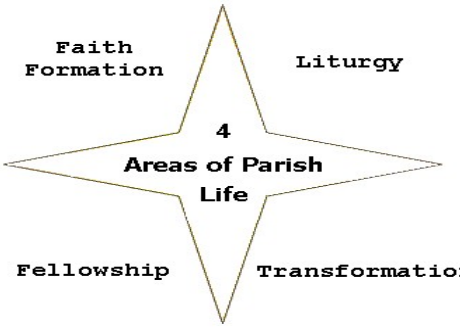







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| **Our Lady of Victory**<br>490 Charles Street<br>Gatineau, Québec<br>J8L 2K5 | **TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**<br>**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**<br>**OCTOBER 17-18, 2026** | **St. Malachy**<br>3889 Route 315<br>Mayo, Québec<br>J8L 3Z8 |
| **Sunday 9:00 a.m.** | **Celebration of the Eucharist** | **Saturday 5:00 p.m.** |

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| **Pastor** | Father John Braganza, OSB |
| **Rectory** | 490 Charles Street<br>Gatineau, Québec<br>J8L 2K5 |
| **Secretary** | Monique Simpson |
| **Email** | olv@videotron.ca |
| **Telephone** | (819) 986-3763 |
| **Website** | https://stmalachyolv.ca |
| **Confessions** | By appointment – call office to schedule. |
| **Baptisms** | By appointment. Registration required. Please call or email the office. |
| **Confirmation** | By appointment or contact Julie McCann at mccannjd@icloud.com or call 819-598-2609. |
| **Weddings** | Couples are asked to call the office for an appointment ***at least one year*** prior to their date of marriage to allow adequate preparation time. ***A Marriage course is required.*** |
| **Annointing of the Sick** | Please call the office. |
| **Welcome to New Parishioners** | We welcome you to our parish! Please introduce yourself after Mass and call the Rectory to register. |

**Office Hours**

Monday - 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Wednesday - 9:00 am - 11:00 am
Thursday - 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm

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| MASSES | | | | |
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| Friday | Oct. 16th | OLV | 9:00 a.m. | **All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy** |
| Saturday | Oct. 17th | St. Malachy | 5:00 p.m. | **Cletus Butler & the People of Nepal & Tepet** by Ginny Roos |
| Sunday | Oct. 18th | OLV | 9:00 a.m. | **Carol Bisson Somers** by The Old Girls<br>**Deceased members of the Raymond Family** by Val & Lewis Rowe<br>**Mother of St. Carmen & The Baby Jesus** by Marcel Lalonde |
| Thursday | Oct. 22nd | OLV | 9:00 a.m. | **All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy** |
| Friday | Oct. 23rd | OLV | 9:00 a.m. | **All Parishioners of OLV & St. Malachy** |
| Saturday | Oct. 24th | St. Malachy | 10.00 a.m.<br>5:00 p.m. | **Funeral for Rachel Boisvenu**<br>**All Parishioners of St. Malachy & OLV** |
| Sunday | Oct. 25th | OLV | 9:00 a.m. | **The Simpson Family** by Marcel Lalonde |

| WEEKLY RECEIPTS | OLV | ST. MALACHY |
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| October 10-11 - Sunday Collection | $ 295.00 | $ 282.30 |
| October 10-11 - Support | | 25.00 |
| October 10-11 - Fuel | | 25.00 |
| **Thank you for your contributions.** | | |

## READINGS & REFLECTION

**TWENTY–NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – October 18th**

First Reading: **Isaiah 45.1, 4-6**
Responsorial Psalm: **Ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.**
Second Reading: **1 Thessalonians 1.1-5ab**
Gospel: **Matthew 22.15-21**

## FATHER JOHN'S MESSAGE

**Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time A**

**God holds the whole world and especially the world leaders in the palm of his hand. It would seem otherwise when we face our present evils caused by the explicit decisions of our world leaders. When the Jewish nation began there was no separation between the faith community and the political community. That division began for the first time with the appointment of Saul, the first king of Israel. That is when taxes in kind began in Israel! There is a tension between living in the world and living by the faith of the Gospel in the Church.** The division between Church and State has always been a difficult one to handle from the point of view of Christian discipleship. The Gospel does not exempt us from our civil obligations just because we belong to the Church. But neither does the Gospel allow the civil authority to be the absolute authority for existing in the world, the ultimate arbiter of moral truth. Both the civil authority and the ecclesial authority must deal with the dignity of the human person. The image of Caesar on the coin shares the same image as you and me. The Church does not govern the State, but neither is she required to remain silent about questions affecting human dignity, fundamental rights, justice, and the common good. Neither can the disciple of Jesus!

