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ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

JANUARY 14, 2024



36 Fourth St. West, Cornwall, ON K6J 2R6

Weekly Masses

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 7:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays: 7:30 a.m. Wednesdays: 12:10 p.m.

PASTORAL MINISTERS

Rev. Fr. Thomas Riopelle, Parochial Administrator

Rev. Fr. Marc Gaudet, Associate Pastor

OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

Mrs. Kelly Poitras

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Evenings by appointment

BAPTISMS

Please give one month notice

MARRIAGES

Please give six months notice

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Also, by appointment

OFFICE PHONE

613-932-9616

PARISH E-MAIL ADDRESS

stcolumban@ottawacornwall.ca (new)

PARISH BULLETIN ACCESS

www.parishbulletins.com/bulletins/111

PARISH FOUNDATION

www.stcolumbans.com

ARCHDIOCESAN WEBSITE

www.archoc.ca

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, January 13th

ST. HILARY (OM)

OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

2:45 - 3:45 p.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Gregory Clouthier by Rick & Bernadette
McRae

Sunday, January 14th

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

10:30 a.m. Ruth Peete by David & Nancy Hill
Donna Crawford by Nancy MacGillivray

Monday, January 15th

7:30 a.m. No Mass

ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 2

Tuesday, January 16th

7:30 a.m. Keith Grant by Annie McDonald

Wednesday, January 17th

ST. ANTHONY (M)

12:10 p.m. Gerard Piche by Rita & Alan Boyce

Thursday, January 18th

7:30 a.m. A Special Intention by Bernadette Blakely

Friday, January 19th

7:30 a.m. Conversion of Sinners by a Parishioner

Saturday, January 20th

ST. FABIAN (OM), ST. SEBASTIAN (OM) or

OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

2:45 - 3:45 p.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Bob McNally by Moe Lemieux
Frank Charles McDougald by the Sandbag
League

Sunday, January 21st

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

10:30 a.m. Betty Piquette by the Family
Pasquale Vincelli by Ann Marie Sidak

Monday, January 22nd

ST. VINCENT (OM)

7:30 a.m. No Mass

ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 3

POPE FRANCIS JANUARY INTENTIONS

For The Gift Of Diversity In The Church. Let us pray that the Holy Spirit helps us recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community, and to discover the richness of different ritual traditions in the heart of the Catholic Church.

Parish Website: www.stcolumbanparishcornwall.ca

ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

IN OUR PARISH

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"Jesus turned and saw them following him and said to them, "What are you looking for?" - JOHN 1:38

What are you looking for? Are you wasting your time looking for the material comforts of the world? Or is your heart longing for something deeper that can only be found by spending time with God? Take time each day in silence and ask the Lord what He wants you to do.

ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORT FOR DECEMBER 17, 2023

Sunday Envelopes	4,793.00
Loose Collection	535.65
Christmas Offering	120.00
Weekly Total	\$ 5,448.65

FOR DECEMBER 24, 2023

Sunday Envelopes	4,781.00
Loose Collection	408.65
Christmas Offering	1,075.00
Weekly Total	\$ 6,264.65



**NO SCENTS
MAKES GOOD SENSE.
LET'S KEEP THE AIR
SPACE IN OUR CHURCH
SCENT-FREE
THANK YOU.**



CHILDREN'S LITURGY PROGRAM



Children's Liturgy for children in JK to Grade 2 ~ Ages 3-8. For more information, please contact Joe Kupina at 613-937-4359 or Marilyn Brown-Wylie at 613-933-6394.

LIVING WITH CHRIST MONTHLY MISSALS

Missals for January 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.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

On the First Friday of the month at 7:00 p.m., the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed with a time of Adoration, Prayer, Scripture and Meditation, closing with Benediction.

