

IMMACULATE HEART of MARY OUTLOOK PARISH

SEPTEMBER 2019 NEWSLETTER

Labour Day in Canada is celebrated on the first Monday of September. It originally gave workers the chance to campaign for better working conditions or pay. The day is now part of a long weekend for many Canadians.

OUTLOOK SUMMER SERVICE TIMES:

September:

Mass on Sundays at 11:00 am on 1st, 8th, 22nd, and 29th;

Celebration of the Word on Sunday 15th at 11:00 am.

*** Please try to arrive ten minutes before Service start time to allow for *ministry preparedness* and *prayer to enter more fully* into the richness of the celebration of WORD and SACRAMENT.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Continue on Thursdays at 9:30 am (unless otherwise announced)

UPCOMING EVENTS & REMINDERS!

CWL - Sept. 4th Meeting after 7 pm Mass; *Sell Quilt Raffle Tickets!!*

Sept. 7th OUTLOOK CWL MARKET DAY at The Heritage Centre.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MTG. Sept 11th after 7 pm Mass;

Fr. Godwin's Vacation - Sept. 27th – Oct. 25th; *Pray for a safe and relaxing break for our Pastor! Fr. Eugene Warnke will replace.*

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SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER – CONTINUED:

COLLECTION UPDATE: Our weekly TOTALS took a rollercoaster ride during the summer! Our April and May totals exceeded our monthly need of \$4,636 – much appreciated!

But ... June and July saw a combined shortfall of **\$1331** and August's weekly totals of: \$1,245; \$399; \$777; and \$660 are a **\$1,555** shortfall.

Our actual collections to end of August total \$30,849.00.

Budgeted Need for that thirty-four week period is \$34,000 so we currently stand \$3,151 short!

In the remaining eighteen weeks our weekly collection needs to exceed \$1,175.00 to end the year with a balanced budget.

Considering that in April and May our *increased contribution totals averaged \$1,155.00 weekly* ... that's only twenty dollars below what we need now for each of the remaining eighteen weekly collections. We can do this!

Let your contributions reflect your gratitude for God's many blessings!

