

What does it mean, to proclaim the good news of Jesus the Messiah in our communities, our work, our nation, our world? The conviction that Jesus is Messiah is the place to begin. In light of this conviction live, in faith that our Messiah is present among us.

# ST. COLUMBAN

## PARISH

**TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A)**

**AUGUST 27, 2017**

### PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Fr. Ernest Emeke Emeodi, Parochial Administrator

Rev. Fr. Claude Hallé, Guest Priest

Rev. Mr. Chris Chisholm, Deacon

### MASSES & SACRAMENTS

Saturday Vigil	5:30 PM
Sunday	7:30, 9:30 & 11:00 AM
Tuesday – Friday	7:30 AM
Confession	Saturdays, 3 – 4 PM (or by appointment)
Baptism	Please notify one month in advance
Marriages	Please notify 6 months in advance

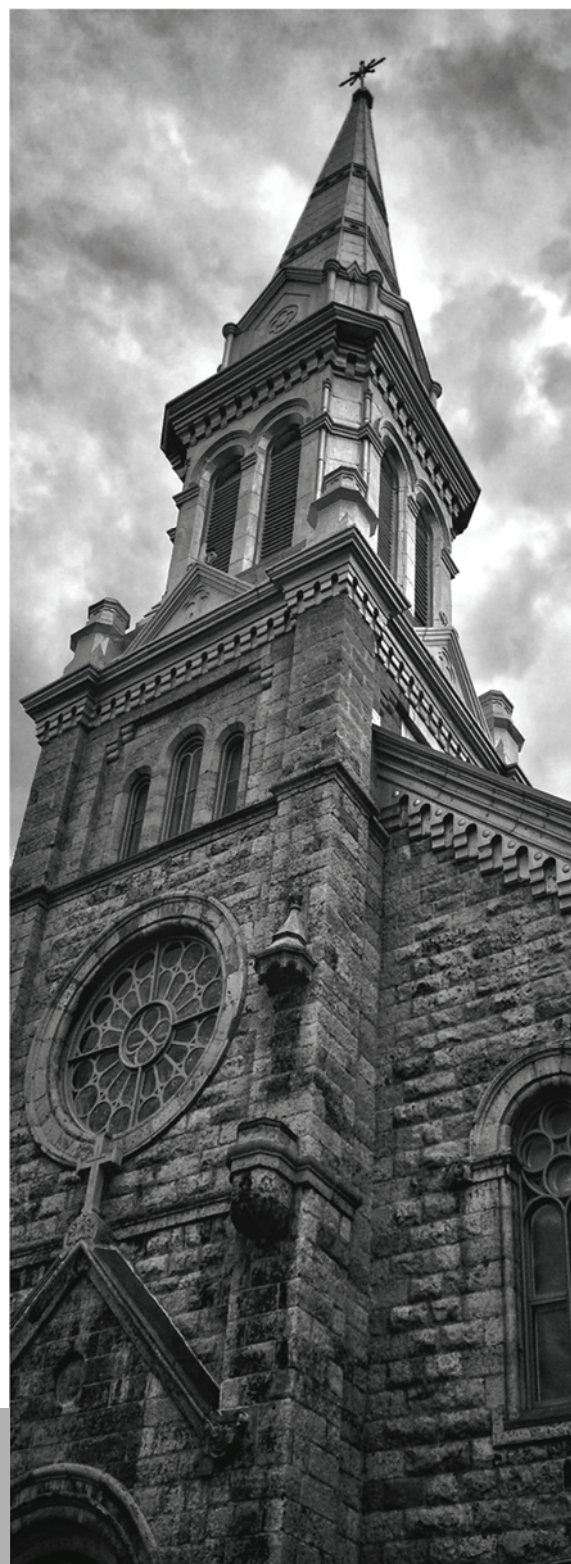
### PARISH COUNCIL

Liturgy & Holiness	Jane Anderson	613.933.1062
	Jean McDonell	613.938.6138
Music	Bill Brown	613.932.7316
Catechetics & Evangelization	Janet Surgeson	613.937.3621
International Outreach	Richard Pilon	613.938.4701
Youth Ministry	Josip Kupina	613.937.4359
Community Outreach	Audrey Moores	613.938.6302
Administration & Stewardship	Anne Gauthier	613.932.2780
CWL Rep. President	Frances O'Dair	613.932.7392
Patrons Foundation Rep.	Donna Villemaire	613.932.2099

### CONTACT INFORMATION

Office Administrator	Mrs. Kelly Poitras
Phone	613.932.9616
Email	stcolumban@cogeco.ca
Address	36 Fourth St. West Cornwall, ON K6J 2R6
Office Hours	Monday – Thursday, 9 AM – 3 PM
Parish Foundation	stcolumbans.com
Diocesan Website	alexandria-cornwall.ca
Online Bulletin Access	www.parishbulletins.com/bulletins/111

For timely publication, email bulletin notices to:  
stcolumban@cogeco.ca by Noon on Thursday  
(one week prior to required publication)



# CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

# IN OUR PARISH

## Saturday, August 26th **OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)**

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Confessions  
 5:30 p.m. Florence Lalonde by Allan Lalonde

## Sunday, August 27th **21<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

7:30 a.m. Mavis Menard by Rolland, Joce, Greg & Jeff  
 9:30 a.m. Intention of Parishioners  
 11:00 a.m. Gerry Hamel by Jane & Doug Anderson

## Monday, August 28th **SAINT AUGUSTINE (M)**

7:30 a.m. **No Mass** **ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 21**

## Tuesday, August 29th **THE PASSION OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST (M)**

7:30 a.m. Frank Etwell Sr. by Daughter Kelly Poitras & Family

## Wednesday, August 30th

7:30 a.m. Vera Joyce by the Associates of the Religious Hospitallers of St. Joseph

## Thursday, August 31st

7:30 a.m. Maurice (Moe) Lefebvre by Gwen Lefebvre

## Friday, September 01st **SACRED HEART OF JESUS - FIRST FRIDAY**

7:30 a.m. Kathleen McNicol by Lloyd & Margaret Rousseau  
 8:00 a.m. Adoration

## Saturday, September 02nd **ST. ANDRE GRASSET (OM)**

### **IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY - FIRST SATURDAY**

7:00 – 7:25 a.m. Confessions  
 8:00 a.m. Helene Jocko by Bernadette Blakeley  
 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Confessions  
 5:30 p.m. Vera Joyce by Art & Geraldine Lauzon

## Sunday, September 03rd **22<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners  
 9:30 a.m. Rosie McGoldrick by John & Janice Meyer  
 11:00 a.m. Mary Lamey by Frances Derochie

## Monday, September 04th **BLESSED DINA BELANGER (OM)**

7:30 a.m. **No Mass** **ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 22**  
**LABOUR DAY: Mass for the Sanctification of Human Labour**

## TODAY'S READINGS – AUGUST 27<sup>TH</sup>

1st Reading: Isaiah 22.15, 19-23  
 2nd Reading: Romans 11.33-36  
 Gospel: Matthew 16.13-20

*I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven.*

## COFFEE AND CHAT SUNDAY

The next coffee and chat after all masses will be on **September 16 & 17**

Please stay & enjoy coffee and fellowship.

## PRIEST'S RETREAT

Please note there will be no morning Masses on Tuesday September 19 – Friday September 22, 2017 as Fr. Ernest will be joining his fellow clergy on Retreat.

## NOTICE CONCERNING "FREEBIE TABLE"

Father Ernest has requested that all books and items being donated to the Freebie Table in the Church entrance, be put in the Ushers' Room marked either as 'Donation', or to the attention of Elaine LeBrun. They will then be checked and sorted before being put out.

## ADULT ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED

An adult altar server is a lay assistant to the clergy during religious service. Altar servers tend to tasks at the altar, such as carrying the processional cross and candles, holding the missal and presenting the wine and water. This ministry is open to men & women. It is a wonderful experience, especially for married couples who could serve together. Training will be provided. Prayerfully consider this beautiful and humbling ministry. Please call Joe Harvey at 613 933-5343 or the parish office during regular business hours.

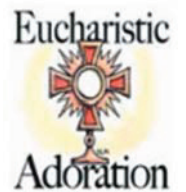


## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE ANNUAL GARAGE & BAKE SALE

We will be holding our Fall Garage and Bake Sale at St. Columban's School on Sat. September 30th. We appreciate donations of clothing, books, jewellery, household goods and small furniture. Please bring donated items to the school on Friday Sep 29, 2017 between 3:30 & 5:30 p.m. If you are unable to drop off items we will collect them at any time, from now until Sept. 23rd. Please call 613-932-7392. Thank you.

