Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time – 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, November 7th
4:30pm For everyone celebrating an anniversary or birthday this month by Cathy Gambell

Sunday, November 8th– 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00am Intentions of the parishioners by the Pastor
10:45am Repose of the soul of Sean James by the James family

Wednesday, November 11th – St. Martin of Tours
9:30am All deceased McKlusky family members by Donna McKlusky

Thursday, November 12th – St. Josaphat
9:00am Repose of the soul of Laurier Dupelle, family members and friends by Margaret Dupelle

Friday, November 13th
9:00am In thanksgiving and for the intentions of Heather Sisk by Mary Ellen James

Saturday, November 14th
4:30pm Repose of the soul of Peter Gambell by Cathy Gambell

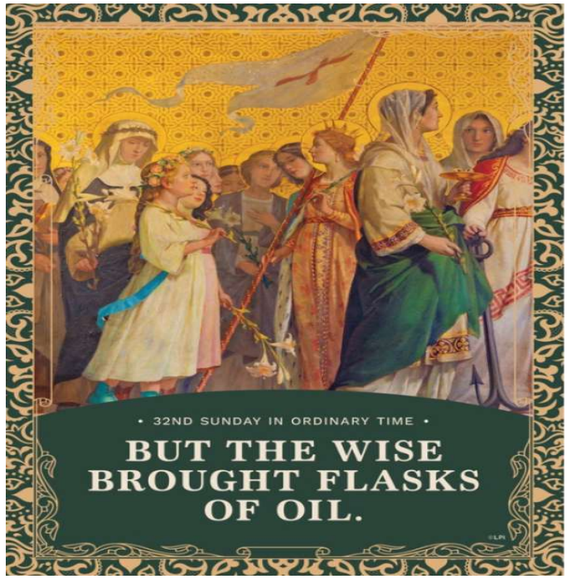
Sunday, November 15th– 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00am Intentions of the parishioners by the Pastor
10:45am Repose of the souls of the deceased members of the KOC by the KOC Council 12401

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR FR. GERARD PLANT

With sadness, we announce the funeral arrangements for Fr. Gerard Plant.

- **Wake: Friday, November 20, from 2:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church (OLMM), Russell.**
- **Prayer Vigil: Friday, November 20, 7:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church (OLMM), Russell.**
- **Funeral Mass: Saturday, November 21, at 10:30 a.m. at Notre Dame Basilica, Ottawa.**

All parishioners are warmly invited to attend and pay their respects as we remember Fr. Gerard and give thanks for his life and priestly ministry.



Readings: Wis 6:12-16/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus reminds us of the importance of being prepared and watchful as we await His coming. Through the parable of the ten virgins, we learn that faith is not something we can borrow or leave until tomorrow; it must be nurtured every day. Like the wise virgins who brought extra oil for their lamps, we are called to keep our hearts filled with faith, love, and hope. The oil represents the good deeds, kindness, prayer, and devotion that strengthen our relationship with God. We may not know when the Lord will come, but we can prepare by living each day with generosity, compassion, and trust in Him. Let us not allow the distractions and busyness of life to dim the light of our faith. May we always be ready to welcome Christ, keeping our lamps burning brightly as we journey toward His eternal kingdom.

Intentions of the Holy Father for November – For the proper use of wealth

Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service, the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

November 8, 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.

OLMM Parish Activities

MON	9-Nov	6:00 PM	Sacramental Preparation – First Communion
TUE	10-Nov	4:30 PM	Sacramental Preparation – First Communion
TUE	10-Nov	6:30 PM	Legion of Mary
THU	12-Nov	7:00 PM	CWL Meeting
SUN	15-Nov	12:30 PM	Baptism

Parish Directory Copies Available



Copies of the parish directory are now available for parishioners who had their photographs taken. You may pick up your copy at the parish office.

RED WEDNESDAY - NOVEMBER 18, 2026

Join us in observing **Red Wednesday**, an initiative of Aid to the Church in Need (ACN), dedicated to raising awareness and praying for Christians who face persecution and restrictions on religious freedom around the world.
We invite all parishioners to remember our persecuted brothers and sisters in Christ through prayer. Let us stand in solidarity with them and pray for religious freedom, peace, and courage for all those who suffer for their faith.

PRAYER FOR THE HOLY SOULS

Throughout the month of November, let us remember to pray for all our beloved dead and all the souls in Purgatory. As a sign of our prayers, we are invited to write the names of deceased loved ones in the book of remembrance in front of the altar.



Time to Check Your Advent Wreath and Candles!

Prepare for the Advent season! Advent Candles ($20), Wreaths ($20), Advent Gospel Reflection ($7), and 2027 Missals ($5) will be available for purchase in the foyer after weekend Masses on November 14/15 and 21/22.

These items are also available for purchase during parish office hours by Nov. 13.

CWL Christmas Bazaar 2026 & More

Update: Cancelled Until Further Notice
The planned activity has been cancelled for the time being. We will revisit the idea in the new year and make plans accordingly.

2027 Membership Renewals and New Memberships
Heather will be in the foyer after all Masses on the weekends of November 7/8 and November 14/15 to process 2027 membership renewals and welcome new members. Please take this opportunity to renew your membership or sign up!

BUS TRANSPORTATION FOR FR. GERARD'S FUNERAL MASS

The CWL will be arranging bus transportation for parishioners who wish to attend the Funeral Mass for Fr. Gerard at Notre-Dame Basilica in Ottawa on Saturday, November 21.

The bus will depart from OLMM at **9:30 a.m.** and is expected to return to OLMM at approximately **1:45 p.m.**

A **voluntary donation of $10 per person** is kindly requested to help defray the cost of the bus service.

IMPORTANT: PLEASE SIGN UP!!!!

Sign-up sheets are available in the foyer.

Please be sure to add your name to the list so we can determine the number of people attending and whether more than one bus will be needed.

Thank you for your cooperation and support.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 12401 CORNER

Knights of Columbus Baby Bottle Drive



On November 7-8, 2026, The K of C Council 12401 will be holding their annual Baby Bottle Drive to raise funds for the Miriam Centre in Orleans. The Miriam centre is a pregnancy care centre giving support to families in need. Members of Council 12401 will hand out baby bottles after each mass with the request that parishioners return the bottles with their donation the following week.