



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

**2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT**  
**DECEMBER 9-10, 2023**

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

**Sunday 9:00 a.m.**

**Celebration of the Eucharist**

**Saturday 5:00 p.m.**

**Pastor** Father Greg Murray

**Rectory** 490 Charles Street  
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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.

**Office Hours**

**Monday - 9:00 am - 12:00 pm**

**Wednesday - 9:00 am - 11:00 am**

**Thursday - 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm**



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**St. Malachy**

**MASSES**

Saturday	December 9 <sup>th</sup>	St. Malachy	5:00 p.m.	<b>Arlene Hills</b> by Cheryl Cameron
Sunday	December 10 <sup>th</sup>	OLV	9:00 a.m.	<b>Mary Lou McGurn</b> by Family & Friends <b>Melissa Moreau</b> by Susan McNamara
Thursday	December 14 <sup>th</sup>	OLV	9:00 a.m.	<b>All Parishioners of OLV and St. Malachy</b>
Saturday	December 16 <sup>th</sup>	St. Malachy	5:00 p.m.	<b>All Parishioners of St. Malachy &amp; OLV</b>
Sunday	December 17 <sup>th</sup>	OLV	9:00 a.m.	<b>Christopher Farnand</b> by The Family <b>Edmond Bedard (23 ann)</b> by Pauline Bedard & Family <b>James Austin Martin</b> by Barbara Weir <b>Bob Pearson</b> by Ethel & Nancy Pearson

**WEEKLY RECEIPTS**

**OLV**

**ST. MALACHY**

December 2-3 – Sunday Collection	\$ 1,128.00	\$ 280.00
December 2-3 – Support	223.00	165.00
December 2-3 – Missionary Bishops	20.00	
December 2-3 – Christmas Flowers		50.00

**Thank you for your contributions.**

## QR CODE ON COVER OF PARISH BULLETIN

The Gatineau Diocese has produced a QR Code for each parish, which you will find on the front cover of our bulletin for both parishes. For those of you familiar with QR Codes, go to your telephone/tablet QR icon, point it to one of the QR Codes on the paper bulletin and you will be immediately directed to the donate icon on our website. You will then be able to make an on-line donation.

Once you have access to this QR Code you will be asked to make your donation(s) to the church of your choice (Our Lady of Victory or St. Malachy). A receipt will be sent to you from the Diocese for Income tax purposes. Then the Diocese will send OLV and St. Malachy a list of the donator(s), donation(s) and address for our records.

## READINGS & REFLECTION

### 2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT – December 10<sup>th</sup>



First Reading: Isaiah 40.1-5,9-11  
Responsorial Psalm: Show us your steadfast love, O Lord, and grant us your salvation  
Second Reading: 2 Peter 3.8-14  
Gospel: Mark 1.1-8

## OUR LADY OF VICTORY & ST. MALACHY NEWS

**Father Greg contact information:** OLV - 819-986-3763 St. Aloysius - 819-663-5244

**Collecting:** Used postage stamps, used candles, egg cartons and pop tabs.

**Request from Food Bank for other necessary items:** Flour, sugar, rice, tomato sauce, canned tomatoes, canned tuna, canned salmon, canned meats, peanut butter, jam, tomato juice, fruit juices, envelopes for gravy, cream soups and other shelf foods.

**Penitential Service:** There will be none this year as Father is available 15 minutes before weekend masses at St. Malachy and Our Lady of Victory.

**St. Malachy:** Interested in singing Christmas Eve 9 p.m. Mass at St. Malachy? Contact Cheryl Cameron 819-986-7828.

**Christmas Flowers:** There is an envelope marked "Christmas Flowers" in your 2023 box of church donation envelopes. If you do not have church envelopes and would like to beautify our church, please fill out the envelope at top of stairs. Thank you.

**Christmas Tea:** The Little Santa's Elf was rather grumpy during the tea as she did just ASSUME everyone knew their roles. My heart was willing but my body was not listening to me. ***Sorry, Monique.*** **Overall you can take a bow as \$1,483.00 was raised.**

**2024 Church Sunday Weekly Donation Envelopes:** Are you interested in receiving a box of these? Please write down your name, address and telephone number and put in an envelope addressed to "Monique" and put in the collection basket. There will be a tax receipt provided at the beginning of the 2025 year. Should you **NO LONGER** want to receive a box **please** advise me at 819-986-3763. These will be out on the table by mid-December.

2023-2024 REGULAR MASS & CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE 4 PARISHES				
Day	Date	Details	Time	Location
Saturday	Dec. 23 <sup>rd</sup>		5:00 pm	St. Malachy
Sunday	Dec. 24 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Eve	9:00 am 11:00 am 7:00 pm 9:00 pm	Our Lady of Victory St. Aloysius (Gatineau) St. Aloysius/St. Columban parishes (Gatineau) St. Malachy
Monday	Dec. 25 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Day	9:00 am 11:00 am	Our Lady of Victory St. Aloysius (Gatineau)
Saturday	Dec. 30 <sup>th</sup>		5:00 pm	St. Malachy
Sunday	Dec. 31 <sup>st</sup>	New Year's Eve	9:00 am 11:00 am	Our Lady of Victory St. Aloysius (Gatineau)
Monday	Jan. 1 <sup>st</sup> - 2024	New Year's Day	9:00 am 11:00 am	Our Lady of Victory St. Aloysius (Gatineau)

**HEART and SOUL CHRISTMAS CONCERT**

Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. at OLV. Tickets \$10.00.

CONTACT: Sandra 819-664-8555 for information and ticket reservations.

**CHRISTMAS CRAFT SHOW EXPOSITION D'ARTISANT DE NOEL**

Christmas craft sale and bake sale featuring work of local artists. **Saturday December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Hill and Gully Riders Skidoo Club, 149 Inlet Road, Mulgrave.** Proceeds from bake sale go to our local Food Bank.

*Like to bake and want to donate? Much appreciated.*

**LA CHOEUR LA CHANTERELLE CHRISTMAS CONCERT**

**Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023 7:30 p.m. at Our Lady of Victory church.**

Tickets \$20. Available at Librairie Rose Marie in Buckingham, at the door or from Cheryl Cameron (819-986-7828). Guaranteed to be enjoyable.

**CONNEXIONS ACTIVITIES FOR SENIORS IN BUCKINGHAM**

**Connexions** has partnered with the local seniors' centre, **Centre Action Générations des Aînés (CAGA)**.

The next activity, which is the last activity for this year, will be held at **CAGA's location, 390 avenue de Buckingham on Monday, December 11<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am.**

**Christmas is Around the Corner** - Personalize your own Christmas door sign, greeting or gift cards! This is the perfect gift to give to loved ones or a charming addition to your own holiday décor! To register, go to [centreconnexions.org](http://centreconnexions.org) Or call at 819-557-0615.

<b>OLV Lector's / Greeter's Schedule</b>		
<b>DATE</b>	<b>LECTOR</b>	<b>GREETERS</b>
December 10 <sup>th</sup>	Linda R.	Lyall & Gail
December 17 <sup>th</sup>	Virginia	Ken & Bill R.
December 24 <sup>th</sup>	Linda C.	Lyall & Gail
December 25 <sup>th</sup>	Aggie	Lyall & Gail
December 31 <sup>st</sup>	Linda R.	Ken
January 1 <sup>st</sup>	Linda C.	Ken
January 7 <sup>th</sup>	Virginia	Lyall & Gail
January 14 <sup>th</sup>	Diane D.	Ken
January 21 <sup>st</sup>	Linda C.	Lyall & Gail
January 28 <sup>th</sup>	Aggie	Ken

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

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