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Sunday, November 6th, 2022

32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“That the dead will rise even Moses made known in the passage about the bush, when he called out ‘Lord,’ the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob; and he is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive.” - Lk 20:37-38



Sat. Nov 5	8:00am 9:00am 4-4:45pm	Holy Hour & Confessions Mass Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions
	5:00pm	Antonio Addario (Vince Addario)
Sun. Nov 6	9:30am 11:00am	Missa Pro Populo Anthony & Muriel Guest & Wayne Rebeiro (Rebeiro Family)
Mon. Nov 7	9:30am	No Mass
Tues. Nov 8	9:30am	Ray & Mary Whalen (Colin & Teresa Walters)
	7-8pm	HOLY HOUR & Confessions
Wed. Nov 9	9:30am	Helen Albanese (Vince Addario) Special Intention for William Brahe (John & Veronica Douglas)
Thurs. Nov 10	9:30am	Deceased Members of the Guest Family (Rebeiro Family)
Fri. Nov 11	9:30am	Vince Addario (Lena Addario) Health & Blessings for Dale Myszczyzyn (Gloria Egert) Special Intention for protection of Marriage & children & blessings In 2023 (Clarice & Neil)
Sat. Nov 12	11:00am 4-4:45pm	Confirmation Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions
	5:00pm	Nicola Colangelo (Rosa Colangelo & Family)
Sun. Nov 13	9:30am 1:00am	Missa Pro Populo Special Intention of the Kolitsos Family (Nohara Family)

Confessions from 9-9:25am before all weekday Masses.

Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is heaven a goal you want to achieve? Our popular images and metaphors to describe heaven can leave some people wondering if this is something they want for all eternity. Living like an angel, wearing white robes, meeting St. Peter, and reconnecting with loved ones are all welcome notions to some extent. But do they really inspire and captivate us enough to want to dramatically change how we live our lives? Heaven's reality is more profound than any human image or idea can fathom. Even though we believe in a bodily resurrection, heaven is more about attaining union with God. To achieve heaven is to attain eternal happiness and fulfill all desire. How do we awaken within us an ardent and passionate desire for heaven?

St. Isaac of Ninevah counsels, "Enter eagerly into the treasure house that lies within you, and so you will see the treasure house of heaven, for the two are one and the same, and there is but one single entry into them both. The ladder that leads to the kingdom is hidden with you, and is found in your own soul. Dive into yourself and in your soul you will discover the rungs by which to ascend." Our souls are made to be eternal. Once we discover our true selves and are captivated by the wonder of who we really are, we will unleash our unwavering desire for a lasting union with our Creator. Heaven is about who we are. "For seeing you, our God, as you are, we shall be like you for all the ages."

Pope's Prayer Intention Month of November: For Children who suffer— We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

Diocesan SEPARATED AND DIVORCED HEALING MINISTRY support group meetings the second and fourth Monday of the month, 7-9pm at Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre, 7020 Stanley Avenue, Niagara Falls. Meetings also held virtually. To register for virtual attendance, or for information, please call 905-356-4113 or 905-684-0154, or email separatedanddivorced@saintcd.com.
November 14, 2022 Fr. John Vickers, CSC, Presenter
November 28, 2022 Annulment Process, Margaret Jong, JCL, Tribunal Director, Presenter

Children's Liturgy: Next session Nov 13th during the 9:30am Mass.

Anniversary Certificates: Bishop Bergie will send a congratulatory certificate to married couples who have celebrated or will celebrate a 25th, 40th, 50th or 60th anniversary in the year 2022. To receive a certificate, please complete a registration form available at the parish office by November 16th.

Remember in your prayers the soul of **Jose Sanchez Medina**, a local migrant worker who passed away on Oct 26th following an illness. A Mass for Jose was celebrated in our parish on Oct 31st. May his souls and the souls of the all the faithful departed, rest in peace.

Confirmation November 12th: Next weekend on Saturday, November 12th 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.

