

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 15th

6^{pm} + Chris Lowe – Tom & Rochelle Duchnicki

Wednesday 16th School Mass

9:30^{am} + Annie Webb – Marg Rousseau

Thursday 17th at Rainycrest

**10^{am} + Chris Lowe – Margrit Schaum and Intentions
of Sister Betty Iris Bartush's 90th birthday –
Alan & Anne Zucchiatti**

Friday 18th

9^{am} + Chris Lowe – Nora Paulenko

Saturday 19th

**5^{pm} + Olga Dawkins – Doreen Bodnar, Brent, Nina & Family
and + Herman Rodrigues Sr. – The Family**

Sunday 20th (9am at Our Lady of Lourdes)

9^{am} + Edward (Joe) George – The Family

**11^{am} + Marvel Ricard – The Family and + Claude & + Helen
& + Claude DeBenedet Jr. – The Family**

October 13, 2019

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st reading: (2 Kings 5.14-17)

2nd reading: (2 Timothy 2.8-13)

Gospel: (Luke 17.11-19)

***No one returned to give glory to God except this
foreigner.***



In your prayers, please remember those who

are sick: Shirley Fraser, Ernie McColeman,
Queenie Leschinski, Maurice DeGagné, Nicole
LePine, Larry Mattson, Noella & Rick Hamilton,
David Whalen, Isabella Keuler, Laura Dillon, Art
Cross, Nicholas Delvecchio, Catherine MacDonald, Father
Thomas, Florence Lerman, David Cross, Keagan Evans,
Julie Halvorsen, Patrick McColeman, Bridger Hands, Mary
Kolynchuk, Dan Loney, Laura Ahrens & Family, Lori
Woodgate, Ewen MacKintosh

Offertory Collection for St. Mary's

Weekend Of

October 6 – \$2089.66

Counting Teams

October 15 - Evelyn

Father Alan's Farewell Party

Saturday, October 19, 2019

In the Parish Hall

Cocktails at 6:00pm (Cash Bar)

Dinner to follow

Tickets \$15.00

Available at the Parish Office & after masses.

Final date to purchase tickets is October 15th!!



The third Sunday of every month will be Food Box Sunday.
Please bring non-perishable food items for the needy.



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

PARISH NEWS

**In your prayers, please
remember those who are sick:**

Jan Adams, Linda Anderson, Doug Cross, George Supinski,
Curtis Jourdain, Florence Lampi, Brian McPherson, Mary
Lou Parks, Leslie Bauer, Rudy Morrisseau, Shirley A.
Bruyere, Sue Foran-Ross, Dale Krueger, Lana Mainville,
Angela Bruyere, Steven "Beaver" Morrisseau

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Weekend of

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LOL CWL Fall Tea & Bazaar

Sunday, October 20

2:00-4:00pm

LOL Parish Hall

Everyone is welcome!

Admission - \$4.00/under 12 - \$2.00

LOL - 2019 Bishop's Diocesan Ministry Campaign



**Walk to
Emmaus
THE UPPER ROOM**

**This year's theme is
"Together on the Road".
Your envelopes are
ready for you to pick up**

**in the lobby. If you need an envelope, please contact
the parish office. This year's goal is \$4,000.00. We
have received \$900.00 so far in donations. Thank you!**

What's going on?!

Oct. 14 – Parish Office Closed – Thanksgiving

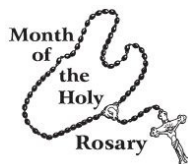
Oct. 15 – Assoc. of Ste. Marguerite d'Youville

– 1:00pm

– Confirmation Meeting – 7:00pm

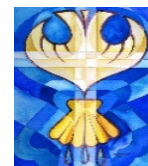
Oct. 17 – EDGE Night – 6:30-8:30pm

Oct. 19 – Father Alan's Farewell Party – 6:00pm



**October is the month of the Holy Rosary.
We will be praying the rosary 20 minutes
before every weekend mass in October.
There is a schedule of the groups leading
the prayers posted on the bulletin board.**

**Congratulations to Kyle and Cara,
who had their children, Morgan
Duanne Mae & Deegan Jeffre
Ronald Fulcher, baptized on
October 5th.**



St. Mary's - 2019 Bishop's Diocesan Ministry Campaign

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have received \$5880.00 so far in donations. Thank
you!**



