

ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

SEPTEMBER 08, 2024



36 Fourth St. West, Cornwall, ON K6J 2R6

WEEKLY MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sundays: 7:30 a.m. and
10:30 a.m.

**Mondays, Wednesdays, and
Fridays - St. Francis:** 8:00 a.m.

**Tuesdays and Thursdays -
St. Columban:** 8:00 a.m.

1st Friday Devotion:
St. Francis De Sales Parish
Adoration 7:00 a.m.
Mass 8:00 a.m.

1st Saturday Devotion:
St. Columban's Parish
Confession 7:00-7:30 a.m.
Rosary 7:35 a.m., Mass 8:00 a.m.

PASTORAL MINISTERS

Msgr. Kevin Maloney, Pastor

Rev. Fr. Steven Gaudet, Associate Pastor

OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

Mrs. Kelly Poitras

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Evenings by appointment

BAPTISMS

Please give one month notice

MARRIAGES

Please give six months notice

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.
Also, by appointment

ST. COLUMBAN'S OFFICE PHONE

613-932-9616

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES OFFICE PHONE

613-932-0756

PARISH E-MAIL ADDRESS

stcolumban@ottawacornwall.ca

PARISH BULLETIN ACCESS

www.stcolumbanparishcornwall.ca

PARISH FOUNDATION

www.stcolumbans.com

ARCHDIOCESAN WEBSITE

www.ottawacornwall.ca

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 07th

OUR LADY'S SATURDAY

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY - FIRST SATURDAY

7:00 – 7:45 a.m. Confessions

8:00 a.m. Conversion of Sinners by a Parishioner

2:45 - 3:45 p.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Carol Ann Villemaire by Evelyn & Joe
Gabi Ethier by Jean Price & Family

Sunday, September 08th TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. For Our Children & Their Families by Richard &

Carole Pilon

Pat Walsh by a Parishioner

10:30 a.m. People of the Parish

Monday, September 09th

ST. PETER CLAVER (OM)

8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Francis

ORDINARY TIME WEEK 23

Tuesday, September 10th

8:00 a.m. For my sister Rita by Bernadette Blakely

Wednesday, September 11th

8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Francis

Thursday, September 12th THE MOST HOLY NAME OF MARY (OM)

8:00 a.m. Joyce Cespon by Darlene & Todd Tyo

Friday, September 13th

ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM (M)

8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Francis

Saturday, September 14th THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS (F)

2:45 - 3:45 p.m. Confessions

4:00 p.m. Alfie McDonald by the Family

Dan McPhail by Art & Geraldine Lauzon

Sunday, September 15th TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

10:30 a.m. Alan Daye by Doug & Nancy Hill

Bernadette Kingston by Rick & Bernadette

McRae

Monday September 16th

ST. CORNELIUS and ST. CYPRIAN (M)

8:00 a.m. Mass at St. Francis

ORDINARY TIME WEEK 24

POPE FRANCIS SEPTEMBER INTENTION

FOR THE CRY OF THE EARTH. Let us pray that each of us listen with our hearts to the cry of the Earth and of the victims of environmental disasters and the climate crisis, making a personal commitment to care for the world we inhabit.

ST. COLUMBAN PARISH

IN OUR PARISH

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom that he promised to those who love him?"
- JAMES 2:5

What is more important – being rich in faith or rich in possessions? Society tells us that possessions are most important. God teaches a different lesson. When we are rich in faith, we keep God first and experience true joy and peace. When we put possessions first, we soon realize we can never have enough, and happiness is fleeting. When we put faith over possessions, we truly realize that it is better to give than receive.

ST. COLUMBAN COLLECTION REPORT FOR AUGUST 25, 2024

Sunday Envelopes	3,147.50
Loose Collection	450.35
Lights	20.00
Weekly Total	\$ 3,617.85



NO SCENTS
MAKES GOOD SENSE.
LET'S KEEP THE AIR
SPACE IN OUR CHURCH
SCENT-FREE
THANK YOU.



SACRAMENT OF THE SICK



If you are scheduled at the hospital for surgery and would like the Sacrament of the Sick before entering the hospital, please see Msgr. Kevin or Fr. Steven at the beginning of Mass or call the office.

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

O Jesus, our great High Priest, hear my humble prayers on behalf of your priests. Give them deep faith, a bright and firm hope and a burning love that will increase in their priestly life. In their loneliness, comfort them. In their sorrows, strengthen them. In their frustrations, point out to them that the Church needs them; souls need them; they are needed for the work of redemption. Amen.

