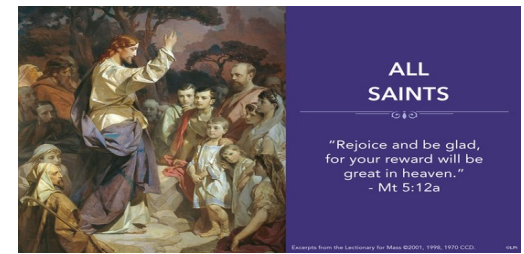


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Sunday, November 1st, 2020



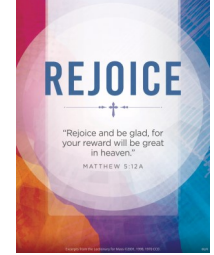
Sat. Oct 31	10:00am	Solemnity of All Saints
	(Traditional Latin Mass)	Anna Bachetti (Michael Wilson)
	4-4:45pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Confessions
	5:00pm	Reparation for all offences against the Immaculate Heart of Mary (Teresa Walters)
Sun. Nov 1	8:00am	Solemnity of All Saints
	(Traditional Latin Mass)	✠ Angelo Ettore (Michael Wilson)
	9:30am	✠ Abraham Young (Mark & Dayna Young)
		✠ Wayne Rebeiro & Anthony & Muriel Guest (Rebeiro Family)
	11:00am	Missa Pro Populo
Mon. Nov 2		Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed
	9:30am	✠ John Sabo (Mary & Bill Podolyak)
		✠ Wayne Rebeiro & Ron & Sherry Guest (Rebeiro Family)
	6:00pm	✠ Souls in Purgatory
	7-8pm	Holy Hour & Confessions
Tues. Nov 3	9:30am	✠ Wally & Sophie Paterak (Christine Meyo & Family)
Wed. Nov 4	9:30am	✠ Anthony Fernandes (Marguerite Fonseca)
Thurs. Nov 5	9:30am	Special Intention (Larocque Family)
Fri. Nov 6	9:30am	✠ Ray Kardas (Stan & Krysia Fit)
Sat. Nov 7	8:00am	✠ Bobby Wilson (Karen & Michael)
	(Traditional Latin Mass)	
	4-4:45pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Confessions
	5:00pm	✠ Sophie Rybiak (Maria Boston)
Sun. Nov 8	8:00am	23rd Sunday after Pentecost
	(Traditional Latin Mass)	✠ Christy & Ann Kennedy (Gerry & Delores Kennedy)
	9:30am	Missa Pro Populo
	11:00am	✠ Hilda Kucharski (Debbie Bauer & Family)

Confessions from 9-9:20am before all weekday Masses.

A mass and celebration of life will be held at St. Ann's Church in Fenwick, however due to COVID19 restrictions only immediate family will be in attendance.

Solemnity of All Saints

I remember as a child the meticulousness my father would bring to a task. Whether it be tending to a chore in the yard, repairing something, or painting a room, the tiniest of every detail demanded his attention. He had great patience. I benefited greatly by his example and remember these lessons well. We all need examples to follow. It is important to identify folks who excel at simple things and show us how to do things well. There are those among us and those who have gone before us who serve as these models and witnesses. They are ordinary people who in their "extraordinary ordinariness" capture our attention and allow us to see things more clearly.



These are the prophets, martyrs, teachers, witnesses, heralds, and innovators who bring a single-minded devotion to God to even the simplest of tasks they perform. They have an openness to being used and become vessels of Divine justice, mercy, and presence. They call us to the "more" of life and point us to the Gospel in all of its simplicity and splendor. They remind us of the little ones of the Kingdom and the values

we all need to cultivate and possess. They are the poor in spirit, the meek, the merciful, and the peacemaker who often are rejected not only by those who have far different agendas but by those you think would welcome them.

All of the saints in heaven and on earth form this cloud of witnesses who journey with us as we make our way through life. They offer us inspiration, wisdom, intercession, and support. They direct us toward true happiness and remind us that we are all called to be saints. All it takes is desire, love, and fidelity. There is much we can learn from the official saints of the church. Their guidance is ever before us and ever with us. But there is also a lot to learn from the unofficial saints of the church. They sit beside us every Sunday, are our neighbors and ordinary people we meet every day. Because of the devotedness of their faith, they remind us to keep going, remain focused, and cultivate purpose and meaning, and give voice to those who have none. The inspiration is all around us.

Pay attention to the details. Do what you do with great love. Know that you are not alone. Believe that you can persevere. Have great faith.

Pope Francis Prayer Intention month of November: We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind.

All Souls' Day- Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed November 2nd, 2020: Everyone is invited to write the names of deceased loved ones on an envelope. Place the envelopes in the offertory over the next few weeks or bring to the parish office. The names will be written in a **Book of Remembrance** which will be on display as a reminder to pray for those who have passed before us and left an impact on our lives. **Please print the names clearly. If making a donation, include your name and offertory number.**

Masses on the Feast All Souls will be celebrated at 9:30am and 6pm.

Bishop Bergie will send a congratulatory certificate to married couples who have celebrated or will celebrate a 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60th + anniversary in 2020. To receive a certificate, please contact the parish office to complete a registration form by November 13th.

Bieda funeral—need URL from his son and announce.

Nov 14/15— Confirmation names.

Everyday Saints

Growing up I thought saints were larger than life people with extraordinary stories. The thought that I could one day be revered as a saint by anyone seemed crazy. I wrote my essays on different saints every year in Catholic school right around All Saints Day. These were stories about people I had never met, and I assumed I would never meet anyone like them going forward.