## FIRST FRIDAY – 1<sup>st</sup> SEPTEMBER 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- 2<sup>nd</sup> SEPTEMBER

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



Cemetery Memorial Services	Date	Time
<b>Our Lady of the Angels Cemetery in Moose Creek</b>	Sunday Aug 27	10:30 a.m.
<b>St. Columban's Parish Cemetery</b>	<b>Sunday Sept 10</b>	<b>2:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Our Lady of the Rosary Cemetery in Crysler</b>	Sunday Sept 10	2:00 p.m.
<b>St. Andrews Cemetery</b>	Sunday Sept 24	2:00 p.m.
<b>Nativity Cemetery</b>	Sunday Sept 24	1:00 p.m.
<b>Notre Dame Cemetery</b>	Sunday Sept 24	2:00 p.m.

Note: Please bring lawn chairs. St. Columban's Parish, in case of rain, will have the service in St. Columban's Church.

### STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

*"Or who has given the Lord anything that he may be repaid?"* - Romans 11:35

St. Paul reminds us of a central fact of stewardship. We cannot give the Lord anything, because God already owns it all. God made everything. All that we can do is return a portion of God's many gifts back to him. Sincere gratitude for our gifts opens our hearts to joyful generosity!

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Bible Study: Find Help and Inspiration from the Men and Women Who Transformed the World. In Evangelization and the Acts of the Apostles, Dr. Mary Healy combines Bible study with Church teaching and practical wisdom to show you how modern Catholics can effectively lead people to Jesus Christ. This study starts **September 20, 2017 at 7 pm** in the St. Columban activity room (upstairs at the Agape Centre) for 10 weeks. The cost is \$40. Please join us by contacting Marilyn Light 613-537-2021 [marilynn.light@gmail.com](mailto:marilynn.light@gmail.com) or Heidi Krol 613-347-7561 [michaelkrol@xplornet.com](mailto:michaelkrol@xplornet.com) for more information and/or to register.

### ATTENTION ALL MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

In order to better communicate with all those serving in the various ministries of the parish we will have a "What's New" book in the Sacristy to keep everyone updated and to share information and ideas as we serve together in the home of God's people.

### PARISH PHOTO PICTORIAL

The free 8X10 photos have arrived at the Parish. These will be given out with the pictorial as soon as it is completed. For those who ordered pictures, the free 8X10 will be mailed direct to you.

### ROAST BEEF DINNER - ST. JAMES

St. James Annual Roast Beef Dinner held on Sunday, September 17, 2017 at the Maxville Sports Complex from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Adults: \$15.00 - Children 6-12: \$6.00 - Children 5 years & under: Free Take outs between 4:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m. Call: Helen McGillis: 613-527-5031

### THE FATIMA FILM SERIES

*The Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall in partnership with the Port Theatre presents this series to celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Apparitions at Fatima.*

The next movie in this series will be shown on Wednesday September 13 @ 3:30 pm, titled "**The 13th Day**".

The last movie in the series will be shown on Friday October 13th at 7:00 pm, titled "**Finding Fatima**". Reception to follow.

### ALPHA is coming back to St. Columbans!!!

Watch the Parish Bulletin for more information!

From an Alpha participant:

"The Alpha Course was amazing! I learned more about my faith, met new friends, and shared great meals.

Miss the weekly meetings. Can't wait for September and it starts again." Anonymous

For more information please contact:

[janetsurgeson@gmail.com](mailto:janetsurgeson@gmail.com) or 613-363-5331

### PATRONS OF ST. COLUMBAN FOUNDATION CONCERT

The Patrons of St. Columban Foundation presents a fundraising Celtic concert on Sunday September 24 at 2 p.m. in St. Columban's Church. The musical entertainment will feature The Brigadoons. Tickets cost \$12 and are available at the Parish office during office hours, at all the masses on the weekends of September 9-10, 16-17, by calling Brian Lynch at 613-933-8353, and at the door on September 24. Funds raised at the concert will be directed to pay for the major repair work on the church.

