

Saint Paul reminds us that we are given the gifts of the Spirit to use for the common good of everyone. As we remember the difficulties faced by migrants and refugees, let us resolve to use our gifts to give others their dignity.

ST. COLUMBAN

PARISH

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

JANUARY 20, 2019

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Fr. Ernest Emeka Emeodi, Parochial Administrator
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

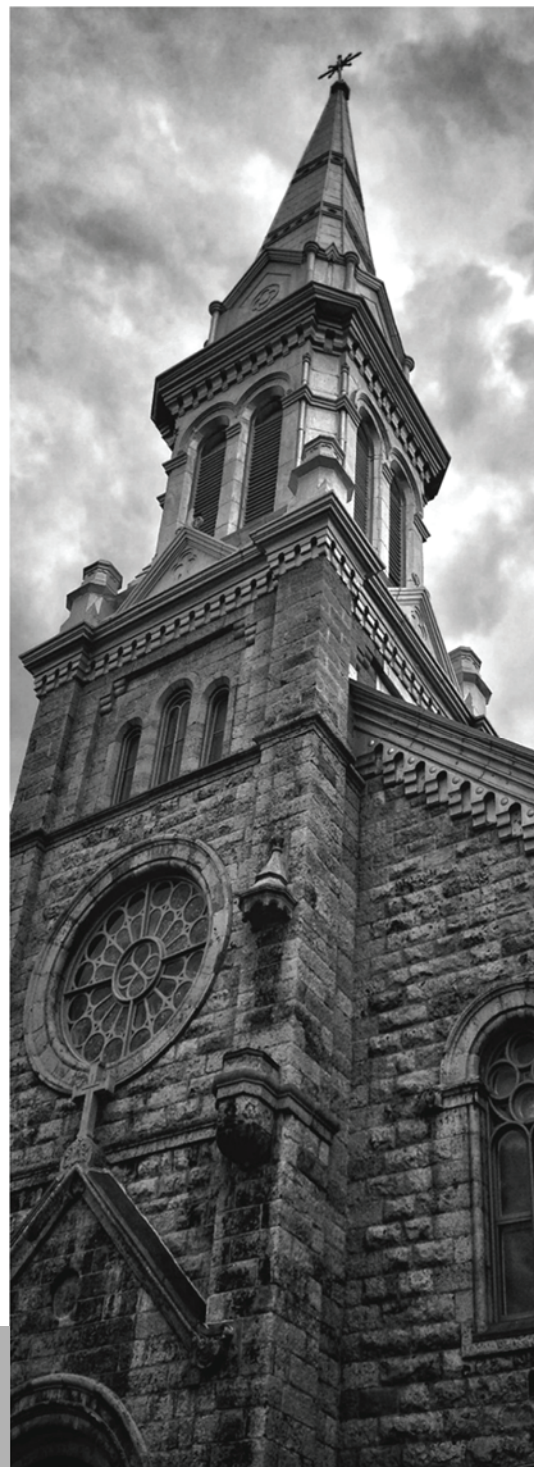
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CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

IN OUR PARISH

Saturday, January 19th OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. **No Confessions**

5:30 p.m. Gerald & Isabel Parisien by Joe Parisien & Family

Sunday, January 20th 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners

9:30 a.m. Jeannine Kirkey by John Martel & Family

11:00 a.m. Maria Rosa Vincelli by the Vincelli Family

Monday, January 21st ST. AGNES (M)

7:30 a.m. **No Mass** ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 2

Tuesday, January 22nd ST. VINCENT (OM)

7:30 a.m. **No Mass**

Wednesday, January 23rd

7:30 a.m. Allan Brabant by Darlene Walsh

Thursday, January 24th ST. FRANCIS DE SALES (M)

7:30 a.m. A Special Intention by a Parishioner

Friday, January 25th THE CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE (F)

7:30 a.m. Peter & Theresa D’Cruz by the Estate

Saturday, January 26th SAINTS TIMOTHY AND TITUS (M)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. **No Confessions**

5:30 p.m. Helen Kennedy by Nancy Weir

Sunday, January 27th 3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners

9:30 a.m. Aaron Gallinger by the Rubino Family

11:00 a.m. Patricia Jones by Jake & Donna Villemaire

Monday, January 28th ST. THOMAS AQUINAS (M)

7:30 a.m. **No Mass** ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 3

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

“To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit.”
- 1 CORINTHIANS 12:7

St. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God’s plan? How are you helping to build God’s kingdom here on earth? Remember that if you don’t do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it. Live the life God has intended for you, feel his love, peace and joy!

PLEASE NOTE

While Fr. Ernest is away there will be no morning masses on Mondays & Tuesdays and no Saturday afternoon confessions.

CHILDREN’S LITURGY

The Children’s Liturgy will resume on Jan 06, 2019.



TODAY’S READINGS – JANUARY 20TH

1st Reading: Isaiah 621-5

2nd Reading: Corinthians 12.4-11

Gospel: John 2.1-12

Jesus did the first of his signs in Cana of Galilee.

FATHER ERNEST VACATION

Fr Ernest will be away on vacation from Dec 28 – Feb 08. We wish him a wonderful time spent with his family and look forward to his return. Please welcome Fr. Donnelly and Fr. Jerome as they preside at the various Masses while Fr. Ernest is away.

ORDINATION OF BISHOP-ELECT GUY DESROCHERS

Friday, February 22, 2019, 2:00 PM. Location: St. Finnan's Cathedral, Stay tuned for the details.

