We know just how the judge in Luke's Gospel of today felt! Let the story of the persistent widow strengthen your prayers. Even if they are not answered in just the way we ask, God hears our prayers and cares for us.

# ST. COLUMBAN

# PARISH

## TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

**OCTOBER 20, 2019** 

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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

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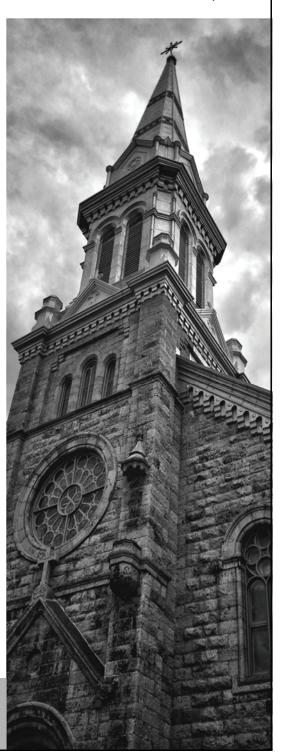
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## CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS (OM)

1:00 p.m. Wedding Denis Gingras & Kristy-Lynn MacIntosh

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

Saturday, October 19th

5:30 p.m. Lisa & Kevin Special Intention on your 1st Year

Wedding Anniversary by Joan

Sunday, October 20th TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY** 

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners

9:30 a.m. Betty & Romeo Cayer by Mary & Keith Grant

George Brand by Georgette & Family

11:00 a.m. Deacon Gordon Bryan by Marion Tobin

Monday, October 21st

7:30 a.m. No Mass ORDINARY TIME – WEEK 29

Tuesday, October 22nd ST. JOHN PAUL II (OM)

Dedication of Consecrated Churches (dates of consecration unknown) (OM)

7:30 a.m. Janet Surgeson by Darlene Brabant

10:00 a.m. Our Lady Devotions

Wednesday, October 23rd ST. JOHN OF CAPISTRANO (OM)

7:30 a.m. Marilyn Hamilton by Her Family

10:00 a.m. Our Lady Devotions

Thursday, October 24th ST. ANTHONY MARY CLARET (OM)

7:30 a.m. Deceased Family Members by Marion Tobin

10:00 a.m. Our Lady Devotions

Friday, October 25th

7:30 a.m. Dorothy Tyo by Frances & George O'Dair

10:00 a.m. Our Lady Devotions

Saturday, October 26th OUR LADY'S SATURDAY (OM)

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Confessions

5:30 p.m. Don Primeau by Wife Pauline Primeau

Sunday, October 27th THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Parishioners9:30 a.m. Pedro Cespon by A Parishioner

11:00 a.m. Edith & Edmund Parisien by Joe Parisien &

Family

Monday, October 28th SAINTS SIMON and JUDE (F)

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

#### COFFEE AND CHAT SUNDAY

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



#### ST. JULIAN'S CHAPEL

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



### TODAY'S READINGS - OCTOBER 20TH

1st Reading: Exodus 17.8-13
2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 3.14-4.2
Gospel: Luke 18.1-8

God will grant justice to his chosen ones who call

out to him.

## IN OUR PARISH

#### STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" - LUKE 17:18

Most of us live "easy" lives. We have food, shelter and clothing. We go on vacation every year and own a car or two. Most of us take this all for granted. Did you ever notice that people with the least amount of possessions are usually the most grateful? Shouldn't this be the other way around? Take time every day and thank God for all He has given you.

# PATRONS OF ST. COLUMBAN FOUNDATION CONCERT

The Patrons of St. Columban Foundation presents a fundraising concert this Sunday October 20 at 2 p.m. in St. Columban's Church. The musical entertainment will feature Bob & Ducky. Tickets cost \$12 and are available at the door on October 20. Funds raised at the concert will be directed to pay for the major repair work on the church.

#### **ROSE SUNDAY**

On this weekend members of Knights of Columbus St. Lawrence council #5068 will sell Red Roses in support of Pro Life. The Red Rose has long been a symbol of the pro-life movement's respect for the lives of unborn babies and their mothers. Freewill offering. Please give generously.



# DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

St. Columban's Parish invites all parishioners throughout the Diocese and Akwesasne to join us in our October Devotions, praying the rosary (followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament) at 10:00 a.m. on all Tuesdays – Fridays from Oct. 8-30. Personal prayer intentions will be received throughout the month and blessed at the closing Mass on Thursday, October 31st at 12:10 p.m.

#### TUESDAY SOCIAL AFTERNOONS

Parishioners are invited to join with other members on Tuesday between 1:00 and 4:00 pm: At present, the activities are games and social time but we are open to other activities and suggestions. Please, you are welcome to visit at any time and see if this interests you.

#### INTERCESSORY PRAYER – Bring a Friend

If you missed this month's Intercessory Prayer event, our next evening will take place on Thursday, November 07, 2019, at 7:00 pm in the Church. Bring a friend and your specific prayer intentions as we will also continue to pray for our own intensions and those of our Parish and our Diocese. Followed by refreshments and Social time. If anyone is interesting in sharing how God has worked in their life or if you would like more information, please call Joe Parisien at 613-551-8086 or by email at <a href="mailto:jeparisien9@gmail.com">jeparisien9@gmail.com</a>

## にはなる。 NEW MUSICAL MASS SETTING

A new musical setting of the responses used during Mass (the Kyrie; Holy, Holy; Lamb of God...) is now being introduced at some of our weekend liturgies. For those wanting to become more familiar with this new music, you can listen to the responses on YouTube. Simply type in "Mass of St. Ann."