### BOOK CLUB IN SEPTEMBER

Greetings to all! Maison Shalom House will be offering a Book Club program commencing Wednesday, September 20 for 6 weeks from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. at Maison Shalom House. The book to be shared on is "The Gift of Years – Growing Older Gracefully" by Joan Chittister. Please register with Sr. Sue and pick up a book (\$10.00) before September 8, 2017

The program cost for the 6 weeks is \$40.00.

Sr. Sue Burns, csc, Directress Telephone: 613-525-1704 or *E-mail: [maisonshalomhouse@bellnet.ca](mailto:maisonshalomhouse@bellnet.ca)*

### HARVEST SUPPER - BLESSED SACRAMENT

You are cordially invited by Father Jacques Labelle and the parishioners of Blessed Sacrament Parish, Cornwall, to their Annual Harvest Supper which will take place on Sunday, September 10, 2017, from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall. Tickets: Adults: \$12.00, children (6 to 12yrs): \$6.00, children under 6 yrs: FREE. All take outs \$12.00

### St. Columban Collection Report for August 13, 2017

Sunday Envelopes	2,477.70
Loose Collection	353.00
Votive Candles	221.90
Bookstore	69.25
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3,121.85</b>

**DEMPSTER'S  
FRAMEWORKS**

Professional  
Custom Framing  
258 Pitt St.  
613-938-9647

**MORRISBURG KITCHEN  
AND COUNTER TOPS**

"We Fix Ugly Kitchens"  
Mon-Wed 9:00-5:00  
Thu & Fri 8:00-4:00  
Sat 9:00-1:00  
12 Sixth St. E. 613.938.7160  
MorrisburgKitchenCabinets.com

**MILLER HUGHES**  
FORD • LINCOLN

Now Offering Lincoln Products  
**Ellery B. Maloney**  
President  
711 Pitt Street  
613-932-2584

"Our wine belongs in your home"



**CORNWALL**  
FINE WINES  
www.CornwallFineWines.com  
613-932-7010



**Cornwall Legion  
Branch 297**  
Catering & Banquet Halls  
Hall Rental Free for Catered Events  
613-933-2362  
www.cornwall-legion.ca

**JOAN LEVY EARLE**  
Artist & Author  
Books Available  
613-935-9052




*salon funéraire*  
**wilson**  
*funeral home*  
Cornwall Ltd.  
Ron & Allan Wilson 613-938-3888



**Please help Agape  
Fight Hunger in  
Cornwall and Area!**

Every week Agape serves over 600 hot lunches and provides groceries to 125 needy Cornwall families. Your support of our most vulnerable will make an important difference. Please donate online at [www.agapecentre.ca](http://www.agapecentre.ca) or 613-938-9297 ext25 or mail to 40 Fifth St., Cornwall K6J2T4



**Desjardins**  
Caisse populaire  
de Cornwall  
840 Pitt St.  
613 932 4513

**Assist 2 Sell**  
Cornwell Realty, Brokerage  
All Offices Independently Owned & Operated  
714 Pitt Street 613-932-0001



Julie Quesnel Tracy Wheeler  
Broker of Record Broker/Owner  
613-662-7653 613-577-1948

**Giovanniello Bellefeuille**  
Barristers and Solicitors  
**Ann M. Bellefeuille**  
Lawyer/Partner  
annbelle@bellnet.ca  
340 Second St. E. 613-938-0294

**NEW PATIENTS WELCOME**



**CORNWALL DENTAL ARTS**  
FAMILY AND COSMETIC DENTISTRY  
DR. STEVEN J. DENEKA

30 YEARS  
LIVING & SERVING  
IN THE  
COMMUNITY

613-932-2058  
806 Pitt Street  
Cornwall



[www.DrDeneka.com](http://www.DrDeneka.com)

**Best Chicken & Ribs in Cornwall**



Free Delivery &  
Cornwall's only  
Fresh Soup, Fruit  
& Salad Bar

**Chicken & Ribs**  
960 Brookdale Ave.  
613-935-7777

**THE PERFECT SPOT TO ADVERTISE  
YOUR BUSINESS!**



TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE PLEASE CALL 1-800-268-2637

**Schulman's**  
Men's & Ladies' Clothing  
Steve & Patty Ostler  
Proprietors  
212 Pitt St.  
613-932-6202