**Walk to
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THE UPPER ROOM**



The EDGE did not have a lesson this past Thursday. The youth had a great trip to the NET centre in St. Paul on Saturday. The program was amazing and Michael was super surprised to see us! Thanks to the youth who attended for being so well behaved, and to the leaders who helped supervise :) We are truly blessed to be able to participate in these events. Happy Thanksgiving! **Our next EDGE will be on Oct 17th at St. Mary's at 6:30pm.**

High Schoolers are welcome to LIFE TEEN which runs once a month on Saturday nights following our Youth Mass. Have questions? Send an email message to stmarys_youth@tbaytel.net or kaligbrady@gmail.com or call Kali Brady, Youth Ministry Director at 275-9225. **Our first Life Teen night is November 2nd.** If you missed registration night, contact Kali or the parish office. Life Teen (\$160).



CWL News

Our Christmas Tea & Bazaar is quickly approaching on November 17th. Ladies, when doing your fall cleaning, if you should come upon any treasures



that you no longer need or want, please consider donating them to the bazaar. (ie: silent auction, prize tables, jewellery, scarves, purses, Christmas table, children's corner, etc.) We are truly lucky to have such a generous parish!! Also, if anyone would like to participate - your help is always welcome - we can find a place for you at one of our tables or more hands are always needed in the kitchen. Please call Evelyn at 276-8507 or Mitzi at 275-9905 or Kim for the kitchen at 275-7832. Thank you in advance for your continuing support.

50/50 tickets can be returned to the Parish office anytime!!



Women, 18 or older, are invited to join the Blessed Conversations Ways to Pray study group. This group will meet the last Monday of the month at 7pm in the Meeting Room, beginning on October 28th. The cost for the study material is \$9.00 each. The sign-up sheet can be

found at the back of the church. Please contact Johanna Strahl if you have any questions and for more information.



Pancake Breakfast
Fundraising Event



Sunday, October 27th at 12pm, following Mass.
At St. Mary's Hall. Minimum \$5.00 donation with all funds raised going to Coats for Kids.
There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church.
Please RSVP by October 22nd to confirm numbers.



The Lovisa family would like to thank our Church and Community, the CWL and the funeral committee, for all the support and generosity in the loss of Chris Lowe. The prayers, Mass cards and gifts of food and friendship are very much appreciated.

Food for Your Journey - The Prayer of a Clown

Once there was a clown who walked from town to town, entertaining people with his dances and tricks and magic. Then one day he got tired of it all and joined a monastery. He wanted to spend the rest of his life honouring God in silence and prayer. But after a while all this prayer and silence dried him up spiritually and he became sad.

One day, when he couldn't stand it any longer, he slipped away to a tiny chapel in the forest. There he threw off his heavy clothes and, dressed only in his shorts, he began to tumble and somersault and twirl just as he used to for the village crowds. But this time it was his prayer to the Lord.

One of the monks who had spied on him reported his strange behaviour to the abbot. In fear and embarrassment, the monk stood before his superior and confessed, "Father Abbot, I am not worthy to be a monk. I don't have what it takes. I want to leave and go back to my clowning. My job in life is to make people happy."

The abbot would not hear of it. He grabbed the clown by the shoulders, looked him straight in the eye, and said, "Brother, you stay right here, and keep right on honouring God in your clowning way. When you tumble and twirl, you pray with body and soul. It is better than the prayers we say with our lips, and often our minds are faraway. Please keep on dancing your prayers to God. You pray better than we do."

A Smile for Your Journey

Once a bishop was checking the accounts of a parish priest. He was amazed to find a large amount spent on dog's meat. He took the priest to task.

"How many dogs do you have?" he questioned.

"Five, Your Grace!" answered the priest.

"Five dogs!" cried the bishop. "What do you need so many dogs for?"

"Well, Your Grace," explained the priest, "I am often prone to bouts of serious temptation. But each time I'm tempted, I chase the dogs and get rid of temptation that way."

The bishop was satisfied with the explanation. The parish priest went his way. But he was amazed to receive a letter from the bishop the following month.

'Please send me six dogs at once,' it stated.

NET RETREAT

The NET Team will be here to do a retreat with the grades 7 & 8 on October 31st. We need billets for the team members.

The team will get here on October 30th and they will need dinner when they arrive. They will need breakfast and lunch on October 31st. See the poster on the bulletin board for more info. Please contact the parish office at 274-5233 if you can help!

