

Thirty-Second 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"

Mass Intentions

Pastor's Corner

Saturday, November 7th

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

Sunday, November 8th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Corry Vanden Hanenberg by the CWL

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

Tuesday, November 10th ~St. Leo the Great

7:00 pm For the repose of the soul of Delores Rousseau by the Batchilder family

Wednesday, November 11th ~ At OLMM~St. Martin of Tours

9:00 am

Thursday, November 12th ~St. Josaphat

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Robbie Donner by the staff and students of STA

Friday, November 13th

9:00 am

Saturday, November 14th

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

Sunday, November 15th

9:00 am For the deceased members of the Coffey, Shannon and Helliker families by Margaret and Bruce Helliker

10:45 am For the deceased members of the K of C council 12401

~IN OUR PRAYERS~

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

As we gradually come to the end of the liturgical year, we are reminded to pay attention to those things that are essential for our salvation and to jettison those things that might debar us from seeing the face of God. To do this is to act wisely!

The chief concern of today's liturgy is to help us form a truly Christian mentality concerning how we ought to live in this passing world so that we will be well prepared to enjoy the fullness of life which Jesus alone can give. We do this by imitating the example of the widow in today's gospel, who though was poor yet was more generous than those who had everything! Humanly speaking, we might think that she was foolish by putting in EVERYTHING she had but Jesus praised her generosity and trust in God. We are invited to be like this widow in our way of living trusting that God will supply all our needs.

Have a bountiful week!

Fr Paul

INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER FOR NOVEMBER:

That we may be open to personal encounter and dialogue with all, even those whose convictions differ from our own. That pastors of the Church, with profound love for their flocks, may accompany them and enliven their hope.

YOUR OFFERINGS FOR

October 25th, 2015=\$3,565.25

Thank you for your generosity and support

CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION FOR LIFE AND FAMILY (COLF) 2015 MESSAGE TO FAMILIES: "Parents, Will Your Children be Happy? – A Reflection on the Formation of Conscience". Helping parishes & families deepen their reflection on the issue of the formation of conscience. To order & download: (www.colf.ca).

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE at www.olmm.ca

Email: admin@olmm.ca

WOMEN'S CURSILLO WEEKEND: An opportunity to spend 3 days away from the usual activities, returning home with a means of keeping God at the centre of life. **Nov. 12-15** at Maison de la Providence, Orleans. Cursillo is a lay Christian renewal movement, in Ottawa since 1966. Make new friends to share your spiritual journey. Info: (www.cursillo.com).

November 8th, 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, November 10th

~ Adult choir~ 7:30~Church

Wednesday, November 11th

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

~Eucharistic Ministers workshop~7:00pm~hall

Thursday, November 12th

~1st Communion parish class~6:00-7:00pm~ hall

Friday, November 13th

~Bible study~7:30-9:00pm~hall

Saturday, November 14th

~RCIT~3:00-4:30pm~kitchen

SOCK-IT-TO-ME: During the months of November and December, the CWL is collecting warm, new socks (men & womens) for the Shepherds of Good Hope. Look for the SOCK-IT-TO-ME basket at the entrance and back of the Church during this time. Your generosity is much appreciated!

Did you know that you can sign out the DVD '*God's Doorkeeper - St André of Montreal*' from the Spiritual Library downstairs in the church hall? This documentary looks at the heart and legacy of Brother André who became the first male Canadian-born saint on October 17, 2010.

CHRISTIAN, JEWISH AND MUSLIM LEADERS IN CANADA CALL ON THE NEW GOVERNMENT TO FOCUS ON PALLIATIVE CARE INSTEAD OF EUTHANASIA AND ASSISTED SUICIDE:

At a news conference Oct. 29 on Parliament Hill, the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB) and The Evangelical Fellowship of Canada (EFC) released a joint statement. The *Declaration on Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide* has been endorsed by over 30 Christian denominations together with over 20 Jewish and Muslim leaders from across Canada. In light of the Supreme Court of Canada's ruling in R. v. Carter, the joint statement advocates for palliative care, respect for the dignity of the human person, human solidarity and psychological, spiritual and emotional support as the ethical and moral response in end-of-life care. Info: (www.cccb.ca)

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2016: With the Archdiocese of Ottawa (young adults age 18-35) to Krakow, Poland, **July 19 - August 2**. Approximate cost: \$3400. Limited spots available. Info: Ted (613-738-5025 x231); (thurley@archottawa.ca).

Annual CWL Bake Sale and Bazaar

Saturday, Nov 21st and Sunday Nov 22nd after all masses.

Come out and enjoy a tasty bowl of Chili or Stew that will be served after the Sat 4:30 pm and Sun 10:45 am masses. Beverages and sweets will be served after the 9:00 am mass. Make sure to check out the delicious homemade baked goods that will be for sale.

This is our major fundraiser of the year. Come and help us support our parish and community.

Hope you will join us!

Mark Your Calendars, there will be a training/workshop for all the Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, both old and new volunteers, on Wednesday November 11th, at 7 pm at the church. Please, all concerned are encouraged to attend this all important workshop

Altar Server Workshop/Meeting

Tuesday Nov.10 after 7pm Mass-7:30pm in church. All altar servers both new and returning are encouraged to attend. Thank you to our retiring altar servers for their years of service Ryan Mulligan, Annie MacKinnon Chelsea Goulet, and Joseph and Morgan Doyle

D & P CLIMATE CHANGE FALL 2015 EDUCATION CAMPAIGN

Join us immediately after the end of the November 8th 10:45 Mass in the downstairs hall to discuss the changes we can make or have made in our household practices & personal lifestyles. We will discuss signing the campaign Action Cards, which call on our Prime Minister to commit Canada to an internationally legally-binding agreement to reduce our GreenHouse Gas (GHG) emissions to those being set as global targets in advance of the international Climate Change Conference in Paris (CoP21) December 1-12. We will also discuss some upcoming Conference-related events, being held in the National Capital Region (NCR) during November; some of which promise to be good family-friendly activities, where Roman Catholics can meet to publicly show our support for Pope Francis' calls for action to turn our planet's declining health around. Light refreshments will be available. Janyce Elser-Ethier 613-656-1644 or janyceelser93@yahoo.com.