



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

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday of the Word of God
JANUARY 24-25, 2026

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 By appointment – call office to schedule.

Baptisms By appointment. Registration required. Please call or email the office.

Confirmation By appointment or contact Julie McCann at mccannjd@icloud.com or call 819-598-2609.

Weddings Couples are asked to call the office for an appointment ***at least one year*** prior to their date of marriage to allow adequate preparation time. ***A Marriage course is required.***

Anointing of the Sick Please call the office.

Office Hours

Monday - 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Wednesday - 9:00 am - 11:00 am
Thursday - 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm

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

Saturday	Jan. 24 th	St. Malachy	5:00 p.m.	May Findlay by Dorothy & Claude Carriere
Sunday	Jan. 25 th	OLV	9:00 a.m.	That the Blessed Virgin & Family overlook Fr. John in health and care by Marcel Lalonde
Monday	Jan. 26 th	OLV	9:00 a.m.	All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy
Thursday	Jan. 29 th	OLV	9:00 a.m.	All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy
Saturday	Jan. 31 st	St. Malachy	5:00 p.m.	All Parishioners of St. Malachy & OLV
Sunday	Feb. 1 st	OLV	9:00 a.m.	Norbert Ricard by Maureen Ricard Mr. & Mrs. John Laluck, Terry Laluck, & Mary Laluck by the McNamara Family

WEEKLY RECEIPTS	OLV	ST. MALACHY
January 10 & 17, 2026 - Sunday Collection		\$ 248.25
January 10 & 17, 2026 - Monthly Support		15.00
January 10 & 17, 2026 - New Year's Offering		40.00
January 10 & 17, 2026 - Donation		1,020.00
January 18, 2026 - Sunday Offering	366.00	
Thank you for your contributions.		

READINGS & REFLECTION

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 25th

First Reading: **Isaiah 9.1-4**
 Responsorial Psalm: **The Lord is my light and my salvation.**
 Second Reading: **1 Corinthians 1.10-13, 17-18**
 Gospel: **Matthew 4.12-23**

In the Apostolic Letter *Aperuit illis*, Pope Francis instituted the Sunday of the Word of God, which is celebrated on the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time. “Devoting a specific Sunday of the liturgical year to the word of God can enable the Church to experience anew how the risen Lord opens up for us the treasury of his word and enables us to proclaim its unfathomable riches before the world.”

Pope Francis, Aperuit illis, 2

OUR LADY OF VICTORY & ST. MALACHY NEWS

Father John Braganza contact information: OLV - 819-986-3763 St. Aloysius - 819-663-5244

OLV MORNING MASS: Father will be celebrating mass at OLV on Monday and Thursday at 9:00 a.m in the Sacristy. If you would like a mass intention, the cost is \$20.00. Call the office and this intention will be celebrated on the day you have chosen.

Also, Father John will be staying in the office on these days and will be available for phone calls or meetings with you. Call the office at 819-986-3763 to confirm your time and date.

DAY OFF: Father John will be taking every Wednesday as his weekly day off.

BLESSING OF THROATS: Will take place at St. Malachy mass on January 31st & OLV on February 1st .

ST. MALACHY: Last weekend Mary Browne and Sandra Maloney were welcomed as the Fabrique’s new wardens. Thank you, Mary and Sandra for accepting to join the Fabrique of the Parish of St. Malachy as wardens. Also, a big thanks to outgoing wardens Cheryl and Peter Cameron for their many years of dedicated service. Leila Corrigan will stay on as a warden until a replacement is found. Leila will replace Joan Teske as treasurer.

FATHER JOHN’S MESSAGE

Once more this Sunday opens a window into the inauguration of Jesus’ public ministry and its significance. In 732 BC the territory of Galilee was overrun by the Assyrian army and devastated. The territory became the Assyrian region of Megiddo and was largely repopulated by gentile peoples. The educated and influential Israelites of the tribes of Zebulun and Napthali that formerly inhabited these lands were the first to be led into exile. These first to experience exile will now be the first to hear the words of the Gospel. Jesus’ decision to begin his ministry in this multiethnic region foreshadows the future proclamation of the Gospel to the world. The message is the same for all of us, regardless, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.” The challenge on the culmination of the Octave of the Prayer for Christian Unity, today, is that our preaching of the Gospel must also witness to the unity of all believers in Christ. *Peace. Fr. John*

Is Life *Always* Worth Living?

A WORKSHOP ON AGING, VALUE AND PURPOSE

**St. Aloysius Church
300 rue de l'Abbé Murray, Gatineau**

January 31st, 10am -2pm

On this day at St. Aloysius Parish Hall, Nicole Scheidl and Amanda Achtman (Physicians for Life (Ottawa)) will be giving a presentation/workshop on ageing, meaning and living well until our last breath.

I highly recommend that as many of our parishioners as possible attend this workshop, especially the elderly. It will answer many important questions regarding our Catholic faith and dying well. I will be happy to give a ride there and back to any two elderly parishioners from Our Lady of Victory Parish.

Registration is online (\$15 before January 28th) or at the door (\$20). For more information see the diocesan website.

A BUFFET STYLE LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE and ALL DISHES WILL HAVE A DESCRIPTION OF THEIR CONTENTS.

Together we will explore:

- How our lives continue to have meaning amid illness, disability, dependence, and loss
- Why living until natural death can become a gift of hope for others
- How the way a story ends changes the meaning of every page

Two mini talks, Q&A, a delicious lunch, and a workshop all included!

Call Monique to Register at 819-771-8391 Ext. 323or [Sign Up On Line](#)



Fr. John

ADULT FAITH FORMATION CONFERENCES

Come and listen to four conferences given by our parish priest that will help you discover your vocation and mission in the church, strengthen your identity as a lay Catholic, deepen your faith or form deeper genuine friendships in the parish, become more equipped as a Catholic in today's culture, or learn essential skills to evangelize our culture, our parish and any age group today. All this and more! Below are the dates and times.

DATE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION
January 27 th	Tuesday	7:00 pm to 8:00 pm	St. Aloysius Parish
February 3 rd	Tuesday	7:00 pm to 8:00 pm	St. Aloysius Parish
February 10 th	Tuesday	7:00 pm to 8:00 pm	St. Aloysius Parish

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LEGION NEWS

Join us for our delicious home-cooked suppers every second Thursday until the end of April.

Please reserve at least two days in advance by calling the Legion and leaving a message or calling Linda at 819-986-8990. February 5th is the next supper and serving time 5:50 to 6:00 p.m. Cost is \$15.00 including the main course, assorted desserts and coffee or tea. MORE INFORMATION ON THEIR BREAKFAST ON MARCH 7TH NEXT WEEK.

DATE		LECTORS	GREETERS
January	25 th	Diane	Bill R. & Bill C.
February	1 st	Aggie	Gail & Layall
	8 th	Raphael & Michael	Bill R. & Bill C.
	15 th	Linda C.	Gail & Layall
	22 nd	Linda R.	Bill R. & Bill C.

Looking for more information on church items, please view our website at www.stmalachyolv.com