Now that I am older, I realize that I was wrong back then and my immaturity of both mind and heart did not allow me to see that there are saints among us all the time. I have met many people in my life that I would call living saints. They are holy people who give of themselves to God and others in profound ways. Their relationship with Jesus is evident and they live their lives in ways that people witness the transformative power of love.

As a child I was wrong about saints, but even more importantly, I didn't fully realize that all of us are called to be saints! Me, a saint? Holiness is not something simply studied in books. It is the way of life we are all called to live. The call comes from Jesus Christ and each of us must respond. If we are still thinking like children, we may choose to stay silent and live accordingly. If we are more mature in our faith then we might not only respond, we might one day have a school child write a report about us.

Confirmation 2020: Next weekend on Saturday, November 7th at 11am, our students will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation administered by His Excellency Most Reverend Gerard Bergie, Bishop of St. Catharines. Please remember them and their families in your prayers. Holy Spirit, strengthen our Confirmation candidates with your gifts of Wisdom, Fortitude, Understanding, Counsel, Knowledge, Piety, Fear of the Lord, and serve as a disciple of Christ. Grant that they may grow into the fullness of the stature of Christ. Fill them with the joy of your presence. Increase in them the fruit of your Spirit. Help them to experience and trust your dwelling within, so that they can count on your guidance today and every day. Show us the way to help one another to become better disciples of Jesus Christ, sharing your love with our world and with each person we meet. Come, Holy Spirit! Come.

The funeral Mass for Henry Beida, who passed away on March 15th, will be celebrated in our parish on Monday, November 2nd at 11am. **However, due to Covid restrictions, only immediate family will be in attendance.** For those who wish to join in mourning Henry's passing, you can attend virtually on ZOOM. Please feel free to share this ZOOM registration link with anyone who would want to take part in the ceremony. Here is the link to register for the funeral: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_j9BGaw3sQRaK4rgiyymmXaw

Offertory October 24th & 25th, 2020

Envelopes	\$1, 784.00
Loose Collection	\$
Total Offertory	\$1, 784.00
All Souls	\$ 60.00

Respecting the Covid protocols during this time, you are asked to place your donation in the baskets at the church entrance. Envelopes are in your offertory boxes. Cheques for weekly donations and special collections are to be made payable to "St. Ann Parish".

Interac E-transfer is now available to make donations. Please use the following email: stannfendations@cogeco.net (No password required)

Parish Calendar

October.....	
Oct 29th-Oct 31st...	Forty hours devotion 6pm-10am
November.....	
Nov. 1st	Solemnity of All Saints
Nov 1st....	Development and Peace Collection
Nov 2nd.....	Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed. Masses 9:30am & 6:00pm
Nov 6th.....	First Friday Holy Communion to the sick and homebound. Phone the office to arrange a visit.
Nov 7th.....	Confirmation 11am
Nov 15th.....	Deo Gratias collection
Nov 15th.....	World Day of the Poor

Development and Peace Collection Oct 31 & Nov. 1st., 2020



This weekend, there will a special collection for Development and Peace – Caritas Canada. This is a special collection to support our sisters and brothers in the Global South who have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. Like many charitable organizations, Development & Peace is struggling with a loss of funds to support their partners throughout the Global South. Closed churches, followed by smaller groups of parishioners, has resulted in a significant loss of funds and many adjustments to their own staffing to ensure continued support to their 138 overseas partner groups. The people these programs support live in very precarious circumstances. They do not enjoy the same type of social safety net that we enjoy in Canada. Please consider making a contribution to the 'Recovering Together' Campaign in support of the work of Development and Peace. " How will we recover if not together? **Recovering together** is essential if we are going to defeat this virus in our interconnected world." **If you would like to donate, please use a separate envelope with your name and address. Donations made by cheque or cash can also be put in your regular offertory envelope separate from your weekly donation. Thank you!**

Sunday, October 25th, would have been the traditional date of Notre Dame's annual Pilgrimage for the Developing World.

Like so many aspects of our lives in 2020, the coronavirus has forced changes to this school tradition. Instead of being a specific 1 day community event, it has returned to the roots of a traditional sacred pilgrimage that takes place over a period of time. Students are individually tracking their 20 km commitment from October 13th - November 15th. The spiritual journey will end with a streamed Mass celebrated by Pilgrimage founder, Fr. Jim Mulligan on Sunday November 15th. Notre Dame students are collecting funds for 3 partner organizations: the Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace, Yancana Huasy in Lima Peru, and the Dominican Canadian Community Development Group. These organizations are in need of our support more than ever as a result of the global pandemic. Each year many parishioners generously sponsor students. If you would still like to sponsor a specific student in the parish, or the Pilgrimage in general, please use the 'Donate' tab on the school website - www.notredamecollege.ca then click 'Items' then 'NDCS Pilgrimage', or go directly to <https://ncdsb.schoolcashonline.com/Fee/Details/47799/73/False/True>. A secure process for donations and tax receipts is set up through School Cash Online. Alternatively, cash or cheque donations will be accepted through the parish and directed to the school - please place your donation (and information for a tax receipt) in an envelope clearly marked for the Pilgrimage. Cheques can be directed to 'Notre Dame Pilgrimage'. Thank you for your support!

The Diocesan Separated & Divorced Healing Ministry Support Group

7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre

