

*The Lord is merciful to all, and reminds and warns us of the things through which we sin,
so that we may be freed from wickedness and put our trust in him.*

ST. COLUMBAN

PARISH

31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

OCTOBER 30, 2016

PASTORAL STAFF

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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
Marriages Please notify 6 months in advance

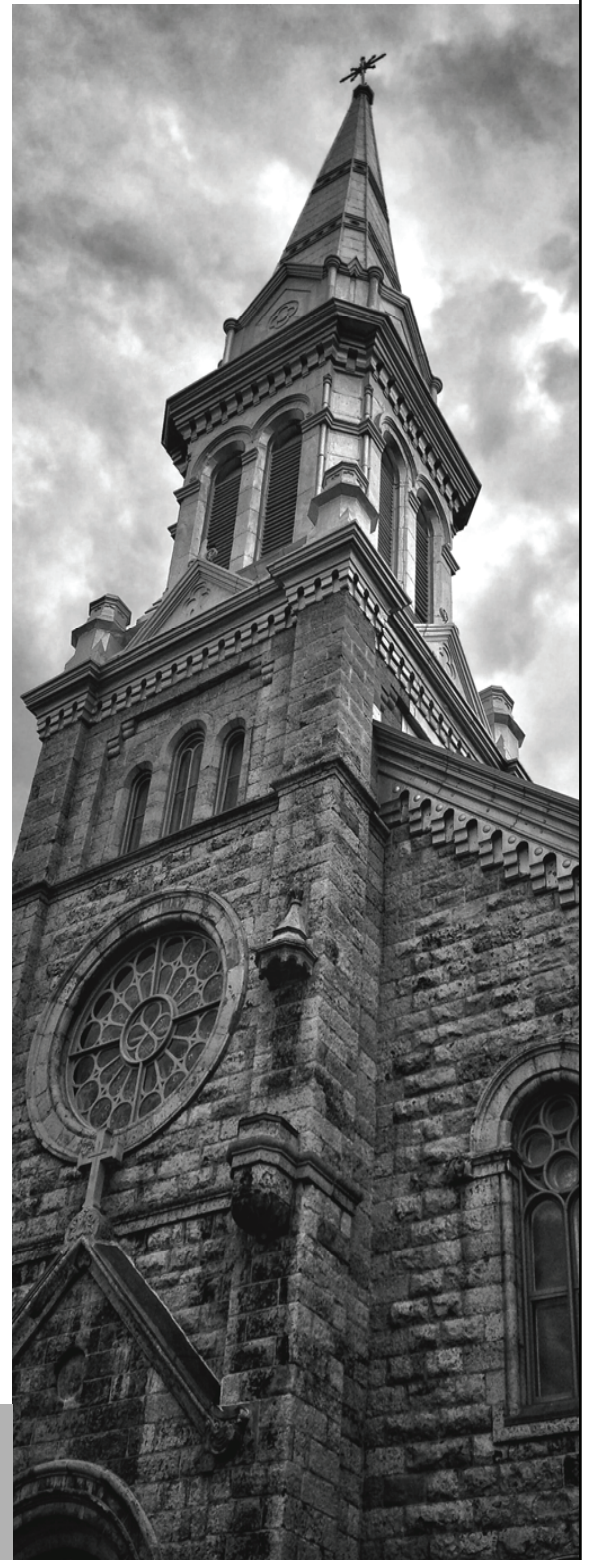
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CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

IN OUR PARISH

Saturday, October 29th OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. Teresa, Cathie & David Fraser by Joan & Lisa

Sunday, October 30th 31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners
9:30 a.m. Sarah Warner by Marilyn & Ron
11:00 a.m. Eileen Mondoux (3rd Anniversary of Death) by the Family

Monday, October 31st

7:30 a.m. No Mass

Tuesday, November 01st ALL SAINTS (S)

7:30 a.m. Isabel Parisien by Knights of Columbus Council 755

Wednesday, November 02nd COMMEMORATION OF

ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED – (All Souls' Day)

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

Thursday, November 03rd

7:30 a.m. Stella McDonald by Ethel Bingley

Friday, November 04th ST. CHARLES BORROMEO (M)

7:30 a.m. Constance Wilson by the Family
8:00 a.m. Adoration

Saturday, November 05th OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

7:00 – 7:25 a.m. Confessions
8:00 a.m. Petitions Given to Our Lady Undoer of Knots
3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. Gerald Villeneuve by Wife Eleanor & Family

Sunday, November 06th 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners
9:30 a.m. Rita Neron by Mary & Keith Grant
11:00 a.m. Claude Labelle by Corrie & Family

Monday, November 07th

7:30 a.m. No Mass

TODAY'S READINGS – OCTOBER 30TH

1st Reading: Wisdom 11.22-12.2
2nd Reading: 2 Thessalonians 1.11-2.2
Gospel: Luke 19.1-10

The Son of Man came to seek out and save the lost.

Safety Concern for Parishioners

The aisles along the east and west walls of the church are too narrow to walk safely because of the spacing between the pews and the heat radiators. Therefore, parishioners are asked to sit nearer the inner side aisle and away from the wall, and ushers are asked not to use the outer aisles along the walls. For parishioners that sit in the side aisles, please be prepared to give your offerings to the ushers when they proceed down the inner side aisle. Thank you for your cooperation.

CHILI SUPPER

Sunday October 30, 2016 in the Activity Centre
The menu includes Chili, Beans, Mac & Cheese, assorted salads, buns, and desserts. Advanced tickets are \$10.00. Tickets available Oct 23 after all Masses.

