

We cannot impose earthly rules and expectations on eternal life, for “some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last”.

ST. COLUMBAN

PARISH

21TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

AUGUST 21, 2016

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Fr. Ernest Emeke Emeodi, Parochial Administrator
Rev. Fr. Claude Hallé, Guest Priest
Rev. Mr. Chris Chisholm, Deacon

MASSES & SACRAMENTS

Saturday Vigil 5:30 PM
Sunday 7:30, 9:30 & 11:00 AM
Tuesday – Friday 7:30 AM
Confession Saturdays, 3 – 4 PM (or by appointment)
Baptism Please notify one month in advance
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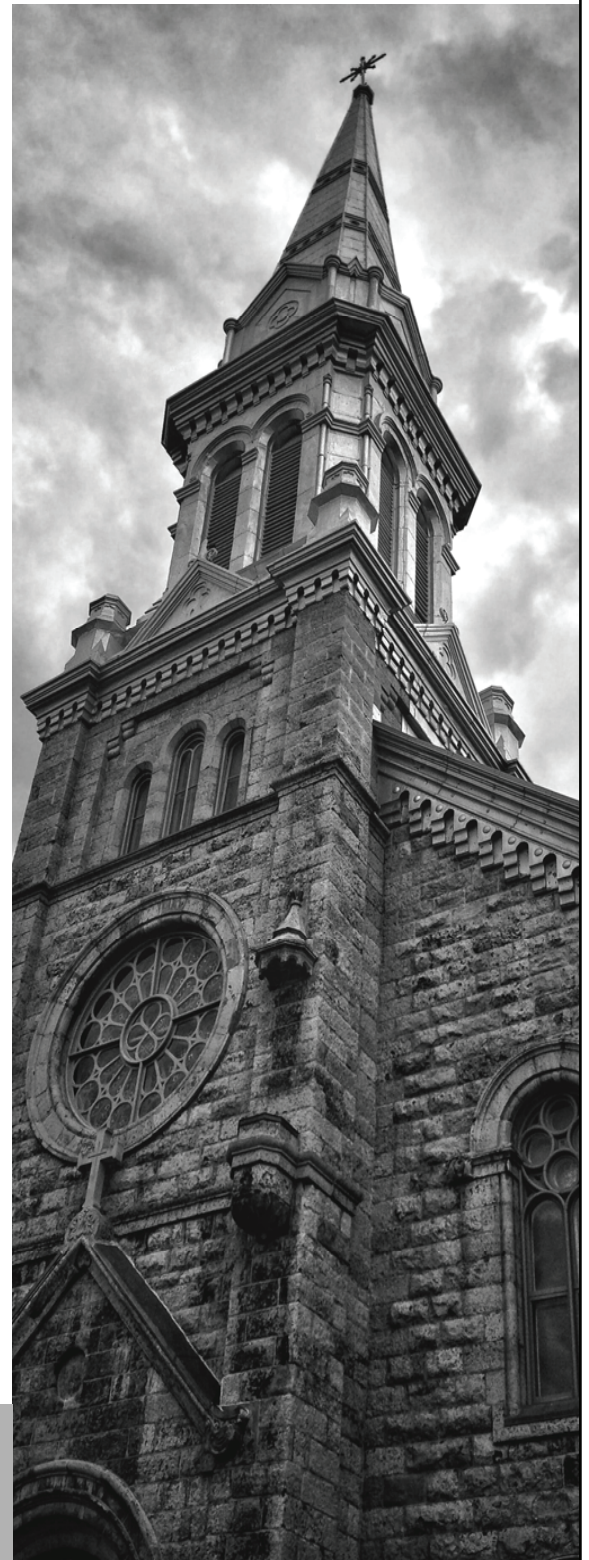
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CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

IN OUR PARISH

Saturday, August 20th ST. BERNARD (M)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. Hubert Lalonde (12th Anniv. of Death) by Wife Alice & Daughters Charlene, Wendy, Judy, Debbie & Brenda

Sunday, August 21st 21st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners
9:30 a.m. Judy McGillivray (4th Anniversary of Death) by Husband Rob McGillivray
11:00 a.m. Tom Parisien (4th Anniversary of Death) by Joe Parisien & Family

Monday, August 22nd THE QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED

7:30 a.m. No Mass **VIRGIN MARY (M)**

Tuesday, August 23rd ST. ROSE OF LIMA (OM)

7:30 a.m. Barbara Parisien by Joe Parisien & Family

Wednesday, August 24th ST. BARTHOLOMEW (F)

7:30 a.m. Jack Tyo by Dorothy, Christopher & Corey

Thursday, August 25th ST LOUIS & ST JOSEPH CALASANZ (OM)

7:30 a.m. Ileen Kennedy by Anne Welch

Friday, August 26th

7:30 a.m. Mavis Menard (2nd Anniversary of Death) by Husband Rolland, Joce, Jeff & Greg

Saturday, August 27th ST. MONICA (M)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. John Hummell by a Parishioner

Sunday, August 28th 22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners
9:30 a.m. Frank Etwell by Daughter Kelly Poitras & Family
11:00 a.m. Marian Przyk by the Vincelli Family

Monday, August 29th THE PASSON OF ST. JOHN THE

7:30 a.m. No Mass **BAPTIST (M)**

TODAY'S READINGS - AUGUST 21st

1st Reading: Isaiah 66.18-21
2nd Reading: Hebrews 12.5-7, 11-13
Gospel: Luke 13.22-30

People will come from east, west, north and south and will eat in the kingdom of God.

