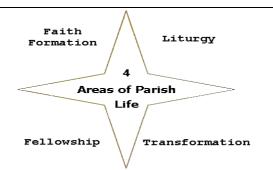


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SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JANUARY 16-17, 2016



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

Sunday 9:00 AM Celebration of the Eucharist Saturday 7:00 PM

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#### **FOOD FOR THOUGHT**

Reading 1
Responsorial Psalm

Isaiah 62.1-5

orial Psalm Declare the marvelous works of the Lord among all the peoples

Reading II 1 Corinthians 12.4-11

Gospel John 2.1-12

The gospel writer tells us that this way was the first of Jesus "signs." He means that in this story, we have clear pointers to the presence of God in Christ.

What happened? What did Jesus do? What are the qualities of this God/man?

How does he move me?



Thursday	Jan. 21st	OLV @ 10:00 am	NO MASS
Sunday	Jan. 24th	OLV @ 9:00 am	Rupert Murphy by Ethel Pearson Harold, Helen and Sean Cullen by Maureen and Norbert Ricard
Sunday	Jan. 24th	St. Malachy @ 11:00 am	Rupert McCoy and Deceased Members of the McCoy Family by the Estate

WEEKLY RECEIPTS	OLV	ST. MALACHY
Jan. 10, 2016 - Sunday Offering	\$ 476.00	\$ 347.00

# **MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS FROM THE ARCHBISHOP – JANUARY 2016**

**Reflection: Sunday, January 17th, 2016:** In this week of Christian unity, I reflect on how I can celebrate, with my Christian brothers and sisters, the joy of salvation that Jesus offers us.

# **Special Invitation:**

Archbishop Durocher invites all the members of the Diocese to join him in celebrating **THE CLOSING OF THE YEAR OF CONSECRATED LIFE** during a Eucharistic celebration of the "Feast of the Presentation of the Lord." This will be held on Tuesday, February 2 at the Cathedral at 7:00 p.m.

# THINGS ARE BACK TO "ORDINARY" IN THE CHURCH

Thank you so much to all our volunteers who took care of the Christmas decorations again this year at both churches. The Christmas Season is over, but it does not put an end to our living from what we celebrated in the Christmas Season: God's gift of Jesus who in the power of the Spirit lives among us and is the enduring living source of our Christian identity.

Now we are into *Ordinary Time* as it is called in church language. It is very much as in life itself; we have our high and low points, and a lot of grey and ordinary areas in between. In all of it, Jesus Christ is the one who leads the way for us and in whom God graces us.

This year, Easter will be celebrated early, on March 27<sup>th</sup>, so that *Ordinary Time* will be with us until Lent, with its purple, beginning on *Ash Wednesday, February 10<sup>th</sup>*.

### **OUR LADY of VICTORY & ST. MALACHY NEWS**

**OLV Wardens**: Meeting in Rectory on Thursday, January 21, at 7:00 pm.

# **An Unexpected Gift:**

Through the efforts of our MLA Alexandre Iraca, Our Lady of Victory has received a cheque for \$1000 from the Quebec Ministry of Energy and National Resources to assist with the funding of our heating conversion project. Thanks to Alexandre and the Minister, Pierre Arcand, for their support.



#### **COMMUNITY NEWS:**

News from the Transport Committee of Buckingham, Masson and Angers

# **Expanded service for bus line 97**

The Transport Committee of Buckingham, Masson and Angers, is composed of different community stakeholders, including the *Papineau Health and Social Social Services Network*. The Committee's vision is to improve access to public transportation services over the whole territory.

The STO has announced that since December 21, 2015, the route for bus 97 has been modified to better serve the needs of residents. This decision is a result of recommendations provided by the Transport Committee and a petition from residents of the sector.

Bus 97 now passes on Maclaren Street instead of passing on Dollard and Church as it did previously. As a result, seniors living in the Bowman sector now have access to public transport.