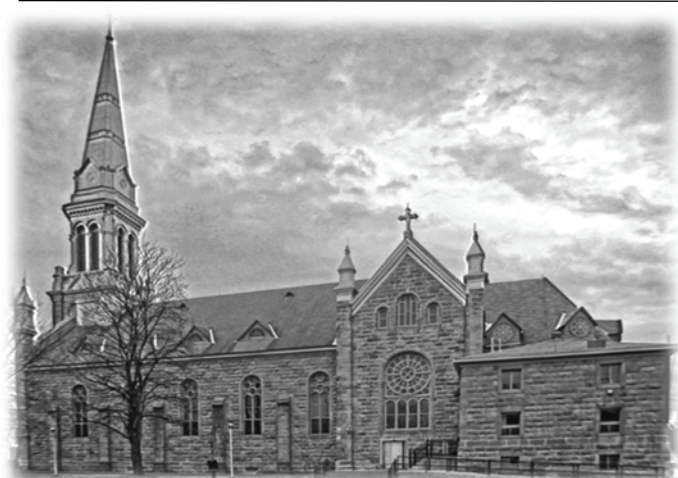


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ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (A)

MAY 07, 2023



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

Weekly Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 p.m. Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11:00 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
Rev. Mr. Guy Côté, Deacon

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 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Also, by appointment

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613-932-9616

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stcolumban@cogeco.ca

PARISH BULLETIN ACCESS

www.parishbulletins.com/bulletins/111

PARISH FOUNDATION

www.stcolumbans.com

ARCHDIOCESAN WEBSITE

www.archoc.ca

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 06th IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY - FIRST SATURDAY
ST. FRANCOIS DE LAVAL, Patron of the Bishops of Canada (M)

7:00 - 7:25 a.m. Confessions
8:00 a.m. Our Children & Their Families by Richard & Carole Pilon
3:00 - 4:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. Dorothy, Edgar & Susan Boudrias by Son Robert & Brother Tom

Sunday, May 07th FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish
9:30 a.m. Lawrence Campbell (10th Anniversary of Death) by Wife Hazel Campbell
11:00 a.m. Sean Patterson by Bridget Brennan
Maurice Provost by Son Paul, Candy & Family

Monday May 08th BLESSED CATHERINE OF ST. AUGUSTINE (OM)

7:30 a.m. No Mass EASTER SEASON – WEEK 5

Tuesday, May 09th

7:30 a.m. Alfie McDonald by Beth Manley

Wednesday, May 10th ST. JOHN OF AVILA (OM)

12:10 p.m. Brian Snider by Steve MacPherson, Chantal Lapointe & Family

Thursday, May 11th

7:30 a.m. Marilyn Hamilton by Husband Duncan Hamilton

Friday, May 12th CANADA HEALTH DAY

ST. NEREUS and ST. ACHILLEUS (OM) or ST. PANCRAS (OM)

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

Saturday, May 13th OUR LADY OF FATIMA (OM)

3:00 - 4:00 p.m. Confessions
5:30 p.m. James Oliver by Art & Geraldine Lauzon

Sunday, May 14th SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish
9:30 a.m. Alice Lalonde by Dwight, Brenda & Family
11:00 a.m. Armand & Germaine Lafrance by Gilles & Diane Lafrance

Monday May 15th

7:30 a.m. No Mass

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION

The living flame of the Sanctuary Lamp, signifying the Eucharistic Presence of our Lord Jesus Christ, is offered this week for the Repose of the Soul of Aurele Boileau by Diane & Gilles Lafrance.



Parish Website: www.stcolumbanparishcornwall.ca

ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

IN OUR PARISH

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone."
1 PETER 2:7

Every person has been given gifts from the Holy Spirit. These are called "charisms" and they are used to build God's kingdom of earth. While many people are able to recognize their natural talents and abilities, they may be unsure of their charisms. If you know someone who is struggling for a direction in life, give them a little encouragement. Help them discern their charisms and how God is calling them to use them. Remember - no gift is too small or insignificant in God's salvation plan.

ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORT FOR APRIL 23, 2023

Sunday Envelopes	3,110.00
Loose Collection	511.15
Easter	25.00
Weekly Total	\$3,646.15

PASTORAL OUTREACH MINISTRY

As some parishioners are unaware of this Ministry, we would like you to know that we have two volunteers who mail out cards to our parishioners who are experiencing illness, a death, a significant birthday, or an anniversary. If you know someone in our parish who could use a card or a visit from the Pastoral Outreach team, please call the office and let us know (613-932-9616).

CONSTRUCTION ON 5TH STREET

The City of Cornwall will be doing road work on 5th Street; therefore, the exit from the church parking lot onto 5th Street will be closed for the duration of this work. The exits to Pitt St. and Augustus St. will remain open.



LIVING WITH CHRIST MONTHLY MISSALS

Missals for May 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.

PATRONS OF ST. COLUMBAN FOUNDATION

The Patrons of St. Columban Foundation wish to thank everyone who attended the Foundation Spaghetti Dinner fundraiser on Sunday, April 23. The dinner raised \$2637 for the Foundation. Special thanks to Claude Poirier, the Ontario Knights of Columbus Council 755 and the Knights of Columbus St. Lawrence Council 5068, who hosted the dinner, and the dedicated volunteers from St. Columban's Parish.

TODAY'S READINGS – MAY 07TH, 2023

1st Reading: Acts 6.1-7
2nd Reading: 1 Peter 2.4-9
Gospel: John 14.1-12
I am the way, and the truth, and the life.

Submit Bulletin Notices to: stcolumban@cogeco.ca

IN OUR PARISH

PARISH RENEWAL - MINISTRIES

We are in need of volunteers for the following ministries:
Lectors - one for the 5:30 p.m. mass & two for 7:30 a.m. mass.
Sacristan - one for the 5:30 p.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. masses and two for the 11:00 a.m. mass.
Eucharistic Ministers at all masses.
Please contact the parish office (613-932-9616).

PRO-LIFE MARCH FOR LIFE

Join us for the March for Life in Ottawa, Thur. May 11. Departure by school bus from the Walmart parking lot at 7:30 am with pick-ups in St. Andrew's in the church's south parking lot at 7:45 am and in Monkland at the McEwen gas station at 8:00 am. We will be dropped off at St. Patrick's Basilica for Mass. From there we will walk up to Parliament Hill for the event. We will depart at 3:00 pm. Wear comfortable shoes, bring lunch and a chair or blanket. This event is free but donations are welcome to help cover the cost of the bus. For more information and/or to book a seat on the bus, phone the pro-life office at 613-937-0536 or email prolife@cogeco.net or call Marilynn Light at 613-537-2021 or email marilynn.light@gmail.com

VOCATIONS

Prayer for Vocations: Eternal God. Bless your Church with holy and faithful priests, deacons, brothers and sisters. Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world the special graces their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of your Son so that in him, with him and through him, we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere. With Mary, we ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

POPE FRANCIS MAY INTENTIONS

For church movements and groups. We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

PATRONS OF ST. COLUMBAN FOUNDATION

At all the masses next weekend, the May 13-14 weekend, a special collection will be taken for the Patrons of St. Columban Foundation at the same time as the regular collection. Parishioners with church envelopes can use the special envelope in their box of envelopes. If you do not have a box of envelopes, you may use the blue envelope found at the church entrances. Parishioners can also pledge to donate weekly or monthly using the pledge form in the pamphlet at the church entrances. Cheques should be made payable to the Patrons of St. Columban Foundation. The Foundation will issue income tax receipts. Please help us preserve our historic St. Columban's Church.

PLEASE NOTE – LOW GLUTEN HOSTS

We offer low-gluten hosts for those who have Celiac or cannot have gluten. Please let Fr. Tom or Deacon Guy know before the start of mass.

IN OUR PARISH AND DIOCESE

THIS IS MY CHURCH (SOURCE UNKNOWN)

This is my church. It is composed of people just like me. It will be friendly if I am. It will do great work if I work. It will make generous gifts to many causes if I am generous. It will bring others into worship and fellowship if I invite and bring them. It will be a church of loyalty and love, of faith and service. If I who make it what it is, am filled with these, Therefore, with God's help, I dedicate myself to the task of being all the things I want my church to be. Amen

THE GIVING OF OUR TIME, OUR TALENT, AND OUR TREASURE

Stewardship is the proper managing and sharing of our time, talent, and treasure for building the Kingdom of God. Everything we have is a gift – our life, our property, our health, our talents, our money. All are gifts from God. We are called to share these gifts with others – not in a single action, not in a hundred actions, but as a way of life. We are called to receive God's gifts gratefully, to develop them responsibly, and to return them to the Lord through sharing with others. Stewardship is a direct response to God's generosity and an expression of discipleship.

SPAGHETTI SUPPER AND BAKE SALE

The parishioners of Ste-Thérèse Parish invite you to their spaghetti supper and bake sale, on Saturday, May 13th, from 5:00 pm to 7:30 pm in their parish hall (1304 Lisieux Street, Cornwall). Menu: spaghetti, salad, dessert, tea and coffee. Price: \$15/person and \$5 for children under 12. Tickets at the door. For info: Hélène at (613) 933-0664. Thanks for your help!

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE DRAW

The Catholic Women's League has prepared a gift basket which will be drawn for Mother's Day. Tickets will be sold at the Church's main entrance, before and after each Mass celebration, on the weekend of May 6-7th. Besides a chance on the basket, tickets for a water-pik water-flosser, a plush throw, a stained-glass candle holder and a \$20.00 gift card for Subway will be drawn.

CATHOLIC INFORMATION CENTRE BOOK AND GIFT SHOP

Are you in need of First Communion gifts? Visit us at our new location at 812 Pitt St., Unit 1 (same door as the Income Tax office.) Open Monday to Friday, 10 am - 4 pm; Saturday, 9 am – 12 noon. Call 613-933-5099.

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.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

If you are scheduled at the hospital for surgery and would like the Sacrament of the Sick before entering the hospital, please see Fr. Tom at the beginning of mass or call the office.



Father Marc!

Celebrating on May 07, 2023

SALESIAN SUMMER CAMP IN CORNWALL

For children ages 7-14 from 3-28 July 2023. Registrations at the Salesian Youth Centre, 300 Montreal Road. Early Bird registration:

Tuesday, 9 May	4:00-6:00 p.m.
Wednesday, 10 May	7:00-9:00 p.m.
Tuesday, 16 May	4:00-6:00 p.m.
Thursday, 18th May	7:00-9:00 p.m.

Late registration day (with an additional \$20) will be on:
Tuesday, 6th June 7:00-9:00 p.m.

For more information, registration fees, calendar and outings, registration form, financial aid, etc.) visit web site <https://donbosco-cornwall.com>.

Youth volunteers at the Salesian Summer Camp: If you wish to volunteer and will be in high school in September 2023, give your name as soon as possible! Registration forms are available on the above web site.

CORNWALL CENTENNIAL CHOIR

CONCERT: 'IF MUSIC BE . . .' on 12th May 2023 at 7:30 p.m. at Aultsville Theatre Adults - \$25.00, children 12 and under \$10.00. Tickets available from any choir member, Fines Home Hardware, Melody Music Centre.

ROAST BEEF DINNER

St. Francis de Sales - K of C 11531, on Thursday, 11th May 2023 - 4:30-6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Cost: Adults \$15, children under 12 years old \$5.

PRAISE & WORSHIP 2023

Praise & Worship 2023: St. Francis de Sales Parish, 434 Second Street West, Cornwall. Please note that the **Praise & Worship** Evening scheduled for Thursday, May 18th, has been **cancelled**. But you are invited to **join us** for **Pentecost Eve** on Saturday, May 27th, at 7:00 pm for Praise and Worship, Adoration, Testimonials and more. All are welcome. For information call: 613-932-0756.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE LIVING ROSARY

The Catholic Women's League of St. Columban's Parish invites you to join them in a Living Rosary for Saturday, May 13th, at twelve noon. This is the hour and the day when Our Blessed Mother first appeared to the children of Fatima in 1917. She urged the children to spread word to pray the Rosary daily for world peace and a return to Jesus. This is the month of May when we honour Mary, Mother of the Church, and all mothers. Everyone in the parish is invited to join this gathering. People will form a circle in the periphery of the church, each having the opportunity to say an Our Father, Hail Mary, or Glory Be to the Father. Those who can't stand can remain sitting in the pews. Everyone is welcome.



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