



June 17, 2018

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 19th

6^{pm} Special intentions of Shirley Fraser & Family

Wednesday 20th

9^{am} + Art Carpenter – Monique & Frank Strain

Thursday 21st at Rainycrest

10^{am} + Frances Kepes – Margaret Koles

Friday 22nd 7pm at Bear's Pass Chapel

9^{am} + Alphonse LaRoche - Jack & Laura Dillon

7^{pm} + Gladys Martin – Don & Beatrice Galbraith

Saturday 23rd

5^{pm} + Marlene Deschamps – Bruce & Evelyn Rawn
and for the intentions of Maria & Luis Rego –
The Rodrigues Family

Sunday 24th (9am at Our Lady of Lourdes)

9^{am} + Laurie Norris – Mildred and + Myron Hawrylak
– Dick, Rose & Family

11^{am} + Jim Lowey – John & Tammy Bock
and for the intentions of Delores Chabot –
Bernice Kempf

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ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1st reading: (Ezekiel 17.22-24)

2nd reading: (2 Corinthians 5.6-10)

Gospel: (Mark 4.26-34)

The smallest seed becomes the greatest of all shrubs.



In your prayers, please remember those

who are sick: 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, David Whalen, Isabella Keuler, Cyril Chabot, Monica Hanzuk, Jack Dillon, Art Cross, Nicholas Delvecchio, Catherine MacDonald, Jamie Buttner

*Offertory Collection for St. Mary's
Weekend Of*

June 10 – \$2170.87

Counting Teams

June 25 - Linda

KC CORNER

The Knights of Columbus 4th Degree meetings are cancelled for the summer. The next meeting will be Thursday, September 27th.



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, Jan Glueheisen, Phyllis Johnson (Bruyere), Brian McPherson, Judy Bird, Vernon Yerxa, Marion Bergland, Mary Lou Parks

Offertory Collection for Our Lady of Lourdes
Weekend of

June 10 – \$488.08

What's going on?!

June 19 – Finance Council – 11:00am

– Associates of Ste. Marguerite d'Youville – 1:00pm

– Parish Council Wind-Up – 5:30pm

June 20 – OLOL Parish Council BBQ – 5:30pm

June 23 & 24 – St. Mary's Birthdays & Anniversaries

July 2 – 6 – Discovery Camp

July 9 – Bereavement Group – 1:00pm

Mass began at Bear's Pass Chapel on Friday, June 15th at 7pm. Mass will be held there each Friday during the summer at 7pm.



Starting the first week of July Tuesday mass will be at 9:00am. Adoration will be suspended until September. The first 9:00am Tuesday mass will be July 3rd and will continue until the end of August. The last Friday Adoration will be June 30th.



Reminder: The Provincial Convention is focussing on "homelessness" and Ontario members are asked to contribute \$5 Tim Horton gift cards. Drop off at the church office or put in the collection

at mass. If you would find it more convenient, donate \$5 and a gift card will be purchased on your behalf. The cards will be distributed to organizations who care for the homeless e.g. Covenant House. So often, our donations are made by those who come out to the CWL gatherings, but all members are asked to participate. Thank you for generosity.





EDGE & LIFE TEEN

Our EDGE and Life Teen Youth Programs are finished for the year. They will start up again in September. Have a safe and happy summer. **Hope to see you at Discovery Camp!**



SALT & LIGHT DISCOVERY CAMP

Camp will be held July 2nd - 6th this year. This is for youth in grades 7-10. We need trucks to haul out all our supplies to Sunny Cove on Sunday, July 1st after Mass. We will also need trucks and help to haul supplies back to the church on Friday, July 6th at 3:00 p.m. Please help us this year, if you can. Call Kali at 275-9225 or email kalidbrady@gmail.com to let us know now. God bless you. We couldn't do it without you.

We need baking for Discovery Camp!

We need donations of cookies, muffins and squares for Discovery Camp July 2nd-6th. We have some campers who are allergic to nuts and peanuts. So please do not put any nuts in your baking. Baking can be dropped off at the parish office by Friday, June 29th until 3:30pm. You have no idea how much this extra baking helps Gemma and the camp cooks. They are so grateful for the extra treats. God bless you. Call Gemma at 274-9592 if you have any questions.

PRAYER: Discovery camp always needs prayer. Our prayer chapel is the centre of the camp and we count on your prayers for safety, guidance, wisdom, and spiritual conversions in the hearts of all participants. Please keep those prayers coming. Our prayer chapel on the camp grounds is open from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. July 3 - 5th. There will be sign-up sheet at the back of the church. Please pick an hour or two and come out to Sunny Cove to pray for the campers and staff. If you can't come out, please pray from home. We really feel the prayers and rely on the prayer coverage to keep us going. God will bless you. The youth are the future of the church. Praying for the youth is a very important part of evangelization.

AIRMILES: Please use this air miles number when shopping at Safeway or any other place that accepts airmiles. The miles collected will be used to help with youth and Discovery Camp expenses. The number is 8010 224 2230.

FYI: Bulletins will be printed every two weeks during the summer months beginning July 8th. Let the office know if there is something you would like to add to the bulletin. Please be aware of the dates if it is time sensitive. Thank you.

Food for Your Journey - Call No Man Father

Why do Catholics call their priests "Father"? After all, didn't Jesus forbid that in Matthew 23:9? Let's go to the scriptures. In Matthew 23:9 Jesus says, "*Call no one on earth your Father; you have but one Father in heaven.*" Now, did Jesus mean that you're not even allowed to refer to your dad as father? Of course not; Jesus didn't mean that at all. If Christians took that verse literally, we would all have to refer to our male parent as "our male parent". So, was Jesus speaking strictly in a spiritual sense? Apparently St. Paul didn't think so. In 1 Corinthians 4:15, St. Paul says, "*You do not have many fathers, for I became your father in Christ Jesus through the gospel.*" And in the letter to Philemon, verse 10, St. Paul talks about his "child" Onesimus (remember St. Paul never married) saying, "*...whose father I have become in my imprisonment...*". And in Romans 4:16-17, St. Paul refers to Abraham as "*...the father of us all...*". The New Testament has many references to fathers. Just read the genealogy of Jesus in Matthew 1. It's clear that St. Paul knew exactly what Jesus meant...not to attribute the Fatherhood of God to any man. So the next time you see a priest, why not say, "Thanks, Father, for guiding your spiritual children."

A Smile for Your Journey - Look Up

The substitute teacher was struggling to open a lock on the Sunday school supply cabinet. She'd been told the combination but couldn't quite remember it. Finally she went to the pastor's study and asked for help.

When the minister began to twist the dial, he paused after the first couple of numbers and stared blankly. Finally he looked heavenward and his lips moved silently, then he looked back at the lock, turned to the final numbers, and clicked open the hasp.

The teacher was amazed. "I'm in awe of your faith, Pastor."

"It's really nothing," he responded. "The numbers are on a piece of tape on the ceiling."



Summer Hours

Summer office hours will be Monday to Thursday, 9am-3pm beginning in July and continuing until the end of August.

PARISH ORGANIST & CHOIR DIRECTOR NEEDED

If you are interested in either of these positions, please contact the Parish office or Father Alan. Thanks!

