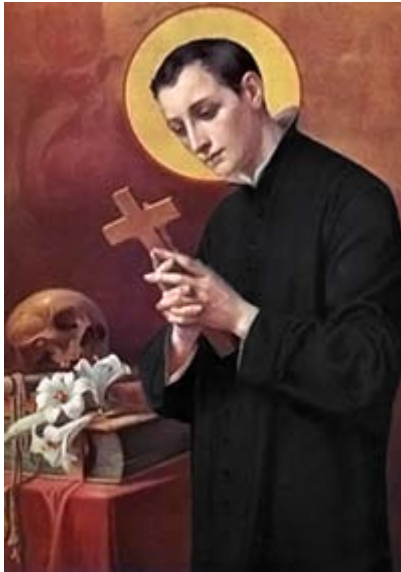




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MASS INTENTIONS



For Today:

Sunday, March 27th
and
and

Intentions are for:

JOAN DODDS
LOURDES ROSARIO
FRANK BAXTER

Requested by:

Marilyn & John Henry
Margaret Martell
Jeannie & Allen Wayland

For Next Week:

Sunday, April 3rd
and
and

LILLIAN & HARRY WEGLINSKI
DEBBIE ST. CYR
VICTOR ROYER

Diane Norwood
Dora Mazerolle
Dolores Kumps

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS for this week go out to:
Alessandro Antonacci (30), Harlan Lee (31),
Malcolm Orrell (2)

CELEBRATING an ANNIVERSARY in this week:
No anniversaries listed

Third Sunday of Lent: Stewardship Bulletin Reflection for the Week

Our need for water is a theme found in both the reading from Exodus and the Gospel today. In the Old Testament passage, God provided water when the Israelites complained they were going to die of thirst. In the Gospel, Jesus promised the Samaritan woman water that would quench her thirst completely, but He was speaking of the spiritual thirst the Holy Spirit can satisfy.

How do we respond to the gifts a generous God offers us? Are we like the Samaritan woman who ran back to share with her neighbours the good news of what Jesus had done for her? Or are we like the Israelites who complained about what they wanted, forgetting to thank God for what He had done for them?

One characteristic of Christian stewards, our bishops tell us, is that they receive God's gifts gratefully. How thankful are we for what we have been given? Or are we people who are constantly complaining because we do not have anymore?

Excerpt from *Stay Alive All Your Life* by Norman Vincent Peale

You can never foretell what great things may happen when you go to church. The very place is filled with mysterious powers which, if properly contacted, have the potential of revolutionizing your life. Actually, one should always enter the electric atmosphere of a church with a sense of excitement and expectancy. And the more you expect, the more you will receive.



ST. ALOYSIUS BULLETIN



March 27th, 2011

ST. AL'S NEWS

PRAYERS

Please keep in your prayers **ELIZABETH ROLICZ**, who recently suffered a stroke and is a dear friend of **Dolores Kumps**.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2011

- **Penitential Service, April 17th**
3:00PM in St. Brendan's
- **Holy Thursday, April 21st**
8:00PM in St. Brendan's
Good Friday, April 22nd
in St. Brendan's Parish
Children's Service -11:00AM
Regular Service – 3:00PM
Stations of the Cross – 7:30PM
- **Easter Vigil, April 23rd**
8:00PM in St. Brendan's
- **Easter Sunday, April 24th**
St. Aloysius-9:30AM
St. Brendan's-9:00AM & 11:00AM

PASTORAL COUNCIL

There will be a meeting for all members of Pastoral council on **Saturday, April 2nd, 2011** at 9:30am in St. Joseph's Centre.

PENITENTIAL SERVICE

A Penitential Service in preparation for Easter will take place on **Sunday, April 17th, 2011**, at 3:00PM in St. Brendan's Parish. All are invited to come receive the gift of Reconciliation.

REGISTRATION FOR SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

For families looking to have their child receive the sacraments of First Communion and /or Confirmation, registrations for our Catechetical Program will take place on **Sunday, June 5th, 2011** after our **9:30AM Mass**. Please help spread the word of this important date to any interested families you may know. Thank you!

H.O.P.E. EASTER WRAP-UP

Each year, as Easter approaches, members of our H.O.P.E. Committee invite everyone to participate in their reach out to the shut-ins of our community. Over 200 Easter gift packages are wrapped and delivered to the residents of the Montreal Extended Care Hospital located at 5155 Ste. Catherine St. East, just east of Viau, north of Notre-Dame East. Volunteers of all ages, with a special invitation to our children, are welcome to help wrap presents on **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20TH, 2011 at 7:00PM in our Parish Centre**. Delivery of these presents will take place on **Good Friday, April 22nd, 2011 at 9:30AM** from the Parish Centre **OR 10:00AM** at the Hospital. We are especially in need of drivers for this day. If you would like to find out more or are interested in helping out, please see Cynthia Hansen or e-mail hope@saintaloysius.ca.

MEN'S RETREAT CANCELLED

Due to the low number of responses, the retreat originally planned for March 19th, 2011 was postponed until further notice. **If you wish to have another opportunity to have a Men's Retreat take place, please call our office as soon as possible.**

CHILDREN/ YOUTH CHOIR

We are currently looking into forming a children's/ youth choir to participate approximately once a month during our Sunday morning Eucharistic celebrations. Anyone wishing to assist as a musician, i.e. guitarist, organist, or help direct, please feel free to call our office.

COMMUNITY NEWS

ALMAGE 50+ CENTRE

The Annual Almage Bowl-a-Thon will take place on **SATURDAY, APRIL 9TH, 2011**. This is the main fundraiser for Almage and your support is requested. Along with the event this year, there will be a raffle. Tickets are \$1.00 each or 7 for \$5.00. Main prize is a Canadiens Hockey Jersey, second prize is a Basket of Wine (6 bottles) and third prize is \$100.00. We have over 45 prizes in all, so your chances of winning are good. Tickets are on sale at the back of the church. We are also looking for bowlers. If you are interested, please contact either **Cynthia Hansen** or **Rosemary Kelahear** Thanking you in advance for your support!!

NEEDED

A family is looking for a bed frame for a queen sized bed. Please call our office for any donations. Thank you!

Have a wonderful week everyone, and keep up the great work!



"Sir give me this water, so that I may never be thirsty or have to keep coming here to draw water."

- John 4: 15

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