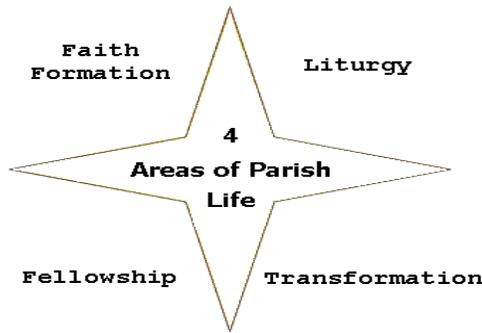




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**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 3-4 , 2012**

Sunday 9:00 AM Celebration of the Eucharist Saturday 7:00 PM

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FOOD FOR THE WEEK

Reading 1 Genesis 22.1-2, 9-13, 15-18
Responsorial Psalm I will walk before the Lord, in the Land of the living.
Reading II Romans 8.31b-35, 37++
Gospel Mark 9.2-10

The apostles saw into the real Jesus – hours on the mountains which they would never forget. When later they would see the disfigured face and the dying body on the cross, Peter and James and John would remember this day, and would remember it for the rest of their lives. They saw Jesus as the Son of God, and saw a glimpse in him of our humanity at its best.

The glory of Jesus is the glory of love – his love unto death, and the love in him of Father and Spirit.

MASSES

Saturday	March 10, 2012	St. Malachy @ 7:00 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guylaine & Michelle Berndt by Rupert & Mary Kavanaugh • Edward Lavell by Richard & Madeleine Lavell • All Parishioners of St. Malachy & OLV
Sunday	March 11, 2012	OLV @ 9:00 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John & Madeleine Laluck by Mary Doherty • Allan Goulet by Monique & Ken Simpson • Betty Filiatreault by Friends of the Kitchen

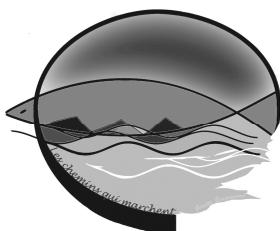
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Detachment from things gives us the freedom we need to follow Christ. Goods are only the means.

He who puts his confidence in earthly concerns, whose heart turns from the Lord, is condemned to be barren and ineffective with respect to what really matters. He is like dry scrub in the wasteland; if good comes, he has no eyes for it; he settles in the parched places of the wilderness, a salt land, uninhabited.

The Lord wants us to be concerned about the things of earth and to love them in the right way: fill the earth – and have dominion over every living thing. But one who in a disorderly fashion loves the things of the earth leaves no room in his soul for the love of God. Loving our Lord and such attachment are incompatible.

The Liturgical Committee



RIVERS ARE MOVING ROADS – LES CHEMINS QUI MARCHENT

Last weekend, Brother Miguel A. Sancha visited our parishes to present information on the walking pilgrimage that will be held from May 27th to June 2nd in the Lievre Valley.

Information about the pilgrimage can be found on the diocesan website at: <http://diocesegatineau.org> As well, you will find information sheets at the entrance to the church together with Volunteer Recruitment Sheets.

Brother Miguel is a Marist brother from Spain, working with the youth of the Gatineau Diocese. After making his presentation at St. Malachy's on Saturday, he joined us at the Valentine's dance at OLV, stayed overnight at the rectory and made another presentation on Sunday morning. Brother Miguel has sent us the following message:

I have enjoyed, very much, my stay with you and with the English-speaking community. I have felt at home. In spite of challenges you face every day, I feel that your community is still alive and have an important role to play in the region as new evangelizers for the new evangelization.



<http://www.devp.org/sites/www.devp.org/files/documents/materials/sharelent2012-mini-mag.pdf>



In this week's insert – Solidarity Card 1 – read how community gardens play an important role in "Filipino Style" to alternate rural poverty through sustainable agriculture.

SYMBOLS OF SOLIDARITY

Every year, *Development and Peace* members in Canada participate in special solidarity tours where they visit *Development and Peace* partners and the communities they work with in Asia, Africa, Latin America or the Middle East. The members learn more about the work of *Development and Peace* partners, and return to Canada inspired to share the stories of the people and the partners they met.

The Symbols of Solidarity that were brought forward in our churches last weekend (and will remain under the cross throughout Lent) help us to reflect on the direct connection between members of *Development and Peace* and our sisters and brothers in the Global South. They are a visible reminder of how the work of our partners is helping a world of justice take root in the Philippines, Cambodia and Lebanon.

ST. PATRICK'S TEA CONVENOR

The OLV Society is looking for a Convenor for the St. Pat's Tea. If you are interested in helping out with this event, please contact Evelyn of the OLV Society at 819 986-2477 or by contacting the office.

HAPPY ST. PAT'S DAY

What better way to celebrate St. Patrick's day than with a party.

St. Columban's annual St. Pat's party
Saturday, March 10, 2012, at 8:00 pm
RA Centre, 195 Maloney Blvd, Gatineau

Live country band, Irish entertainment with
Special guest Gail Gavan.

Refreshments will be served.

Tickets: \$8.00 from any of the St. Columban Warden's or call Maynard Robinson: 613-859-5380.
Tickets will also be available at the door. Thank you

RELAY FOR LIFE (CANCER RESEARCH)

Sunday, April 22 (10:00 am – 3:00 pm) food and other items will be for sale at OLV. All Proceeds to the Buckingham Relay for Life (Cancer Research).

GARAGE SALE – September 8, 2012

Please advise Monique Simpson at 819 986-3166 if you have anything to donate. More information to follow.

PIE MAKERS

Pie Makers please reserve the following dates: September 17, 18 & 19 for apple pies and November 12, 13 & 14 for meat pies.

Those wishing to purchase pies will be advised as to when.

OLV PARISH IS IN NEED OF ASSISTANCE

The Parish is looking for Eucharist Ministers, Ushers, Lectors and Servers. Please contact the office if you are interested in volunteering.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Le Centre Action Génération des Aînés, a community group that assists seniors, is looking for

drivers/volunteers to transport/accompany seniors to medical, optometrist, dental, pharmaceutical and other appointments. Drivers are reimbursed 43 cents per kilometer. If you have several hours of your time to donate, please call [819-281-4343](tel:819-281-4343).

ST. MALACHY – GENEROUS DONATION

The Wardens on behalf of the Parishioners, wish to thank Country Club 2000 for their donation of \$200.00 and an anonymous donor for \$500.00. These were identified as fuel donations. Thank you for your generosity.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

WEEKLY RECEIPTS	OLV	ST. MALACHY
February 25-26, 2012	\$ 567.00	\$ 206.00
Fuel	\$ 369.00	\$ 140.00

ARE YOU NEW TO OUR PARISH?

Welcome to all who want to make their faith home here! You may have come from other places. You may have been “away for a while”. Be assured that we love to have you among us. We would appreciate it very much if you identified yourself at Mass. It would also help if you would take the time to fill out a registration form. The next time you are with us, you may leave it in the collection basket or give it to one of the ushers or to the priest. Welcome.