brain Matters Event:** on Saturday, Oct. 18th; Doors open at 4 and dinner starts at 5 pm. Dinner includes Delicious Pig Roast with all the trimmings. For Tickets (\$40 each) please contact Donna Mota at <u>613-852-4327</u>. Sponsorships are welcome.

MEN'S PRAYER & BREAKFAST GATHERING is on Saturday **October 18th at 8:30 a.m.** Join us in the church with about half an hour of prayer and faith sharing and then go for breakfast at George's restaurant. We are usually finished by 10:30 a.m.; 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.

Please note: Mass is cancelled and the office will be closed on Thursday Oct. 16.