

*I tell you that in the same way there will be more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who do not need to repent.*

# ST. COLUMBAN

## PARISH

24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

September 11, 2016

### PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Fr. Ernest Emeka 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  
Marriages Please notify 6 months in advance

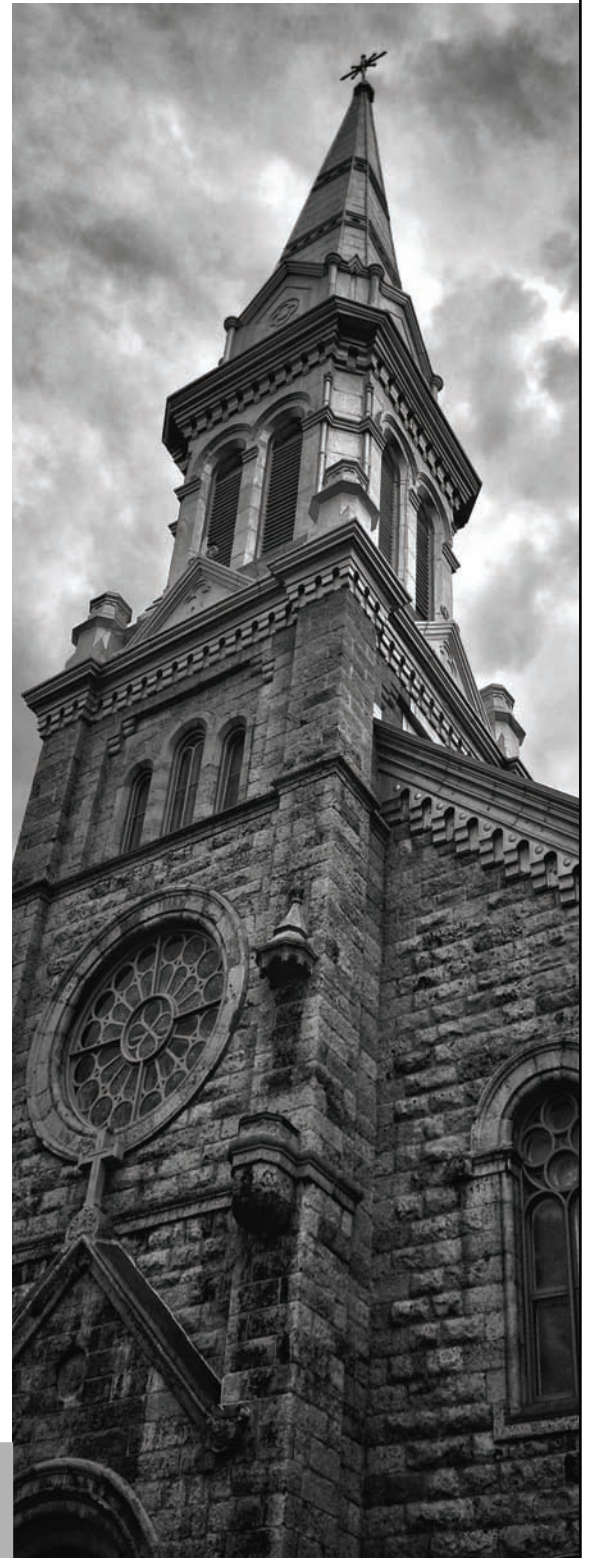
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# CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

# IN OUR PARISH

## SATURDAY, SEPT. 10

3:00 – 4:00 PM Confessions  
5:30 PM Marcel Bourgon  
by Alan & Rita Boyce

## SUNDAY, SEPT. 11

7:30 AM Intentions of Parishioners  
9:30 AM Arnold Lalonde  
by the Lalonde Family  
11:00 AM Jim Welch (10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of  
Death) by Wife Anne & Family

## MONDAY, SEPT. 12

No Mass

## TUESDAY, SEPT. 13 St. John Chrysostom (M)

7:30 AM Isabel & Donald McLennan  
& Family by Judith McLennan

## WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 14 The Exaltation of the Holy Cross (F)

7:30 AM George Brennan by Angus Kelly

## THURSDAY, SEP. 15 Our Lady of Sorrows (M)

7:30 AM Isabel Parisien by Brian Lynch  
& Katie Burke

## FRIDAY, SEPT. 16 St. Cornelius & St. Cyprian (M)

7:30 AM Janet MacMillan  
by St. Columban's CWL

## SATURDAY, SEPT. 17

3:00 – 4:00 PM Confessions  
5:30 PM Richard Jodoin  
by Mom Irene Jodoin

## SUNDAY, SEPT. 18

7:30 AM Lou-Anna MacDougall  
(2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of Death)  
by Alex, Jamie & Scott MacDougall  
9:30 AM Intentions of Parishioners  
11:00 AM Marco Vincelli Sr.  
by the Vincelli Family

## MONDAY, SEPT. 19

No Mass

## OUR LADY UNDOER OF KNOTS LEAVING FOR ST. PETER'S

We have been very fortunate to have the statue of Our Lady Undoer of Knots in our midst at St. Columban's for the past year. During that time, Our Lady has been very good to us in our receiving many blessings and answers to prayer. However, everything does come to an end; and in our case, she will be moving on to St. Peter's Church on 2nd Street in mid-September for a year.

