

DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA~Year A

Diocesan Theme "Whoever does the will of God, is my brother and sister and mother" (Mark 3.35)

"THE CHURCH IS GOD'S FAMILY: LOVE IS OUR MISSION"

Parish Mission Statement: "LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS, MAKE DISCIPLES"

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 8th

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Esther Cavaugh by Tom and Faith Stephenson

Sunday, November 9th~DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA

9:00 am For the repose of the soul of Ceferina Del Rosario by the Guilbault family

10:45 am For the repose of the soul of Frances Martin by the adult choir

Tuesday, November 11th~St. Martin of Tours

7:00pm

Wednesday, November 12th~STA~St. Josaphat

9:00 am

Thursday, November 13th

9:00 am~For the healing intentions of most Reverend Eugene Cooney by Bev and Marcel Cote

Friday, November 14th

9:00 am For the intentions of Reverend George Pfliger by Bev and Marcel Cote

Saturday, November 15th

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

Sunday, November 16th

9:00 am For the intentions of the Harps family by a parishioner

10:45 am For the deceased members of the Knights of Columbus council 12401

~ IN OUR PRAYERS ~

For the sick among our families and friends especially: Agnes Tanguay, Marcel Sirois, Annette Cyr, Margaret Robertson, Mike Knowles and Maddy Nichol.

YOUR OFFERINGS FOR

November 2nd, 2014 = \$3,951.50

Thank you for your generosity and support

Pope's prayer intentions for November 2014:

That all who suffer loneliness may experience the closeness of God and the support of others. That young seminarians and religious may have wise and well-formed mentors.

Pastor's Corner

Last Sunday was All Souls' Day and the celebration took precedence over the Sunday liturgy, and today the Feast of the Dedication of the St. John Lateral Basilica, the Pope's Cathedral, takes precedence over the Sunday of the Ordinary time.

Here is what our Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI has to say about today's feast during his Angelus address on November 9, 2008 at St. Peter's Square, Rome.

"The liturgy today has us celebrate the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica, called the "mother and head of all the Churches of the Urbe and Orbe". Actually, this Basilica was the first to be built after the Edict of the Emperor Constantine who, in 313, conceded to Christians the freedom to practice their religion. The same Emperor gave Pope Miltiades the ancient estate of the Laterani family and had the Basilica, the Baptistery and the Patriarchate built for him, the latter being the Bishop of Rome's residence, where Popes resided until the Avignon era.

"The Word of God during this Solemnity recalls an essential truth: the stone temple is the symbol of the living Church, the Christian community, that the Apostles Peter and Paul had, in their Letters, already understood as a "spiritual building", constructed by God with the "living stones" that are the Christians, upon the one foundation that is Jesus Christ, who is in turn compared to the "cornerstone" cf. 1 Cor 3: 9-11, 16-17; 1 Pt 2: 4-8; Eph 2: 20-22). "Brethren,... you are God's building", St Paul writes, and he adds, "God's temple is holy, and you are that temple" (1 Cor 3: 9c, 17).

Dear friends, today's feast celebrates an ever current mystery: that God desires to build himself a spiritual temple in the world, a community that adores him in spirit and truth (cf. Jn 4: 23-24). But this occasion reminds us also of the importance of the concrete buildings in which the community gathers together to celebrate God's praises. Every community therefore, has the duty to carefully guard their holy structures, which constitute a precious religious and historical patrimony. For this we invoke the intercession of Mary Most Holy, so that she might help us to become, like her, a "house of God, a living temple of his love."

Peace to all!

Fr. Paul

November 9th, 2014

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

Monday, November 10th

~Rediscover Catholicism~7:30pm ~Church/hall

Tuesday, November 11th

~RCIA ~6:30-9:00~kitchen

~ Adult choir~ 7:30~Church

~K of C Remembrance Day parade and laying of wreath

Wednesday, November 12th

~Edge youth group~6:30-8:00pm~hall

Thursday, November 13th

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

~Mass at Russell Meadows~11:00am

~CWL general meeting~7:00pm~hall

~K of C executive meeting~7:30pm~kitchen

Friday, November 14th

~workshop for the Altar servers~7:00pm~Church

Saturday, November 15th

~Men's breakfast prayer group~8:30am~Church

~CWL Bazaar and bake sale after Mass

NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Monday, November 17th

~Rediscover Catholicism~7:30pm ~Church/hall

Tuesday, November 18th

~ Adult choir~ 7:30~Church

~RCIA~6:30-9:00~kitchen

Wednesday, November 19th

~Edge youth group~6:30-8:00pm ~hall

Thursday, November 20th

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

Confirmation registration/enrollment and presentation will be at all Masses the weekend of November 15th & 16th.

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

If you are new to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church, welcome to our Parish. Please take a moment to fill in the registration form found on the table in the Church foyer. Say "hello" to Fr. Paul and share fellowship with parishioners at one of our events.

House Blessing In keeping with the old Christian tradition of house blessing, Fr. Paul will be available to visit your home to bless it. Please call the office to set a date and time.

CWL Bake Sale and Bazaar

Nov 15th & 16th after all Masses.

Come out and enjoy a tasty bowl of chili, or just grab a coffee as you check out the delicious homemade baked goods and crafts that will be for sale.

Hope you will join us!

Gospel of the Family -- The Catholic Teachers' Guild of Ottawa, invites you to AN EVENING WITH THE GUILD 2014. Bishop Christian Riesbeck, CC, will speak on the topic "Gospel of the Family: Reflections on the Extraordinary Synod on the Family" on Tuesday, November 18, 2014 in the scavi at Saint Patrick's Basilica (281 Nepean Street at Kent) following 4:30 p.m. Mass. Admission to the talk is \$5.00 and everyone is welcome. Proceeds to Saint Patrick's Basilica Renovation fund.

REDISCOVERING ADVENT: To appreciate more fully this liturgical season, all are welcome to a two-part reflection series on the **Sat., Nov. 15 & 22, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.** in the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish Hall (321 Cody St. entrance).
Info: Lesley Santiago (613-842-9035)

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

Pick up your new Sunday Missal, Advent candles and wreath on sale November 22/23 in the foyer after all masses:

Missal - \$5 per copy

Advent candles - \$8 per pack

Advent wreath - \$18

A set (wreath+candles) - \$25.

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