



Our Lady of Victory
 490 Charles Street
 Gatineau, Québec
 J8L 2K5

**TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY
 IN ORDINARY TIME
 September 12-13, 2015**

St. Malachy
 3889 Route 315
 Mayo, Québec
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Sunday 9:00 AM

Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday 7:00 PM

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Reading 1 *Isaiah 50.5-9*
Responsorial Psalm I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living
Reading II James 2.14-18
Gospel Mark 8.27-35

People seemed to wonder who Jesus was. After hearing Him speak or watching Him healing the sick, they might have compared Him to John the Baptist or one of the prophets, and they wondered if these prophets had come back to life. They knew that there was more to Him than met the eye, more to the meaning of His words than they would initially hear.

Jesus can always surprise us; every time we read a bit of the Gospel we can learn something new about Him or about ourselves.

MASSES

Thursday	Sept. 17th	OLV @ 10:00 am	All Parishioners of OLV and St. Malachy
Saturday	Sept. 19th	St. Malachy @ 7:00 pm	Gordon (26 ann) and May (37 ann) Findlay by Dorothy, Claude and Family (Carriere)
Sunday	Sept. 20th	OLV @ 9:00 am	Leonard Simpson (21 ann) by Ken and Monique Simpson

Parishioners are invited to join in praying the Rosary before all Masses

CONFESSIONS AT OUR LADY OF VICTORY AND ST. MALACHY PARISHES

Fr. Albanus will be available for confessions by appointment or on a regular basis on the following days:

Our Lady of Victory	Thursday	9:15 am to 9:30 am
St. Malachy	Saturday	6:20 pm to 6:50 pm
Our Lady of Victory	Sunday	8:15 am to 8:45 am

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

If you wish to register your child / children for the sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, First Communion or Confirmation, please contact the parish office at 819 986-3763 prior to October 15, 2015.

INVITATION

On the occasion of the **Year of Consecrated Life**, the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) joins the Canadian Religious Conference (CRC) to invite all religious, members of societies of apostolic life and secular institutes, as well as all interested Catholics, to a **Mass of Thanksgiving, September 17, 2015, at 10:30 am, at St. Joseph's Oratory of Mount Royal in Montreal**. The Most Reverend Paul-André Durocher, Archbishop of Gatineau and President of the CCCB, will preside at the Mass along with all the Catholic Bishops of Canada. Father Eugene King, O.M.I., will deliver the homily. This celebration will take place during the annual meeting of the Planning Assembly of the CCCB which will take place in Cornwall, Ontario.

MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS FROM THE ARCHBISHOP - SEPTEMBER

"That the number of possibilities for job training and employment increases, for all young people."

Reflection on Social Issues - Do the youth have a place in our society? A lot of young people cannot find work after finishing an often very long period of studies. The Conference of Post-Secondary Schools presented, on June 17th, 2014, the results of its 22nd survey on job insertion for young graduates. It clearly shows how hard it is for them to integrate into a professional career due to a difficult economic situation and a rise in unemployment. Indeed, 70% of students who graduated in 2013 are still looking for their first real job⁽¹⁾.

Our Faith Response - Work is a fundamental right and a good thing for everyone, full-time employment is a necessary goal for all economic systems oriented towards justice and the common good⁽²⁾. How do we help our young people carve their place in society? Many employers have joined the program called "Conciliation Work Study" that allows young people to continue studying towards their career objective. What can we do to encourage our youth and give them a sense to their lives?

Sunday, September 13th - Do we have room in our Christian community for young adults who want to make something of their lives?

[1] <http://www.digischool.fr/1er-emploi/recherche-emploi-difficultes-jeunes-diplomes-22415.php>

[2] *Compendium of the Church's social doctrine*, p.140, no 287 and 288

OUR LADY OF VICTORY AND ST. MALACHY NEWS

Annual Harvest Supper - Our annual turkey supper, sponsored by **both parishes**, will be on Friday, October 9th. Tickets: Adults: **\$25.00**; Children 6 to 12: **\$10.00**, Children under 6: **FREE**. There will also be a raffle for a stained glass painting and a handmade table cloth. Tickets are **\$2.00 each** or **three for \$5.00**. Tickets for the supper and raffle are available at both parishes on the weekends or by calling the parish office at 819 986-3763.

OLV NEWS

OLV Needs You - Parishioners may have noticed that there have been **no servers** assisting Father Albanus during Mass this summer. It is hoped that this does not become permanent and, to avoid this, we require at **least two volunteers** to join. **There is no requirement to wear the white vestment**. Contact the parish secretary if interested.

If our community is to continue to flourish, we need parishioners to step forward and support our ministries. For many years it has been the same people filling these ministries and, hopefully, other parishioners will step forward and serve our faith community.

Garage Sale - Saturday, September 19th from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm. *All proceeds from the sale go to support our parish.* **No CLOTHING, SHOES, OLD BOOKS (outdated in hard cover) nor any furniture.** You are invited to drop off your items on Friday, September 18th from 9:00 to 1:00 pm or at the parish office during normal working hours.

LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS: During the setup and day of the sale. Contact Monique at 819-986-3763 to advise when you are available.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Our Lady of Light Cultural Centre, 6458 Route 315, Mulgrave & Derry - Corn Roast and Concert - Sunday, September 20th - Our last fundraiser events of the year. From 12:00 to 1:30 pm, corn, hot dogs, baked beans, non-alcoholic drinks, coffee and tea will be available for purchase. Tables and some chairs will be available. We invite you to bring your lawn chairs and coffee mugs. If you are interested in donating baked goods, please contact Lucie Miller at 819 986-7232.

Concert - From 2:00 to 3:00 pm, Lisa-Marie Serafin and Chris Marris will be offering a wide variety of pop and rock music. Tickets are \$5.00 (children 12 and under free).and can be purchased from Lucie Miller or at the door.

WEEKLY RECEIPTS	OLV	ST. MALACHY
September 5-6, 2015 - Sunday Offering	\$451.00	\$311.00
September 5-6, 2015 - Support	297.00	182.00
September 5-6, 2015 - Donation		420.00