

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us. Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us.
St. Joseph, pray for us. St. Columban, pray for us.

ST. COLUMBAN

PARISH

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

NOVEMBER 14, 2021

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Fr. Thomas Riopelle, Parochial Administrator
Rev. Mr. Guy Côté, 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
Marriages	Please notify 6 months in advance

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A list of Masses available online in the Archdiocese can be found on the following website: <https://en.archoc.ca/masses-online>

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ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

IN OUR PARISH

Saturday, November 13th OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

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

5:30 p.m. Maria Dirschl by Annie & Alfie McDonald

Sunday, November 14th THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

9:30 a.m. Angelo & Mona Lebano by Elizabeth & Andre Doyon

11:00 a.m. Herman & Anna Van Den Broeck by the Estate

Monday, November 15 ST. ALBERT THE GREAT (OM)

7:30 a.m. **No Mass** ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 33

Tuesday, November 16th ST. MARGARET of SCOTLAND (OM) or
ST. GERTRUDE (OM)

7:30 a.m. Souls in Purgatory by a Parishioner

Wednesday, November 17th ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY (M)

7:30 a.m. Mark David Tyo by Lloyd & Darlene Tyo

Thursday, November 18th THE DEDICATION OF THE BASILICAS
OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL (OM)

7:30 a.m. Lawrence & Mary St. Denis by The Family

6:30 p.m. Diocesan Catholic Women's League Mass
Of Reconciliation & Healing

Friday, November 19th

7:30 a.m. Katharine McAlear by Larry McDonald

Saturday, November 20th OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

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

5:30 p.m. Marilyn Hamilton by Her Family

Sunday, November 21st OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE
CHRIST THE KING, THIRTY-FOURTH OR LAST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
WORLD DAY OF YOUTH

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

9:30 a.m. Frank Tyo by Ruth & Family

11:00 a.m. Florian Kos by The Family
Michael Heenan (6th Anniversary of Death) by
The Family

Monday, November 22nd ST. CECILIA (M)

7:30 a.m. **No Mass** ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 34

In Rank Order: (S) Solemnity, (F) Feast, (M) Memorial, (OM) Optional Memorial.

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STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"And then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in the clouds' with great power and glory." -MARK 13:26

We will all have that day when we are standing before God and our life is played out like a movie. When this happens and God asks each of us, "What have you done with the gifts that I have given you?" How will you respond? The good news – it's never too late to live a grateful and generous lifestyle.

TODAY'S READINGS – NOVEMBER 14TH, 2021

1st Reading: Daniel 12.1-3

2nd Reading: Hebrews 10.11-14, 18

Gospel: Mark 13.24-32

The Son of Man will gather the elect from the four winds

ATTENTION 5:30 P.M. MASS ATTENDEES

We would like your input on changing the mass time from 5:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Please write your name and preferred mass time on a slip of paper, put it in an envelope and drop it in the collection basket at church.

HONOURING OUR PATRON SAINT

We will celebrate a solemn Mass in honor of Saint Columban, our patron saint, on his feast day, Tuesday November 23rd at 12:10 p.m. All parishioners are invited to participate. We ask that ministry/group coordinators encourage their volunteers to celebrate this special feast day. Thank you for your participation.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

In the tradition of our Church NOVEMBER IS THE 'MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS' a time to pray and give thanks for those we love but see no longer. This year due to Covid 19 restrictions our Book of Remembrance will not be available to inscribe the names of your departed loved ones. **We remember and pray for those who have gone before us.**

DEACON GUY'S REFLECTION

This week's Gospel gives us this thought to reflect on *"Thinking about the uncertainty of time allotted for us in this life, how would you like to live in this coming year."* No doubt there were events and restrictions that impacted how we lived the past year or so. It has affected our family, friends, work and faith life. As we all journey to a new liturgical year, it is good to dream and to ask God to guide us to reach the plan that he has set out for each of us. DG

Deacon Guy's website is thedeaconguy.ca

ADVENT EVENINGS OF REFLECTION

Beginning on December 1st, 2021 at 7:00pm and continuing each Wednesday during Advent. Deacon Guy will be presenting 'O Come, Emmanuel' Reflection series. Please see the notices on the bulletin boards at the church doors.

HEALING AND RECONCILIATION MASS

The Diocesan Catholic Women's League of Alexandria-Cornwall is inviting everyone to a mass of Healing and Reconciliation. The mass will take place at St. Columban's Parish, Cornwall, Ontario on Thursday, November 18th, 2021. Members from St. Regis Mission will be in attendance. The evening will open at 6:30 p.m. with a "Smudging Ceremony" followed by a celebration of Holy Mass.

REMEMBERING OUR LOVED ONES AT CHRISTMAS

The Patrons of St. Columban Foundation ask for your assistance once again this year to keep the repairs to our historic church building on schedule. You can help by making a donation to the Foundation this Christmas "In Memory of a Loved One". Remembrances will be published in a special booklet insert to our Parish Bulletin the weekend of December 18-19, 2021. For your donation, you may use the forms and the envelopes provided at the entrances as you leave the church. Cheques should be made payable to the Patrons of St. Columban Foundation. Please submit in the collection basket at mass or drop off at the parish office by Sunday December 5 to allow for printing. Thank you for your continued support of the work of the Patrons of St. Columban Foundation.

