12TH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
21 JUNE, 2015

"Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey Him?"

# St. Columban Parish

36 Fourth St. West, Cornwall, ON K6J 2R6

Masses: Sat Vigil: 7 p.m., Sun: 7:30, 9:30, 11:00 a.m. Weekdays except Tuesdays: 7:30 a.m.

Today's Readings:

Job 38:1, 8-11 Psalm 107:23-31 2 Corinthians 5:14-17 Mark 4:35-41 If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation; everything old has passed away. Further Reflection from the Catechism:

CCC: It is your turn CCCC: to choose YOUCAT: some

### **BECOMING INTENTIONAL DISCIPLES**

In recent decades, there has been little or no serious discussion at the parish level about how an individual receiving the Sacraments can prepare his or her heart, soul, and life to do so fruitfully. Yet in many, if not most of our parishes, we have accepted a passive, notional "faith," a general absence of fruit, and a lack of overt manifestation of grace as normal.

If our pastoral practice is to be life changing, then we must be acutely aware that the Reception of a valid Sacrament and the fruitful reception of Sacramental grace are two different but related issues.

The Church has long distinguished between "objective" redemption and "subjective" redemption.

- <u>Objective Redemption</u>: By His life, death, and resurrection, Jesus has already reconciled our race with the Father; this is objective redemption.
- <u>Subjective Redemption</u>: is the application of the saving gifts of Christ to individuals, the realization of salvific transformation in each of our lives.

Adults and children past the age of reason are not merely passive subjects to whom salvation "happens".

Rather, we are active agents who are, in the words of Jesus, called to love God with all our heart, soul, mind and strength. (see Mark 12:30)

"God created us without us: but He did not will to save us without us." (St. Augustine)

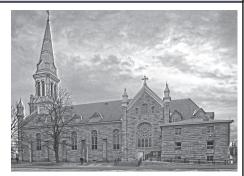
"Positive disposition" means we are prepared to change and we actively seek the grace of God in order to do so.

Passively receiving a Sacrament is not enough. The grace we receive is directly related to the personal faith, spiritual expectancy and hunger with which we approach the Sacrament. Simply going through the motions to please others is not enough for fruitful reception.

"FAITH" has two different meanings in reference to the Sacraments. The vertus fideli (infant at Baptism) must become actus fideli (explicit personal faith) for a teen/adult to receive a Sacrament fruitfully.

- 1. **Virtus fidei (the virtue of faith)** Baptized Christians who were "still without any explicit personal attachment to Jesus Christ" have only the capacity to believe placed within them by Baptism and the presence of the Holy Spirit." (St. John Paul the Great)
- 2. Actus fidei (explicit, personal act of faith) the heart of discipleship is faith infused with hope and love
- 3. **Fides informis (dead faith)** intellectual assent to the doctrines of the Catholic faith alone, without charity and good works.

Excerpted from Forming Intentional Disciples – got your copy, yet?



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#### **CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES**

Saturday, June 20th

3:00 - 4:00 p.m. Confessions

6:15 - 6:45 p.m. Confessions

7:00 p.m. Greta Stone by the Lavictoire family

Sunday, June 21st

7:30 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners

9:30 a.m. Leo Boileau (27th Anniversary of death) by Diane &

Gilles Lafrance

11:00 a.m. Muriel Carriere by Audrey Levac

Monday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>

7:30 a.m. Patrick Finnerty by Sally Grant

Wednesday, June 24th

7:30 a.m. Cyril Dumond by wife Viola & family

Thursday, June 25th

7:30 a.m. Tony Spagnolo by Doris Bourdeau

Friday, June 26th

7:30 a.m. Roy Julien by Shannon Bellefeuille

4:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal Stanley & Williams

Saturday, June 27th

3:00 - 3:45 p.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Wedding Kristin Stanley & Mark Williams

6:15 - 6:45 p.m. Confessions

7:00 p.m. William Fisher by Betty

Sunday, June 28th

7:30 a.m. Intentions of the parishioners

9:30 a.m. Anna Van Den Broeck by husband Herman

11:00 a.m.Gerald Bourbonnais by Richard & Carole Pilon

Monday, June 29th

7:30 a.m. Murielle Carriere by Gerry & Lise DiCola

#### IN OUR PARISH

COLLECTION 7 JUNE 2015 - THANK YOU			
Sunday	\$ 4,196.00	Vocation Sunday	\$10.00
Loose	440.65	D & P – Nepal	100.00
Total	\$4,636.65	Papal Charities	30.00
Books	157.95		235.00
Candles	314.09		



Sunday, 14 June, Havana Drewe Leduc, Camila Pearce-Onate Jasmine Rose O'Neil Irene Houle-Lafrance

#### BECAME CHILDREN OF GOD THROUGH BAPTISM

### FATHER'S DAY DRAW

The winning ticket for the CWL draw of a golf bag and accessories was drawn at the Parish Barbecue last Sunday. Winner was *Brian Heagle*, a member of our parish and a golf buddy of

Fr. Louis Groetelaars. *Congratulations to Brian* and thanks to all who participated. The profit from the draw was \$209.

#### OUR PARISH BARBEQUE ON JUNE 14TH

Good food and time to fellowship with parishioners .& others made for a very enjoyable afternoon. Special thanks to

\* members of the Knights of Columbus Council 6083 for their donation and assistance with the BBQ. Their interest in our parish community is most welcome and so very much appreciated.



