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ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A)

OCTOBER 01, 2023



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

Weekly Masses

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 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

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

OFFICE PHONE

613-932-9616

PARISH E-MAIL ADDRESS

stcolumban@cogeco.ca

PARISH BULLETIN ACCESS

www.parishbulletins.com/bulletins/111

PARISH FOUNDATION

www.stcolumbans.com

ARCHDIOCESAN WEBSITE

www.archoc.ca

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 30th

ST. JEROME (M)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Patrick Fraser by Jack, Brenda, Todd & Stacey Fraser

Sunday, October 1st

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

9:30 a.m. Leslie O'Shaughnessy by Angus Kelly

11:00 a.m. Alfie McDonald by Jake & Donna Villemaire

Monday, October 02nd

THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS (M)

7:30 a.m. No Mass

ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 26

Tuesday, October 3rd

7:30 a.m. Anne McDonald

Wednesday, October 4th

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI (M)

12:10 p.m. For Lynn & Those Suffering with Mental Illness
by Doris Smith

Thursday, October 05th

ST. FAUSTINA KOWALSKA (OM)

7:30 a.m. Pat Vincelli by Brian Lynch & Katie Burke

Friday, October 06th

SACRED HEART of JESUS - FIRST FRIDAY

BLESSED MAREI-ROSE DUROCHER (OM) or ST. BRUNO (OM)

7:30 a.m. Lorena Smith by St. Columban's Catholic
Women's League

7:00 p.m. ADORATION

Saturday, October 07th

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY - FIRST SATURDAY

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY (M)

7:00 – 7:25 a.m. Confessions

8:00 a.m. For Our Children & Their Families by Richard &
Carole Pilon

3:00 - 4:00 p.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Michael Angelo Rubino by His Family

Sunday, October 8th

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

9:30 a.m. Pete Piquette by the Family

11:00 a.m. Raynald & Claude Lafrance & Aurele Boileau

Monday, October 9th

THANKSGIVING DAY

ST. DENIS and COMPANIONS or ST. JOHN LEONARDI (OM)

7:30 a.m. No Mass

ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 27

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION

The living flame of the Sanctuary Lamp, signifying the Eucharistic Presence of our Lord Jesus Christ, is offered this week For a Special Healing of Our Nephew by Raymond & Kelly Poitras.



Parish Website: www.stcolumbanparishcornwall.ca

ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

IN OUR PARISH

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"Do nothing out of selfishness; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves..." Philippians 2:3

Pride and ego are hard things to control. We see how others act or dress and think we are superior to them. We idolize our own self-image. But, if we truly believe everything is a gift from God, we recognize all the people that God has put in our lives as gifts! We are grateful for how they enrich our lives. Pray every day for the people in your life: your family, your friends and those who make you angry.

ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 17, 2023

Sunday Envelopes	3,167.00
Loose Collection	657.90
Easter	40.00
Weekly Total	\$3,864.90

BOOK STUDY- REDISCOVERING YOUR PARISH COMMUNITY

Interested in rediscovering your Parish Community? Join us as we begin a Book Study. We will meet in the church on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 8 p.m. We will discuss the book "Holy Moments" by Matthew Kelly. The book was given out to parishioners in December 2022. Please check the book table or contact Ruth at 613-361-4575 if you did not receive a copy. We ask that you read the book beforehand. If you have not read it, join us anyway! Please bring your book, questions and comments. If you just want to listen, that is okay too! Dates: September 27th, and October 04th and 11th & 18th. Sign-up sheets are located at all entrances of the church. Everyone is welcome to join us. Bring a friend and rediscover "Community."

SUNDAY 9:30 AM CHOIR

St. Columban's Parish welcomes back the Sunday 9:30 a.m. choir after their well deserved summer break! The choir has weekly rehearsals on Thursday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., and provides music each Sunday from September to June, and at all important liturgies (i.e. Christmas, Holy Week/Easter) throughout the year. Singers interested in joining us should call Rick McRae at 613- 932-2872.

