

## October 15, 2017

### 28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 17th

6pm + Bunny Chapman - Frank & Becky Ball

Wednesday 18th

9<sup>am</sup> + Margaret Lambert - Nora, Joan & Eileen

Thursday 19th

at Rainycrest

10am + David Fontana - Gladys Martin

Friday 20th

9<sup>am</sup> + Grace Armstrong – David & Terril Strain & Family Saturday 21<sup>st</sup>

5pm + Betty Zimmerman - Tammy & Eloise McGee and

+ Eileen & Don McGee - Phyllis & Lynn Keller

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> (9am at Our Lady of Lourdes)

9am + Carolyn Stamarski - Richard

11<sup>am</sup> + Sadie Darvell - Megan, Jerry & Diane

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1st reading: (Isaiah 25.6-10a)
2nd reading: (Philippians 4.12-14, 19-20)
Gospel: (Matthew 22.1-14)

In your prayers, please remember those who are sick: Eva Mattson, Arlene Steinke, Ewan

MacKintosh, Rosalie Cousineau, Shirley Fraser, Nick Mutz, Kari Urquart, Ernie McColeman, Queenie Leschinski, Maurice DeGagné, Nicole LePine,

Larry Mattson, Dianne Pattison, Noella & Rick Hamilton, Father Michael Mitchell, David Whalen, Isabella Keuler, Ismael Albao, Margrit Schaum, Marie Bock

> Offertory Collection for St. Mary's <u>Weekend Of</u> October 8<sup>th</sup> - \$4494.41

> > <u>Counting Teams</u> October 16<sup>th</sup> - Evelyn



Congratulations to the families that had their children Baptized on October 8th: Nora Marie, daughter of Andrew & Nicole Maki and Joshua Harvey, son of Alexander &

Brooke Friesen.

#### ALTAR SERVER WORKSHOP & TRAINING

There will be an altar server practice on Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:30am. Lunch will be provided. Old and New members are invited to come to this training. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church. Please let us know if you plan to attend so we know how much food we will need to order. Thanks!



October is the month of the Holy Rosary. We will be praying the rosary 20 minutes before every weekend mass in October. We will have a schedule of the groups leading the prayers posted at the back of the church.



# OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH NEWS

In your prayers, please

remember those who are sick:

Jan Adams, Linda Anderson, Greg Perreault, Doug Cross, George Supinski, Curtis Jourdain, Florence Lampi, Jan Glueheisen, Phyllis Johnson (Bruyere), Ron Mainville, Kayla Bruyere, Father Milton McWatch

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October 8<sup>th</sup> - \$ 502.11



#### Mark Your Calendars!!!

OLOL CWL Fall Tea & Bazaar October 15 from 2:00-4:00pm at OLOL Parish Hall Everyone is welcome!

#### What's going on?!

October 17 – Assoc. of St. Marguerite d'Youville – 1:00pm

October 18 – School Mass – 10:00am

- CWL October Rosary - 6:30pm

- RCIA Class - 6:30pm

October 19 - Grades 7 & 8 NET Retreat – 9:00am – 2:30pm

October 21 – Youth Mass & Life Teen

- Altar Server Training & Workshop - 10:30am

October 21&22 – Birthdays & Anniversaries after mass

October 22 – OLOL Birthdays & Anniversaries after mass

October 24 – CWL Executive – 1:30pm

- Confirmation meeting - 7:00pm

October 25 – OLOL Parish Council – 7:00pm(date change)

October 26 – EDGE night – 6:30- 8:30pm



With grateful heart, I wish to THANK all of you who joined me and wished me well on the celebration of the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of my Priestly Ordination. Your

beautiful cards with heartwarming messages, together with your nice and generous gifts made me so jubilant and blessed! I wish to thank as well the people who made my Anniversary Supper a delightful success. You are all God's gifts to me, wrapped in splendent and diverse ways. For everything – to God be the glory!

#### Sincerley, Father Alan



Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith? Join us at an upcoming RCIA meeting or call the parish office at 274-5233 to find out more. We will be starting the program Wednesday, Oct. 18, 2017 at 6:30pm.



Please do **not** water the plants in the Parish.

When decorating in the Parish hall, please only use **regular** scotch tape! Thanks!



### **EDGE**: Youth groups for grades 6-9

The EDGE group had a great night playing games at St. Michael's school. Our next EDGE night will

be on the 26<sup>th</sup> of October.



