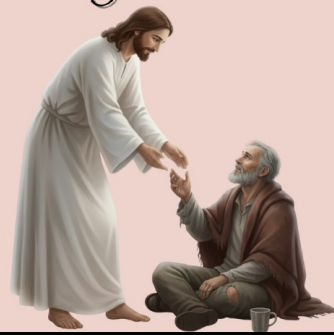


World Day of the Poor



Sunday, November 16, 2025

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What a powerful message of encouragement and hope we are given in today's readings especially during these challenging times filled with distractions.

It's comforting to be reminded that the Lord is the judge. He protects and uses us to lead souls to him when we are aligned with his will. Like taking our vehicle to the mechanic, even just for a routine oil change, it's good to do an examination of conscience on a regular basis, ideally at the end of everyday. Maybe we've lost track of our spiritual odometer, but it's never too late to get back on track. Doing this is good for our soul and will keep us going in the right direction, without deviating from God's will.

The end of the liturgical year is a busy time where we might lose sight of our priorities. Instead, we can take time to reflect on where we can improve spiritually and set goals for the upcoming year. This is not easy, because the distractions of the world are constant and increasingly noisier. They aren't necessarily bad and may be things that we need to get done; but when we let them take over, our spiritual priorities suffer.

On this World Day of the Poor, let us make the poor a priority in our lives and strive to love Our Lord in all we meet.



*Sarah Escobar
Ottawa, ON*

Scripture Readings for next weekend's Mass ~ Thirty - Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time



First Reading: 2 Samuel 5.1-3
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 122
Second Reading: Colossians 1.12-20
Gospel: Luke 23.35-43

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Mass Intentions

DAY / DATE	
Tuesday November 18 Ferial 7:00 PM ~ OLMC	7:00 PM Louis Bertoia ~ Family Pat Miller ~ Miller Family Scott Frush ~ Margherita Di Ponio Beverly O'Kane ~ Margaret & Jim Oswald Paul Clarke ~ Jerry & Mary Anne Brothers Dora Colella ~ Family
Wednesday November 19 Ferial 8:30 AM ~ CC	8:30 AM Thuan Van Nguyen & Sonia DeNapoli ~ Trinh Nguyen Denise Corrado ~ Zia Egiziana Louis & Mary Nappa ~ Tom & Linda Int. of Mary Rose Sparrow ~ Corpus Christi Coffee Group John & Madeline Haslam ~ Maureen Kowalski Tony Mandato ~ Florence LeFaive
Thursday November 20 Ferial 8:30 AM ~ OLMC	8:30 AM Abuni Bassa Int. of the Anto & Cecil Families Margaret Sparks ~ Phil & Barbara Relatives & Friends of the Urbano Family ~ Michelina Carl Dettinger ~ Rumfeld Family For the End of Sex Trafficking
Friday November 21 The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Memorial 8:30 AM ~ CC	8:30 AM Gladys, Duffy & Ella Mae ~ Doug Reaume Josephine Kavanagh ~ Roy & Mary Simone Lina Tricarico ~ Rosetta Di Giglio, Robert Fasan & Gina Baggio Vincenzo & Marianna Grillo ~ Daughter-in-law Vincenza Dolores Rocheleau ~ G & R Marentette Special Intention ~ Sue Dent
Saturday November 22 Vigil	5:00 PM CC & OLMC
Sunday November 23 Thirty-Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time	9:00 AM 11:00 AM CC & OLMC

CORPUS CHRISTI

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OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

5:00 PM Saturday Mass is live
streamed on YouTube: Windsor
OLMC

Read the Kids' Bulletin here: <https://thekidsbulletin.com/>

Please pray for the following who are all ministering in our Diocese:

Rev. Dariusz Lewandowski; Rev. John Betkowski; Rev. Steve Eckert; Rev. Dikran Islemeci; Rev. T.J. Vandermeer; Rev. Etienne Nadonye; Ministers of the Bereaved in the Diocese of London

PRAY for the SICK



Anthony Mandato, Jeffrey Kavanaugh, Randa Isthephan, Theresa Slack, Agatha Schulz, Ken Dagenais, Jean Morand, Grier Tovell, Matt Jones, Violet Katic, Maryanne Urbano, Randy Kettlewell, Anna Lenisa, Joe Macri, Paulette Kathrein, Suzanne D'Agnillo, Sandy Ebert, Michelina Urbano



KIMBERLY'S CORNER



ALPHA: This week we explored "How and why we read the Bible." Next week we will learn how God guides us in our lives. Please keep praying for us, as lives are being transformed each week, and a true sense of community is forming in our groups. Come Holy Spirit!

There is an information meeting on **Monday November 17 at 6:30pm** at Corpus Christi church, for all those interested in helping out with our **first Reconciliation and first Eucharist prep**. We have over 100 children registered and really need volunteers. Sessions start in January.



Our family is blessed with many active ministries and volunteers who do so much to foster a sense of hospitality in all they do. As the first faces encountered, Ministers of Hospitality play a vital role in creating an atmosphere of warmth, reverence, and belonging. They help ensure that every person, whether a lifelong member or a first-time visitor, feels truly welcomed when they walk through our church doors.

We Need You! We are actively seeking new, dedicated volunteers to join this beautiful ministry. If you are friendly, responsible, love to serve, and possess a welcoming spirit, this is the perfect opportunity to share your gifts. No prior experience is necessary—we will provide all the training you need!

We invite all parishioners interested in making a significant difference in the welcoming spirit of our parish to attend an Information and Training Meeting for Ministers of Hospitality (Ushers/Greeters/Welcome Desk). See below.

Current ministers: This session is MANDATORY for all current Ministers of Hospitality to review updated procedures and also reflect on this important ministry.