PRAISE & WORSHIP

Join us in singing praise to our God! We are not a choir. Everyone sings along & everyone is welcome. 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm Thursday Sept. 19th, Oct. 17th, Nov. 21st and Dec. 12th at St. Francis de Sales Parish, 434 Second St. West, Cornwall. Elevator access from the back parking lot.

TODAY'S READINGS – SEPTEMBER 08TH, 2024

1st Reading:	Isaiah 35:4-7
Responsorial Psalm	Ps 146:6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10 (R. 1)
2nd Reading:	James 2:1-5
Gospel:	Mark 7:31-37 He makes the deaf to hear and the dumb to speak.

IN OUR PARISH

INVITATION TO SINGERS

St. Columban's Sunday 10:30 am Choir is resuming rehearsals after their summer break. Any singers interested in joining this important and enjoyable music ministry are asked to contact Rick McRae at 613-932-2872 for more info.

POWER PRAYER

The parish currently has openings for your Mass Intention. Do you have something to be thankful for? Does someone you know need prayers? Are you praying for a special need? Having a mass said allows our parish community to offer their prayers along with you for your intention. We don't have to be alone in prayer. We welcome all those who would like to have a mass or several masses said for their intentions.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY TEAM

The Team for the Children's Liturgy will be taking the summer off. Our last day will be June 23rd. We hope to see you all back in September. For more information contact Joe Kupina at 343-370-0212, or Marilyn Brown-Wylie at 613-933-6394.

ON-LINE ACCESS TO PARISH BULLETINS

As of May 12, 2024, the St. Columban's Parish Bulletin is available from the Parish Website at address: www.stcolumbanparishcornwall.ca.



On the main page of our Parish Website, you will see a button labelled "Parish Bulletins" that when pressed, will display a list of all bulletins dating back to May 12, 2024.

ST. COLUMBAN'S ACTIVITY CENTER NOTICE

St. Columban Parish no longer has access to room 201 known as the "Parish Activity Center". The lease for this room has been terminated. Thank you to the Catholic Women's League who packed their cups and saucers, and all items used for meetings and activities. The Catholic Women's League continues to thrive and will now hold their meetings and events at our co-parish St. Francis.

St. Columban Catholic Women's League would like to give a "HATS OFF" to Minimax Go Direct for their outstanding and professional service. Many thanks to the Poirier family and their crew for helping us with our move. We are truly blessed to have such wonderful people in Cornwall.

Thank you to all the parishioners who came out to help in any way during this move, it is truly a blessing to see our parish community come together. God Bless you all.

BALDWIN HOUSE DONATIONS

Once again, the Catholic Women's League are collecting much needed items for the Baldwin House. Items needed are shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste, toothbrushes, body wash, deodorant and sanitary products. Walmart and Shoppers gift cards are also welcome. We ask that any gift cards donated be placed in the collection basket at Mass, all other items can be placed in the pink box at the 4th St. entrance. Thank you.

IN ST. COLUMBAN PARISH AND THE DIOCESE

PLEASE NOTE - OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

For those registered at another parish and submit envelopes in the collection basket here, your envelope is returned to the parish of registration.

NOT SURE HOW TO USE THE BIBLE?

Find the Bible confusing? Join us for three free sessions as we set the key pieces of Scripture into place to help us better understand the bigger picture. The Bible story is all about God's love for us. Thursdays Sept. 12, Sept. 26, Oct. 10. 6:30-8 pm Agora Catholic Center, elevator access. For more information, check out FaithAlive.ca. Sign up there for regular notices about these and other Catholic activities in our area.

FALL BIBLE STUDY AT ST. FRANCIS

Starting on Monday, September 16th, come and join us for **Season 4 of THE CHOSEN**. On Monday mornings, we will serve coffee in the hall after the 8 AM Mass and begin the videos at **8:45 AM**. Our post-video discussion groups have been very active, and we are eager to have new guests join us this fall. If you missed Seasons 1, 2 or 3 of The Chosen, come anyway and learn more about Jesus and the disciples that He chose to join him. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME**

ALPHA GLENGARRY

We are excited to invite you to explore faith in a safe and friendly way at Shalom House, Alexandria, from September 19 to November 21, on Thursday mornings from 9:30 to 11:30. While each video stands alone, attending the first six sessions is recommended. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome! To register or for more information, please contact Inez at 613-347-7666, inez1989@hotmail.com, Elizabeth 613-527-3209, mcdonellbe@gmail.com or office@stfinnan.ca.

