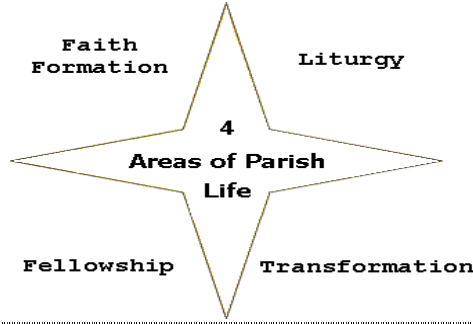




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**THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
June 18 - 19, 2016**

Sunday 9:00 AM

Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday 7:00 PM

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Reading 1 Zechariah 12.10-11
Responsorial Psalm My soul thirsts for you, O Lord my God
Reading II Galatians 3.26-29
Gospel Luke 9.18-24

"All of you are one in Jesus Christ." This is the new Christian life and reality: being baptized into the crucified and risen Christ and welcomed into a new community. It is the same path for all of us, no matter how different we are from each other.

In what way does this challenge me? Do I live this out in my family, in my community, in my workplace?

MASSES

Thursday	June 23 rd	OLV @ 10:00 am	Leo Giroux by The Community Rupert McCoy and Deceased Members of the McCoy Family by The Estate
Saturday	June 25 th	St. Malachy @ 7:00 pm	Rose Weatherdon by Ginny Roos Rupert McCoy and Deceased Members of the McCoy Family by The Estate
Sunday	June 26 th	OLV @ 9:00 am	Jean Paul Robitaille by The Carriere and Simpson Families Kay Lemieux by The Community Gerald (10th ann) and Carmen (4th ann) by The Family

WEEKLY RECEIPTS	OLV	ST. MALACHY
June 11 - June 12, 2016 - Sunday Collection	\$695.00	\$355.80

THE ARCHBISHOP'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS: JUNE 2016

“So that elderly people and people who are lonely or have been marginalized find, even in the big cities, occasions to meet and socialize with other people.”

Social reflection: In Quebec, we went from being a rural society to being an urban society. During the rural period, we developed values of solidarity, mutual assistance, and family and community spirit. Since the urbanization of Quebec in the 1960s, the globalization starting in 1990, individualism has spread in our society. It is difficult to find a sense of community in our cities and even in our parishes. Yesterday's values mutual assistance, solidarity and cooperation, are not lived as before or on a much smaller scale. How can we give new life to this type of communal friendship? May be by recreating small communities, or “urban villages”¹ inside our big cities.

Our Faith Response: In the history of Christianity, we see that evangelism and faith really grew in rural areas, along the coast, or in villages. The Christian faith had a lot of trouble establishing itself in the large cities of the time: Jerusalem, Athens and Rome. Consider the passage of Paul at the Areopagus of Athens, where he bore witness to the risen Christ. His message was not welcomed by the citizens of Athens (Cf. Ac 17, 16-34). How can we, in this era of globalization and individualism, modernize our message, and bear witness to the Gospel from where we are?

¹ Concept developed in San Francisco.

Sunday, June 19, 2016: On this Father's Day, I visit my father, a relative or friend to celebrate Father's Day and break that loneliness that some have. If that is not possible, I phone them or pray for them.

FIRST EUCHARIST



The Preparation for the Sacrament of First Eucharist has now come to an end. Our faith community will be graced by these candidates who will come forward requesting First Eucharist (Communion).

As a faith community, we are all called to transmit the Good News of Jesus Christ to the world. It is by our very Baptism that we are all called to share our faith with each other, growing and maturing in our life-long journey towards God.

We welcome all the candidates receiving their First Eucharist:

Kathryn O'Reilly

Olivier Fillion

Hannah Rivera

Jacob Ouellette

Lincoln Delcourt

OUR LADY of VICTORY & ST. MALACHY NEWS

A Generous Donation to OLV: The Knights of Columbus donated \$1,000 last week to assist Our Lady of Victory in addressing our heating costs. On an annual basis, the Knights of Columbus donate thousands of dollars, not only to church groups, but to a wide range of non-profit organizations whose mandate is to address social issues. The funding for these donations comes from bingo receipts.

An Old Friend Visits: Many parishioners will be happy to note that Fr. Gyan will be visiting our parishes from June 29th to July 9th. Further details to follow.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Relay for Life: A total of \$108,000 was raised in the 12-hour walk for cancer. Thanks to all our walkers, volunteers and donations received. The Relay for Life Committee.

Father Bill Marvee Turns 80 – Come Celebrate!! All are welcome to Father Bill's 80th Birthday Celebration on Sunday, July 3rd, 2-5 pm at St. Mark's Church Hall, 160 Principale in Aylmer. Drop in for fun, finger foods, refreshments and fellowship. As Father Bill will be moving back into retirement the beginning of September, this will also be a perfect time to reminisce and wish him well. Gifts of sharing your '*favourite Father Bill memory*' will be most appreciated on special memory/story cards available at the party. For more information, contact: Margie Voisin at 613-316-9907 or Dorli McCrank at 819-682-3263.

A Prayer for Fathers

*God our Father,
This weekend we will celebrate Father's Day.
You gave Jesus an earthly father, Joseph,
Who cared for him when he was a child.
We thank you for our fathers and grandfathers
Who care for us,
We ask you to bless all fathers
And all who take the place of fathers
in caring for children.
We pray this in Jesus' name.
Amen.*