Please attend ONE of the meetings below:

1. Saturday December 6 at 10:00am at Corpus Christi Church
2. Sunday December 7 at 1:00pm at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me. kbornais@dol.ca

"Every person is Jesus in disguise."

-St. Teresa of Calcutta

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KATIE'S CORNER

FRIENDS AND FAMILY ARE INVITED
TO WATCH US PERFORM OLMC'S
ANNUAL...

NATIVITY PAGEANT!

Sunday December 21, 1:00 PM at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish.
Join us for Hot Chocolate and Crafts in the Parish Hall!

Attention teens! Join us for our next Youth Café on **December 14 from 12 to 2 pm at OLMC**. We will host a clothing drive and bake sale to support a charity of your choice. Teens are encouraged to bring baked goods and help collect clothing after the 11 am Mass. Parent volunteers are welcome. Please register online.



Attention Corpus Christi families! Starting **November 9**, children's Sunday Missals will be available for pick up at the Shepherds Corner after the 9:00 am and 11:00 am Mass.

Teen girls aged **13 to 18** are invited to join a new Advent small group focused on Joy and Christ's love. To join, complete the survey under the Youth Ministry tab on our website.



To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven...

A Time to be Born... Through the waters of Baptism we welcome **Adam Easby son of Joshua & Melissa (Pedro)**

A Time to Die... We remember and pray for **Jeanette Pinard, John Harcar, Grazia Daidone and Sami Jibraeil**.



Faith Study & Discussion Group— "On Love for the Poor"

As we prepare to celebrate Christ's humble birth in Bethlehem, join Fr. Peter for a three-week faith discussion on Pope Leo XIV's apostolic exhortation *Dilexi Te* – On Love for the Poor. Dates: Saturdays, **November 29, December 6, and 13**. **Time: 10:30 a.m.**

Location: St. Gabriel's Room 1, Corpus Christi Church (1400 Cabana Road West) Printed copies of *Dilexi Te* will be available at each parish, or you may read it online [here](#). For more information, please contact Fr. Peter at pamszej@dol.ca.



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul – CC

The Giving Tree – Sharing the Spirit of Christmas

The members of the Corpus Christi St. Vincent de Paul Society extend heartfelt thanks to all parishioners who are embracing the true spirit of Christ's coming by participating in our Giving Tree, located at the entrance of Corpus Christi Church. By taking a tag and purchasing a personal gift, a gift card, or a food item, then returning it wrapped to the tree (**please do not wrap food items**) by Sunday, **December 7th**, you are helping to share the love of Christ with those in need.

With your generosity, we hope to provide Christmas Food and Gift Baskets to more than **50 families**, bringing the joy of Jesus' birth to life within our community.

If you would like to assist with the delivery of Christmas Baskets on Sunday, **December 14th**, please sign up at the Greeters' Desk at the church entrance. Deliveries will begin after the 9:00 a.m. Mass and are typically completed by noon.

Thank you for your kindness and generosity. May God bless you abundantly this Christmas season.



GIVING TREE

World Day of the Poor A Jubilee of Responsibility



Making his invitation all the more urgent, Pope Leo XIV reminds Christians that this year's World Day of the Poor is closely linked to the ongoing Jubilee celebration: *"Once the Holy Door is closed, we are to cherish and share with others the divine gifts granted us."*

Thus, Pope Leo XIV urges believers to view the poor not merely as recipients of care, but as *"creative subjects who challenge us to find novel ways of living out the Gospel today."* He also echoes the wisdom of Saint Augustine, urging justice over mere generosity: *"You give bread to a hungry person; but it would be better if none were hungry,"* he quotes. Concluding his message, he says to entrust all to Mary, Comforter of the Afflicted, inviting the Church and the world to raise a "song of hope" with the words of the Te Deum: *"In you, O Lord, is our hope, and we shall never hope in vain."*



CWL CHRISTMAS DINNER - Wednesday, December 3rd at Moose Lodge - full turkey dinner for **\$25.00!** Doors open at 4:30 p.m. with dinner at 5:30 p.m. Deadline for tickets is **November 21**. All ladies welcome! For tickets call Jo-Anne Lortie 519-969-3980 or Lila Recchia 519-966-5983.



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Rehearsals at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish
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The gifts we have are made valuable only by sharing them with others. Your gifts are gratefully accepted by the Catholic Women's League where members willingly share the good things God has given them. We can't wait to meet you!

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The Women's Faith Sharing Group
meets every Thursday from 9:00am to 10:30am in the OLMC lounge. All women are invited to join us for Bring a friend!

Euchre Social Club at OLMC Tuesdays ♠ ♣ ♦ ♠
from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM Location:
Marion Room Cost: \$4.00. Please bring your own cup!

READY – SET – GO! Catholic Men's Retreat – November 28 to 30, 2025

As the Pilgrims of Hope Jubilee draws to a close, join us as Fr. John Shiha explores with us how Hope empowers us to move ahead with courage, faith, and purpose and enables us to recommit living out that virtue as a steady, spiritual strength rooted in Christ. Through inspiring talks, celebration of the Sacraments, quiet reflection, and meaningful comradery, we will cultivate this essential virtue for our journey ahead. Cost is \$300 per person. To register or for more info call 519-738-6136 or visit www.hfrh.ca/upcoming-retreats.



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Corpus Christi appreciates your food and financial donations. **This week we are in particular need of: Peanut butter, bagged rice, Hamburger Helper, and canned fruit.**

Thank you for your continued support. For further information or to assist, please contact Bruce at: 519-966-5362.



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Sunday Offerings	CC	OLMC
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