If you were asked to name those things you truly need in order to live, what would you name and why? Now consider all of the things you have—home, car, property, furniture, clothing, and such. Which of those things are truly essential? Take time to pray about Jesus' call to travel light. What do you need to get rid of? What do you need in order to truly live?

ST. COLUMBAN

PARISH

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

JULY 11, 2021

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Fr. Ernest Emeka Emeodi, Parochial Administrator Rev. Mr. Guy Côté, Deacon

MASSES & SACRAMENTS

Saturday Vigil 5:30 PM

Sunday 7:30, 9:30 & 11:00 AM

Tuesday – Friday 7:30 AM

Confession By appointment only, Tuesday - Thursday

Baptism Please notify one month in advance Marriages Please notify 6 months in advance

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A list of Masses available online in the Archdiocese can be found on the following website: https://en.archoc.ca/masses-online

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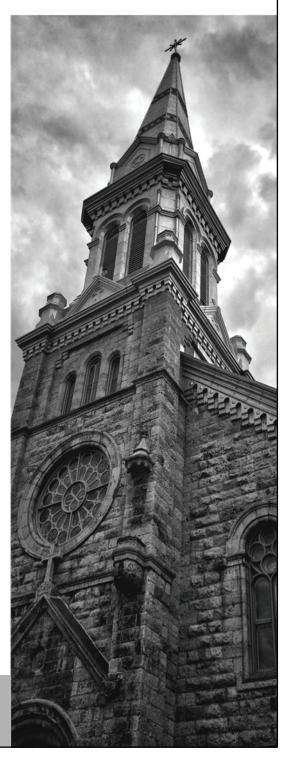
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ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

Saturday, July 10th OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

5:30 p.m. Gabrielle & Hercules Lecours by Doris Carriere

Sunday, July 11th FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. Intention of Parishioners

9:30 a.m. Deceased Members of the Belle & Archie

Adams Family by Patricia (Adams) Lougheed

11:00 a.m. Robert Van den Broeck by David & Nancy Hill

Monday, July 12th

7:30 a.m. No Mass ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 15

Tuesday, July 13th ST. HENRY (OM) 7:30 a.m. Grace Emeodi by Staff & Students of Bishop

Macdonell School

Wednesday, July 14th ST. CAMILLUS DE LELLIS (OM)

7:30 a.m. Souls in Purgatory by a Parishioner

Thursday, July 15th ST. BONAVENTURE (M)

7:30 a.m. Shirley Hogan by Evelyn Froats

Friday, July 16th OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL (OM)

7:30 p.m. Special Intention for Darlene Brabant by

Bernadette Blakely

Saturday, July 17th OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

5:30 p.m. John Kelly by Angus Kelly

Sunday, July 18th SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. Intention of Parishioners

9:30 a.m. Andre Villeneuve by Jean McLennan11:00 a.m. Marlene Lortie by Rene Lortie & Family

Monday, July 19th

7:30 a.m. No Mass ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 16

In Rank Order: (S) Solemnity, (F) Feast, (M) Memorial, (OM) Optional Memorial.

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STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick – no food, no sack, no money in their belts."

-MARK 6:8

Imagine taking nothing but a stick when you go on a trip. The Apostles must have really trusted in God's providential care. Think of all the material things "we can't live without" in today's world. We make our life's journey more difficult because of all the material baggage that we drag along. Putting God first in everything and putting our money and possessions second gives us freedom because we don't become "slaves" to wanting to acquire more things.

LIVING WITH CHRIST MONTHLY MISSALS

Missals for July 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.

TODAY'S READINGS – JULY 11TH, 2021

1st Reading: Amos 7.12-15 2nd Reading: Ephesians 1.3-14 Gospel: Mark 6.7-13

Jesus called the twelve and sent them out two by

two.

IN OUR PARISH

PASTORAL APPOINTMENT

Archbishop Marcel Damphousse announced the pastoral appointment of Fr. Thomas Riopelle as Parochial Administrator here at St. Columban Parish effective Aug 02, 2021.

Father Riopelle was born in Ottawa and did his theological studies in Montreal. He was a member of the Brothers of the Good Shepherd from 1965 to 1977, before being ordained in Ottawa in 1978. He has served in many parishes throughout the area. Fr. Thomas will celebrate his 43rd Anniversary of Ordination on September 07, 2021.

Father Ernest will be leaving St. Columban Parish at the end of July.

PLEASE NOTE

The Parish Office will be closed from July 01 – 09, 2021 and will reopen on Monday July 12, 2021.



SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION

The living flame of the Sanctuary Lamp Burns this week for the Precious Blood of Jesus to Cover the Whole World by Darlene Brabant.



DEACON GUY'S REFLECTION

At times in our life as baptized children of God, we might be called to accept challenges that we feel ill-equipped to face. And yet, like Amos and the apostles, the only qualification we need is to discern the will of God in our lives and to respond to it faithfully.

How are you living out your call to go forth and build the kingdom of God?

DG

Deacon Guy's website is thedeaconguy.ca

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

That the call to serve Christ and His Church in the priesthood and consecrated life will fall on the rich soil of hearts prepared by prayer, hard work, and generous service to others.

PLEASE NOTE

Confessions will be by appointment only. Please call the office (613.932.9616), and we will schedule a time for you.

POPE FRANCIS JULY INTENTIONS

Universal intention - Social friendship

We pray that, in social, economic and political situations of conflict, we may be courageous and passionate architects of dialogue and friendship.