DIOCESAN CHOIR

The diocesan choir has been asked to provide music for the ordination and installation of the Auxiliary Bishop of the diocese Msgr Guy Desrochers on Friday, February 22, 2019 at 2 p.m.. **Rehearsals will begin Tuesday, January 22, 2019** at Nativity Parish in the chapel **at 7 p.m.** If you are interested in taking part in this special diocesan event, please call Helen McAlear at 613-932-8326 by January 21st. Thank you!

POPE FRANCIS JANUARY INTENTIONS

Evangelization – Young People

That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world.

COFFEE SUNDAY

Please take a few minutes to enjoy a cup of coffee with your fellow parishioners after Mass this weekend at the 4th St. entrance.



POT SUPPER

Plan now to attend. Come one come all. Join your fellow parishioners and friends for a casserole supper. Sunday Jan 27, 4:00 – 6:00 pm. St Columban Activity Centre.

Cost: Adults \$10.00 - Child \$5.00. Pot supper is a supper of different dishes cooked on site. An evening of games to follow.

PARISH FINANCIALS/INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

The Parish closes its Financial Books on Dec 30th. All monies received after Dec 30, 2018 will be credited for 2019.

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

Be inspired, encouraged and healed at the largest single day Catholic event in Canada, the 27th annual **Lift Jesus Higher Rally!** The theme of this year’s rally is **“Hope In The Midst of Suffering”**. **Saturday, March 2nd, 2019, 9:00 am - 5:30 pm** Metro Toronto Convention Centre, 255 Front St. W.

SOUP’S ON

Soup’s On, by the Alzheimer Society of Cornwall and District - **Tuesday January 22 at Civic Complex, Salons ABC from 11:30am-2:00pm.** Taste up to 20 soups and vote for your favourite. Silent auction, prizes, 50/50 draw, music and more. Stop in for warm soup on a cold winter’s day! To purchase tickets (\$5), contact 613 932-4914.

IN OUR PARISH AND DIOCESE

GET SET FOR KINDERGARTEN!

Kindergarten registration week takes place January 14th to 18th 2019 for students beginning Kindergarten in September 2019. All schools will be hosting open house events to give prospective students and parents/guardians an opportunity to tour the school, learn about the kindergarten program, and meet staff! Please visit www.cdsbeo.on.ca/students-parents/kindergarten-open-house-events/ for a complete list of dates and times.

Please note for Kindergarten student registration beginning in September 2019:

- Junior Kindergarten students must be 4 years of age by December 31, 2019.
- Senior Kindergarten students must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2019

Below is a list of Schools within Cornwall:

School	Open House Date	Time
Bishop MacDonnell School	Thursday, January 17	1:00-2:30 p.m. and 5:00-7:00 p.m.
Sacred Heart Catholic School	Thursday, January 17	5:00-7:30 p.m.
St. Anne Catholic School	Thursday, January 14	5:30-6:30 p.m.
St. Peter Catholic School	Tuesday, January 15	4:30-6:00 p.m.

PRAY TO HOLY MOTHER OF GOD AND ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

The Holy Father has asked the faithful of the entire world to pray that the Holy Mother of God place the Church beneath her protective mantle. We are also asked to recite daily the prayer written by Pope Leo XIII: "Saint Michael the Archangel".

DIRECTOR WANTED - MAISON SHALOM HOUSE

Full-time, permanent position. Shalom House is a bilingual Diocesan retreat centre in the Diocese of Alexandria-Cornwall. The Centre offers opportunities for spiritual development, time for prayer and reflection, space for meetings, conferences and overnight group activities to the local communities and beyond. Submit your Curriculum Vitae (CV) or obtain further info: Deacon Pierre L. Aubé (paube@alexandria-cornwall.ca).

ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORTS FOR JANUARY 01, 2019

Sunday Envelopes	120.00
Loose Collection	176.50
New Year's	1,644.00
Initial Offering	355.00
Total	\$ 2,295.50

FOR JANUARY 06, 2019

Sunday Envelopes	3,291.00
Loose Collection	183.80
Christmas Offering	2.00
New Year's	495.00
Initial Offering	265.00
Total	\$ 4,236.80

ST. JULIAN'S CHAPEL

Anxious? Lonely? Depressed? Do you need peace? Come to Simply Adore Jesus at St. Julian's Chapel - 24/7 Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration. Behind St. Peter's Parish (side entrance). You are always welcome!



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.

BEEF STEW DINNER

Knights of Columbus - Council #5068 & Round Table. **BEEF STEW DINNER, Sunday, 20th January 2019 from 4:00 - 7:00 p.m.** in Precious Blood Parish Hall, Glen Walter. \$10 per person.

WOMENS MORNING OF REFLECTION

Please join us Sat. Feb.2 from 9:30 am - 12:00 at the Centre Charles-Emile Claude on Chevrier St., Cornwall, for mass, confession, breakfast, a talk and the rosary. The guest speaker will be Anne Vincelli who will be sharing with us the Life of Jeanne Mance and the Founding of the Hotel Dieu in Montreal. For any inquiries please contact Heidi Krol 613-347-7561 or Marilyn Light 613-537-2021. A free will offering of \$5 is appreciated.

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 and thank you in advance for this year's contribution.

ST. COLUMBAN'S IS "LIVE" ON "MY PARISH APP"

- Download Now to your iPhone, iPad, Android Phone and Tablet
 - Keep up to date with what's happening in our Parish and with the other Parishes in our diocese!
 - Read Bulletins ~ Gospel Reflections ~ Calendar of Events ~ Diocese information and notices ~
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- For more information or to create a group contact Janet at janetsurgeson@gmail.com or 613-363-5331.



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