- \* all who provided such a wonderful variety of desserts. They were delicious and a wonderful addition to the BBQ.
- \* those who gave of their time and talents to make this such a warm and welcoming event.
- \* and those who participated with the children's activities balloons, face painting, etc. *Thanks Everyone*

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CONFERENCE / EXEMPLIFICATION MASS

Last Saturday afternoon 46 new Sir Knights, including 3 priests, from Kingston, Ottawa, Belleville, Peterborough, Arnprior/Renfrew, Brockville and Cobourg joined our Bishop Brodeur Assembly 0877 Cornwall and Bishop Alexander MacDonell Assembly 0858 Alexandria for an Exemplification Mass here at St. Columban with Bishop Damphousse as the main celebrant. Also participating were Knights from other assemblies in Ottawa & Smiths falls. After Communion, our Fr. Jerome became a Sir Knight and received his 4th

Degree in an abbreviated ceremony. The group had gathered at the Nav Centre during the day, with local Knights returning there after Mass for a dinner and reception.



#### IN THE DIOCESE AND COMMUNITY

#### **CLERGY CHANGES ANNOUNCED LAST WEEKEND**

#### **Effective 01 August**

- Fr. Ernest Emeodi will replace Fr. Jerome Pastores as Parochial Administrator here at St. Columban

#### Effective 01 July

- Fr. Bob McDonald (St. Mary/St. William) will be retiring for health reasons
- Fr. Louis Groetaelaars (St. Anthony/St.James/St. Michael's) will become Pastor of St. Mary and St. William
- Fr. Cornelius Amaechi will become Parochial Administrator of St. Anthony, St. James and St. Michael's
- Fr. Denis Vaillancourt (Sacred Heart/O.L. of the Assumption) will be retiring
- Fr. Alphonse Yema, s.c.j. (Sacred Heart/O.L. of the Assumption) will be leaving the diocese
- Fr. Eric Robichaud (O.L. of the Angels/O.L. of the Holy Rosary) will become Pastor of Sacred Heart and O.L. of the Assumption
- Fr. Cyriaque Balla (Nativity, Holy Cross and St. Felix) will become Pastor of O.L of the Angels and O.L. of the Rosary
- Fr. Emmanuel N. Wonsangu will become Assistant Pastor at Nativity, Holy Cross and St. Felix

#### PILGRIMAGE TO CALVARY

Calvary is one of our Diocese's hidden treasures. Located in Green Valley, behind the parish of Ste-Marie-de-l'Assomption, Calvary is a unique outdoor Way of the Cross that is open year round. Each summer, monthly outdoor Masses are celebrated in the midst of this remarkable site.

On July 15th, the Diocese will host a special evening pilgrimage. In addition to a visit to Calvary, we will enjoy a wonderful summer supper at Shalom House. Following the meal, we will go to Calvary where we will pray the Stations of the Cross and celebrate Mass with Bishop Marcel Damphousse.

Tickets are just \$10 a person & include transportation and meal.

Tickets can be purchased until July 7<sup>th</sup> at the Catholic Information Centre (146 Chevrier St.)

#### WORLD YOUTH DAY 2016, CRACOW, POLAND

In July 2016, 2 million young adults (ages 18-35) will participate in an amazing pilgrimage to Cracow, the city of Mercy, the city of John Paul II. At the moment, we have a 2 week package in Europe (Prague, Lotz, Auchwitz, Cracow) for approximately \$2,300. Non-refundable \$500. deposit is required for registration by June 2015.

Contact Sister Francine, FMA: fguilmette@alexandria-cornwall.ca or 613-933-1138

#### RECYCLED JEWELRY BENEFIT SALE

Sister Denise Samson thanks all who gave jewelry for her to bring to Papua, New Guinea. There is so much that she can't bring everything, so she has decided to sell the surplus. Proceeds from the sale will help support missionary projects of the Sisters of Sacred Heart of Jesus in Papua, New Guinea.

9 A.M. TO NOON & 4 TO 6:30 P.M., SAT. 27 JUNE 9:45 A.M. TO 1 P.M. SUNDAY, 28 JUNE

in St. Therese de Lisieux Parish Hall

CWL Our Lady of Grace & St. Pius X

SUMMER SUPPER 4:30 TO 6:30 P.M., MON., 29 JUNE
at Our Lady of Grace Church Hall, Ingleside

Adults \$8.; under age 12 \$4. Tickets sold in advance & limited tickets at the door. For tickets call 613-537-2244

The Navy League, in support of RCSCC Stormont (Sea Cadets) is hosting in St. Therese Parish Hall, a **FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST, 9 A.M. TO 2 P.M., 21 JUNE** Adults \$8, ages 5 to 12 \$5. free under 5

#### THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

Throughout this year the diocese will be sending out, by email, a weekly bit of our diocesan history to mark our 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary. If you would like to receive *This Week in History* and be part of our mailing list please visit the diocesan website and join our list today! (top middle of the home page).

#### MASS OF THANKSGIVING - DVD

The Diocese has created a DVD of the Mass of Thanksgiving. If you would like to relive the memories or see it for the first time then you will want to purchase your very own copy. DVDs are \$10. and can be ordered until July 14th.

Contact Marie at 613-933-1138, ext. 22 or email her at diocese@alexandria-cornwall.ca

K of C Bishop Brodeur Assembly 877

MEMORIAL MASS TO THE UNBORN
7 P.M., THURSDAY, 25 JUNE

Mass celebrated by Fr. Matthew Brunet inside St. Peter's Church. All are invited to attend.

PRAISE AND WORSHIP 6:30-7:30 P.M.

Plus - Optional Fellowship 7:45-8:30 St. Peter's Church

THURSDAYS, 23 JULY, 27 AUG.

Come and sing your hearts out to our Lord or listen to the music. It's a casual prayerful hour with Jesus.

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE AND IRELAND accompanied by Father Bernard Cameron OCTOBER 16<sup>TH</sup> TO NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2015

Single - \$3,655. + taxes - Double \$3,155. + taxes
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