COUNTRY & WESTERN SUPPER & DANCE

Friday, September 27, 2024 – Knights of Columbus 5068 **Country & Western Supper & Dance** at Precious Blood Parish Hall 5:00 pm to 11:00 pm. Live music, 50/50, Chinese Auction, beer & wine available. \$20.00/person. Call 613-551-9773 for tickets.

ANNUAL PARISH SUPPER

You are cordially invited by **Father Cal** and the parishioners of Blessed Sacrament Parish, Cornwall, to their Annual Parish Supper which will take place on **Sunday, September 8th, 2024, from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.**, at Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall. Menu: Turkey with all the trimmings, buns and pie. **Tickets:** Adults: \$18.00, children (6-10 yrs.): \$13.00, children 5 yrs. and under: FREE. All take outs: \$18.00.

ST. RAPHAEL'S HARVEST SUPPER

It will be held on **September 29th from 4:30-7:00 pm** at St. Raphael's Parish Hall. Menu: Turkey with all the trimmings, all homemade. Takeouts will be available and must be ordered in advance (deadline is September 27th at 6:00 pm) by calling Monique at 613-347-7539 with pick up on Sunday from 3:00-4:30 pm. Cost: adults/\$20.00, 7-12 years/ \$10.00, free for 6 years and under. Cash only. Everyone is welcome! Come and enjoy supper with family and friends!!

TIME with JESUS!

St. Julien's Chapel offers a prayerful, peaceful time with our Lord Jesus. Open 24 hours a day, visitors must register and obtain an entry fob. To register and receive a fob, please contact St.Julienschapel@hotmail.com or leave a phone message at 613-938-8371. Someone will be in touch within a few days. The Spiritual lives of our families are strengthened through our Holy hour. (Blessed John Paul II)



OUR NEIGHBOURHOOD PICNIC

As part of our Church's plan to reach out to our neighbouring families, we are planning a neighbourhood parking lot picnic on Saturday, September 14th, 2024, in the St. Francis de Sales parking lot. All St. Francis and St. Columban's parishioners are invited to participate. We have many fun family activities planned. If you would like to support this outreach actively, you could volunteer your time to welcome guests, assist with parking, serve food, help with activities, or even help with clean up. You could also offer items or gift certificates for door prizes or donate to the event in an envelope marked 'Picnic' and drop it off at the St. Francis de Sales Parish office. Also, if you are interested in volunteering to help in any way, please contact the St. Francis de Sales Parish office (613-932-0756).

BINGO AT PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH HALL

Bingo Returns Wednesday, September 4, at Precious Blood Parish Hall. Doors open at 5:00 pm, Early Bird at 6:20 pm, and Bingo at 7:00 pm. Hot dogs and refreshments are available for purchase. See you there! For more info, call 613-931-1424.

BID EUCHRE AT PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH HALL

Bid Euchre at Precious Blood Parish Hall starting **Wednesday, September 11 and 25**. Doors open at 6:00 pm, games start at 6:30 pm. Entrance fee \$5. For more info, call 613-931-1424.

WOMEN'S MORNING OF REFLECTION

Please join us Saturday, September 7th, from 9:00 am - 12:00 at the Agora Centre on McConnell Avenue, Cornwall, for Mass, confession, breakfast, a talk and the rosary. Our distinguished speaker will be Archbishop Emeritus Prendergast. The title of Archbishop Prendergast's talk is "Hope does not disappoint us...through the Holy Spirit that has been given us" (Romans 5:5). For any inquiries, please contact Heidi Krol at 613-347-7561 or Marilynn Light at 613-537-2021. A free-will offering of \$5 is appreciated.

ROAST BEEF DINNER

St. Francis de Sales K of C 11531. Thursday, 12th September 2024 from 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Adults \$15, children 12 years and under \$5.00. Home delivery is now available.

PARISH BREAKFAST

St. Francis de Sales K of C 11531. Sunday, 29th September 2024 from 8:30 a.m.-noon in the Parish Hall. Adults \$8.50, children 12 years and under \$4.00.



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PRAYER TO ST. JUDE

Most holy Apostle, Saint Jude Thaddeus, friend of Jesus, I place myself in your care at this difficult time. Help me know that I need not face my troubles alone. Please join me in my need, asking God to send me: consolation in my sorrow, courage in my fear, and healing in the midst of my suffering. Ask our loving Lord to fill me with the grace to accept whatever may lie ahead for me and my loved ones, and to strengthen my faith in God's healing powers. Thank you, Saint Jude Thaddeus, for the promise of hope you hold out to all who believe and inspire me to give this gift of hope to others as it has been given to me.

V. Saint Jude, Apostle of Hope

R. Pray for us! D.F.