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.

LIVING WITH CHRIST MONTHLY MISSALS

Missals for October 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 – OCTOBER 01ST, 2023

1st Reading:	Ezekiel 18.25-28
2nd Reading:	Philippians 2.1-11
Gospel:	Matthew 21.28-32
	The tax collectors and the prostitutes are going into the kingdom of heaven ahead of you.

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IN OUR PARISH

SATURDAY EVENING MASS TIME CHANGE

Beginning Saturday, September 23rd, the Saturday Evening Vigil Mass will now be scheduled at 4:00 p.m.

ADORATION CHANGES

Fr. Tom will have Adoration on Thursdays & Fridays from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., followed by the Rosary and Mass at 7:30 a.m.

PARISH RENEWAL - MINISTRIES

We are in need of volunteers for the following ministries:

Lectors - one for the 4:00 p.m. mass & two for 7:30 a.m. mass.

Sacristan - one for the 4:00 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).

CHILDREN'S LITURGY PROGRAM SIGN UP

Sign Up - Sunday, September 24th at 9:30 a.m. Mass

Start Date - Sunday October 01st at 9:30 a.m. Mass



A New Year of 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.

THANK YOU

St. Columban's Catholic Women's League would like to thank all those who volunteered to help clean the church and the ladies who provided the refreshments on Tuesday, September 19th. In times like this, it is easy to believe in angels. Thank you, and may God continue to bless each one of you.

WORLDWIDE ROSARY RALLY

St. Columban's Parish will again participate in the Worldwide Rosary Rally this year. This special event, in honour of our Blessed Mother, will occur at 12:00 noon on Saturday, October 14th. On this occasion, we remember the 'Miracle of the Spinning Sun' witnessed mid-day, October 13th, 1917, by 70,000 people. This was the last of Our Lady's monthly visits to three children at Fatima, Portugal, from May 13th to October 13th. On each visit, our Blessed Virgin Mother instructed the children to spread the word that all Catholics must recite the daily rosary if the world was to prevent the looming threat of Communism. This atheistic ideology intended to remove any reference to God and the teachings of Jesus from the world.

Mary's prophecy of tyranny and hatred is now being experienced worldwide. We've failed to pray for her intercession. Please join us now, on October 14th, as we unite our prayers for her continued intercession to bring peace to our world.

Weather permitting, we will sit on the east side of the Church, so bring your lawn chair. If the weather is not suitable, we will recite the rosary inside the Church. Please come and invite your family and friends.

ANNUAL TURKEY SUPPER

Father Cyriaque Balla and the parishioners of Our Lady of the Angels Parish in Moose Creek invite you to their ANNUAL TURKEY SUPPER on Sunday, October 15th, 2023, from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., at the new Community Hall on St. Polycarp Street in Moose Creek. Adults: \$15.00; Children from 6 to 12: \$7.50; Children under 6: Free. TAKE-OUT MEALS AVAILABLE.

ST. COLUMBAN FOUNDATION FUNDRAISING CONCERT

The Patrons of St. Columban Foundation presents a fundraising concert with the St. Joseph's Catholic Secondary School Music Department under the direction of Gilles Levac in St. Columban's Church on Sunday, October 29 at 2 p.m. Funds raised at the concert will be directed to pay for the capital repair work on the church. Admission is freewill donation. Cheques are payable to Patrons of St. Columban Foundation. Everyone is welcome.

DECORATING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for those that like to Decorate. We will meet on October 7th after the 1st Saturday Mass (Mass is at 8:00 a.m.) to prepare our Thanksgiving display. All are welcome.

