

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

2nd SUNDAY IN LENT
MARCH 4-5, 2023

St. Malachy
3889 Route 315
Mayo, Québec
J8L 3Z8

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

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Confessions Available 15 minutes before every weekend mass

Baptisms By appointment. Registration required. Please call the Rectory.

Weddings Couples must call the Rectory for an appointment **at least one year** prior to their date of marriage to allow adequate preparation time.

Welcome to new Parishioners We welcome you to our parish! Please introduce yourself after Mass and call the Rectory to register.



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MASSES

Day	Date	Location	Time	Special Events
Thursday	Mar. 9 th	OLV	9:00 a.m.	All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy
Saturday	Mar. 11 th	St. Malachy	5:00 p.m.	Gladys, Alvin & John Miller by Ginny Roos Allen Teske by Margaret Becker Royal Baulne by Richard Baulne
Sunday	Mar. 12 th	OLV	9:00 a.m.	Edouard Lemieux by Regis Lemieux Mr. & Mrs. John & Terry Laluck by Susan Lemieux & Family Tom Laframboise by Hugh, Shelley Laframboise & Family

WEEKLY RECEIPTS

OLV

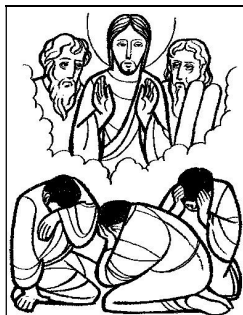
ST. MALACHY

February 25-26 - Sunday Collection	\$ 556.00	\$ 244.00
February 25-26 - Fuel	230.00	160.00

Thank you for your contributions.

READINGS & REFLECTION

2nd SUNDAY IN LENT



First Reading: **Genesis 12.1-4**
Responsorial Psalm: **Let your love be upon us, Lord, even as we hope in you**
Second Reading: **2 Timothy 1.8b-10**
Gospel: **Matthew 17.1-9**

Like Jesus and his disciples, we must claim and embrace our beloved-ness again and again without fear, as this choice will surely shape our happiness and priorities in life.

It is in our ordinary daily life, rooted in family, work and community, that the truth of our beloved-ness will continue to grow in us.

Let us today ask for this grace so that we may encourage others as well.

OUR LADY OF VICTORY & ST. MALACHY NEWS

Father Greg: Can be reached at St. Aloysius at 819-663-5244 and Carol (secretary) will take your message or forward you to Father, if he is in. Also every Thursday at OLV, after 9:00 a.m. Mass. Call the office at 819-986-3763 and schedule your time with him.

Fellowship Coffee at OLV – March 5th: Come and meet Sabrina St-Amour of our local women's shelter for her overview of the organization after mass today.

Reminder: When the church opened, after COVID-19, our wardens decided to have people give their donations cash or weekly envelopes in the basket at the bottom of the stairs. If you do not have weekly envelopes please use the green envelopes and pen provided.

Just.Equipping Team: They have requested that any donations to them be held at your home until May. There will be changes and we will be advised on their plans. Let us remember Pierre and his team in our prayers, as they deliver the donations in Africa. May God look after them! https://justequipping.org/index_e.html

OLV Lector's / Greeter's Schedule		
DATE	LECTOR	GREETERS
Mar. 12 th	Aggie	Ken
Mar. 19 th	Diane D.	Lyall & Gail
Mar. 26 th	Linda C.	Ken



Second Sunday in Lent – March 5, 2023

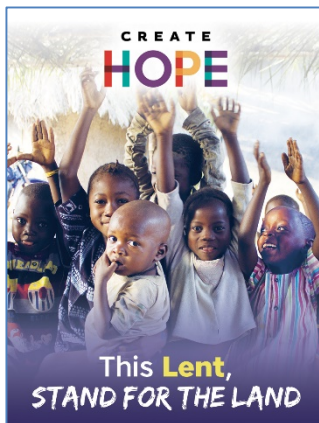
The story of the transfiguration shows us Jesus in dialogue with two elders: Moses and Elijah. Let us remember that the synodal process invites us to **walk together**. On this second Sunday of Lent, during our walk, we are called to be attentive to the elders. What if, in order to live this transfiguration, we feed the fire of our hearts to our elders. Are they not the embers of the Church and of the world, embers that keep the fire of faith burning? On this second Sunday of Lent, we could do an activity all together with our elders. How good it will do us! An action to light up our way to Easter.

Ideas for action:

- Encourage an intergenerational activity, with the participation of seniors.
- Discover or promote various organizations that break the solitude of seniors
- Invite a person to talk about the richness of seniors
- Invite a senior to talk about his or her faith

Diocesan Pastoral Animation Committee.

THE COURAGE TO CREATE HOPE



To delegates at the 4th World Meeting of Popular Movements, Pope Francis said, “...*you have the ability and the courage to create hope where there appears to be only waste and exclusion.*” These are the words that inspired the choice of “**Create Hope**” as a five-year guiding theme at **Development and Peace — Caritas Canada**.

The courage to Create Hope is rooted in actions big and small. For to drive away anguish and despair, it is best to act. Every action we take has a positive effect on us, our neighbours, our great human family, our children and their descendants.

The partners around the world whom we support embody this courage to create hope. The **Mini Magazine** (https://www.devp.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/EN_2023_minimag.pdf) inserted in today’s bulletin includes stories told by **Development and Peace** partners. These pages are a testimony to their efforts. Who are we not to join them?

What will you do this Lent to **Create Hope**?

<https://www.devp.org/en/blog/march-5-2023-2nd-sunday-of-lent/>

Adoration Thursdays - St. Grégoire Parish

St. Grégoire parish church is open every Thursday from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Place of silence

REST HEALING PEACE

Looking for more information on church items, please view our website at:

www.stmalachyol.com