IN OUR PARISH AND DIOCESE

2021 PARISH ENVELOPES

Envelopes are available at the 4th Street entrance. Please, ensure the number on the label matches the number in the box. Beginning January 1st please discard all 2020 envelopes and write your name on the 2021 envelopes for the entire month of January.

NEW PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME

If you are new and would like parish envelopes, please fill out a Registration Form which is located at the 4th St. Main entrance or in person during office hours, Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. You can also call the office during regular business hours (613-932-9616). Please introduce yourself to Fr. Tom or Deacon Guy.

ST. COLUMBAN - CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Vigil, Friday December 24th – 6:00 p.m., 8:00 p.m.
Christmas Day, Saturday December 25th – 10:30 a.m.

ST. COLUMBAN - NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE

New Year's Eve, Friday December 31st – 6:00 p.m.
New Year's Day, Saturday January 1st – 10:30 a.m.

VOCATIONS

Prayer for Vocations: That the Church will be continuously blessed with good and faithful servants following Christ as priests, deacons, sisters and brothers.

POPE FRANCIS NOVEMBER INTENTIONS

Universal intention - People who suffer from depression
We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

DUC IN ALTUM!

A unique « program » for young adults in their 20s and early 30s! Have you ever asked yourself?

1. What am I doing with my life? 2. How do I find out what God's plan of happiness is for me? 3. How do I decide what is best for a life-giving future? Obviously, you can't answer these crucial questions in one day or even one week! Duc in Altum is a discernment spiritual journey over 8 monthly encounters beginning in January 2022 precisely because it takes quality time and space to "Put Out Into the Deep" as invited by Christ in Luke 5:4 (in "Latin, Duc in Altum"). It is hard to put down on paper the difference that Duc in Altum can make in the life of a young adults who dares to walk with God over an 8-month period to find unique and crucial answers for one's life! So, that is why we have 2 info sessions on what this is about on the Zoom platform: Wednesday, Nov. 24 and Wednesday, November 28 at 7pm. For more info, visit www.ducinaltum.ca/ottawa and request the zoom link from Sr. Francine Guilmette at francineguilmette@yahoo.ca

KNEELERS

When leaving the church, you must leave the kneeler in the **down position** for the volunteers who are sanitizing the pews.

ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORT FOR OCTOBER 31, 2021

Sunday Envelopes	4,350.20
Loose Collection	167.42
Total	\$4,517.62

CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS FUND

The **Catholic Women's League** has the yearly responsibility of supplying packages of Jello for the Children's Christmas Fund Baskets. This year we've been requested to collect 25 hundred boxes. We will be collecting the Jello until the end of November. Store brands are much cheaper and just as acceptable, if any parishioner wishes to help us in this endeavour Jello boxes can be dropped off in the baskets provided at the entrances to the Church. If you wish to send a cheque in lieu of boxes of Jello you can make your cheque payable to "St. Columban's Catholic Women's League" and drop it in the collection basket at the mass you attend or drop it off at the Rectory during regular business hours. Thank you for your participation in providing for our local families in need.

MASS ATTENDANCE DURING RE-OPENING ONTARIO

The Provincial Government has announced the plan to safely re-open Ontario. These changes include being able to fully open with proof of vaccinations. **Archbishop Marcel Dampousse** requests parishes to continue with current procedures including maintaining physical distances and **not choosing** to start proof of vaccination. Everyone is welcome to attend mass as long as they wear a mask (unless medically exempt), sanitize their hands and follow the protocols in church.

CATHOLIC CALENDARS HAVE ARRIVED

We have received permission to carry some calendars at the back of the Church on the Book Rack. They are \$5.00 each again this year, and the money goes in the Money Box. The calendars are also available at the Catholic Information Centre, 613-933-5099. Get your copy while they last!

LIVING WITH CHRIST MONTHLY MISSALS

Missals for November are available at the Church for purchase; the cost is \$3.25 each, and you can pick one up Tuesday – Friday before or after 7:30 a.m. Mass or at the weekend Masses.

PRO-LIFE RAFFLE

Pro-Life Cornwall Pro-Vie is selling raffle tickets for a ¼ organic beef cut and wrapped plus a 5 ft. cu. freezer to store the meat. Tickets are just \$5 each or 5 for \$20 and are available at Sharyn's Pantry (812 Pitt St.) in Cornwall and at Maison Shalom House (170 St. Paul St.) in Alexandria. The draw takes place on December 15th. What a great way to kick off the Christmas Season! You can also purchase tickets from **Darlene Brabant (613-935-5828)**.

CATHOLIC INFORMATION CENTRE OPEN

Please take note that the CATHOLIC INFORMATION CENTRE (book and gift shop) is open. Hours are from 10 am to 4 pm Monday to Friday, and Saturdays from 9:00 am until noon. We look forward to serving you. We are at 146 Chevrier Ave., 613-933-5099.

MOVIE NIGHT FOR TEENS

Our next movie night for teens (grade 8s and up) happens on Friday, November 19th at Maison Shalom House in Alexandria. We are showing Black Panther, one of the Marvel Comics' superheroes. Deacon Steven Greydanus of the National Catholic Register, who gave it an A-, had this to say "Black Panther marks the dawn of a new era of Hollywood fantasy in which heroes really can look like anyone — and are allowed to care deeply about honour and justice." The movie, which is FREE, begins at 7 pm. There will also be free drinks and popcorn. There are only 20 spots available so reserve today by emailing Debbie at dpland@alexandria-cornwall.ca or by calling 613-933-1138, ext. 31.



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