TODAY'S READINGS – JANUARY 14TH, 2024

1st Reading:	1 Samuel 3.3b-10, 19
Responsorial Psalm	Ps 40.1+3a, 6, 7-8, 9 (R,7-8)
2nd Reading:	1 Corinthians 6.13c-15a, 17-20
Gospel:	John 1.35-42
	The disciples of John came and saw where Jesus was staying, and they remained with him.

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IN OUR PARISH

PRAYER FOR AN INCREASE IN VOCATIONS TO THE ORDAINED MINISTRY AND THE CONSECRATED LIFE

Lord Jesus, as you once called the first disciples to make them fishers of men, let your sweet invitation continue to resound; come, follow me! Give young men and women the grace of responding quickly to your voice. Support your bishops, priests and consecrated people in their apostolic labour. Grant perseverance to our seminarians and to all those who are carrying out the ideal of a life totally consecrated to your service. Awaken in our community a missionary eagerness. Lord, send workers to your harvest and do not allow humanity to be lost for the lack of pastors, missionaries and people dedicated to the cause of the Gospel. Mary, the mother of the church, and the model of every vocation, help us to say "yes" to the Lord, who calls us to cooperate in the divine plan of salvation. Amen
-Pope Saint John Paul II

🎵 MUSICAL THANK YOU 🎵

We wish to thank all of our choir members for their very generous service to our parish by providing music ministry throughout the Advent and Christmas liturgical seasons. Many of our members have been devoted to this ministry for more than 25 years! Without delay, we now turn our attention to preparing music for the Lent and Easter seasons. This is the perfect time for any new singers considering this ministry to join our ranks. For more information, please call Rick and Bernadette McRae at 613-932-2872.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

I wish to commend all who were involved in making our Christmas/New Year's Celebrations memorable! Our Sanctuary and the rest of the Church were absolutely beautiful! The music enhanced each celebration of the Eucharist. To Fr. Tom and Fr. Marc, thank you! God bless all who played a part. A Parishioner

COMMUNION IN PEW

For those who have mobility issues and need communion brought to the pew, please notify Fr. Tom, Fr. Marc, or one of the Eucharistic Ministers before the start of Mass.

PREPARING FOR MASS

God has given us a spectacular invitation to be in His physical presence and physically receive Him at every mass. The Mass is not an individual spiritual event but rather an assembly where the people of God are called together, with a priest presiding and acting in the person of Christ, to celebrate the Eucharistic sacrifice, for the celebration of Mass, perpetuates the sacrifice of Christ on the cross on our behalf. Are you prepared to honour God in the utmost way possible by placing your heart and mind in His presence? By being fully engaged in the mass and not reading the bulletin or reciting your rosary (this is done before or after mass) Participate and assist at the Mass devoutly by using the missal to follow the priest, saying the Mass prayers and singing the hymns and to unite fully with the priest in offering the Holy Sacrifice and to receive Holy Communion.

IN ST. COLUMBAN PARISH AND THE DIOCESE

2024 PARISH ENVELOPES.

Envelopes are available at the 4th Street entrance. Please ensure the number on the label matches the number in the box. Beginning January 1st, please discard all 2023 envelopes and write your name on the 2024 envelopes for the entire month of January.

NEW TO THE PARISH

If you are new and would like parish envelopes, please fill out a registration form at the 4th St. main entrance. You can also call the office during regular business hours.

NEW PARISH EMAIL ADDRESS

The Parish email is now: stcolumban@ottawacornwall.ca

ST. COLUMBAN'S ACTIVITY CENTER NOTICE

During Agape's regular business hours, the entrance to the Activity Center Room will be via the Thrift Store entrance. The cashier will have the key to the door across from the store to let you in to proceed upstairs. Please note if the cashier is busy, you may have to wait. This change is for the confidentiality of all those accessing the services of Agape and for the security of all who enter the building.

