

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Caring for Others

Sunday, September 4th Deceased members of
Ciccanti family
requested by John Ortuso

Tuesday, September 6th Thanksgiving for a favour
requested by a parishioner

Faith First Questions of the Week

Adults: What one thing can I do this week to show people how my faith shapes my life?

Children: What can I do this week to show others that I believe in Jesus?

Week of Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, September 11 Josephine Leung *requested by*
Marguerite, Micheline, Gisele & Bridget

Tuesday, September 13 Deceased relatives & friends
of the Wickam/Boyle family

Reminder: Our Sunday Mass is now scheduled to start at **9:15 a.m.**

Children's Liturgy: Activity bulletins are available on the back table. Weekly sessions will start next Sunday, September 11 for those aged kindergarten to grade 5. Younger children may attend with a parent/guardian. Please try to arrive at Mass by 9:15 a.m.

Newest members of our Christian community:

Jorge Humberto Lagos Lainez, son of Francisco Javier Lagos Elvir and Marisol Lainez Bu of Candiac.

Adrien Nicolas Tahmazian, son of Serge Tahmazian and Genevieve Karine Ng-Kan of Candiac.



Welcome Visitors! All parishioners and any visitors are reminded that there is a wooden box marked **for any donations (including Annual Voluntary Contributions)** located on the back table every Sunday and that envelopes are available to use to ensure tax receipts. New parishioners can leave their contact information to join the parish list.

FAITH EDUCATION is a life-long endeavor. It is essential to and provides the foundation for the preparation of the Sacraments Reconciliation, Confirmation and 1st Eucharist. **REGISTRATION IS NOW TAKING PLACE FOR ...Faith First:** for children between the ages of 8 and 10 years. Please call Diane, Christine or Karen at 450-676-7577 or 450-671-0416. **Witnesses of the Covenant:** for those between the ages of 11 and 14. Please call Karen at 450-676-7577. **RCIA:** for adults from 16 and over. Please call Diane at 450-671-0416

AN APPEAL TO ALL PARISHIONERS – ALL PEOPLE OF FAITH

The Faith Education Team for the parishes of the Anglophone Region is looking for individuals – people of faith willing to offer a few hours of their time in order to journey with our children and families. There is so much you could do to encourage these families on their faith journey: in direct contact with the families or behind the scene activities. The ways in which you can help are endless. Please contact Diane, Christine or Karen at either of the numbers above.

Saint Raymond Faith First Registration 2011-2012:

Sunday, September 25 CRVP

1:00-2:00 for 1st year (those starting grade 3)

2:00-3:00 for 2nd & 3rd years

Books will be handed out and fees are due

For more info: faithfirst@live.ca or call Diane at 450-671-0416

Liturgical ministries: Anyone (aged 9- 99) interested in altar serving is most welcome to contact Lorette Noble at 450-444-3164. Training will be provided as necessary.

Catholic Girls' League: Today's meeting will be held after Mass at 3 Halifax where we will be making some more yummy jar mixes. Any girls aged 9-15 years of age may join in on the fun!

Our **H.O.P.E. box** can hold a lot of non-perishable donations. Can we fill it?

The Catholic Women's League: Our Lady of Good Counsel, Candiac, is hosting a Saturday morning entertainment event: "**The Servant at the Supper**" a one-act play written and performed by Eleanor Glenn of Smith Falls, Ontario. This presentation has toured Ontario and Ireland and was featured at the 2010 National CWL Convention in Ottawa. (www.servantatthesupper.com). It will be held at the Complexe Romeo-V. Patenaude- 135 Haendel Road, Candiac on Saturday, **September 10th**. A continental breakfast will be served starting at **9:00 a.m.**, followed by the 40-45 minute play which will delight both youth and adults (men are most welcome too). Tickets are **\$10.00 each** and must be purchased in advance. For tickets/more information contact: Annette annettejenson@hotmail.com 450-638-4506; Ethel emgravelle@sympatico.ca 450-659-1600; or Susan susan.kaller@sympatico.ca 450-659-9874.

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE has long stood in solidarity with the people in the Horn of Africa, providing aid during the famine in Ethiopia in 1984 and continuing to support the population in addressing the constant struggle to overcome hunger. Once again, D & P is ready to show its solidarity, but we need your help. Please help us support our Caritas partners in the region who are working tirelessly to bring urgent aid to those who need it most. Please give now if you can 1-888-234-8533 or www.devp.org . Envelopes are also available on the back table and upon request. Donations made before September 15th will be matched by the government.

Religion and the Brain: In partnership with the Faculty of Religious Studies sponsored by the Centre for Research on Religion (CREOR), the SCS unit Personal and Cultural Enrichment will offer a series of seven lectures on Religion and the Brain starting October 2011. Lectures of 50 minutes to one hour in length followed by a half-hour open discussion will be delivered on the McGill Campus, in the Birks Building at 3520 University Street on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at 5:30pm. After the lectures there will be a reception in the Foyer of the building. For a list of lectures and dates, please see: www.mcgill.ca/files/conted/CREORflier.pdf or the poster at the back table. If you have any questions, please phone 514-398-5212 or email facultypartnerhsips.conted@mcgill.ca

Inter-religious Vigil for Peace: On **Wednesday, September 21, 2011**, the International day for Peace by the United Nations, the Diocese of Saint-Jean-Longueuil invites people of all religious denominations to gather for a short spiritual peace vigil. The event, organized by the Diocesan Committee of inter-religious reconciliations (CDRI), will take place this year from **19 h 30 to 20 h 45 Sainte-Famille Church in Boucherville**, 560 Marie-Victorin. Representatives of various religious traditions will be present to help us gather and pray. **For information:** Yvonne Demers 450-674-5510.