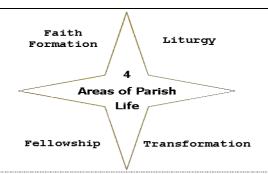


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THE TENTH SUNDAY IN ORINARY TIME JUNE 08 - 09, 2013



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

Saturday 7:00 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM Celebration of the Eucharist

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FOOD FOR THE WEEK

Reading 1

1 Kings 17.17- 21a, 22 -24.

Responsorial Psalm

I will extol you, Lord, for you have raised me up.

Reading II Galatians 1.11-19.

Gospel Luke 7.11-17

In Jesus' time, childless widows were socially very disadvantaged. Saint Luke stresses Jesus' compassion toward such a woman. He reverses her misfortune by restoring her dead son to her. This Gospel is reminiscent of what we hear in today's First Reading from 1 Kings when the prophet Elijah raised from the dead the only son of a widow. The woman's response is recognition of Elijah as a prophet, a man of God: "It is truly the word of the LORD that you speak."

MASSES

Saturday	June 15	St. Malachy @ 7:00 p.m.	All Parishioners of St. Malachy & OLV.
Sunday	June 16	OLV @ 9:00 a.m.	Bill Farnand (31 ^{st.} Anniversary) by Margaret & family Gerald Limmer (7 th anniversary) by the family. Special intentions by a Parishioner.

Commentary on Sunday's second reading, 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

(Taken from Archbishop Durocher's blog, Sing and Walk, found on Facebook)

What a paradigm shift! Read Galatians 1:11-19

Have you ever spent some time perusing the self-help section of a bookstore? What an abundance of texts whose authors claim to hold the key to success: follow this advice, stick to this program, and you'll find happiness! But we all know it's not true. If it were, everyone would already be happy. No, happiness does not seem to lie at the end of some program or series of tricks. And yet we all continue to think that with a little more effort, a little more faithfulness to the program, it would happen. This mind-set seems programmed into our DNA.

It is precisely this mentality that Saint Paul sets out to fight in his letter to the Galatians. In the specific context that is his, the program that exasperates him is that the system of laws that grew in the Jewish religious tradition. He had followed this program to the letter, he knew all its secrets, he had been the most careful of his generation in its observance, and yet... This program did not give him a fraction of the joy and peace he found in his encounter with the risen Jesus. This encounter completely changed his way of understanding God, himself and the world. He became convinced that his happiness did not depend on his own faithfulness to God, but on God's faithfulness to him. Talk about a paradigm shift!

This deep conviction lies at the heart of Paul's teaching. It is not the result of his personal reflection, or of the tradition of human wisdom, or of an academic debate: it came directly from the <u>One</u> he met on the road to Damascus. Christ himself.

Paul's conviction, however, was not shared by all the disciples of Jesus. Some believed that Jesus had simply come to "adjust the system," to make it a little better. They reduced the gospel to a new font of spiritual self-help, an "improved" version of the well-known Jewish tradition. And these disciples, full of good will, followed after Paul wherever he went to "correct" his teachings. He announced that no personal effort could lead to happiness and salvation; they insisted that people had to make a little more effort.

He proclaimed that God's love was to be received as a gift; they reminded Paul's followers that only careful observance of the Law could merit such love. He explained that his teaching came from Christ himself; they bolstered their arguments with appeals to the authority of some of the leaders of the young Church.

For Paul, this conflict of visions was not simply a matter of personal sensibilities or private spirituality. For him, the essence of the Gospel was at stake. This explains the vehemence of his letter to the Galatians, the nasty tone he sometimes uses in speaking of his opponents, the radicalism of his statements. We must understand that for Paul, everything was based on the seminal moment he encountered Christ: "The Gospel that was proclaimed by me is not of human origin; for I did not receive it from a human source, nor was I taught it, but I received it through a revelation of Jesus Christ."

Over the next few Sundays we will meditate other passages of this letter, essential for our understanding not only of Saint Paul, but of the Gospel itself.

COME CELEBRATE FATHER BILL'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY IN THE PRIESTHOOD: Fr. Bill Marrevee will be celebrating the 50th anniversary of his ordination to the Priesthood. To mark this special occasion, he will be celebrating the Masses at 9:00 am and 11:00 am on Sunday June 16th 2013 at St. Mark's Parish in Aylmer. Please join us for this rare opportunity to celebrate such a life of service to the Church. The merriment will continue after the 11:00 am Mass where a potluck light lunch will be served. We hope you can join us and if possible bring a little something to contribute to the potluck. If you are unable to attend and would like to send a few words of well wishes, please forward them to me at codubeau@videotron.ca and I will add your message to the signature book of well wishes

PILGRIMAGE OUR LADY OF KNOCK SHRINE - AUGUST 11, 2013.

The Presider will be Reverend Father John Walsh, S.T.L. S.S.L. (Montreal, Quebec)

11:00. -Celebration of the Holy Eucharist

12:30 - Dinner at food Booths

1:45 - Rosary Procession to the Cemetery

2:30 - Marian Hymns

2:45 – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Blessing of Religious Articles

Healing Service

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139TH ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO ST-ANNE-DE-BEAUPRE AND TO CAP-DE-LA-MADELEINE:

From the Dioceses of Ottawa, Gatineau, Pembroke, Mont-Laurier, and Alexandria/Cornwall on **August 10-11**, **2013**. Our weekend celebrant is Bishop Paul Lortie, Diocese of Mont-Laurier. For information please contact: Mike Budge at 613 224-8110.

ST. MALACHY'S WARDEN'S MEETING will be on Wednesday, June 12, 2013, at 7:00 pm, in the Church rectory.

GRIEF SESSION:

The next grief session at OLV will be on Tuesday June 11th at 1:30pm. Everyone is welcome.

RELAY FOR LIFE (WALK FOR CANCER):

A reminder that the Relay for Life (walk for cancer) is on <u>June 14 under the Brady Bridge.</u> The public is invited to attend the Opening Ceremonies at **7:00 pm** and stay for the Luminary Ceremony at about **10:00 pm**. The public is invited to come and walk a few laps with our teams, cancer survivors and fighters. The public will be asked to leave the grounds at about **11:45 pm** so the walkers can complete their commitment of walking all night because "**CANCER DOES NOT SLEEP**."

Come join us Saturday morning where the amount raised will be revealed at 7:00 a.m.

REMEMBER: You still have time to sponsor a walker and/or purchase a luminary.

PLEASE HELP FIND THE CURE.

I am looking for used golf clubs. I turn these into wind chimes and am selling them to raise money for cancer. If anyone can help me out please call me (Monique) at

986-3166. This will free up space for you at home and help a good cause.

A Garage Sale is being planned for some time in September so when doing your Spring cleaning could you please put these items aside? Thanks, Monique.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

WEEKLY RECEIPTS	OLV	ST. MALACHY
June 01-02-2013 (Sunday)	\$491.00	\$380.00
June 01-02-2013 (Support)	\$251.00	\$165.00