

It is possible to be wealthy and to enjoy God's favour—Abraham, David, and Solomon serve as examples. The question is not whether we have money, but whether we love money (see 1 Timothy 6:10)—whether we share God's concern for the poor and vulnerable—whether we are too preoccupied with personal concerns to notice the Lazarus in our midst?

ST. COLUMBAN

PARISH

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

SEPTEMBER 29, 2019

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Saturday Vigil	5:30 PM
Sunday	7:30, 9:30 & 11:00 AM
Tuesday – Friday	7:30 AM
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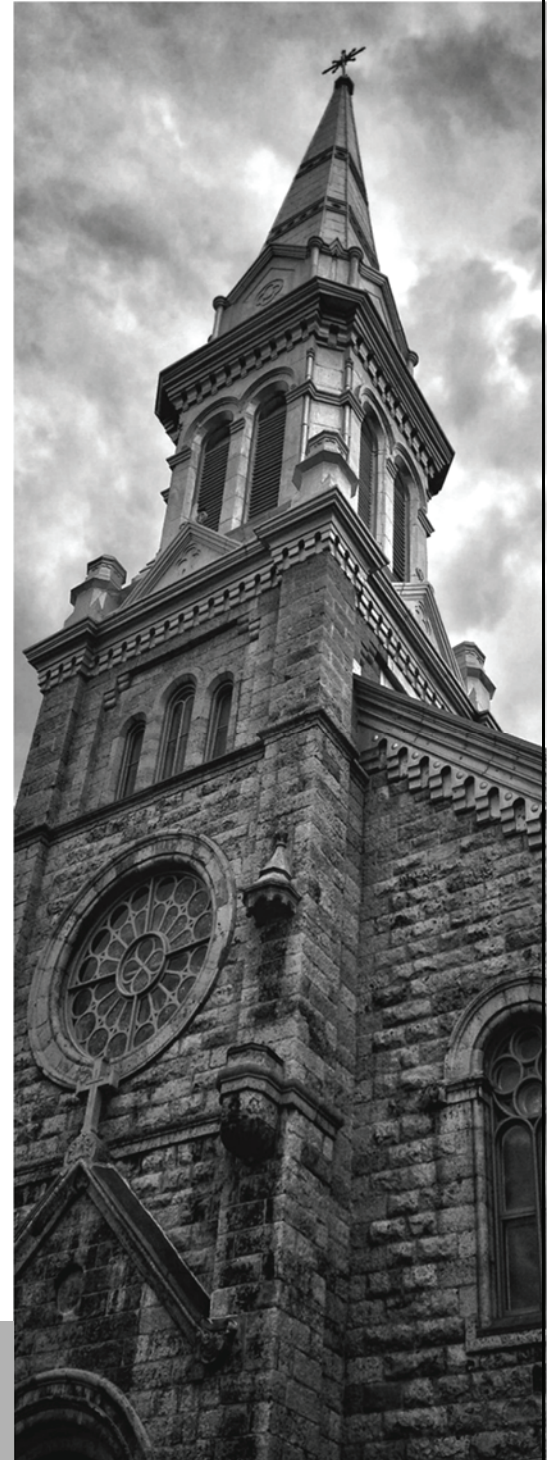
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CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

IN OUR PARISH

Saturday, September 28th ST. WENCESLAUS, ST. LAWRENCE RUIZ
and COMPANIONS, OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. Marilyn Hamilton by Duncan Hamilton

Sunday, September 29th TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
National Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada
World Day of Migrants & Refugees

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners
9:30 a.m. Theresa & Emile Bouvier by Mary & Keith Grant
11:00 a.m. Don Belanger by Wife Darleen & Children

Monday, September 30th SAINT JEROME (M)

7:30 a.m. No Mass ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 26

Tuesday, October 01st ST. THERESE OF THE CHILD JESUS (M)

7:30 a.m. A Special Intention by a Parishioner

Wednesday, October 02nd THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS (M)

