



Third Sunday of Advent to Solemnity of Mary – Year B

Diocesan Theme: **Christ is Everything for Us!** “Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life”. (John 6.68).

Parish Mission Statement: **Love God, Love Others, Make Disciples!** Our Lady of the Miraculous members to develop their faith and service to others.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 16th

4:30pm Repose of the souls of Mary, Harry and George Chyzyj by Myra Chyzyj

Sunday, December 17th – Third Sunday of Advent

9:00am Birthday intentions of Brianna Hamilton by the Urlocker-Lalonde family

10:45am Intentions of the parishioners by the Pastor

Tuesday, December 19th

7:00pm Intentions of Lehman family by Joe James

Wednesday, December 20th

9:30am For the needs of our pastor and parish at OLMM

10:45am Repose of the soul of Bev Cote by Winnie (Russell Meadows) Kerfoot

Thursday, December 21st

9:00am Repose of the soul of Tom Urlocker by the Urlocker-Lalonde family

Friday, December 22nd

9:00am Repose of the soul of Mary and Bob Urlocker by the Swain family

Saturday, December 23rd

4:30pm Repose of the souls of George Hendley, family members and friends

Sunday, December 24th – Fourth Sunday of Advent

9:00am Repose of the soul of Jonathan Pitre by Papa, Noémy, Tracy and Mémère

Sunday, December 24th – The Nativity of the Lord

4:30pm Repose of the soul of Jared Oldford by Mom, Dad and loving family

6:30pm Intentions of the Barnes family by Mary Ellen James

8:30pm Repose of the souls of all the departed in the Christmas Flowers List

Monday, December 25th – The Nativity of the Lord

9:00am Repose of the souls of Mary and Bob Urlocker by the Swain family

Tuesday, December 26th – St. Stephen

7:00pm CANCELLED

Wednesday, December 27th – St. John

9:30am CANCELLED

Thursday, December 28th – The Holy Innocents

9:00am CANCELLED

Friday, December 29th – Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity

9:00am CANCELLED

Saturday, December 30th – Sixth Day within the Octave of the Nativity

4:30pm Intentions of the Wolfert family by Luke James

Sunday, December 31st – The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

9:00am Intentions of the parishioners by the pastor

10:45am Intentions of the Mulholland family by Richard James Jr.

Monday, January 1st – Solemnity of Mary

9:00am Repose of the soul of Dick and comfort for Sally James and family

Tuesday, January 2nd – St. Basil and St. Gregory Nazianzen

7:00pm CANCELLED

Wednesday, January 3rd

9:30am CANCELLED

Thursday, January 4th

9:00am CANCELLED

Friday, January 5th

9:00am CANCELLED

Saturday, January 6th

4:30pm Intentions of the Quinton family by Theresa Langley

Sunday, January 7th – The Epiphany of the Lord

9:00am Intentions of the parishioners by the pastor

10:45am Repose of the soul of Gerry Redsell by the CWL

Intentions of the Holy Father for December

FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

We pray that people living with disabilities: may they be at the center of attention in society and that institutions may offer inclusive programs which value their active participation.



Intentions of the Holy Father for January, 2024

FOR THE GIFT OF DIVERSITY IN THE CHURCH

Let US PRAY THAT THE holy Spirit helps us recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community, and to discover the richness of different ritual traditions in the heart of the Catholic Church.

December 17th, 2023 to January 1st, 2024

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 in the collection basket.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve

Sunday, December 24th ~ 9:00 am
~ 4:30 pm
~ 6:30 pm
~ 8:30 pm

Christmas Day

Monday, December 25th ~ 9:00 am

New Year's Eve

Sunday, December 31st ~ 9:00 am
~ 10:45 am

New Year's Day

Monday, January 1st ~ 9:00 am

INNOVATION

Members of the Catholic Women's League bring innovative ideas to develop resolutions for change. We read the signs of the times and propose creative solutions.

All weekday Masses from December 26, 2023 to January 26, 2024 are cancelled except for the following:

Wednesday, January 10th at 9:30am

Wednesday, January 17th at 9:30am

We will have visiting priests during weekend Masses. Please contact the office if you have any questions.

Catholic Corner is a new locally owned and operated Catholic Gift Store. Currently we offer a wide variety of items including books, medals, images, games and even Catholic Coffee! We are also adding new products every week. Come join us at the Corner www.catholiccorner.ca.

The office is closed from December 28th, 2023 to January 5th, 2024. However, phone and email messages will be checked regularly.

A SPECIAL THANK-YOU to everyone who donated for the Christmas flowers in memory of a loved one. It will enable us to make our church so very beautiful for this Christmas season.

To help entertain the children during this season, come and browse through the Children's Christmas Books and DVDs in the OLM Spiritual Library. You'll find this wonderful collection displayed on top of the cabinets by the staircase. Your children will thank you!

Please pickup your 2024 donation envelopes at the foyer. The envelopes are only for those parishioners that are not on automatic payment. For the special collections throughout 2024 there will be envelopes in the pews.

The parish is in need of a part time bookkeeper to start as soon as possible. The bookkeeper is responsible for maintaining a complete and accurate set of records for financial reporting purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and other general duties. Working knowledge of Quickbooks accounting software and previous bookkeeping experience with a parish is an asset. Please see the full job posting and job description on our website on how to apply.

Work of Christmas Begins

When the song of the angels is stilled, when the star in the sky is gone, when the kings and princes are home, when the shepherds are back with the flocks, then the work of Christmas begins: to find the lost, to heal those broken in spirit, to feed the hungry, to release the oppressed, to rebuild the nations, to bring peace among all peoples, to make a little music with the heart...

And to radiate the Light of Christ, every day, in every way, in all that we do and in all that we say.

Then the work of Christmas begins.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 12401 CORNER

The mission of the Knights of Columbus is to deliver four key programs to our parish community. These programs are

- Faith: Knights are called upon to help strengthen men and their families in the catholic faith
- Family: Knights help to strengthen the bonds of families in our parish
- Community: Knights are called to serve others through charitable works in our parish and community
- Life: Knights are called to help vigorously defend the dignity of each human being at each stage of life

To learn more about the Knights of Columbus go to www.kofc.org