WINTER BIBLE STUDY

BEGINS ON MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 2024, AT ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH. Come and join us for 10 weeks of **FOLLOWING THE MESSIAH**, a video series that explores sites in the Holy Land that were significant parts of Jesus' life. On **Monday mornings**, we will serve coffee after Mass and begin the videos at **8:45 AM**. The videos are followed up with small group discussions that deepen our faith and strengthen our sense of community. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME!**

BURIAL SERVICES AT OUR LOCAL CATHOLIC CREMATORIUM

Please request local cremation at our Catholic Crematorium on South Branch Road. For more information or to prepay for cremation, contact Notre-Dame Cemetery at 613-933-4331.

ST. VALENTINE'S EVENING AT NATIVITÉ

Supper with dance on Saturday, February 10th, 2024, at 5:30 p.m. at Agora (John Paul II Hall). 30\$ a person. Tickets are available with Armand 613-930-6238 or Claude 613-932-4292. All proceeds for the Knights of Columbus Council # 9695. Merci! Thank You! United in Prayer! Fr. Marc Piché



PARISH BREAKFAST

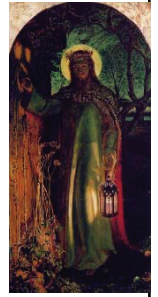
St. Francis de Sales - K of C 11531 invites you on Sunday, January 28, 2024, from 8:30 a.m.-noon in the Parish Hall. Cost: Adults \$8.50, children 12 and under \$4.00

VOCATIONS

Prayer for Vocations: Loving Father, You call each of us by name and ask us to follow you. Bless your church by raising up dedicated and generous people from our families and friends who will serve your people as priests, sisters, brothers and permanent deacons. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

HOW DO I MEET JESUS?

Jesus wants to meet you. He loves you infinitely and wants you to know that love. The famous painting by William Hunt entitled "Light of the World" shows the figure of Jesus preparing to knock on an overgrown and long-unopened door. Jesus is knocking at the door of your heart. He is bringing light in on a darkened night.



But you may notice a problem with the painting. There is no doorknob on Jesus' side of the door. It is our free will whether to open the door or not. We have the choice to let him in or not.

How do I meet him? Well, he is everywhere. He is with you. You can meet him in music, in art, in nature...anywhere. It is best to find a quiet place (a church works well too) and open your heart to him.

Prayer: Jesus, I want to know you and to know your love for me. Come into my heart.

TIME with JESUS!

St. Julien's Chapel offers a prayerful, peaceful time with our Lord Jesus. Open 24 hours a day, visitors must register and obtain an entry fob. To register and receive a fob, please contact St.JulienSchapel@hotmail.com or leave a phone message at 613-938-8371. Someone will be in touch within a few days.

SPAGHETTI SUPPER

St-Félix-de-Valois Parish invites you to a Spaghetti Supper on Saturday, January 20th, 2024, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. With salad, bread & dessert. 15\$ per person, 7\$ for children under 12 yrs.



We hope to see you there! Merci! Thank You! United in Prayer! Fr. Marc Piché

ROAST BEEF DINNER

St. Francis de Sales - K of C 11531 invites you on Thursday, January 11, 2024, from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Cost: Adults \$15, Children 12 and under \$5.00

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

If you wish to donate, simply put your donation in an envelope and address it to St. Vincent de Paul and deposit it in the weekly collection basket and it will get to us. You can be assured that 100% of the funds raised will make their way to the less fortunate and if you provide your address, a tax receipt will be mailed to you for any donation in excess of \$10.00. Thank you for all your past efforts.

CELEBRATED EVENTS THAT ARE VITAL TO THE MYSTERY OF OUR SALVATION

(S) Solemnity – Is the highest rank of Celebration of events in our Lords life on earth and that of certain saints. Are like Sundays, though most of them are not days of obligation.

(F) Feast – Are of second importance and consist of the celebration of certain saints (Archangels & most Apostles).

(M) Memorial – Are next in importance for saints, and those saints who are of "universal significance" are observed by the whole Church. These are Obligatory.

(OM) Optional Memorial – Not Obligatory.

The National Conference of Catholic Bishops publishes an annual Ordo that outlines proper celebrations throughout the liturgical year.



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