

# Weekly Bulletin St. Aloysius and St. Columban 819-663-5244

My Church, My Community, My Friends

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**Confession:** Available 15 minutes before weekend Mass.

**Baptism:** By appointment. Registration required. Please call or email the office

First Communion &

**Confirmation:** Registration required. Please call or email the office.

**Wedding**: Couples are asked to call the office for an appointment <u>at least one year</u> prior to

their date of marriage to allow adequate preparation time. A marriage course is

required.

**Visiting the sick:** Father Greg is available for visits with the sick, either in the hospital or at home.

33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time World Day of the Poor November 17, 2024

Reading I Daniel 12:1-3

Responsorial Psalm: Protest me, O God, for in you I take refuge.

Reading II Hebrews 10:11-14, 18

Gospel Mark 13:24-32

#### **MASS Intentions:**

| Fri. Nov. 15 | 9:00 a.m.  | For Glennis Reynolds (wife of Brian) By George and Erma Avon |
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| Sat. Nov. 16 | 10:00 a.m. | (St. Columban) Funeral of Margaret Murphy Paiement           |
| Sun. Nov. 17 | 11:00 a.m. | For Joyce Harney by Lorraine Whitworth                       |
|              |            | For Dr. Albert Cobein and Phillip El-Chidiak by the          |
|              |            | Family   |
| Fri. Nov. 22 | 9:00 a.m.  | For all parishioners   |
| Sun. Nov. 24 | 11:00 a.m. | For Glen Berrea by Judy Berrea and Richard                   |
|              |            | Laframboise  |
|              |            | Anniversary Mass for Pat Lambert by the                      |
|              |            | Lambert Family   |
|              |            | For Renee Cobein by the Family                               |

#### **ST. ALOYSIUS FINANCES**

SPECIAL COLLECTION – Mission Chez Nous \$40

Sunday collection - \$570.25 - November 10, 2024 Attendance: 115

Thank you for continuing to support our Church.

Jo Anne Lambert Finance Warden



SPAGHETTI SUPPER - We are looking forward to a warm community gathering around a delicious spaghetti supper in the hall Saturday, November 23, 2024. Please purchase your tickets soon so that we may have an idea of how many people will attend. Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$5 for children and they will be available after Mass on Sundays or by calling Stephanie at 819-351-6449.



ST. AL'S ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - December 1st following the 11 o'clock mass. A light lunch will be served.

FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH Please pray for the sick of our Parish: Marvella Harvey, Adeline Gendron, and Diane Morey and Glenn Harvey.

<u>ST. AL'S MISSION OF PRAYER</u> – The Parish Pastoral Council invites us, as a community, to focus on prayer. Based on the survey we were asked to fill, it was determined that many of us pray with the rosary. Consequently, the following are opportunities that will be offered to us to pray as a community.

Thursday evenings 7 pm – Rosary – Zoom meeting

https://us05web.zoom.us/j/81922462787?pwd=JVXJApqCypbxbHyMj2nAO1kcWLbPAV.1

Meeting ID: 819 2246 2787

Passcode: 3Peqzg

Friday morning 9 am - Mass

Devotion of our Lady of Perpetual Help

Prayer Intentions box

Devotion to Mary (Audio CD by Fr. Jim Duffy - St Louis de Monfort's True Devotion to Mary for group listening and discussion)

#### TOGETHER, LET'S WORK TOWARDS REAPING OUR RIGHTS!

Development and Peace — Caritas Canada invites you to join the *Create Hope:* <u>Reaping our</u> <u>Rights</u> campaign. See how peasant and rural communities in the Global South are uniting to



ensure their rights are respected in the face of challenges such as land grabbing, resource theft and the contamination of soil, water and air by private corporations.

Let's ensure that no Canadian company tramples on their rights by calling on Canada to adopt **mandatory human rights and environmental due diligence legislation!** Sign at devp.org/act!



To learn more about peasants' rights and due diligence, read our action sheet or visit <a href="devp.org/campaign">devp.org/campaign</a>.

#### LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

Children ages 7 and up are invited to gather in the hall and listen to the Word. (Readings and Gospel). This activity is during mass and the children return to their parents just after the prayers of the faithful. Two adults take turns in leading this activity.

### **REFLECTIONS**



If you would like to read, with a group of fellow parishioners, the Scripture readings of the following Sunday in order to better absorb them and let them speak to you during the week, send your e-mail address to the parish office and we will get in touch with you.

ST. ALOYSIUS RAFFLE: This beautiful Queen Size Quilt made by St. Al's ladies is yours to win



if you buy tickets at 99c or 6/\$5. The draw will be made at our Annual Spaghetti Supper on Saturday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>.

This is a fund raiser for the parish. If you can help sell tickets to your friends, family, neighbors during your summer gatherings, that would be great! See Pauline Leduc for tickets.

#### ST. COLUMBAN MASS SCHEDULE

St. Columban Mission will be closed from October to April 2025. We will hold a Christmas Eve Mass at 7:00 p.m.

If there are any questions, please contact Amanda Foley.

------My Community------

# POPE FRANCIS CALLS THE FAITHFUL OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH TO BE "BUILDERS OF HOPE" FOR THE 2025 JUBILEE YEAR

"Hope does not disappoint." This is the theme for Jubilee 2025, which will begin on Christmas Eve, 2024, and continue throughout 2025, concluding on January 6, 2026. At Pope Francis's invitation, millions of Catholics around the world will participate in this Jubilee Year, celebrated every 25 years on a global scale. The Archdiocese of Gatineau is developing a plan to mark this Jubilee in a meaningful way.

An evening of spiritual renewal via Zoom will be held on Wednesday, December 4, featuring two guest speakers, including Pierre-Olivier Tremblay, Bishop of Hearst and originally from Gatineau. Additionally, to mark the start of the Jubilee Year, a celebration presided over by our bishop, Paul-André Durocher, will take place at St. Joseph's Cathedral on Sunday, December 29. Detailed information on all planned activities will be available soon.

### DIOCESAN RENEWAL / ADVENT SEASON: TOWARDS JUBILEE 2025.

A time of diocesan renewal will be held virtually to enter the jubilee year 2025. Below is the link to the meeting which will be held on Wednesday, December 4 from 7 p.m. to 9p.m., with the participation of two resource people, including Mgr Pierre-Olivier Tremblay, bishop of Hearst and originally from Gatineau.

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82007765883?pwd=fETdKsBPGdqsxnBjB6gRfIEIAhA5z2.1

ID de réunion: 820 0776 5883

Code: 594534

## TRAINING FOR EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION AND ALL THOSE BRINGING COMMUNION TO THE SICK

The diocese is organizing two training sessions for all communion ministers of the archdiocese, especially those bringing communion to the sick in health centers or at home, including family members. Anyone interested is also welcome.

Dates to remember:

• November 30, 2024

• May 24, 2025

Time: 10 AM to 12.30 PM

Location: Diocesan Center, (Grande Salle)

Contact: chancelier@diocesegatineau.org or phone 819-771-8391 ext. 307

**HALL RENTALS** - please contact our hall warden, Brian Peters, at 613-600-1987.

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#### BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES IN NOVEMBER

Chad Schoenfeldt - 19<sup>th</sup>

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Michael Lalonde} & -23^{\mbox{\scriptsize rd}} & \mbox{Diane Cyr \& Keith May} & -28^{\mbox{\scriptsize th}} \\ \mbox{Michelle Warden Cook} & -28^{\mbox{\scriptsize th}} & \mbox{Paul Luc Lalonde} & -30^{\mbox{\scriptsize th}} \end{array}$