# IN OUR PARISH AND DIOCESE

#### CHALICE

At our Masses on 26/27 October, **Deacon Gerry Turpin** will be preaching at all the Masses. He will also speak about *Chalice* – a Catholic inter-national aid charity focused on child, family, and community development.



We work closely with lay people, religious missionaries, and local communities to provide care for the many children and families caught in the dehumanizing grip of poverty. Since its inception, Chalice has been restoring hope and dignity to people in developing countries through our sponsorship program. As we end the Extraordinary Mission Month Deacon Gerry will explain how you can help a destitute child at one of 57 mission sites in 15 developing countries.

# CANCELLATION OF 10<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL AUTUMN PILGRIMAGE

The committee has **cancelled** the **SPECIAL 10th ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE** from the Dioceses of Ottawa, Gatineau, Pembroke, Mont-Laurier, Alexandria/Cornwall and Kingston to the Shrine of Divine Mercy in Montreal that was scheduled for Sunday October 20, 2019. Please continue to pray for us as we ensure we keep you every day in our daily rosary.

#### 6th ANNUAL CELTIC FIDDLE MASS

Sunday Mass 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time, **27th October**, **2019**. St. Anthony's Parish – Apple Hill Music begins at 10:00 am, Mass begins at 10:30 am, Knights of Columbus Council 9780 Breakfast in the Parish Hall from 9:00am. to 1:00pm. Everyone Welcome.



#### WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today, on World Mission Sunday, we are invited to celebrate our mission's vocation, to pray for the people who are actively engaged in mission, and to generously contribute to our worldwide mission solidarity fund through this collection. Your gift on this day helps: People in remote villages, towns and cities, through the witness and work of missionaries and local priests; Children, the elderly, refugees, the sick, and orphans through the services of religious Sisters and Brothers; To bring the Gospel to the poorest of our human family; Catechists proclaim the message of hope and peace that only Christ can give. Please offer your prayers for the work of the Church in the missions today and be as generous as you can on World Mission Sunday.

#### FAMILY BREAKFAST – St. Francis

St. Francis de Sales K of C 11531 are having a 'Family Breakfast' on Sunday, 27th October 2019 from 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. \$7.00/person. Everyone welcome.

#### ANNUAL TURKEY SUPPER – Moose Creek

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 20th** 2019, from 4:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m., at the Roxborough Community Hall on St. Polycarp Street in Moose Creek. Adults: \$12.00; Children from 6 to 12: \$5.00; Children under 6: Free. TAKE OUT MEALS ARE AVAILABLE.

# ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORT FOR OCTOBER 06, 2019

Sunday Envelopes 3,138.90 Loose Collection 313.40 Total \$3,452.30

#### **EXTRAORDINARY MISSIONARY MONTH**

October 2019 was decreed by Pope Francis Extraordinary Missionary Month, in order to revive the people of God in their Mission: to manifest the love of God to all humanity. The theme for the month is: "Baptized and sent: The Church of Christ on mission in the world".

"Go! Make disciples of ail nations." (Mt 28:19) These words—the imperative mission of Christ—call each baptized Catholic to action. The Church has a lasting mission to perform in this world, a mission that is ever more apparent, and the need for it is ever more urgent. In fact, mission isn't something the Church does. It is what the Church is!

This year, World Mission Sunday is on October 20. This is a worldwide collection for the missionary Church that offers emergency aid when disaster strikes, cares for refugees in wartorn countries, provides rural health clinics and transportation for priests, catechists, religious, and lay pastoral workers. It offers financial support for the daily needs of all missionaries. Please pray for the missions and be generous on World Mission Sunday.

#### CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in November 2019 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1 800 268-2637.

# A DAY OF INFORMATION REFLECTION AND PRAYER - Sunday

On September 29, 2019 the Church celebrated the World Day of Migrants and Refugees. On Saturday, November 09, 2019 from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm Maison Shalom House, 170 St. Paul Street, Alexandria invites you to a day of information, reflection and prayer to understand better the reality of the human migration phenomenon and to help us how to "welcome, protect, and integrate" our brothers and sisters who have been forced to leave their homes and their countries. We will also have a time of prayer to deepen our understanding of our common humanity with the migrants and refugees in our world. Ms. Tara Hurford, from Development and Peace, will be with us as a resource person. Cost: \$15.00 for lunch, beverages and snacks. Please register by November 4, 2019 by contacting Sr. Sue Phone: 613-525-1704 or E-Mail: maisonshalomhouse@bellnet.ca

#### **COMMUNION IN PEW**

For those who are having mobility issues and need communion brought to the pew. Please notify Fr. Ernest or one of the Eucharistic Ministers before the start of Mass.

#### WOMEN'S MORNING OF REFLECTION

Please join us on Sat. Nov. 2 from 9 am. til noon at the Agora Centre, 301 McConnell Ave., Cornwall for mass, confession, breakfast, a talk and the rosary. The guest speaker, Peggy Doucette, with her husband Keith, have dedicated their lives to sharing the Divine Mercy message. Peggy will speak on what St. Faustina has to say to us about living the good life today. For any inquiries please contact Heidi Krol 613- 347-7561 or Marilynn Light 613-537-2021. A free will offering of \$5 is appreciated.



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