

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time~Year B

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, January 31st~St. John Bosco

4:30 pm For the repose of the soul of Mary Groot-Lipman by Bep Versteeg

Sunday, February 1st

9:00 am For God's blessing and favor upon Dr. Chantal Plant and her entire family by Fr. Anthony Ibezor

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

Tuesday, February 3rd

7:00 pm For the repose of the soul of Sandra Sweeney by the Sweeney family

Wednesday, February 4th ~ at STA

9:00 am For the intentions of Angie Lalonde by the Urlocker-Lalonde family

Thursday, February 5th~St. Agatha

9:00 am For the intentions of the family of Mark Knowles by Louise Kelly

Friday, February 6th~St. Paul Miki and Companions

9:00 am

Saturday, February 7th

4:30 pm

Sunday, February 8th

9:00 am For God's blessing and favor upon Dr. Chantal Plant and her entire family by Fr. Anthony Ibezor

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

~ IN OUR PRAYERS ~

For the sick among our families and friends especially: Marcel Sirois, Maddy Nichol, Ken Woods, Lucille Nichol, Tom Mascaro and Stephen Williams.

YOUR OFFERINGS FOR

January 25th, 2015=\$3,116.00

Thank you for your generosity and support

INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER FOR FEBRUARY:
That prisoners, especially the young, may be able to rebuild lives of dignity. That married people who are separated may find welcome and support in the Christian community.

Pastor's Corner

The Promise

In today's first reading, God promises to raise up a prophet from among His people, one who will be a voice to proclaim God's will for all the people. The prophet shall speak the word to the people; to make the people know the deeds of the Lord. He shall speak in the name of God and never in his own name. However, the text warns: "Anyone who does not heed the words he shall speak in my name, I myself will hold him accountable." So, as the Psalmist reminds us, if today you hear the word of the Lord, harden not your heart, may we rather embrace it and take it to heart.

The Authority the Liberates

In the gospel we see this promised prophet in action: Jesus, the Lord. He came as a Teacher and a Healer. As one sent by God, He carried out His ministry with deepest love and concern for the people and with the desire to answer their anxiety and worries. He cured the man with unclean spirit, to prove to His adversaries that He indeed has authority over the forces of evil. Jesus is the visible image of the invisible God. Through His teaching and healing, He reveals the Father and the great love He has for us.

Jesus has left us an example to follow! Through baptism, we share in the threefold office of Christ: Priest, Prophet and King. Yes, we are called to teach and to heal. Even if we can't teach by word of mouth and with the authority of Jesus, but surely by our desire and willingness to help others and by the joyous life we live. May our minds and hearts be filled with Christ, so that we become His voice to all we meet! Amen.

Have a great week!

Fr. Paul

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE at www.olmm.ca

Email: admin@olmm.ca

February 1st, 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

Monday, February 2nd

~Rediscover Catholicism~(Chapter 15-The Bible)

7:30pm ~Church/hall

Tuesday, February 3rd

~R.C.I.A~7:30~kitchen

~ Adult choir~ 7:30~Church

Wednesday, February 4th

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

Thursday, February 5th

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

Friday, February 6th

~First Friday 24 hour adoration, 4:00pm Friday to

4:00pm Saturday

Saturday, February 7th

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

Sunday, February 8th

~Baptismal presentation~10:45 Mass

NEXT WEEK AT OUR LADY'S

Monday, February 9th

~Rediscover Catholicism~(chapter 16-Fasting)

7:30pm ~Church/hall

Tuesday, February 10th

~R.C.I.A~7:30~kitchen

~ Adult choir~ 7:30~Church

Wednesday, February 11th

~First reconciliation~6:30pm~Church

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

Thursday, February 12th

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

~CWL general meeting~7:00pm~hall

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

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE (CCODP) SHARE LENT

WORKSHOP: As the Canadian member of Caritas, Development and Peace invites you to join our Share Lent workshops: **Sat., Feb. 7, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.** at St. Joseph parish Women's Centre, 151 Laurier St., E. OR **Wed., Feb. 11, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.** at the Diocesan Centre (Rm 108), 1247 Kilborn Place. All welcome; light meal incl. Info: Genevieve Gallant (613-738-9644);

ggallant@devp.org

During the flu season, it is acceptable to omit the handshake at the "Sign of Peace". Please note that there are hand sanitizers available at both entrances to the Church.

BAPTIZED IN THE HOLY SPIRIT



Zoe Mary Helene Homier

Violet Hope Johnston

Jaxyn Reed Decroux

Kael Alexander Williams

Welcome to the family of God

First Friday 24 hour adoration, Friday, February 6th from 4:00pm to Saturday, February 7th, 4:00pm.

GET SET FOR KINDERGARTEN!

Registration for the 2015-2016 school year is now underway at Mother Teresa Catholic School. We would like to remind parents that our school is now open for Kindergarten registration for September 2015. We offer a rich, play-based learning program for our Kindergarten learners. We also have an on-site daycare and offer French Immersion. Please call Mother Teresa Catholic School at [613 445-3788](tel:6134453788) for more information. If you know of anyone (neighbours, friends, relatives) who would be interested in registering their child(ren) at Mother Teresa Catholic School, please ask them to contact the school.

VOCATION BREAKFAST WITH SPECIAL GUEST

SPEAKER: The Servants of the Cross are hosting a Vocation Fair Breakfast on Sat., Feb. 14, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. at St. George Parish (415 Piccadilly Ave.) with a Special Guest Speaker – Father Denis Lemieux of Madonna House. Please advertise this special event in your parish bulletin, website and by using the attached poster and encourage young men and women to attend. Father Denis is the author of the recently published book "The I-Choice: Staying Human in a Digital Age". The Vocation Fair starts with Mass at 9:00 a.m., includes brunch, a talk by Father Lemieux and a chance to meet priests and religious for small group discussions. Info: Servants of the Cross (613-729-8710)

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 one week, please sign up on the sheet on the table in the foyer