#### **LIFE TEEN Youth groups for grades 9-12**

Next Life Teen is October 21<sup>st</sup> after mass at 5pm. During this Life Night we will be learning about Catholic Apologetics. Hope to see you

there!!

<u>Life Teen Lunches</u>: Life Teen lunches will be starting November 1<sup>st</sup> More details to follow.

#### Homemade Salsa - Medium/Hot



125ml - \$3.00

250ml - \$5.00

500ml - \$8.00

All proceeds go to St. Mary's Youth Group activities. Thank you for your support!

#### **Discovery Camp Lost & Found**

If you are missing anything from camp, this is your last chance to stop by the Parish Office to look for it!! If these items are not picked up by the end of October, they will be donated.

#### Associates of St. Marguerite d'Youville Annual Coat Drive

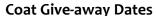


Coat Drop Off Location and Dates

Volunteer Bureau 401 Fourth St. W. (formerly the CN Starion)

Monday, October 23 - 1-4pm Tuesday October 24 – 1-4pm

Wanted: Clean, good condition, used, winter coats for men, women and children. Mittens, Hats, and Boots also welcome.





Volunteer Bureau 401 Fourth St. W.

Wednesday October 25 – 1-3pm Thursday October 26 – 1-3pm No Earlies....PLEASE!



TOO AND CHIEF

100 years ago, our Blessed Mother appeared to three children in Fatima, Portugal. She revealed her name and her identity as *Our Lady of the Rosary*. In the six times that she appeared, she repeated

the message: *Pray the rosary*. All are invited to join in praying the rosary on Wednesday, October 18 at 6:30pm. Fellowship will follow in the church hall.



St. Michael's School is looking for donations of used Halloween costumes. Our students wear clothing anywhere from a size 3T to a size 10 kids. If you have any costumes to donate, we would ask that you kindly drop them off at St. Mary's Parish or at St.

Michael's School. Thanks so much!

# <u>Food for Your Journey – Heaven for the Humorist</u>

There is the story of an Irishman who died suddenly and went up for divine judgement. He felt very uneasy, for he didn't think he had done much good on earth. There was a long line of people ahead of him, so he settled down to look and listen.

After consulting his big book, Christ said to the first man in line, "I see here that I was hungry and you gave me to eat. Good on you! Go on into heaven."

To the second he said, "I was thirsty and you gave me to drink," and to the third, "I was in prison and you visited me."

And so it went on. As each man ahead of him was sent to heaven, the Irishman examined his conscience and felt that he had a great deal to fear. He'd never given anyone food or drink, and he hadn't visited prisoners or the sick.

Then his turn came. Trembling, he watched Christ examining the book. Then Christ looked up and said, "Well, there's not much written here; but you did do something: I was sad and discouraged and depressed and you came and told me funny stories which made me laugh and cheered me up. Get along to heaven..."

This story makes the point that no form of charity should be undervalued or neglected.

#### A Smile for Your Journey - Sunday Stupor

Miss Gladys was a regular fixture in morning worship at First Church. On this one particular morning the pastor's message went on forever. Some in the congregation dozed off.

Following the service, she walked up to a very sleepy looking visitor to welcome him. "Hello, I'm Gladys Dunn."

To which the visitor replied, "You're not the only one."

#### **CWL Christmas Tea & Bazaar**

The annual CWL tea and bazaar is fast approaching on November 19! The convenors are Mitzi Armstrong - 275-9905 and Evelyn Rawn - 276-8507and Kim LePine - 275-7832. The sub-convenors are in place and will be contacting you for your help. Please contact us if you have anything to offer. We look forward to another fun and successful tea and bazaar. (There will be sticky buns for sale!)

Get your 50/50 tickets before they sell out! (Please remember to turn in your sold tickets the week of October 30<sup>th</sup>.)

#### Calling all bakers!

We don't want to bother you with phone calls, but we need your donations for the CWL Bazaar Bake Table. Please accept this as your invitation to contribute cakes, cookies, bars,

tarts, breads and pies. We are always happy to receive pickles, jams, relishes, perogies and cabbage rolls. All donations are most welcome. Please pass this information along to friends and family. Donations may be dropped off in the church basement on the afternoon of November 18<sup>th</sup> and before/after mass on November 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>. Call Shari at 274-7410 or Jenny at 274-9264 with questions. **Thank you!**