



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

34th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST
KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

NOVEMBER 22-23, 2025

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.

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	Nov. 22 nd	St. Malachy	5:00 p.m.	All Parishioners of St. Malachy & OLV
Sunday	Nov. 23 rd	OLV	9:00 a.m.	Deceased members of the Raymond family by Val & Lewis Rowe Bob Zinkie, Georgette & Leo Goulet by Ginette Goulet
Monday	Nov. 24 th	OLV	9:00 a.m.	All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy
Thursday	Nov. 27 th	OLV	9:00 a.m.	All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy
Saturday	Nov. 29 th	St. Malachy	5:00 p.m.	All Parishioners of St. Malachy & OLV
Sunday	Nov. 30 th	OLV	9:00 a.m.	William Chenier by Family & Friends Julia Martin by Barbara Weir

WEEKLY RECEIPTS

OLV

ST. MALACHY

November 15-16 - Sunday Collection	\$ 280.00	(No Mass due to weather)
November 15-16 – Missionary Bishops Society	90.00	NO MASS

Thank you for your contributions.

READINGS & REFLECTION

34th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – November 23rd

First Reading: **2 SAMUEL 5.1-3**
Responsorial Psalm: **The elders anointed David as king over Israel.**
Second Reading: **Colossians 1.12-20**
Gospel: **Luke 23.25-43**

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.

SUNDAY MISSALS: NOW ON SALE FOR \$8.00. Please try to have exact change. Thanks.

PRAYERS & SYMPATHY: Please remember **James Ladue** whose funeral will be at OLV on Saturday, Nov. 29th at 11:00 a.m. Condolences at 10:00 a.m.

PENITENTIAL SERVICE: On **December 11th at 7pm** there will be an **Advent Penitential Service at OLV**. An Advent Penitential Service prepares you to celebrate the great feast of Christmas worthily and well. Advent is a time to prepare for the four-fold coming of Jesus, in grace into our hearts, at the hour of our death, at Christmas and at his Second Coming. After our common prayer and examination of conscience there will be an opportunity to confess individually. **All are welcome!**

ADVENT RETREAT: Fr. John will lead us in two Advent Retreat / Christmas s one at OLV and one at St. Aloysius. There will be some time for discussions and questions as well. **All are welcome!** More to come next week.

ST. MALACHY - ELECTION OF WARDENS: Every year two Church wardens are to be elected for a term of three years and may remain in office for two consecutive terms. In addition, one warden is required for a one-year term. If you or someone you know would like to serve as a warden and want to know about the duties of a warden, please contact: Joan Teske at 819-281-5962, Cheryl Camer or Peter Cameron at 819-986-7828, Ann Price at 819-986-6397, Mary Jean Somers Achtell at 613-725-6653 or Joann Kearnan at 819-986-7827. A reply by December 11, 2025, is requested. A date for a meeting of parishioners will be announced later. **Thank you for your consideration to this most important matter.**

OLV CHRISTMAS CAFE & BAKE SALE: Saturday, Dec. 6th from 1:00 – 3:30 p.m. DROP OFF BAKED GOODS: Friday, Dec. 5th from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. and Saturday, Dec. 6th from 9:00 a.m.

FATHER JOHN'S MESSAGE

The Solemnity of Christ the King was instituted as a Feast Day for the universal Church in 1925 by Pope Pius IX to combat the rising tides of secularism, nationalism, and atheism following World War I. It was to remind people that all earthly rulers and ideologies are subordinate to Jesus Christ the King of the universe. The fundamental question that this feast places before us is: *"Who really rules my heart, which is the first kingdom given to me by God? Who sits on its throne?"*

"I ask you to consider that our Lord Jesus Christ is your true head and that you are a member of his body. He belongs to you as the head belongs to the body. All that is his is yours: breath, heart, body, soul and all his faculties. All of these you must use as if they belonged to you, so that in serving him you may give him praise, love and glory." St. John Eudes (1601 -1680)

CONFIRMATION

St. Aloysius Parish will soon be starting Confirmation preparation and would like to invite potential candidates from OLV and St. Malachy to join their group. If you or someone you know wishes to receive the sacrament of Confirmation, please complete the registration form, near the bulletin, and email it to St. Al's parish as soon as possible along with a copy of the baptismal certificate. Candidates must be at least 15 years old and a \$25 registration fee may apply for the purchase of materials. Contact Julie McCann at mccannjd@icloud.com or call or text 819-598-2609 if you have any questions.

NOTE: Father John wishes to meet with parents or adult candidates before the start of the program. Contact your parish office at 819-986-3763 to make an appointment.

FOOD BANK FUND-RAISER

On **Saturday, November 22nd**, our local food bank, **La banque alimentaire de la Lièvre**, will be holding a fund-raising event at the IGA on Georges Street from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. The population will be provided with empty bags to collect specific non-perishables in the store, or they can make a monetary donation - food bank volunteers will be in place all day.

LEGION NEWS

A **Christmas Craft and Bake Sale** will take place on **Saturday, November 22nd, 2025**. Doors open at 9:30 am. ***If anyone is interested in booking a table please call Linda Sarafin at 819-986-8990.***

BUCKINGHAM LIONS CLUB ANNUAL BREAKFAST



The Buckingham Lions Club is holding its annual Christmas fundraiser at the Resto-Bar Le Buck on **December 3rd**. The purpose of the breakfast is to raise funds to prepare Christmas baskets.

"The most underprivileged families in the territory served by the Maison de la famille Vallée-de-la-Lièvre will be able to benefit from this event. It's a fundraising campaign in the Buckingham, Masson-Angers and L'Ange-Gardien sectors," says Denis Roy, President of the Lions Club.

The breakfast will be held at Le Buck on **Wednesday, December 3rd between 6:30 and 11:00 am** – a minimum donation of \$20 is suggested to support the cause. Tax receipts available.

For the occasion, the owner of Resto-Bar Le Buck, Manon Deslauriers, will donate to the Buckingham Lions Club all the revenues generated by the Breakfast. If you cannot attend the breakfast but wish to donate, you can send an electronic donation to: tresorierbedard@gmail.com



The existing committee for Development and Peace, Caritas Canada in our two parishes is pleased to welcome two new members - Gloria Atabongafac and Jacobine Amin. They will bring new ideas and inspiration as to how our parishes plan and participate in the annual Share Lent campaign and the Fall Campaign.

The Committee members are:

Fr. John, Linda Cameron, Ellen Butler, Shirley Plouffe, Gloria Atabongafac and Jacobine Amin. Any parishioner is welcome to get involved and learn more about the movement.

DATE		LECTORS	GREETERS
November	23 rd	Linda C.	Gail & Layall
	30 th	Diane	Bill R. & Bill C.
December	7 th	Aggie	Gail & Layall
	14 th	Raphael & Michael	Bill R. & Bill C.
	21 st	Gloria	Gail & Layall
	28 th	Linda C	Bill R. & Bill C.

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