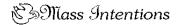
# Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time~Year B

Diocesan Theme "The family, home of love and mercy – "Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful" (Luke 6.36).

"THE CHURCH IS GOD'S FAMILY: LOVE IS OUR MISSION"
Parish Mission Statement: "LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS, MAKE DISCIPLES"



# Saturday, September 26th~St. John Brebeuf and St. Isaac Jogues

**4:30 pm** For the intentions of Bea Mascaro by the James family

## Sunday, September 27th

**9:00 am** For the repose of the soul of Arturo Nuesca Lopez by the Dupuis family

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

Tuesday, September 29<sup>th</sup> ~St. Michael, St. Gabriel, St. Raphael

7:00 pm

Wednesday, September 30<sup>th</sup> ~at STA~St. Jerome 9:00 am

Thursday, October 1st ~St. Therese of the Child Jesus 9:00 am~ Mass cancelled (Pastoral Day)

Friday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> ~The Holy Guardian Angels 9:00 am

Saturday, October 3rd

**4:30 pm** For the repose of the soul of George Hendley by Marion Hendley and the family

Sunday, October 4th

**9:00 am** For the repose of the soul of Geraldine and Francis Coffey by Margaret Helliker **10:45 am** For the intentions of the parishioners by the Pastor

#### ~IN OUR PRAYERS~

For the sick among our families and friends especially: Lucille Nichol, Sandy Geerts, and Claudette Pare.

# **YOUR OFFERINGS FOR**

September 20th, 2015=\$3,368.00 Thank you for your generosity and support

#### INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER FOR SEPTEMBER:

That opportunities for education and employment may increase for all young people. That catechists may give witness by living in a way consistent with the faith they proclaim.

#### Pastor's Corner

The message in today's readings is clear: we can't control the Holy Spirit rather all we have to do is to cooperate with Him! The Spirit of God has been poured into each and every one of us at baptism. This same Spirit inspires us to do good works; works of charity and of building up the body of Christ.

### **Sacramental Prep Coordinator**

I am happy to announce that we have a new Sacramental Prep Coordinator in the person of Jaclyn Kwok. Jaclyn will be taking over from Chantal Batchilder. Let me use this opportunity to thank Chantal for her hard work over the last three years. As a former youth ministry coordinator at Divine Infant parish for years and with lots of experience in working with children and young people, I have no doubt in my mind that Jaclyn will equally do a great job of bringing our little ones closer to Jesus! Let us keep her and her volunteers in your prayers. For parents whose children are in the sacramental class – grades 2 and 6, if you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact Jaclyn. She can reached at <a href="mailto:sacramentprep@olmm.ca">sacramentprep@olmm.ca</a> or you can call the office 614 445 3054.

#### **Gifts and Services Campaign**

This weekend is our parish's gifts and services campaign. Volunteering is one of the great ways of getting involved in the life of our parish and more so a way of saying 'thank you' to God for the gifts of time, talents and abilities that He has given us. There is a need for volunteers in all areas of our parish life. Please consider signing up in one or more of the different ministries in our parish as a way of contributing to the growth of the body of Christ.

#### **Life Chain**

Please join us at the intersection of Castor and Concession streets next Sunday, Oct. 4 from 2:00 -3:00 pm for an hour of silent prayer and witness for the respect for life.

May God fill us with His love as we seek to do His will!

Fr. Paul

# September 27th, 2015

# 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**

#### Tuesday, September 29th

- ~Gr. 7~net retreat~ 8:45-2:15~Church and hall
- ~ Adult choir~ 7:30~Church
- ~RCIA~ 7:30~ kitchen.

#### Thursday, October 1st

~ Gr. 8~net retreat~8:45~2:15~Church and hall

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

#### Tuesday, October 6th

- ~ Adult choir~ 7:30~Church
- ~RCIA~ 7:30~ kitchen
- ~First communion parents meeting~7:30~hall

#### Wednesday, October 7th

~Edge~6:30-8:30~hall

#### Thursday, October 8th

- ~K of C executive meeting~7:30~kitchen
- ~CWL general meeting~7:00~hall

# ~First Friday, October 2, adoration, 4:00pm Friday to 12:00pm Saturday, October 3

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** Renewal of Marriage Vows will take place on Saturday, October 10th 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 October 2<sup>nd</sup>.

#### 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 one week, please sign up on the sheet on the table in the foyer.

#### **BAPTIZED IN THE HOLY SPIRIT**



Keaton Michael Hopkins, Katelyn June Hopkins, Samson Manfred Gerstgrasser, and Leah Lareina Gertstgrasser

"Welcome to the family of God"

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE at www.olmm.ca

Email: admin@olmm.ca

A reminder to all parents with children wishing to make their first communion during the 2016 Easter season. A parent information meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm in the Church hall.

## **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 29 in the parish hall immediately following the 7:00 pm mass.

# DEVELOPMENT & PEACE FALL 2015 CAMPAIGN CREATE A CLIMATE OF CHANGE (OR SAVE OUR PLANET NOW!) CAMPAIGN EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

- 1. Making Changes in Household Practices & Personal Lifestyles Contest from Sep. 20-Nov. 22/15 Grand Prize & First Runner Up Prize!
  Contest guidelines are available on the tables inside the church front entrance doors.
  Winners will be announced in the Nov. 22/15 bulletin.
  - 2. Prayer Vigil, using Pope Francis' Climate of Change prayers from his Encyclical, *Laudato Sii*, from 1:15-4:15 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 25/15 Featuring other prayers from First Nations Spiritual Traditions & Saint Francis. Please RSVP @ janyceelser93@yahoo.com by Friday, Oct. 16/15 7:00 pm.
    3. Group Activity Information Sheets
    - for Grades 2-4 students. Group Activity
      Information Sheets for youth.

      Details on these TBA. Questions/Concerns?
      Please e-mail janyceelser93@yahoo.com
      Thank you for participating!

EDGE~begins this Wednesday, Oct6ober 7th from 6:30-8:30pm. EDGE is a youth ministry experience created for youth in grades 6 to 8. Come out and join us and bring a friend. No cost