Peace. *Fr. John*

## OUR LADY OF VICTORY & ST. MALACHY NEWS

**Father John Braganza contact information:** **OLV** - 819-986-3763 **St. Aloysius** - 819-663-5244

**OLV MORNING MASS:** Father will be **celebrating mass** at OLV on **Thursday and Friday** at **9:00 a.m.** in the Sacristy. If you would like a **mass intention**, present offering for a Mass is $20.00. Call the office and this intention will be celebrated on the day you have chosen**. Also, Father John will be staying in the office on these days and will be available for phone calls or meetings with you. Call the office at 819-986-3763 to confirm your time and date.**

**SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS:** Let us remember in our prayers the family and friends of **Rachel Boisvenu**. May the Lord welcome you with open arms into His Kingdom. Funeral Mass will be on Saturday, October 24th, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.

Also, remember in your PRAYERS **Lloyd Miller** who passed away on September 29th, 2026. May the family and friends find comfort with the support received from all with love.

**DAY OFF:** Father John will be taking every Monday as his weekly day off.

**STILL COLLECTING:** Used postage stamps, pop & tin can tabs and egg cartons. **Note: Bread tables will not be accepted.**

**AED – AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR AT OLV:** Treats sudden cardiac arrest. Can be found near washrooms in church basement. This is checked every month.

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** Are you new to our Parish? Please fill out the registration form on the table at the back of the church and give to Father, secretary or put in collection basket and we will contact you shortly.

**THE PILGRIMAGE – AUGUST 23, 2026:** Once again the fabrique of St. Malachy would like to thank you for your efforts and donations to ensure our Pilgrimage was successful. Your donations amounted to $9,246.25 and our net: $7,612.81. Your donations certainly help to keep St. Malachy's doors open! From all of us at St. Malachy...thank you! Our 70th Pilgrimage year is next year...and we have plans!! Stayed tuned!

## WORLD MISSION SUNDAY OCTOBER 18th

The collection this Sunday is organized by the Pontifical Missions Society. The funds collected assist some 1,250 mission dioceses under the responsibility of the Congregation for the Evangelization of Peoples.

## Development and Peace — Caritas Canada - *Is Canada on Track for Justice*




This fall, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada (DPCC) encourages you to take part in its ***Is Canada on Track for Justice*** campaign to call on the Government of Canada to increase funding for official development assistance at a time when the world is facing multiple crises and aid for impoverished countries is becoming increasingly scarce.

We need your support to make this possible. Join the movement today!

To learn more, visit https://devp.org/en/campaign/is-canada-on-track-for-justice/

## HEATING AT OUR LADY OF VICTORY PARISH

Alpha Combustion has advised us that a new boiler/furnace has been ordered and will arrive at their shop no later than October 15th. They have confirmed that the boiler will be installed on our premises on Monday, October 19th.In the meantime, the next two Sunday mass celebrations will be held in the church hall. The Thursday and Friday mass celebrations will continue in the sacristy. **HEATERS WILL BE INSTALLED**.

## *Banque alimentaire de la Lièvre*

The local food bank, ***Banque alimentaire de la Lièvre***, has recently posted a listing of non-perishable items that are urgently needed:




- Biscuits
- Canned Beans
- Canned Fruit
- Canned Meat
- Canned Soup
- Canned Tomatoes
- Canned Vegetables
- Cereal
- Coffee
- Crackers
- Flour
- Fruit Juice
- Granola Bars
- Jam
- Kraft Dinner
- Oatmeal
- Pasta
- Peanut Butter
- Ramen
- Rice
- Spaghetti Sauce
- Toilet Paper
- Vegetable Juice

Parishioners are invited to bring donations of non-perishables to our two parishes at the weekend mass celebrations.

| DATE | | LECTORS | GREETERS |
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| October | 18th | Gloria | Bill R. & Bill C. |
| | 25th | Linda C. | Gail & Layall |
| November | 1st | Linda R. | Bill R. & Bill C. |
| | 8th | Diane | Gail & Layall |
| | 15th | Aggie | Bill R. & Bill C. |
| | 22nd | Raphael & Michael | Gail & Layall |
| | 29th | Gloria | Bill R. & Bill C. |

Looking for more information on church items, please view our website at https://stmalachyolv.ca