

THIRTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING

Diocesan Theme "When they arrived, they called the church together and related all that God had done with them and how he had opened a door of faith"(Acts 14.27)

"Increase our Faith (Luke 17.5)..."

Parish Theme "Though Many We Are One Body in Christ."



Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 24th

4:30 pm For intentions of the Parishioners by the Parish

Sunday, November 25th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Kathleen Toth by the Toth Family

10:45 am For the special intentions of the Harper Family by the Harper Family

Tuesday, November 27th

7:00 pm For the intentions of the Kupferschmidt Family by the Berard Beaupre Family

Wednesday, November 28th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Jan Gajdowski on his 10th Anniversary by Helen Zurowski & Family

Thursday, November 29th

9:00 am For the special intentions of the CWL by the CWL Members

Friday, November 30th

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Sean James by Bep Versteeg

Saturday, December 1st

4:30 pm For the healing intentions of Natalie Stibernik & George Chyzyj by Myra Chyzyj

Sunday, December 2nd

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

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of Theodore Bouwhuis by Lambert & Rita Hendriks

~Prayer Shawl Ministry

Joyce Vincelle 445-0536~

ADVENT: There will be advent candles and advent candleholders available for sale in the foyer after all Masses this weekend.

FAMILY ROSARY will start on November 30th (last Friday of the month) in the Parish 6:30 pm -7:00 pm with snacks in the hall to follow. All are welcome

PASTOR'S CORNER

As Christians, we are called to make Christ's Kingdom a reality in our world by imitating Him who came not to be served but to serve.

Heirs of the Kingdom

Today, the Solemnity of Christ the King, we acknowledge Christ as our Lord and king. And if Jesus is indeed our king, we have to pay attention to his words and respond to them not just with pious thoughts but with deeds. In other words, Jesus will never be king of our hearts unless we serve our deprived brothers and sisters as he did. The conclusion is obvious: it is not possible to be committed to Christ without being committed to the least of his brothers and sisters. This has to start within our homes and the people we see everyday.

Love and Peace

When Jesus said to Pilate that His kingdom is not of this world, He meant that His Kingdom does not depend on armies and bombs and missiles. His Kingdom is a kingdom of Justice, Truth, Love and Peace. This is the type of kingdom any well meaning person would like to belong; to be under the Lordship of Jesus and to know His Peace for "as long as individuals and the state refuse to submit to the rule of our savior", writes Pope Pius XI, "there would be no really hopeful prospect of lasting peace among nations." We must look for the peace of Christ in the kingdom of Christ.

A Question

The danger facing our world today is that majority of men and women had, in the words of Pope Pius XI, thrust Jesus Christ and holy law out of their lives, it would be proper to ask yourself, is Christ in my life? Is there any attachment that I prefer to Christ? Anything I consider more important than Christ?

May the peace of Christ reign in our hearts always!

Fr. Paul

NOVEMBER 25TH, 2012

THIS WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Tuesday, November 27th ~ Adult Choir Practice 7:30pm ~ RCIA 7:30 pm (Kitchen)

Thursday, November 29th ~ Sacramental Preparation 7:00 pm (Hall)

Friday, November 30th ~ Family Rosary 6:30 pm (Church)

Saturday, December 1st ~ Nativity Play Rehearsal 9:00 am ~ K of C Madd Campaign 4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, December 2nd ~ K of C Madd Campaign (All Masses)

NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Tuesday, December 4th ~ Adult Choir Practice 7:30pm ~ RCIA 7:30 pm (Kitchen) ~ light up for Christ (after 7:00 pm Mass)

Thursday, December 6th ~ Sacramental Preparation 7:00 pm (Hall)

Friday, December 7th ~ First Friday Adoration Starting at 3:00 pm

Saturday, December 8th ~ Nativity Play Rehearsal 9:00 am ~

Sunday, December 9th ~ Lead the Way to Christmas ~ Play 2:00 pm (Church)

Monday, December 10th ~ St. Thomas Grade 8 Net Retreat (Hall)

Christmas, a time for giving

15+ Volunteers needed to prepare and serve lunch at the Shepherds of Good Hope in Ottawa on December 29th. Please contact Robert as soon as possible at r.desmarais@hotmail.ca or at 613 445-3683.

The KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be serving breakfast this Sunday, November 25th after both Masses downstairs in the church hall. In addition to our traditional breakfast, our menu will include best ever delicious 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.

Catholic Women's League (CWL)

The CWL Christmas bazaar and bake sale last weekend was a great success. Thanks to all members who helped out and contributed food and crafts!

The winners of the raffle were:

Ina Henry - health spa certificate

Sherry Desmarais - flower arrangement donated by "Beyond the House"

Ann Van Dam - Afghan

Susan Vinters - Wine and Cheese Basket

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BAPTIZED IN CHRIST

We celebrated last weekend the glorious baptism day of: Anna Fitzsimons, Mia Takeda and Trevor Sorrell.

GOURMET FRUITCAKES December 1st & 2nd there will be sales of fruitcakes after all Masses. The cakes are made by the Cistercian Monks who have moved from Oka, Quebec further north to Saint-Jean-de-Matha, where they continue to produce these delicious, gourmet cakes at Val Notre-Dame Abbey. The cakes are available in Ottawa in support of Campaign Life Coalition.

YOUR OFFERINGS FOR

November 11th, 2012 - \$3014.00

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~YEAR OF FAITH~

Introduction to the Nicene Creed - Part Seven. One of the most immediately apparent changes from our previous version of the Creed is the introduction of the unusual sounding phrase to describe Jesus as, "CONSUBSTANTIAL WITH THE FATHER". As we discussed last week, Greek philosophy provided the early Church with conceptual tools to bring further clarity to the Church's faith. Sometimes, though, the highly technical philosophical terms can leave the non-specialists scratching our heads! "CONSUBSTANTIAL" is an attempt to explain that Jesus is not 'less than' the Father in terms of his 'God-ness'. There was an erroneous opinion at the time of the early Church that Jesus was somehow different on a fundamental level than God. This belief conceded that Jesus was special, maybe even like a 'super-angel' or 'semi-divine' but that he was different than God at the most fundamental level of being. The technical term "CONSUBSTANTIAL" is part of our heritage of faith and it makes the best attempt we can at asserting that Jesus is just as much God as the Father is God.

KNIGHTS "CANDLELIGHT BLESSING OF THE CRECHE":

You and your family are cordially invited to join the Knights of Columbus Tues., December 4th, after the 7 pm. Mass. The opening of the holy season of Advent will take place with the blessing of the crèche outdoors.

FAMILY IN NEED Please check your closets we are in need of outdoor winter clothe for children in sizes 3-10. If you have anything to donate please leave it in a bag outside the office door. Thank you

CHRISTMAS BASKETS: We would welcome the name of a family in our Parish, who should receive a basket at Christmas time in our Parish 445-3054.