CONTACT TRACING FORM

When arriving at church, **everyone** needs to sign the Contact Tracing Form and include their phone number. The Contact Tracing form is strictly used **only** if the EOHU contacts us. This form will be shredded after two months as per the directive from the Diocese.

KNEELERS

When leaving the church, you must leave the kneeler in the **down position** for the volunteers who are sanitizing the pews.

IN OUR PARISH AND DIOCESE

UPDATE ON FUNDRAISING FOR THE LIFT UP THE CROSS PROJECT

During the past 4 months, thanks to the generosity of the parishioners of St. Columban's and our friends in the community, the Patrons of St. Columban Foundation have now been able to raise \$85,039 for the LIFT UP THE CROSS project with more donations still to come.

If you have not had the opportunity to make a donation to this project and are able to do so, your cheque should be made payable to the Patrons of St. Columban Foundation. It can be put in the collection basket when you attend mass or mailed or dropped off to the Patrons of St. Columban Foundation at the parish rectory 36 Fourth St. West, Cornwall, ON., K6J 2R6. You will receive an income tax receipt for your donation.

Major donors at \$1,000 or more will be recognized in the parish bulletin and on a donor wall plaque in the church. Donors can also donate on monthly basis to reach their total donation.

We thank you for your continued generous support to <u>LIFT UP THE CROSS</u> and to preserve our magnificent, historic St. Columban's Church, our place of worship for years to come.

For further information, contact Brian Lynch at 613-933-8353 or brijo@pppoe.ca.

NEXT STAGE AT ST. JULIAN'S CHAPEL

Please read this carefully and share it with friends who may not receive this

GOOD NEWS! As of Wednesday, June 30th, we can allow two (2) people at a time into the Chapel. It's not as much as we had hoped for, but those are the guidelines. God will continue to help us as we move forward.

We understand that many of you would like to "drop in" to the Chapel when it is most convenient for you, and you don't want to be driving across town only to find that there are already two (2) people in the Chapel. We are proposing the following on a trial basis.

Beginning Wednesday, June 30^{th,} and every Wednesday after that, we will post the most current schedule; yellow boxes are entirely open, and the others (except for couples named) have room for one more person. Ideally, put your name in the spaces you wish to book. We would love to see more empty spaces filled, but you have your choice. In the last few weeks, we have noticed a drop off of regular committed adorers. If you do not plan to come during the summer months or are changing to double up with someone, please strike off your name.

If you have not been coming but are ready to return, please email Diane at dml1365@yahoo.com or call 613-662-3646 and she will reactivate your fob within a couple of days and let you know when you have access.

As elsewhere, all the standard COVID rules still apply; wear a mask at least going in and out because you may be passing people. Keep the chairs at least 6 feet apart. And PLEASE sign in when you arrive, answering the COVID check sheet.

And pray, please, that when we can open more fully, our faithful adorers will return.

Enjoy summertime while it's here! God bless you and don't hesitate to call or contact Diane or Marilyn if you have questions.

Diane Lalonde, Marilyn Bergeron. 613-360-8371

ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORT FOR JUNE 27, 2021

Sunday Envelopes 3,450.00 Loose Collection 190.25 Total \$3,640.25

CARE FOR CREATION

Working towards a green recovery and in response to Pope Francis call to care for the planet and one another, the Archdiocese is looking for a contact from every parish who would be interested in working together with us promoting and taking steps to care for Creation. Are you a nature lover who wants to contribute ideas, who wants to encourage people to be respectful of the planet resources and not to waste? This is a chance to connect with like-minded people and have access to resources, information and events organized in the Ottawa-Cornwall area. Please write to Mireille Church at creationcare@archottawa.ca.

MASS ATTENDANCE DURING PROVINCE-WIDE REOPENING PLAN

The Provincial Government has announced that Ontario is to enter stage 2 of the reopening plan on Wednesday, June 30, 2021, at 12:01 a.m. Entering stage 2 will allow indoor religious services, rites and ceremonies, including weddings and funerals at 25% capacity of the room. Outdoors religious services, rites and ceremonies, including weddings and funerals, will be permitted with capacity limited to allow physical distancing of 2 metres. St. Columban's Church will implement the new restrictions starting Wednesday, June 30, at the 7:30 a.m. mass. Parishioners must still maintain Covid protocols with social distancing of 2 meters and wearing masks.

SAFETY PROTOCOL

Please do not congregate at the doors of the church or in the parking lot. We asked you to go directly to your car without visiting with your fellow parishioners. Wear your face covering to cover the nose, mouth and chin and maintain a 6ft distance when entering or exiting the church. Sanitize your hands and sign the contact tracing sheet and go directly to a pew marked with the green tape and once seated, do not change pews. When exiting, leave the kneeler in the down position, maintain the 6ft rule and go directly to your cars.

PARISH OFFICE

The parish office is closed to the public and working on a curb-side model of service.

SAINT OF THE WEEK

Saint Camillus de Lellis – July 14

Born in Abruzzi in central Italy, Camillus (1550-1614) became a Venetian soldier like his father. When his father died, Camillus pursued his mania for gambling and lost everything; he ended up working at a Capuchin friary. Because of a diseased leg, he was unable to join that order, but found his vocation in caring for the sick. The conditions in hospitals in the 16th century were horrific and Camillus resolved to establish an order to care for the sick and dying. Ordained, he founded the nursing congregation of the Ministers of the Sick, the Camillians. Despite his own poor health, he served as general of his order, built hospitals and ministered to soldiers on the battlefield. Canonized in 1746, he is a patron of nurses and of the sick.



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