



Weekly Bulletin

St. Aloysius and St. Columban Bulletin

Office hours: Mondays and Wednesdays until 2
(Tuesdays and Thursdays the Secretary works from home)

Easter

April 8/9, 2023

Reading I	Acts 10.34a, 37-43
Responsorial Psalm:	This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.
Reading II	Colossians 3.1-4
Gospel	John 20.1-18

ST. ALOYSIUS COLLECTION

April 2: **\$1290**

MASS Intentions:

Thurs. Apr. 6	7:00 p.m.	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Good Friday	2:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross (St. Malachy in Mayo)
	3:00 p.m.	The Lord's Passion (St. Malachy in Mayo)
Easter Vigil	8:00 p.m.	St. Aloysius
Easter Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Columban
	11:00 a.m.	St. Aloysius
Wed. Apr. 12	9:00 a.m.	For all parishioners
Fri. Apr. 14	9:00 a.m.	For all parishioners
Sat. Apr. 15	11:00 a.m.	Funeral of Denise Cyr (Ford) (St. Aloysius)
	4:30 p.m.	(St. Columban) For all parishioners
Sun. Apr. 16	11:00 a.m.	3 rd Ann. For Doreen Harney and John Harney by Lorraine Whitworth
		10 th Ann for Florian Cayer by Ann Smits

The Sacrament of Confession is available fifteen minutes before all Sunday masses at St. Aloysius. This sacrament is an important part of our continual preparation for the eternal kingdom.

FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH Please pray for the sick of our Parish: Dan Ford, Sharon Shaw, Susan Stanyar, Dan Daly, Adeline Gendron, Diane Morey, and Pierre Lachapelle.

FOR THE SAKE OF THE LITTLE ONES (PR 31:9) ...PROTECT MINORS AND VULNERABLE ADULTS

Hello everyone, I have just about completed two visits of each French and English parish, presenting the Diocesan Guide for the implementation of measures to make our parishes safe for minors and vulnerable persons, and to protect them from other types of harm (theft, fraud, breach of confidentiality, harassment, etc.). These meetings also allowed for the presentation of concrete tools for putting these safety measures in place.

Just a reminder that this project is a diocesan priority and is compulsory, affecting both volunteers and paid staff, including priests.

As a Christian community we can be proud, to finally make this significant change, assuring all parishioners served by their parish, whether young, old, or vulnerable, that they can feel (fully) secure.

Still to come: a few words on our Code of ethics and conduct.

Chantale Duguay, Diocesan coordinator for this project.

HOLY WATER REFILLS

If you have a bottle you wish to fill with holy water to bring home, please serve yourself from the baptismal water dispenser located next to the candles (left side).

LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

As of Sunday February 5th, children ages 7 and up are invited to gather in the sacristy 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 will take turns in leading this activity.

The following **ST. ALOYSIUS LOGO PROPOSALS** have received one or two votes. On Sunday, April 16th, you will be given a ballot sheet at church and asked to indicate which **ONE** of these slogans you prefer.

1. Join us in celebrating the Lord
2. Come Follow Me
3. Gatineau's English Catholic Parish
4. Friendship in Faith
5. Come and See
6. God's Love Lives Here
7. My Church, My Community, My Friends
8. Your Church, Your Community
9. Stairway to Heaven!
10. Pray together, Stay together!
11. Ch_rch, U are missing
12. Come feel the Spirit of the Lord
13. Come to the Well
14. Where God Feeds Us

EASTER MASS SCHEDULE

Holy Wednesday	7 p.m.	Chrism Mass – St. Joseph Cathedral
Holy Thursday	7 p.m.	Mass of the Lord's Supper - St. Aloysius
Good Friday	2 p.m. 3 p.m.	Stations of the Cross (St. Malachy in Mayo) The Lord's Passion (St. Malachy in Mayo)
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SCRIPTURE 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.

BIRTHDAY FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

Marty Burns	-2 nd
Anne-Marie Plante	- 7 th
Diana Foley	- 18 th
Carole Douaire	- 26 th
Isabel Carolina St-Louis	- 20 th
Daphne Vachon	- 26 th
Cornelius Foley	- 29 th