FALL BIBLE STUDY AT ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH

Come and join us for Season 3 of THE CHOSEN. On Monday mornings, we will serve coffee after 8 A.M. Mass and begin the videos at 9 A.M. Our post-video discussion groups were active last year, and we are eager to have new guests joining us this fall. If you missed out on Season 1 or 2 of The Chosen, come anyway and learn more about Jesus and the disciples that He chose to join him. *EVERYONE IS WELCOME.*

FIRST FRIDAY – OCT. 06 ADORATION

At 7:00 p.m., the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed with a time of Adoration, Prayer, Scripture & Meditation, closing with Benediction.



FIRST SATURDAY – OCT. 07 DEVOTION

Confessions 7:00 a.m. to 7:30 a.m.
Rosary prayed at 7:35 a.m.
Mass at 8:00 a.m.
Come and pray.



CHICKEN DINNER FUNDRAISER

Fall Fundraiser for Charities of Our Lady of Grace/St. Pius X Catholic Women's League of Ingleside/Long Sault. To be held at Royal Canadian Legion, 415 Second Street West, on **Sunday October 22nd, 2023 at 4:30 pm.** Tickets are \$30.00. **Takeout is available.** Please contact Juliet Gill at 613-537-9897 or Margaret Hannah at 613-537-8875. **Everyone welcome!**

TIME WITH JESUS!

St. Julien's Chapel offers a prayerful and peaceful environment with our Lord Jesus. Come for 10 minutes or an hour. Open 24 hours a day, and visitors must be registered and use a fob entry device for their safety and that of other visitors. The Chapel is located at the back of St. Peter's Parish, 2nd St. East, with the entrance off Campbell St. To register and receive a fob, please contact st.julienadorationchapel@gmail.com or leave a phone message at 613-938-8371. Someone will be in touch within a few days.

FRAGRANCE/SCENT FREE-SAFE ENVIRONMENT

We have parishioners with medical issues concerning Fragrance/Scents at St. Columban Parish. Exposure to fragrances and other scented products may trigger adverse health reactions (e.g., asthma attack, anaphylactic reaction and shortness of breath).

Your cooperation is expected regarding the following:

- Avoid using fragrances or scented products such as perfume, cologne or scented soap while at Church.
- A general guideline for fragrances and scented products is that they should not be detectable more than an arm's length away from you.
- Please understand that this issue is about the **serious adverse health reactions** that can occur due to the product you are wearing.
- Our fragrance/scent-free church will depend upon the thoughtfulness, consideration, and cooperation of everyone within our parish community.

POPE FRANCIS OCTOBER INTENTIONS

For the Synod. We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

SUNDAY MISSALS 2023/2024

The parish is not ordering Sunday Missals for the pews. If you would like to order a 2024 Sunday Missal for your own use, I will be placing a bulk order. The price of the Missal this year will be \$5.00. Please call the office Monday –Thursday between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. or email stcolumban@cogeco.ca

FALL CATHOLIC WOMEN'S RETREAT

We are pleased to announce that registration is now open for CALLED, A Catholic Women's Retreat (A Sister Retreat of Women of Bethany) to be held on Nov. 3-5, 2023, under the theme: Walking in Joy. We are excited to offer a weekend of refreshment, spiritual renewal, and faithful inspiration! We are also thrilled to announce our speaker is Ms. Bonnie Landry! Details are in the Google Forms / Registration link: <https://forms.gle/2o4F15giD3hJoEvn9> For assistance with registration or any questions, please send an email to: Calledwomensretreat@gmail.com or womenofbethany@gmail.com. Space is quite limited; please share with the women in your life who you know need a weekend away with the Lord!

LIFE CHAIN

Life Chain Sunday Oct. 1, 2:00- 3:00 p.m. Please show your support for our preborn children by joining us for this silent, peaceful family event. (Please arrive 10 minutes early so we can organize ourselves.) *Locations in Cornwall:* Brookdale and Ninth (meet by the bank); Marleau and McConnell (meet at Little Caesar Pizza which is on the north-west corner). *Information:* marilynn.light@gmail.com, darlenebrabant18@gmail.com, or prolife@cogeco.net



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