7:30 a.m. Wayne Devereaux by Bernadette Blakely

Thursday, October 03rd

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

Friday, October 04th SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI (M)

SACRED HEART of JESUS - FIRST FRIDAY

7:30 a.m. Alice & Zita Andrews by Yolande Robinson
8:00 a.m. ADORATION

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

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY - FIRST SATURDAY

7:00 – 7:25 a.m. Confessions
8:00 a.m. For the Healing & Conversion of Our Children & Grandchildren by a Parishioner
3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. Rheel St. John by Duncan Hamilton

Sunday, October 06th TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners
9:30 a.m. Pete Piquette by Betty Piquette
Raymond Gervais by Daughter Helene McGlynn & Family
11:00 a.m. Kenneth Arcand (20th Anniversary of Death) by Daughter Carolyn Filion

Monday, October 07th OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY (M)

7:30 a.m. No Mass

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented. Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is established..."
- Luke 16:25-26

When God created the world He declared that it was good and He gave it to all mankind for us to enjoy. However, over the years we have created a chasm between those who have great gifts and those who do not. In today's Gospel we see that with our own generosity we must bridge that gap between those who have much and those who have little or we may find ourselves on the wrong side of the chasm in the next life.

PATRONS OF ST. COLUMBAN FOUNDATION CONCERT

The Patrons of St. Columban Foundation presents a Celtic fundraising concert on Sunday October 20 at 2 p.m. in St. Columban's Church. The musical entertainment will feature Bob & Ducky. Tickets cost \$12 and are available at the Parish office during office hours, at all the masses on the weekends of October 5-6, 12-13, by calling Brian Lynch at 613-933-8353, and at the door on October 20. Funds raised at the concert will be directed to pay for the major repair work on the church.

ROSARY RALLY

"There will be a world-wide Rosary Rally on Saturday October 12th. On this day, over 25 countries will gather Catholics together to recite the rosary at 12:00 noon their time. The event celebrates the 102nd anniversary of the sixth visit of Mary at Fatima. We will be praying for Mary's intercession in the conversions of people just as she asked people to do, so long ago. There will be a gathering in Alexandria on this date and another in Cornwall at the bandshell area of Lamoureux Park.



Even though you don't recite the rosary on a regular basis, we are inviting all men, women and children to join us in this wonderful public witness of our reverence for the mother of Jesus and our belief in her intercessory power. Please encourage your friends to join us. If you're unable to attend, please say the rosary in your home.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in November 2019 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1 800 268-2637.

FIRST FRIDAY – OCTOBER 4TH ADORATION

After 7:30 a.m. Mass, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed with a Time of Adoration, prayer, Scripture & meditation, closing with Benediction.



FIRST SATURDAY – OCTOBER 5TH DEVOTION

Confessions 7 to 7:25 a.m., Rosary prayed at 7:30 a.m. Mass at 8 a.m. Come and pray.



CWL MEETING

Join your sisters in Christ Tuesday October 01, 2019 - 7:00 p.m. in the Activity enter (Agape Bldg. Upstairs) for our monthly Catholic Women's League meeting of prayer, community and action. All women of the parish 16 and over are always welcome.

TODAY'S READINGS – SEPTEMBER 29TH

1st Reading: Amos 6.1a, 4-7
2nd Reading: 1 Timothy 6.11-16
Gospel: Luke 16.19-31
You received good things, but Lazarus received evil: now he is comforted, while you are in agony.

IN OUR PARISH AND DIOCESE

MUSIC MINISTRY

As we begin a new season, our Sunday 9:30 am Liturgy Choir is inviting new singers, both men and women, to join us. If you enjoy singing with others, think you may have a gift in the area of music, and wish to serve our parish in this important liturgical ministry, call RICK MCRAE at 613-932-2872 to get more information.

DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

St. Columban's Parish invites all parishioners throughout the Diocese and Akwesasne to join us in our October Devotions, praying the rosary (followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament) at 10:00 a.m. on Oct. 1-3 and all Tuesdays – Fridays from Oct. 8-30. Personal prayer intentions will be received throughout the month and blessed at the closing Mass on Thursday, October 31st at 12:10 p.m.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

The Holy Spirit invites you to enter into a deeper more personal relationship with the One True Living God! Come to the Life in the Spirit Seminar to experience God's Love, Peace, Healing and Joy. Takes place on Mondays, (excluding Thanksgiving Monday) **Oct. 7 - Nov. 25 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm** St. Francis Church Hall. **No Cost!** For more information and to register please call Sheila Kirkey 613-935-8056 sembkir@hotmail.com or Frank Ricci 613-938-1100. The St. Columban's Prayer Group is facilitating the Seminar. (Please note the change in location.)

"The Joy of The Lord is my Strength" Nehemiah 8:8-10

CHILDREN'S LITURGY PROGRAM

A new year of Children's Liturgy has begun at the **9:30 Mass** for children in JK to Grade 2 ~ ages 4-8. For more information please contact Joe Kupina at 613-937-4359.



TUESDAY SOCIAL AFTERNOONS

Parishioners are invited to join with other members on Tuesday between 1:00 and 4:00 pm: At present, the activities are games and social time but we are open to other activities and suggestions. Please, you are welcome to visit at any time and see if this interests you.

FAMILY BREAKFAST

Knights of Columbus Council 5068 are having a 'Family Breakfast' on **Sunday, September 29, 2019 from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall at Precious Blood Parish, Glen Walter. Free will offering. *Everyone welcome.*

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING

Meeting of the Knights of Columbus council 5068 on Wednesday October 02nd, 6:00 p.m. at 205 Amelia St., in meeting room downstairs.

ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 15, 2019

Sunday Envelopes	3,418.15
Loose Collection	324.35
Total	\$ 3,742.50

EXTRAORDINARY MISSIONARY MONTH

October 2019 was decreed by Pope Francis **Extraordinary Missionary Month**, in order to revive the people of God in their Mission: to manifest the love of God to all humanity. The theme for the month is: **"Baptized and sent: The Church of Christ on mission in the world"**.

BOOKTABLE NEWS

For those who missed out on getting a copy of Bishop Barron's new book 'A Letter to a Suffering Church', a new shipment has arrived. Besides providing us with convincing information to share with those who are away from the Church, Bishop Barron also gives us a new appreciation for the 'gift of the Church'. On the Booktable for only \$3.00 (reg. \$9.95 U.S.).

UPDATE ON THE AMALGAMATION OF ALEXANDRIA-CORNWALL AND OTTAWA

Within the next month, the Archdiocese of Ottawa and the Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall will petition the Vatican to formalize the amalgamation of our two dioceses. The petition proposes that the two entities become one archdiocese and that the name of the new archdiocese be the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall. As new developments occur we will provide you with updates. In the meantime, we ask all the faithful to continue to pray for spiritual guidance as the two dioceses work through this process.

WOMEN'S MORNING OF REFLECTION

Please join us **Sat. Oct. 5 from 9:00 am - 12:00** at the Agora Centre, 301 McConnell Ave., Cornwall, for mass, confession, breakfast, a talk and the rosary. The talk will be "The Flame of Love Movement" which is a devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. For any inquiries please contact Heidi Krol 613 -347-7561 or Marilynn Light 613-537-2021. A free will offering of \$5 is appreciated.

LIFE CHAIN

LIFE CHAIN is coming Sunday October 6th, from 2 to 3 p.m. to two locations in Cornwall – Brookdale and Ninth and Marleau and McConnell. We will meet at 1:50 p.m. on the southwest corner of both these locations. Signs are provided. Set aside one hour to stand silently, praying, and holding a sign to remind people of the sanctity of human life and that abortion is indeed the killing of an unborn child. Millions of Canadians have had their lives terminated through abortion. The long term effects on their mothers, their families and society are only now coming to light.

St. Columban's Catholic Women's League 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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