



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

**4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT**  
**DECEMBER 23-24, 2023**  
**HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY and JOSEPH**  
**DECEMBER 30-31, 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

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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 23 <sup>rd</sup>	St. Malachy	5:00 p.m.	Nora Somers by The Estate
Sunday	December 24 <sup>th</sup>	OLV	9:00 a.m.	All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy 300 de l'Abbé-Murray, Gatineau & St. Columban parishes 300 de l'Abbé-Murray, Gatineau All Parishioners of St. Malachy & OLV
		St. Aloysius	11:00 a.m.	
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Monday	December 25 <sup>th</sup>	St. Malachy	9:00 p.m.	All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy 300 de l'Abbé-Murray, Gatineau
		OLV	9:00 a.m.	
Thursday	December 28 <sup>th</sup>	OLV		<b>NO MASS</b>
Saturday	December 30 <sup>th</sup>	St. Malachy	5:00 p.m.	All Parishioners of St. Malachy & OLV
Sunday	December 31 <sup>st</sup>	OLV	9:00 a.m.	All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy 300 de l'Abbé-Murray, Gatineau
		St. Aloysius	11:00 a.m.	
Monday	January 1 <sup>st</sup> - 2024	OLV	9:00 a.m.	All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy 300 de l'Abbé-Murray, Gatineau
Saturday	January 6 <sup>th</sup> - 2024	St. Malachy	5:00 p.m.	All Parishioners of St. Malachy & OLV
Sunday	January 7 <sup>th</sup> - 2024	OLV	9:00 a.m.	Norbert Ricard by Maureen Ricard Robert Haskins by Aggie Ducharme-Cheslock

**REMINDER: FATHER IS AVAILABLE 15 MINUTES BEFORE EACH WEEKEND MASS FOR CONFESSIONS.**

**NOTE: The office will be closed from December 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 to January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024. May you find joy in the arrival of our little Jesus which combines love and peace over this special time with all that we meet.**

WEEKLY RECEIPTS	OLV	ST. MALACHY
December 16-17- Sunday Collection	\$ 1,977.00	\$ 284.00
December 16-17– Missals	212.00	
December 16-17 – Christmas Flowers	230.00	

**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**

**4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT – December 24<sup>th</sup>**



First Reading: 2 Samuel 7.1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16  
Responsorial Psalm: Forever I will sing of your steadfast Love, O Lord  
Second Reading: Romans 16.25-27  
Gospel: Luke 1.38

**READINGS & REFLECTION**

**HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY and JOSEPH – December 31<sup>st</sup>**



First Reading: Genesis 15.1-6; 17.3b-5, 15-16; 21.1-7  
Responsorial Psalm: The Lord is our God, mindful of his covenant forever  
Second Reading: Hebrews 11.8, 11-12, 17-19  
Gospel: Luke 2.22-40

**OUR LADY OF VICTORY & ST. MALACHY NEWS**

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

**2024 Church Sunday Weekly Donation Envelopes:** Are you interested in receiving a box of these? You can still donate cash however, without the church envelopes, you will not receive a tax receipt. With Sunday envelopes a tax receipt will be provided at the beginning of the 2025 year. Note: Envelope number may change due to new additions. These will be out on the table, above the stairs, by mid-December.

**OUR CHRISTMAS MESSAGE to OLV Parishioners**

On behalf of the wardens of Our Lady of Victory parish, we would like to wish all our parishioners and Fr. Greg a joyous Christmas and best wishes for the new year. A particular thought to those volunteers who are the heartbeat of our parish. Also, we would like to take this opportunity to thank our parishioners for their unfailing support during the year. God bless!

*Bill Cameron, Chairperson*

**Our Christmas Wish to St. Malachy Parishioners**

The Chairperson and Wardens of St. Malachy Parish wish you all a very *Merry Christmas and a Healthy Happy New Year.*

May the spirit of Christmas be extended into your daily lives long past the Christmas Season.

A special **Thank You and Christmas blessing to Fr. Greg Murray for his spiritual guidance and encouragement throughout this past year.**

At this time, we wish to thank all of you, our parishioners and friends, for your continued support this past year. Not only in your financial support, but for assisting in continuing to keep our faith community alive through your weekly attendance. Thank you to our parish ministers who assist with the readings, Mass serving, musical contributions and church preparation to be able to come together in prayer. Thank you for your contributions to Our Lady of Knock Shrine and support with the Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Knock. Thank you for your weekly contributions to our local Food Bank, serving the most needy in our community. **May God bless you and keep you in His care.**

OLV Lector's / Greeter's Schedule		
DATE	LECTOR	GREETERS
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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