Offertory October 23, 2022- \$2,229.00
Offertory October 30th, 2022- \$3,390.00
Feast of All Souls Total - \$255.00
Maintenance month of October- \$735.00

Sunday, November 13th, 2022



33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"It will lead to your giving testimony. Remember, you are not to prepare your defense beforehand, for I myself shall give you a wisdom in speaking that all your adversaries will be powerless to resist or refute." - Lk 21:13-15

Mon. Nov 14	9:30am	No Mass
Tues. Nov 15	9:30am	Isaiah (Magazzeni Family)
	7-8pm	HOLY HOUR & Confessions
Wed. Nov 16	9:30am	Renato & Angela Ferrara (Ferrara Family) Health & Blessings for Tyson Egert (Gloria Egert)
Thurs. Nov 17	9:30am	Angelina Addario (Vince Addario)
Fri. Nov 18	9:30am	Joseph Racz (Racz Family) Special Intention for protection of Marriage & children & blessings In 2023 (Clarice & Neil)
Sat. Nov 19	4-4:45pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions
	5:00pm	Irene Letourneau (Bill & Mary Podolyak)
Sun. Nov 20	9:30am	Amer, Divya & Praanjali (Divya G.)
	11:00am	Missa Pro Populo

Confessions from 9-9:25am before all weekday Masses. YOUTH MINISTRY HAS RESUMED ON MONDAY EVENINGS FROM 6:30-8:30PM IN THE PARISH HALL. Registration forms are at the back of the church.

The World Day of the Poor is observed on the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, which this year falls on November 13, 2022. The Message of His Holiness Pope Francis for the third World Day of the Poor, entitled "For your sakes Christ became poor (cf. 2 Cor 8:9)" With these words, the Apostle Paul addresses the first Christians of Corinth in order to encourage their efforts to show solidarity with their brothers and sisters in need. The World Day of the Poor comes this year as a healthy challenge, helping us to reflect on our style of life and on the many forms of poverty all around us.

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED: If your child is Catholic, in Grade 3 or above this year, has made their First Communion and is interested in becoming an altar server, please fill out the form (available at the back of the church) and give to Fr. Jacek or bring to the church office.

Living with Christ Sunday Missals: We have some available for purchase- \$3 each. Leave money in the basket near the missals. Thank you.

Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Many make it their life's ambition to determine precisely when the world will end. By reading the signs of the times, consulting scripture, or looking to prophetic predictions that are sometimes centuries old, they claim a certain credibility in being able to do so. Is all that necessary to know? Even when his disciples pointedly ask him this question, Jesus does not directly answer. While the end will inevitably come, Jesus points out that there is a lot we need to do first: remain faithful, face persecution, endure suffering, face wars and insurrections, and give testimony. Human beings tend to focus their energies on the wrong kingdom. Consumed with all of the things we have built and seeking to preserve them, we forget that we belong to a different kingdom, the Kingdom of God.

All of the "stuff" we have constructed will be taken away. All that will remain is God's kingdom. Which kingdom do we prefer? We answer that question by honestly looking at where we invest most of our time and energy. What matters to us as we embrace a new moment or day in our lives? If our relationship with God, the strength and integrity of our souls, and the steadfastness of our character are of utmost importance, then it matters little when the physical end will come. We will have what we need to persevere, endure, and confront whatever comes our way. Jesus cautions that we do not allow ourselves to be overwhelmed or overly terrified by the agonies and disappointments of the world. Although we may be apprehensive and uncertain when faced with complex challenges, God is with us. We will receive the inspiration we need to forge ahead.

Remembrance Day: Every year, at the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month, Canadians pause in silence to remember those who died in war and to pray for the victims of aggression and inhumanity throughout the world. This is a day to pray for peace, to consider what we are doing as individuals, as a community and as a nation to bring God's peace into the world. This is a day when a believing community should rededicate itself by prayer and action to the ideals Jesus gives us in the Beatitudes.

Catholic Women's League

CWL membership drive begins in November. If you use offertory envelopes, the annual membership envelope is dated Nov. 6th. **PLEASE NOTE: THE ANNUAL FEE HAS INCREASED TO \$40.** The envelopes, which were prepared last year have the previous fee of \$25.

Warmvember: The CWL will collect warm clothing items (hats, gloves, scarves, coats, jackets etc.) for charity during the month of November. Items can be placed in the baskets at the church entrance or bring to the office. **PLEASE—NEW ITEMS ONLY.**

Bake Sale Fundraiser: The CWL will host a bake sale fundraiser during the weekend of Nov. 19/20. We are asking for donations of baked goods, **ready for sale.** Items can be dropped off at the parish on Nov. 19th from 3-5pm.

Special Collection: Deo Gratias, November 13, 2022
Please support the *Deo Gratias* Collection of November 12/13, 2022. All revenue will go to our Clergy Aid Society. We are grateful to God, and to our retired clergy in the Diocese of St. Catharines who, from the time of their ordination, have cared for us and our spiritual needs. In thanksgiving to God for them and their years of faithful service, your generous support of the *Deo Gratias* collection will enable us to care for those who have dedicated their lives to caring for us. The revenue from this collection does not go into an endowment fund but goes directly to the Clergy Aid Society which provides an income for our retired clergy.

