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OUR FAITH.**

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**Weekly Bulletin  
St. Aloysius and St. Columban Bulletin  
27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

***October 1/2, 2022***

Reading I	Habakkuk 1.2-3; 2.2-4
Responsorial Psalm:	O that today you would listen to the voice of the Lord. Do not harden your hearts!
Reading II	2 Timothy 1.6-8, 13-14
Gospel	Luke 17.5-10

**ST. ALOYSIUS COLLECTION**

**Sept. 25:           \$1,365.00**

**SPECIAL COLLECTION: Needs of the Church in Canada \$112.00**

**MASS Intentions:**

Fri. Sept 30	9:00 am.	For all parishioners
Sat. Oct. 1	4:30 p.m.	(St. Columban) For all parishioners
Sun. Oct. 2	11:00 a.m.	(St. Aloysius) For Maria Isabel Aguiar and deceased family members by The Oliveria Family
Wed. Oct. 5	9:00 a.m.	For all parishioners
Fri. Oct. 7	9:00 a.m.	For all parishioners
Sat. Oct. 8	4:30 p.m.	(St. Columban) For Michael McNicholl by The McNicholl Family
Sun. Oct. 9	11:00 a.m	(St. Aloysius) For Sheila Berrea by her family

**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: Atreyu Harvey, Adeline Gendron, Diane Morey, John Harney and Pierre Lachapelle.

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### **UPDATE FROM THE ST. ALOYSIUS FINANCE WARDEN – 2022 BUDGET**

As we head into the final few months of the year, I wanted to provide you with an update on our current financial situation. As is typically the case after the quiet months of summer, we find ourselves in a deficit situation from a budget perspective. Similar to pre-pandemic year fall deficits, we are currently managing a \$6000 deficit that we need to address before the end of the fiscal year on December 31st. The current deficit pertains to our regular operating costs such as salaries, maintenance and repairs, phone/Internet, heating and lighting. The cost of “keeping the lights on”. With inflation at its highest in many years, our operating costs are already on the rise as we head into the colder months of the year. I recognize that we are all facing rising costs in our personal finances and our means of financial support to the church are being stressed. However, I am confident and thankful that you will all respond to this additional need through your weekly contributions as you have consistently done in the past. On behalf of the Wardens Board, I thank you for your continued support of our wonderful and blessed community.

Jim Brownrigg.

### **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.

To all members of the English-language parishes of our archdiocese:

Would you like to know about our archdiocesan pastoral priorities for the coming year? Would you like to reflect on a spirituality of "welcome" that will be the key of these pastoral priorities? Would you like to learn about our new diocesan policy on safeguarding against abuse of minors and vulnerable adults?

Then join us for an assembly of the English Zone of our diocese on **Friday October 7**, from **10:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** at **St. Aloysius parish**. Our guest speaker will be Fr. Thomas Rosica, c.s.b., former director of Salt and Light T.V. and coordinator of the Toronto World Youth Days in 2002.

You are welcome to join us for coffee starting at 10:00 a.m. Please bring a bag lunch for yourself, we will supply soup and dessert.

Help us plan our event by **indicating your intention of participating** in this activity by contacting Bozica at 819-771-8391, ext. 308 or at [domitrovicb@diocesegatineau.org](mailto:domitrovicb@diocesegatineau.org).

## BIRTHDAYS IN OCTOBER

Mary Jane Champagne	13 <sup>th</sup>
Michael McCann	19 <sup>th</sup>
Margaret Burns	21 <sup>st</sup>
Ghislaine Cook	28 <sup>th</sup>



# **ADVENT SPAGHETTI SUPPER & SILENT AUCTION FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25<sup>TH</sup> AT 5:30 PM**



## ST. AL'S SEWING GROUP



Every Tuesday from noon to 3:00 in the church hall. It is open to anyone with a sewing project who enjoys chatting while they work. Bring your lunch and whatever kind of needle craft you enjoy. Looking forward to seeing you there!

## QUILT RAFFLE

This beautiful Queen-sized (87x107) quilt in a "Framed Log Cabin" pattern and made by the Ladies of the St. Al's Sewing Group is ready to be raffled.



**a single ticket**

If anyone is interested in taking extra books to sell to family and friends – please do so. We would very much appreciate your help in selling the tickets as a portion of the sales will be donated to our parish.

Tickets are sold for:

**\$5.00 for a full book (6) or \$1.00 for**



The draw for this beautiful quilt will be held at a later date.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL!