

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR: Fr. Marceliano Serrato Herrera, m.x.y.
PASTORAL ASSISTANT: Norah Mulrooney
SECRETARIES: Elizabeth Deziel & Maureen Orr

AT THE SERVICE OF THE LITURGY:

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PARISH ORGANISATIONS:

Catholic Women's League: Pres. Micheline Gaudreault 450-692-0390
Faith First (Children): Elizabeth Deziel 450-692-6065
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Pastoral Council:
Chairperson: Jacquie Ross Zalac 450-692-7498
Parish Men's Association: Ed Colton 450-691-5763
Pastoral Home Care: Clare Frenette 450-692-0246
Social Justice Committee: Angee Mercuri 450-692-9062

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Umberto Principe 450-692-1309
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**OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP
295 McLEOD
CHATEAUGUAY, QUEBEC**

**NOVEMBER 27, 2016
FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

Mission Statement

We, the members of the Christian Community of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, in the missionary spirit of Mary, our Patroness, strive to be followers of Jesus. Our vision is to build and support an inclusive and intergenerational faith community, guided always by the spirit of the Second Vatican Council.

MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY: 5:15 P.M. SUNDAY: 10:30 A.M.

Monday - No Mass

Tuesday: 7:30 P.M. followed by
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:00 A.M.

HOLY HOUR: First Friday of the Month following Mass
CONFESSION (RECONCILIATION):

Before all Masses or by appointment

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**OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY –
9 A.M. TO 3 P.M. FRIDAY: OFFICE CLOSED**

GETTING TO KNOW SUNDAY NOVEMBER 20th becomes a \$3065.19

Many sincere thanks for your continued generous support of our parish needs.
SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK, DEC. 4th (Church in the Third World)

MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 27th :

Monday – NO MASS

Tues. 7:30 P.M. + Patrick Grenier by Mary Langlois

Wed. 9:00 A.M. No Intention

Thur. 9:00 A.M. No Intention

Fri. 9:00 A.M. + For the Intentions of all Parishioners

during this Holy Season of Advent by the Deziel Family

MASS SCHEDULE FOR SATURDAY/SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3rd & 4th :

SATURDAY 5:15 p.m. + Marthe Bouchard by Catherine Hooper

SUNDAY 10:30 a.m. + For the Intentions of Apiah Boateng
by the Knights of Columbus

COMING EVENTS

Launching of Tree of Dreams – November 26th & 27th

Christmas Movie Night – Friday, December 2nd at 7PM

Social Justice Annual Bake Sale for the Sisters of the Assumption
in the Philippines – Sunday, December 4th after Mass

Advent Penitential Service – Thursday, Dec. 15th at 7:30PM

Annual Parish General Meeting – Sunday, Dec. 18th after Mass in the hall

SFO Annual Christmas at Greccio – Sunday, Dec. 18th at 2PM in the church



25th ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

of our pastor, Father Marceliano Serrato Herrera, m.x.y.:

On the 11th of December 2016 we will be celebrating the 25th anniversary of ordination of our pastor Father Marcelo. Our bishop, Noel Simard, will preside the 10:30 mass followed by refreshments in the parish hall.

CONGRATULATIONS AND PRAYERFUL GOOD WISHES TO THE FOLLOWING CHILD RECENTLY BAPTIZED IN OUR PARISH:



I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit

Ryan Christian Caro

November 19, 2016

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

- Pastoral Home Care: Wednesday, December 7th after 9AM Mass
- Catholic Women's League: Monday, December 12th at 7PM

HARVEST FOR THE HUNGRY Campaign to stock the OLPH Food Cupboard continues until Christmas by the Grade 6 Faith First Confirmation Candidates. Thank you for your continued support of much needed non-perishables, especially coffee, tea, shelf milk, peanut butter, canned proteins, rice, pastas and sauces, hot & cold cereals, & individual packaged snacks.

Follower of Saint Francis: (...Continued) Clare left her beautiful home and came to Saint Mary of the Angels. Francis and his Brothers were waiting for her with burning torches. She knelt before Our Lady's image in the little chapel and gave herself to God. (To be continued.)

HOLLY TEA & BAKE SALE: Saturday, Dec. 3rd from 11AM -3PM at Saint Andrew's United Church, 46 DuPont Ouest. (Let's support our neighbors!)

COMMUNITY BRUNCH TO WELCOME BACK PIERRE MOREAU

to his riding of Chateaugay. (For tickets call Mary Keenan: 450-692-6689.)

Date: 18 December 2016 Time: 10:30 am Price: \$20.00

Place: Reception Hall Les Salles du Bois , 719 boul. St-Jean-Baptiste, Mercier

IMPORTANT NEWS FOR OUR YOUNG PEOPLE: Pope Francis

[@Pontifex Nov. 14](#) "If every one of us, every day, does a work of mercy, there will be a revolution in the world!" Have you ever considered going to

WORLD YOUTH DAY? You may soon have that opportunity!

Father Marcelo will be leading a group to Panama for the next World Youth Day in 2019. If you would like to be included in a meeting to be held in the near future, please contact Fr.Marcelo or Mrs. Mulrooney at 450-691-4430.

TREE OF DREAMS PROJECT: The Social Justice Committee is once again encouraging parishioners during this Advent season to reflect on the true meaning of Christmas by supporting the "TREE OF DREAMS". You are encouraged to take a card hung from trees located at the side of the altar and back of the church and in turn to make a donation to "The Friends of Honduran Children". This gift will help to provide a merrier Christmas for the orphaned children living at "Sister Rosa's Children's Village" in Tegucigalpa, Honduras. (By the way, Sister Rosa will be turning 90 this month!) Those who wish to participate may return your donation in the weekly collection in an envelope marked "TREE OF DREAMS". Checks should be made payable to "Friends of Honduran Children". Please ensure to include your name and address if you wish to receive a tax receipt. Thank you in advance for your continued support of this worthwhile project for the 9th year and making a difference to over 125 children who will each receive a Christmas gift as result of your generosity!

WE PRAY FOR THE DEAD AND THOSE WHO MOURN THEM:

- Kevin Donovan, who died November 11th and whose funeral was held in our parish Saturday, November 19th.
- Claire Macdonald, cousin of John Lanigan of our parish, who died November 18th.

Please contact the parish office if you wish to offer a Mass for a deceased loved one, or have a special intention for a friend or family member; i.e. birth, birthday or anniversary.