Meanwhile, we will have her with us in the Church from September 1 to 16 for those who wish to thank her, venerate her, and to wish her Godspeed.

### RCIA PROGRAM

We invite those adults non-Catholics and Catholics wishing to become in full communion with the Catholic Church to join us for the RCIA program. This program will help you learn more about the Catholic faith and also prepare for the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, Reconciliation and Communion. For more information please contact Janet Surgeson at 613-363-5331 or by email [janetsurgeson@gmail.com](mailto:janetsurgeson@gmail.com).

### POT LUCK SUPPER

There will be a pot luck supper At 4:30 p.m. following the Patron's Foundation Concert on September 25, 2016. Join us at the Activity Centre in the Agape building. Cost is a goodwill offering at the door.

### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Starting Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup> at the 9:30 Mass. A new year of Children's Liturgy. For children in JK to Grade 2. Ages 4 – 8. For more information please contact Janet at 613.363.5331 or [janetsurgeson@gmail.com](mailto:janetsurgeson@gmail.com).

### NOTICE: BULLETIN BOARDS

The bulletin boards located in the Church will now fall under the Catechesis & Evangelization Ministry. If you wish to post any material it has to come to the Parish Office for approval and signature. Thank you.

### COFFEE AND CHAT

Coffee is being offered at the Fourth St. entrance after Masses today. Stop to enjoy a coffee and chat with your fellow parishioners.

## DEACON CELEBRATING 40TH ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY

Deacon Gordie Bryan will be celebrating his 40th Anniversary of ordination to the Diaconate the weekend of the 10th & 11th September 2016. A mass will be celebrated, in his honour on Sunday September 11, 2016 at 9:30 am at St. Francis de Sales. A reception will be held in the parish hall Sunday afternoon from 2:00- 4:00 p.m. We invite you to come and join Gordie, Fran and their family in celebrating this happy occasion.

## PILGRIMAGE TO HOLY DOORS AT ST. CROIX PARISH

You are invited to attend an ENGLISH pilgrimage to the Cornwall "Holy Doors" at St. Croix Parish (Holy Cross), 108 Anthony St., on Sunday, Sept. 18th, between 3 – 5 p.m.

In this extra-ordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy, Pope Francis designated temporary Holy Doors so that Catholics could gain the plenary indulgences without having to travel to Rome.

Passing over the threshold of the Holy Door symbolizes passing from this world into the Presence of God; from sin to grace. Pope Francis declared: "The Holy Door will become a Door of Mercy through which anyone who enters will experience the love of God who consoles, pardons and instills hope."

Come and pray with us. There will be a Taizé Way of the Cross followed by an Hour of Adoration. Priests will be available for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Come and receive MERCY! Go out and extend MERCY!

## WOMEN'S SILENT RETREAT

The Women's Morning of Reflection are hosting a silent retreat for the ladies at Shalom House the weekend of September 16 - 18. This year's retreat master is Father Todd Arsenault L.C., a priest with the Legion of Christ. The deadline for registration is September 5th. Register today as space is limited. The cost is \$185 with a \$100 non refundable payment. For more information or to register contact Marilynn Light at 613.537.2021 or Heidi Krol at 613.347.7561.

## St. Columban Collection Report for September 4, 2016

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|------------------|-----------------|
| Sunday Envelopes | \$3,115.35      |
| Loose Collection | 300.75          |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>3,416.10</b> |



## COCATHEDRAL REOPENED

The work has now been completed at the Nativity CoCathedral and we are pleased to announce that it has reopened Thursday September 8, the feast day of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Archbishop Terrence Prendergast, S.J., Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese, presided at the opening mass.

## INSPIRE: CALLED TO LOVE

"Catholics...Whether you're young or old, married or single, religious or ordained, INSPIRE: Called to Love is for you! Join thousands in Lake Placid on Sunday, September 25, 2016, to reflect on your baptismal call to holiness. The Vocations Summit will INSPIRE you with dynamic prayer, world-renowned speakers including Archbishop Paul-André Durocher and Bishop Robert Barron and, and will conclude with the celebration of Mass. Together we can cultivate a culture of vocations." BUS TRIP from CORNWALL to Lake Placid. Leaving 8 AM and returning 8 PM. For information contact Marie at 613-933-1138 or [diocese@alexandria-cornwall.ca](mailto:diocese@alexandria-cornwall.ca).

## MARIAN CENACLE

Father Francis Geremia, cs, Vice Director-General of the Marian Movement of Priests, who resides in Como-Lora, Italy, will preside the Rosary and Mass at St. Francis de Sales church on Monday, September 12th, beginning at 6:30 p.m. There will be a free will offering. For information, contact Joan Levy Earle at 613-935-9052.

## TODAY'S READINGS

1st Reading: Exodus 32.7-11, 13-14  
 2nd Reading: 1 Timothy 1.12-17  
 Gospel: Luke 15.1-32

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