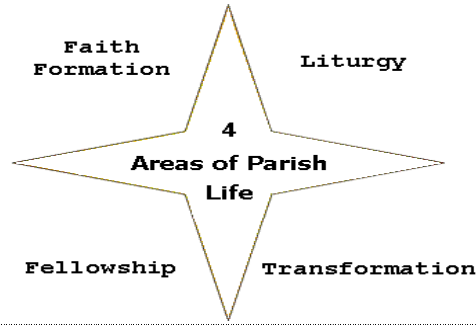




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**THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
JULY 2 - 3, 2016**

Sunday 9:00 AM

Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday 7:00 PM

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Reading 1 Isaiah 66.10-14
Responsorial Psalm Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth!
Reading II Galatians 6.14-18
Gospel Luke 10.1-12, 17-20

The readings in today's Mass give us much to rejoice about.
How could we not boast in the cross of our Lord?
Our names are written in heaven!

MASSES

Thursday	July 7 th	OLV @ 10:00 am	Leo Giroux by Claire and Rene Morin Rupert McCoy and Deceased Members of the McCoy Family by The Estate
Saturday	July 9 th	St. Malachy @ 7:00 pm	Rose Weatherdon by Joan and Barry Teske Rupert McCoy and Deceased Members of the McCoy Family by The Estate
Sunday	July 10 th	OLV @ 9:00 am	Cecile Biehler Laframboise by Tom and Isabel Laframboise Special Intention by A Parishioner

WEEKLY RECEIPTS	OLV	ST. MALACHY
July 2 - July 3, 2016 - Sunday Collection	\$527.00	\$160.00
July 2 - July 3, 2016 - Fuel	229.00	155.00

THE ARCHBISHOP'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS: JULY 2016

"May the Native people be respected in their identity and their very existence"

Social reflection: In Canada and in many other countries, the Aboriginal issue is headline news. Even if the Native people aided the European explorers when they arrived in the "New World", the Europeans in return did not feel the same desire for co-operation with the Native people. And today, several consequences have arisen from this painful history. We only need to think of the more than 1200 women and girls who have disappeared and are still missing. Also, the problems related to living in reservations: bad drinking water, insufficient education of children, alcohol dependency, residential schools, etc. A year ago, the Reconciliation and Truth Commission tabled a report with 94 recommendations. As citizens and Christians, what can we do?

Our faith response: The problems linked to Native people are due to the European and Christian views of the world. Unfortunately, our evangelization practices were not always done in the image, or according to the teachings of, Christ. However, the mentalities of Christian churches have changed with time. Take, for example, the voyages of Pope John Paul II to Canada in 1984 and 1987; he came bearing a political message favourable to the Native people. Even Pope Francis defends, through his messages and his voyages, Native people in many countries of the world. During a conference by Development and Peace, Mrs. Jennifer Henry, General Director of KAIROS ¹, talked about our relationship with Native people. She stated: "As Christians, we must remove ourselves from the colonizing mentality, and thus decolonize ourselves".² Are we still colonizers in our thoughts and our actions? How do we get out of this mentality?

Reflection Sunday, July 3, 2016: This week, I reflect on how the Native people were evangelized. Did we offer them the love of Christ, or did we simply impose the European culture on them?

¹ Canadian ecumenical organization.

² Taken from the notes of a conference by Jennifer Henry, in Toronto, May 14th, 2016.

OUR LADY of VICTORY & ST. MALACHY NEWS

Prayers and Sympathy: Pray for the repose of the soul of **Sister Bernice McCoy, G.S.I.C.** formerly from Mayo.

Our Lady of Knock Shrine - The 62nd Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Knock will be held on **Sunday, August 14, 2016**. Pope Francis has encouraged all to make a Pilgrimage during this Year of Mercy. This Pilgrimage is one such opportunity. Father Eugene (Red) O'Reilly, C.Ss.R, will be the celebrant.

Mass Change: Mass at OLV will be on **Saturday, August 13 at 7:00 pm** because of Our Lady of Knock Pilgrimage on Sunday.

Lost Keys: In early May a ring of keys, including 1 car key and 3 others, was left in the church (OLV). If these are yours please call the office at 819-986-3763.

OLV 75th Anniversary Update: The planning committee is organizing a small **golf get together on July 14, 2016**. The goal is to raise funds to support activities which will take place next year. The following is an outline of the day's events:

Golf course:	Royal Papineau (Lac d'Argile)
Shot Gun start:	1:00 pm – play your own ball (not best ball)
Cost:	\$75.00 per person which includes golf, cart and supper
Meal:	All you can eat Mussels, or one rack of ribs, French fries, salad and dessert
Maximum number of foursomes:	10
To register contact:	Mike Legault at 819-281-4870

What the committee is planning for 2017

- With the support of the Wardens and Inter-Parish Planning Committee, an opening ceremonial Mass will be held on the 22nd of January 2017 with Archbishop Durocher presiding. Following Mass, a free brunch will be served downstairs for those attending the Mass.
- A summer picnic with the possibility of Mass prior to the event.
- Monthly historical facts to be published in the bulletin, starting in December 2016.
- A traditional midnight Mass (with some Latin) scheduled for December 25th 2017 will close out the year's events. More information to follow as planning evolves.

Religious Articles and Old Bibles: Several individuals have contacted the Parishes regarding what to do with religious articles and old Bibles that have been stored away for years. In some instances, inquiries have been made about the possibility of presenting / donating them to the Parishes. This is a non-starter, as the Parishes have more than their share of articles and are not prepared to accept more.

So, the question remains – what to do? According to our research, a common pious custom is to dispose of blessed objects by either burning them (if they are flammable) or burying them (if they are not). In the former case, the object is destroyed and the ashes (or other remains) can simply be thrown away. In the case of objects that were never blessed, they can simply be thrown away like any other non-blessed object.

Shut-Ins: Parishioners are reminded that Father Albanus is available and more than willing to meet with those individuals who are shut-in for a variety of reasons. In addition to Eucharist, Father is prepared to simply visit, as well as bring a spiritual message to those who are unable to leave their place of residence. **To book a time with Father, please contact the Parish Secretary at 819-986-3763.**

COMMUNITY NEWS

Pilgrimage to Shrine of St. Ann in Cormac: Will be held on Sunday, July 31st. See poster at entrance of church for more information.

142nd Annual Pilgrimage: Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré and Cap-de-la-Madeleine will be on **August 13-14, 2016**. Our weekend celebrant is Archbishop Paul-André Durocher, Archdiocese of Gatineau. Pope Francis has encouraged all of us to make a pilgrimage during the Year of Mercy. What an opportunity for all of us to participate in the 142nd Annual Pilgrimage. The Archdiocese of Québec designated a Door of Mercy at the Shrine of Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré. You will have an opportunity to participate Saturday evening at Sainte-Anne in a “Station of Mercy”.

Information.: Mike Budge 613-224-8110 or mike.budge@bell.net – <http://www.ste-anne-de-beaupre.com>.

ARE YOU NEW TO OUR PARISH? Welcome to all who want to make their faith home here! We would appreciate it if you could identify yourself to Fr. Albanus at mass. If you would like to become a regular parishioner, feel free to contact the office at 819-986-3763 to obtain a Registration Form. **Note:** the weekly collection envelope is the principal source of revenue for both parishes.