

## Second Sunday of Easter – Year A

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 Medal parish, through the liturgy, faith formation and sacramental life, provides opportunities for members to develop their faith and service to others.

### MASS INTENTIONS

*Saturday, April 11<sup>th</sup> – Easter Octave*

8:00pm Birthday intentions of all our friends and family by Cathy Gambell

*Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup> – Second Sunday of Easter*

9:00am Repose of the soul of Florentina Lopez by the CWL

10:45am Intentions of the parishioners by the Pastor

*Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup>*

9:30am Repose of the soul of Clay Harrison by Margaret Dupelle

*Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup>*

9:00am Repose of the soul of Florentina Lopez by Cathy Gambell

*Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup> – St. Kateri Tekakwitha*

9:00am Intentions and well-being of all seniors

*Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup>*

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

*Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup> – Third Sunday of Easter*

9:00am Repose of the soul of Jean Gaede by Gerri and Mark Brewer

10:45am Intentions of the parishioners by the Pastor

***We are deeply grateful to those who donated for the Easter flowers in memory of a loved one. We've been able to adorn our altar with beautiful flowers this Easter season.***

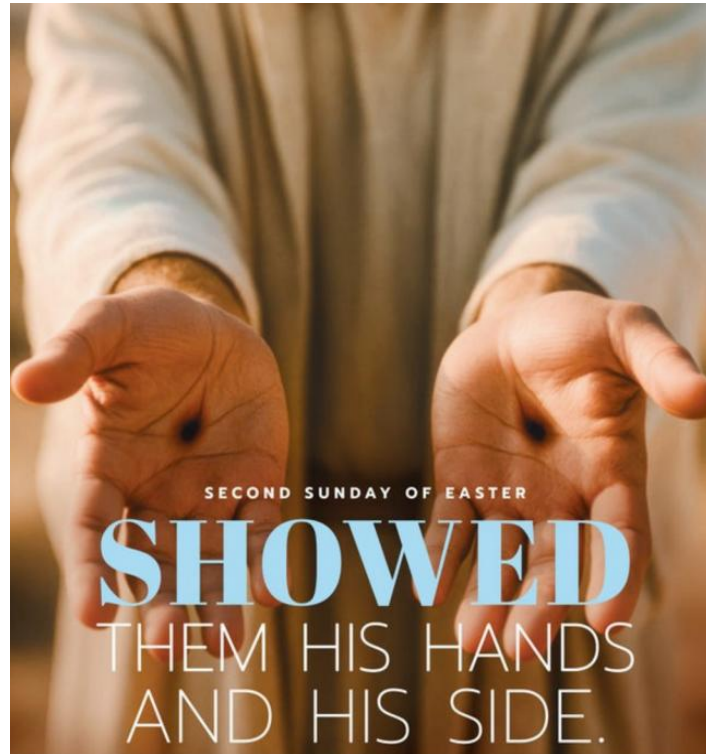
### PILGRIMAGE TO IRELAND

**with Fr. Gerard Plant**

Travel with Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal  
Oct. 16 – 25, 2026 Activity Level: 2 – Moderate  
Price Per Person – CA\$6,129



For more information and options for this tour, visit  
<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1362023>



Readings: Acts 2:4-47/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31

***Today is Mercy Sunday: Peace be with you... Receive the Holy Spirit: For those whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven. This Sunday's readings and feast is such a great reminder that Peace and Mercy go hand in hand and lead us to exclaim with the Apostle Thomas: My Lord and my God. If you have not taken advantage of the wonderful Sacrament of Reconciliation in a while, consider accessing this great sacrament and experiencing the mercy of God in your life.***

### Intentions of the Holy Father for April

#### For priests in crisis

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

April 12, 2026

Are you new to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Parish?  
**WELCOME!** If you have not yet registered, please complete a registration form in the foyer or office.

You may bring the completed form to the office or drop it in the collection basket.



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MIRACULOUS MEDAL

## LIFE IN THE SPIRIT

*"RENEW YOUR WONDERS"*

7:00pm to 8:15pm Sessions

Monday, April 13 – God's Love  
Monday, April 20 – The Gift of Salvation  
Monday, April 27 – New Life in Christ  
Monday, May 4 – Receiving God's Gift  
Monday, May 11 – Baptism in the Holy Spirit  
Monday, May 18 – Growth in the Spirit  
Friday, May 22 – Transformation in Christ

**Celebration**

Saturday, May 23  
Parish Pentecost Vigil Mass – 4:30pm  
Celebration Pot Luck – 5:30pm  
Praise and Worship – 7:00pm

*"Renew your wonders in this our day as by a new Pentecost."*  
~Pope John XXIII

*All Are Welcome!*

Why become a Catholic Women's League member? Each week we will present a word that may spark your interest.



**"RESILIENCE"** – The Catholic Women's League celebrated 100 years of service in 2020. The resilience over the next 100 is in your hands. Come be a part of the journey.

### Rosary Prayer in Front of Our Lady's Statue

From May through October, the Legion of Mary invites you to join us on the 13<sup>th</sup> of each month at 7:00 PM for a Rosary prayer gathering held outside the church, in front of the statue of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal. This event will take place rain or shine, so please come prepared for the weather. All are welcome—we look forward to praying together as a community.



Join us on Friday, April 17th, for the Seniors' Mass at 9:00 am, followed by refreshments, fellowship, and a special presentation by Community Engagement on Fraud Prevention. All are welcome!

## FRAUD PREVENTION

With Lindsay Wardlaw  
Community Engagement Officer

**Join us!**

April 17, 2026  
10 a.m.

OLMM Parish Hall

Light refreshments served

### Interested in World Youth Day?

Come learn more! Our upcoming info session is for anyone curious about the trip, including eligible participants, youth leaders, and parish priests.

**Information Session – WYD Seoul 2027 Thursday, April 23, 2026.** The presentation begins at 7:30 p.m. Saint-Sébastien, 1000 Frances Street, Ottawa

**Eligibility:** The actual WYD trip is open to anyone who will be between the ages of 18-35 by July 25, 2027.

### Vocations Appeal – Special Collection

**(April 25-26)**

On Good Shepherd Sunday, our special collection will support the Vocations Appeal. With several seminarians now preparing for the priesthood, we ask for your prayers and generous support to help fund their formation.

Thank you for supporting our future priests.

### ATTENTION GRADE 12 STUDENTS

CWL Bursary Applications are available to any student of our parish currently in their graduating year or within 1-year post graduation from Grade 12 for the annual CWL bursary award of \$500. For more information and/or to obtain an application please refer to the parish website: [http://www.olmm.ca/groups\\_cwl.html](http://www.olmm.ca/groups_cwl.html) or the parish office. Completed applications and supporting documents must be submitted by **April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026**. Applications can be mailed in or dropped off at the office. For any questions contact Winnie Kerfoot, Bursary Committee Chair at [wkerfoot@gmail.com](mailto:wkerfoot@gmail.com).

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 12401 CORNER



Council 12401 will be holding a parish Breakfast this Sunday after the 9:00 am and 10:45 am Masses. All proceeds will go to support William Baker who will be entering his 2nd year of missionary work with NET Canada. The Cost is \$30 for families, \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under 12. Looking forward to seeing everyone.