PLEASE NOTE

The Parish Office will be closed on Mondays for the months of July & August 2016.

COMMUNION STATIONS are located centre-front and half-way down the centre aisle. Please exit pews from the centre aisle and return by the side aisles.

CELEBRATED EVENTS THAT ARE VITAL TO THE MYSTERY OF OUR SALVATION

(S) Solemnity – The highest rank of Celebration of events.
(F) Feast – Are of second importance
(M) Memorial – Are next in importance
(OM) Optional Memorial – Not Obligatory.

THANK YOU FOR ANSWERING THE CALL TO SERVE

Doris Carriere, who has been the Captain of the 11:00 am Ushers has taken on the position of Coordinator of Ushers.

Doris replaces Ron Welsh who has served this Parish With unflagging devotion. We continue to pray for Ron as he recuperates. God Bless and thank you Ron.

Happy Anniversary Father Ernest



Celebrating 17 years
of Ordination
On Sunday August 21

MARIAN CENACLE

A Marian Cenacle, with Mass and the Rosary, will be held on Monday, Sept. 12, at St. Francis de Sales parish, starting at 6:30 p.m. For information, contact Joan Levy Earle at 613-935-9052.

WOMEN'S MORNING OF REFLECTION

A new season of the Women's Morning of Reflection begins on Saturday, September 3rd at a new location – the Saint Brother André Room at the Agora Catholic Centre (301 McConnell Ave.) The morning begins with Mass at 9:30 a.m. followed by a social time and then a talk. The theme of mercy continues with guest speaker Helen Sauvé who will talk about her mission trip to Africa. A free will offering of \$5 is appreciated. For more information contact Marilyn Light at 537 2021.

ST. COLUMBAN ANNUAL CEMETERY CEREMONY

August 28, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. Please bring lawn chairs. In case of rain, the ceremony will be held in the Church.

DOOR OF MERCY

Visit the Holy Door of Mercy at St. Finnan's Cathedral in Alexandria on September 10th from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

IN OUR PARISH

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Nativity Cemetery, Sunday September 11th at 1pm, rain or shine at the cemetery.

Notre-Dame Cemetery, Sunday September 11th at 2 pm, rain or shine at the cemetery.

St Andrews Cemetery, Sunday September 18th at 1pm
Please bring lawn chairs.

WOMEN'S FALL RETREAT

Friday, Sept 16th at 7:45pm to Sunday, Sept 18th, 1:30pm at the Glen House Resort, Gananoque, ON.

For more information visit: womensfallretreat.com or contact Annette Lamour at info@womensfallretreat.com or call 613-258-7885.

PATRONS OF ST. COLUMBAN FOUNDATION CONCERT

The Patrons of St. Columban Foundation presents a fundraising Celtic concert on Sunday September 25 at 2 p.m. in St. Columban's Church. The musical entertainment will feature The Brigadoons. Tickets cost \$12 and are available at the Parish office during office hours, at all the masses on the weekends of September 10-11, 17-18, by calling Brian Lynch at 613-933-8353, and at the door on September 25.

Funds raised at the concert will be directed to pay for the major repair work on the church.

WOMANS SILENT RETREAT

"Who Do You Say I Am" with retreat master Fr. Todd Arsenault L.C. Sept 16-18 at Shalom House, Alexandria. Cost is \$185. Register by Sept. 5 (space is limited). Please send a down payment of \$100 (non-refundable except for an emergency), with cheques made out to Fidelis, to Heidi Krol, 20258 Cedar Grove Rd. Williamstown, K0C1M0. For more information or to register contact Marilyn Light 613-537-2021 or Heidi Krol 613-347-7561

IN OUR DIOCESE

THE ARCH OF MERCY (PART 2)

What does "mercy" mean to you? At the back of the church on the radiator near the Arch of Mercy, there are cards available with ties attached. Consider writing a sentence or two about the significance of mercy -- to individuals, -- in a community, -- to the world. Share these reflections by placing them on the branches of the arch. You may place more than one card, and sign them if you wish, or remain anonymous.

Thanks for taking part!

Bill Brown

CENTENNIAL CHOIR

The Centennial Choir of Cornwall welcomes potential new members to its fall rehearsals. Enjoyment and experience singing with other choirs are the best criteria. All sections are available and the ability to read music would be a welcome asset. An informal audition will be held after a few weeks to determine voice placement. The first rehearsal will be held Mon. Sept. 12th at 6:45 at St. John's Presbyterian Church, 28 Second St., Cornwall. Further info at 613 936-1131.

Faustina: Messenger of Divine Mercy

The moving, live production performed by actress Maria Vargo and directed by Leonardo Defilippis of Saint Luke Production, will be presented at St. Joseph High School Auditorium in Cornwall on Saturday, September 24 at 7:00 p.m. The event is sponsored by the Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall.

Experience firsthand the life and message of Saint Faustina whose personal encounters with Jesus have inspired a world-wide devotion to Christ's Divine Mercy. This drama also brings audiences a riveting modern story that makes Divine Mercy remarkably relevant and urgent for our world today. The program is filled with all the elements of professional theater, runs 90 minutes, and is suitable for ages 13 and up.

Admission is a free-will offering. For additional information, contact Ann Germain-MacMillan at 613-534-8366 or amacmillan15@cogeco.ca. Watch the trailer & learn more at www.DivineMercyDrama.com.

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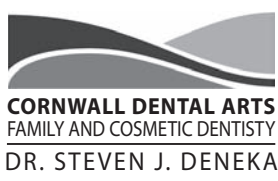
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