

Thirty-Third 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 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

Tuesday, November 17th ~St. Elizabeth of Hungary

7:00 pm For the repose of the soul of Raymond Parenteau by the family

Wednesday, November 18th ~at STA

9:00 am

Thursday, November 19th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Annette Labelle by Gerry and Pat Redsell

Friday, November 20th

9:00 am For the repose of the souls of the deceased members of the Versteeg family by Bep Versteeg

Saturday, November 21st ~Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Sebastian Owens by Guylaine and Padhraig O'Bryne

Sunday, November 22nd ~Christ the King

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

10:45 am For the intentions of the Pastor by a parishioner

~IN OUR PRAYERS~

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

As we gradually approach the end of the liturgical year and look forward to the Holy Season of Advent, I wish to offer to our parishioners this great resource from Dynamic Catholic which I think will be of immense benefit to us as we "await the blessed hope and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ:"

Unwrap the gift of **God's Mercy** this Advent!

Join Matthew Kelly and six other influential Catholic voices of our time on a life-changing journey through **Best Advent Ever~Rediscover mercy**. Each day you will receive an inspirational email with a short video, words of encouragement, or spiritual coaching and show that mercy to others.

This program is simple and free! Let mercy transform your relationships, work, and ability to embrace and experience all of life.

To learn more or sign up, visit: **BestAdventEver.com**

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

November 8th, 2015=\$3,530.75

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).

MEN'S CURSILLO WEEKEND: An opportunity to spend three days away from the usual activities, returning home with a means of keeping God at the centre of life. Nov. 20-29 at Maison de la Providence, Orleans. Make new friends to share your spiritual journey. Info: (www.cursillo.ca).

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE at www.olmm.ca

Email: admin@olmm.ca

November 15th, 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 17th

~ Adult choir~ 7:30~Church

Wednesday, November 18th

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

Thursday, November 19th

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

~PPC meeting~7:30pm~hall

Friday, November 20th

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

Saturday, November 21st

~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!

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

NOVEMBER IS 'NATIONAL ADOPTION AWARENESS' MONTH: Raising awareness of choices in infant domestic adoption for women facing unplanned pregnancies and offering compassion and post-placement support to birthparents and adoptive families. Info: (info@adoptionincanada.ca); (1-866-780-5433 x2).

ACTION LIFE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING: Marconi Centre, 1026 Baseline Rd., Tues., Nov. 24, 7:30 p.m.

Speaker: Dr. Catherine Ferrier, Montreal General Hospital and president of the Physicians' Alliance Against Euthanasia. Free admission; all welcome. Info: (613-798-4494); (info@actionlife.org).

ADVENT MIDDAY RETREAT: *Hoping for the Coming of the Messiah with Isaiah* with Fr. Hervé Tremblay O.P. Organized by Ottawa Christian Meditation. **Sat., Nov. 28, 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.** Saint Patrick Basilica, 281 Nepean St. Bring brown bag lunch. Registration: (cmadventretreat@gmail.com).

"THE TIME OF MERCY" CONFERENCE: Hosted by The John Paul II Centre for Divine Mercy at Annunciation of the Lord Parish, **Dec. 12**. Keynote Speaker: Fr. Chris Alar, MIC. 9:00 a.m. Mass celebrated by Archbishop Prendergast. Lunch provided by The Queenship of Mary Community. Info: Peggy Doucette (613-325-5447); (jp2centreottawa@gmail.com); (www.jp2centre.com).