EMBS PRIESTS' PENSION PLAN

The priests' pension plan annual collection will take place Sunday November 6. We thank you for your consideration and generosity. Should you have any questions, please contact Deacon Pierre Aubé at (613) 933-1138, extension 25, or Father Daniel Van Delst at (613) 932-9226.

PRAYER FOR OUR RCIC CHILDREN

This year the format for the Adopt-A-Candidate program will be changing. We are asking you to pray for all the children in grade two who are doing their sacraments. During each 9:30 mass a lit candle will be brought up and put on an elevation in the front of the church to remind us that we should be praying for the children and their families.

CHALICE - THANK YOU

Thank you so very much for your warm reception and hospitality extended to Sue and I this past weekend. We truly enjoyed our time with you. We sponsored 19 children with a few others promising to sponsor children through the web site. I believe this is an excellent response considering it was our third visit to your parish. Thanks Again and God Bless you and your Ministry at St. Columban's.

Deacon John and Sue Kennedy

HOLY DOORS SCHEDULE AT ST. FINNAN'S CATHEDRAL FOR NOVEMBER

These are the last days in which the Holy Doors are open.
Thursday Nov. 17, 2016 7:30am-5 pm St Finnan's Knights
Saturday Nov. 19, 2016 1pm-5pm* St James CWL
Sunday Nov. 20, 2016 7:30 am-1 pm St Finnan's Knights
Open Doors on Saturdays: 1 pm-5 pm. Confessions between 3-5pm. * Mass at 5 pm. Sunday Masses: 8 am, 11 am. The 17th of each month is an Open Holy Doors as Adoration of the Eucharist begins after 7:30 am Mass through to 5 pm.

DEACON CHRIS CHISHOLM HAPPY 26TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE NOVEMBER 03RD

God bless you and your family on this special day and always.

IN OUR DIOCESE

WOMEN'S MORNING OF REFLECTION

Please join us on **Nov. 5, 2016 from 9:30 until noon** at the Charles-Emile Claude Centre on Chevrier St (behind Nativity co-cathedral) in Cornwall. The morning includes mass, a light breakfast, confession, a talk and the rosary. The theme for this year is "The Year of Mercy". Our speaker this month is Linda Tranchmontagne, a nurse who volunteered for Orbis and Cansee and also lived and worked in Africa for a number of years. Her talk is entitled "Working in the Third World". *A free will offering of \$5 is appreciated. For more information contact Marilyn at 537-2021.*

INTERCESSORY PRAYER - BRING A FRIEND!!

Thank you to all those attending our monthly evening of Intercessory Prayer. Our next evening will take place on Thursday, November 3, 2016, 7pm in the Church. Bring a friend and your specific prayer intentions as we will also continue to pray for our Parish and our Diocese. Followed by refreshments and fellowship. If you would like more information, please call Janet Surgeson at 613-363-5331 or by email at janetsurgeson@gmail.com

FAMILY BREAKFAST

St. Francis de Sales invite you to a 'Family Breakfast' on **Sunday, 30th October 2016 from 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.** in the Parish Hall. Everyone welcome!

DIOCESAN MEETING OF FAMILIES

On **Saturday, October 29th**, the diocese will host a Diocesan Meeting of Families at the Agora Catholic Centre. The guest speaker will be Archbishop Paul-André Durocher who will speak about the Synod on the Family. The English session is from *9:30 a.m. to noon* and the French session from *1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.* Participants from both sessions are invited to share lunch. While the adults are at their session, the kids will participate in a mini Vacation Bible School. The tickets are FREE but the numbers are limited. Information about the day as well as how to get a ticket is available at alexandria-cornwall.ca

St. Columban Collection Report for October 16, 2016

Sunday Envelopes	3495.65
Loose Collection	416.46
Needs of Canadian Church	40.00
Donations and Gifts	40.00
Total	\$ 3992.11

GLEN ROBERTSON HARVEST SUPPER

Father Éric Robichaud and the Parishioners of Saint Martin of Tours in Glen Robertson invite you to their "Harvest Supper" on Sunday, October 30th 2016, from 3:30pm until 7:30pm at the Parish Hall. Adults: \$15.00; Children from 6 to 12: \$6.00; Children under 6: FREE.

ITALIAN BISTRO NIGHT

Blessed Sacrament Parish is having a special evening on November 19th, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. The 5:00 p.m. Mass will be bilingual (Italian & English). We will have an evening of Dinner with authentic Italian music. Tickets are available by contacting the office (613-932-2996). Mark your calendars for this great event. Don't miss it... limited tickets this year!

HOSPITALIZED OR HOMEBOUND

If you are in the hospital or homebound or know someone who is and would like a visit from Fr. Ernest to receive the sacrament of the sick or would like a member of the Pastoral Care outreach to visit please call the parish office. If you would like your name mentioned in the prayers of the sick please call the parish office. All names given to be prayed for must be with permission.

COME JOIN US.....

All women in the parish (16 yrs. Of age or older) are invited to become members of the

ST. COLUMBAN'S CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE.

Your commitment in the CWL could be as easy as maintaining a yearly membership even when you are unable to attend meetings or other events. As time permits, you may enjoy helping with one project. Prayer and a spirit of joy are important parts of CWL projects. **FRESH IDEAS ARE WELCOME; SHARE THEM WITH NEW FRIENDS THAT AWAIT YOU.**

Membership dues are \$25.00 annually and due in November.

For further information please contact

Donna Villemare 613-932-2099.

ST. COLUMBAN'S C.W.L MEMBERSHIP

Joining or renewing your membership.

Please help us update our records by including this form with your membership dues (\$25). Envelopes marked "CWL Membership" may be placed in the collection basket at any Mass.

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