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# ST. COLUMBAN

## PARISH

**TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C II)**

**SEPTEMBER 04, 2022**

### 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
Tue., Thu., Fri.	7:30 AM
Wednesday	12:10 PM
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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### ONLINE MASS SCHEDULES

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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## CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

<b>Saturday, September 03rd</b>		<b>ST. GREGORY THE GREAT (M)</b>
<b>IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY - FIRST SATURDAY</b>		
7:00 – 7:25 a.m.	Confessions	
8:00 a.m.	Our Children & Their Families by Carole & Richard Pilon	
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Confessions	
5:30 p.m.	Nancy Cera by Michel & Lise Martineau	
<b>Sunday, September 04th</b>		<b>TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>
7:30 a.m.	People of the Parish	
9:30 a.m.	Gerry DiCola by Wife Lise & Son Brian	
11:00 a.m.	Ron Welsh by His Fellow Funeral Servers	
<b>Monday, September 05th</b>		<b>LABOUR DAY</b>
7:30 a.m.	<b>No Mass</b>	<b>ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 23</b>
<b>Tuesday, September 06th</b>		
7:30 a.m.	In Honor of St. Dominic by Bernadette Blakely	
<b>Wednesday, September 07th</b>		
12:10 p.m.	Betty Febrile by Carol Papps	
<b>Thursday, September 08th</b>		<b>THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (F)</b>
7:30 a.m.	Anne McDonald	
<b>Friday, September 09th</b>		<b>ST. PETER CLAVER (OM)</b>
7:30 a.m.	Doris Tessier by St. Columban Catholic Women's League	
<b>Saturday, September 10th</b>		<b>OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)</b>
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Confessions	
5:30 p.m.	Maurice Provost by Alfie & Annie McDonald	
<b>Sunday, September 11th</b>		<b>TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>
7:30 a.m.	People of the Parish	
9:30 a.m.	Michelle Beland by Her Friends in the Choir	
11:00 a.m.	Tanya Przyk by the Vincelli Family	
<b>Monday, September 12th</b>		<b>THE MOST HOLY NAME OF MARY (OM)</b>
7:30 a.m.	<b>No Mass</b>	<b>ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 24</b>

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

## PARISH WEBSITE

We now have a website for the Parish. It is a work in progress, but there is a welcome page and access to the online parish bulletins. The website address is:

[www.stcolumbanparishcornwall.ca](http://www.stcolumbanparishcornwall.ca)

The online parish bulletins can still be accessed using:

[www.parishbulletins.com/bulletins/111](http://www.parishbulletins.com/bulletins/111)

## POPE FRANCIS SEPTEMBER INTENTIONS

**For the abolition of the death penalty.** We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

## SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

If you are scheduled at the hospital for surgery and would like the Sacrament of the Sick before entering the hospital, please see Fr. Tom at the beginning of mass or call the office.

## TODAY'S READINGS – SEPTEMBER 04<sup>TH</sup>, 2022

1st Reading: Wisdom 9.13-18  
 2nd Reading: Philemon 9b-10, 12-17  
 Gospel: Luke 14.25-33  
 Whoever of you does not give up all that he has cannot be my disciple.

## IN OUR PARISH

### PLEASE NOTE

The Parish Office will also be closed Wednesday, September 14, 2022.



### SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION

The living flame of the Sanctuary Lamp, signifying the Eucharistic presence of our Lord Jesus Christ, is offered this week in welcome to Fr. Marc Gaudet as he begins his Priestly Ministry here at St. Columban's from all his parishioners.



### FOUNDATION TREASURER POSITION

The Patrons of St. Columban Foundation have a vacancy for the position of treasurer. The responsibilities of the treasurer are to keep the accounting records, deposit money and disburse funds, report to the Foundation board and provide the financial statement. If interested, please contact Brian Lynch at [brijo@pppoe.ca](mailto:brijo@pppoe.ca) or 613-933-8353.

### A PRAYER FOR THE BEGINNING OF THE SCHOOL YEAR

Heavenly Father, we praise you for the wonder of our being, for mind, body and spirit. Be with all the children as they begin a new school year. Bless them and their teachers and all support staff. Give them strength and grace as they adjust to the many changes they see this year; wisdom and knowledge to their minds as they search for understanding; and peace and zeal to their hearts. Keep them healthy and safe. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



### SUNDAY 9:30 AM CHOIR - NEW MEMBERS

Are you someone who likes to sing and would enjoy singing with others? Can you carry a tune without difficulty? Are you interested in learning how to read music? The music ministry is vitally important to our Church's liturgy. If you want to consider serving our parish in this way, please contact CHOIR DIRECTOR, RICK MCRAE at 613-932-2872 for more details.

### ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORT FOR AUGUST 21, 2022

Sunday Envelopes	3,183.00
Loose Collection	384.40
Weekly Total	\$3,567.40

### STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

*"Everyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple."* LUKE 14:33

*When we first hear this statement, it seems that Jesus is making an unrealistic demand upon us. How can we renounce all of our possessions? We need them to live. However, what we must renounce is the belief that they belong to us. Everything that we have belongs to God alone. All of our resources are entrusted to us not only for our own use but also so that we can help others. Once we renounce the idea that we possess or are entitled to anything, it is much easier to share the many gifts that God has given us. Then we truly are His Disciples.*

## IN OUR PARISH AND DIOCESE

### **PATRONS OF ST. COLUMBAN FOUNDATION FUNDRAISING CONCERT**

The Patrons of St. Columban Foundation presents a fundraising Celtic concert on Sunday, September 25, at 2 p.m. in St. Columban's Church. The musical entertainment will feature the Brigadoons. Funds raised at the concert will be directed to pay for the capital repair work on the church. Admission is freewill donation. Cheques are payable to Patrons of St. Columban Foundation. Everyone is welcome.

### **LOVE THY NEIGHBOUR**

#### **Food Drive for Saint Vincent de Paul**

The SVDP has relocated to the newly renovated hut next door to Saint Francis de Sales Parish and has a need for some items to help refill their food bank. As a reminder, they are open Tuesday, and Friday 9 am to 11 am. Over the next few weeks, we will be gathering the following items:

Mr. Noodles, Canned Meats, Canned Vegetables, and Cookies.

Thank you for your continued generosity and Loving Thy Neighbour.

Peace, **Deacon Guy**

### **AGAPE CENTRE COMMUNITY BBQ POSTPONED**

The Agape Centre Community BBQ was cancelled on August 23, due to a 90% chance of rain; it will be rescheduled in September. For those who have baked cookies, I wish to thank you very much and if possible, can you freeze them, and we will use them in September?

### **DUC IN ALTUM**

**Duc in Altum is a unique program for young adults in their 20s and early 30s.** Have you ever asked yourself? What am I doing with my life? How do I find out what God's plan of happiness is for me? How do I decide what is best for a life-giving future?

You can't answer these crucial questions in one day or even one week! So, here is why Duc in Altum offers a spiritual discernment journey over eight monthly encounters beginning in October 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 young adults who dares to walk with God to find unique and crucial answers for their life! So, that is why we have two info sessions on what this is about on the Zoom platform: Tuesday, September 13 at 7 pm or Sunday, September 18 at 3:00 pm. For more info, contact Sr. Francine at 613-937-4956, visit [www.ducinaltum.ca/ottawa](http://www.ducinaltum.ca/ottawa) and express your interest in one of the info sessions at: [duchomeottawa@gmail.com](mailto:duchomeottawa@gmail.com).

### **LIVING WITH CHRIST MONTHLY MISSALS**

Missals for September 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.

### **MASS, DINNER and CONCERT INVITATION**

The organizing committee of the 135th anniversary of the Paroisse Nativité de la B.V.M. Invites you to attend the solemn Mass of the closing of the jubilee Saturday, September 10th, 2022, at 4:00 p.m. This Mass will be celebrated by the Most Reverend Marcel Damphousse, Archbishop of the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall.

The Mass will be followed by a dinner in the Agora Hall (Nativity) next to the parish and will end with an evening concert. The cost of this evening is \$50.00 per person.

Tickets are available at the parish office and before and after weekend masses. For reservation, an answer must be received by September 1st, 2022.

Sincerely yours, Father Emmanuel Ngiruwonsanga,  
Organizing Committee

### **ANNUAL PARISH FUNDRAISING SUPPER**

You are cordially invited by **Father Cal** and the parishioners of Blessed Sacrament Parish, Cornwall, to their **Annual Parish Fundraising Supper**, which will take place on **Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022**, from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., at Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall. Menu: Spaghetti and meat sauce, salad, buns and pie. Tickets: Adults: \$10.00, children (6-12 years): \$5.00, children under 6 years: free. All take out orders \$10.00.

### **MEMORIAL SERVICE AT OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CEMETERY**

The Memorial Service at Our Lady of the Rosary Cemetery in Crysler will be on Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at 2:00 pm. The Eucharistic celebration will take place in the church in case of rain. Please bring your lawn chair.

### **ST. ANDREW'S PARISH MEMORIAL SERVICE**

**St. Andrew's Parish Memorial/Cemetery Service** will take place on **Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>** in the church at **11:15 a.m. at the end of the 10:30 a.m. mass**. Following the prayers in church, Fr. Louis will go to the cemetery and bless family plots.

### **FOR HOLY MINISTERS**

**O FATHER**, raise up among Christians abundant and holy vocations to the priesthood, who keep faith alive and guard the blessed memory of your Son Jesus through the preaching of his word and the administration of the Sacraments, with which you continually renew your faithful.

Grant us holy ministers of your altar, who are careful and fervent guardians of the Eucharist, the sacrament of the supreme gift of Christ for the redemption of the world. Call ministers of your mercy, who, through the sacrament of Reconciliation, spread the joy of your forgiveness.

Sustain the Bishops, priests and deacons, consecrated men and women, and all the baptized in Christ so that they may faithfully fulfil their mission at the service of the Gospel.

This we pray through Christ our Lord. Amen.





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