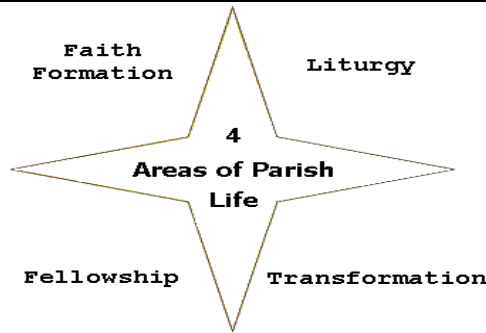




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**THIRTY- FIRST SUNDAY  
 ORDINARY TIME  
 NOVEMBER 03-04, 2012**

<b>Sunday 9:00 AM</b>	<b>Celebration of the Eucharist</b>	<b>Saturday 7:00 PM</b>
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**FOOD FOR THE WEEK**

**Reading 1** Deuteronomy 6.2-6  
**Responsorial Psalm** I love you, O Lord, my strength.  
**Reading II** Hebrews 7.23-28  
**Gospel** Mark 12.28-34

The Jewish lawyers were blamed for multiplying regulations, but they also like to seek out the essentials of the law, to give the whole of their religion in one sound-bite. The rabbi Hillel was once asked to instruct someone in the whole law while he stood on one leg.

Jesus takes the lawyer's question seriously and points us to an interior religion, one of the heart, not of rule keeping or ritual.

**MASSES**

<b>Saturday</b>	Nov. 10, 2012	St. Malachy @ 7:00 p.m.	John & Esther Lavell requested by Greg & Patricia. All Parishioners of St. Malachy and OLV.
<b>Sunday</b>	Nov. 11, 2012	OLV @ 9:00 a.m.	Francis Cosgrove (12 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary) by Irene & family. Philipp Lotz by Marianne Lotz.

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

Two weeks ago, Archbishop Paul-André Durocher invited all those involved in the preparation of sacraments in the English parishes of the diocese to a meeting to review how each parish prepares for sacraments. The meeting was very much appreciated by all those in attendance and everyone is looking forward to further meetings with the Archbishop who will be providing much-needed leadership and guidance to the volunteers.

For the time being, the Archbishop indicated that sacramental preparations should continue as we have been doing. Baptisms are usually held as required, but First Communion and Confirmation need to be coordinated. Therefore, please register with the Secretary no later than November 12<sup>th</sup> for the sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation.



**Diocesan Event – talk on *The Covenant in the Bible*, November 6**

The theme of the celebrations for the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Archdiocese of Gatineau is: "The Church of Gatineau: a Covenant space yesterday, today and tomorrow". This theme echoes the words of Cardinal Ratzinger (who would become Pope Benedict XVI) in a talk he gave in Paris in 1991: "The Church does not exist for herself, but for humanity. She exists so that the world might be a Covenant space between God and men."

The Covenant is an important theme in the Bible. As part of the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary activities, the diocese is presenting a series of evenings with scripture scholar Jean-Pierre Perrault. **The English presentation, *The Covenant in the Bible*, will be held on November 6 at 7 pm at Our Lady of the Annunciation Church (189 Archambault, Hull sector).** A voluntary contribution of \$5 is suggested for this activity.

**Gala Evening** – Our diocese will be celebrating its 50th anniversary in 2013!

To mark the occasion, a wonderful

gala evening will be held on Saturday, June 8, 2013 at 7:30 p.m. at the

Palais des Congrès, 50 Maisonneuve Blvd., in Gatineau. All the performing artists will be local singers, dancers, actors, musicians. It promises to be a really memorable event.

Tickets are \$40 each. To buy or reserve your ticket, contact Pauline Leduc at the door of each church served by Fr. Gyan on November 17-18. Please contact persons you know who might be interested in attending. At the end of November, Pauline will return remaining tickets awarded to us, for sale in parishes who are asking for more.

**DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE – DO IT JUSTICE**



The decision by the Canadian Government to reduce funding to **Development and Peace** by 65% brings to a halt much of the progress that has been made in these countries, as many of these organizations will no longer have the capacity to continue to assist communities. **Development and Peace** estimates that it will need to reduce the number of organizations that it supports by approximately one-third, significantly reduce support to those that it continues to work with, and will need to end programming altogether in some countries.

The following is taken from a letter written to **Development and Peace** following the Canadian Government cuts - from **Ijebu-Ode of Nigeria's Justice Development and Peace Commission**: "We may face a great regression of human rights. In terms of international solidarity, the challenge will be how to organise ourselves, both in the North and South, strategically for maximum impact with minimum means."

**What would Jesus do? And me, what will I do?**

**YOUTH GROUP:** Our Youth Group, which now calls itself "Friday Night Faith Buddies", will meet at St. Andrew's at 6:30 to 8:30 pm on November 9<sup>th</sup> to watch the movie RV. (cost \$1.00). Everyone is welcome.

**GRIEF SESSIONS:** The next Grief Session is scheduled for November 13<sup>th</sup>, at 1:30 pm., in OLV Church Hall. For more information call Monique at (819)986-3166.

**CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE:** Presented by the ladies of the Country Club 2000. This will be held on Saturday November 17 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. (or until sold out), at the Mayo Municipal Building, 20 McAlendin Road, Mayo. There will be home baked goodies and a 50/50 draw.

Join us for Beans & corn bread, sandwiches, tea and coffee.

**CHRISTMAS TEA:** Virginia Sellers will be the convenor for the Annual Christmas Tea this year. It will be held on December 1<sup>st</sup>. Please mark your calendars for this parish event.

Donations of crafts for the Christmas Craft table are welcome.

**THE HEART AND SOUL CHRISTMAS CONCERT** will be held on Thursday December 6<sup>th</sup> at OLV Church hall. The tickets will be \$5.00.

**MEAT PIES WILL BE AVAILABLE AGAIN THIS YEAR:** The meat is purchased from our local butcher and made by the OLV and St. Malachy pie makers. Please complete the order form and return no later than **November 11**.

**PIE ORDER**

PLEASE PRINT

NAME:- \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

# OF PIES REQUIRED- \_\_\_\_\_ 4"PIE \$5.00

\_\_\_\_\_ 9"PIE \$9.00

SAVORY: \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE DROP THE FORM IN THE COLLECTION BASKET OR GIVE TO CLARE EVELYN, JOAN OR MONIQUE.

**WEEKLY RECEIPTS**

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October 27-28, 2012 (Sunday Offering)	\$541.00	\$385.00
October 27-28, 2012 (Fuel)	\$396.00	204.00