

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 10th, 2026 ~ Liturgical Year A

Mass Intentions

✠ May 11th, 2026, to May 17th, 2026

As we gather, let us remember and pray for . . .

Monday.....NO MASS..... May 11th

Tuesday..... May 12th

8:00 am ♥ **For the Special Intention of Bishop Bergie**
(by Isabel & Joseph Schackmann)
✠ Agostino Nardelli (by Family)

Wednesday..... May 13th

8:00 am ✠ Lena Addario (by Vince Addario)
✠ For all the Souls in Purgatory (by Mary Cody)

7:00pm [CONTEMPLATIVE ROSARY](#)
[The Glorious Mystery](#)

Thursday.....**St. Matthias, Apostle**.....May 14th

8:00 am ✠ Frank & Emma Mauro (by Family)
✠ Connie McCluskey (by Anne Marie Smyth)

Friday.....May 15th

8:00 am ✠ Jackie O'Brien (by John & Rita O'Brien)
✠ Giuseppina & Pietro Pizzacalla (by Children)

Saturday..... May 16th

8:00am ✠ Assunta Mauro (by Maria Mauro)
✠ Kevin McNamara (by Braun Family)

5:00pm ♥ **For the Special Intention of Fr. Janusz Roginski**
(by The Apostolat Margartka)

♥ **For the 100 Anniversary of The Catholic Women's League**
♥ **For the Special Intention of Angelo & Angiolina Gabriele**
(by Theresa Ruscio)

✠ Guerino "Scotty" Girotti (by Family)
✠ Luisa & Michele DelGobbo (by Rosa Bussi)
✠ Connie McCluskey (by Karen & Carlo Venditti)
✠ Mafalda Risi (by Anna Gazzellone)

Sunday.....**The Ascension of the Lord**.....May 17th

8:00 am ♥ ✠ The People of Holy Rosary Parish

9:30 am ♥ **For the 100 Anniversary of The Catholic Women's League**
✠ Deceased members of Gabriele & Meffe Families
(by Giovanni & Antonietta Meffe)

11:00 am ♥ **For the 100 Anniversary of The Catholic Women's League**
✠ Angelina Addario (by Vince Addario)

SANCTUARY LAMP:

This week's Sanctuary Lamp is donated in memory of **Giovanni & Vincenza Gabriele**. The Sanctuary lamp is lit to remind us of Christ's presence in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar.

Pope s' Prayer Intention for the Month of May THAT EVERYONE MIGHT HAVE FOOD:

Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.

Congratulations for ordination anniversaries of:



Bishop Gerard Bergie
Fr. Janusz Roginski
Fr. Donald Lizzotti

VI DOMENICA DI PASQUA / A

S. Gordiano, S. Cataldo - 10 maggio 2026

*L'amore per Cristo si mostra nell'osservanza dei suoi comandamenti. In cambio, lui ci assicura che non siamo soli, perché lo Spirito Santo ci è dato come Difensore nelle prove della vita. **Oggi è la Festa della mamma. Auguri!***

Of Mothers, Pelicans, and the Eucharist

My Dear Family in Christ,

Today, in addition to celebrating the 6th Sunday of Easter, we celebrate many of our grade two students making their first Holy Communion, and it just so happens that all of this coincides with the celebration of Mother's Day.

As a Christian, I have learned not to ignore such coincidences. At the heart of motherhood is the same sentiment that lies at the heart of the Eucharist: "*This is my Body, given up for you. This is my blood, poured out for you.*" Our mothers can say these words of us as none but Christ Himself can. Every Mass, we obey the command of Jesus to *do this in memory of Him*- we remember His great love and sacrifice for us. Every Mother's Day, and of course hopefully more often, we remember and honour the sacrificial love our mothers have made and continue to make for us.

For medieval Christians, the Pelican was a symbol of the manner in which Christ nourishes us with His own Flesh and Blood in the Eucharist. It was believed the mother pelican would, in the absence of other sources of food, pierce her own breast in order to feed her young, sacrificing her own flesh so that they would have life.

'How blessed are we to have a Saviour who loves us so deeply that He feeds us out of His own Flesh! He gave Himself up to the death on the Cross for us, that we might be given life through His sacrifice. He hovers over us like a mother with His Mercy, offering His sinful children His own Body and Blood as our soul's sustenance. In every Communion, He heals the wounds of our fallen nature by nourishing us with the manna of His divine nature.' -Adelaine Nohara, local artist and catechist

Happy Easter, Happy Mother's Day, and Happy (First) Communion!


God love you,
Father Daniel

EMMAUS YOUTH ADULT MINISTRY

(Tuesdays, 7-9pm, St. Denis Church)

This Tuesday, May 12th, 2026, the young adults of the diocese invite you to **join us for prayer, formation, and fellowship at St. Denis Church, 230 Lake Street, St. Catharines**. For more information, contact Fr. Daniel at corso.danielanthony@gmail.com or follow us on Instagram@emmaus.ya

Knights of Columbus Dinner on 2nd Thursday of Each Month
Thursday, May 14, 4 pm to 7 pm, Holy Rosary Hall. Enjoy a hearty meal including a fresh bun stuffed with slices of beef and gravy, coleslaw and roasted potatoes for only \$14. The format is takeout only. Cash payments only.



**Our Lady of the Holy Rosary
Catholic Women's League**

May Meeting!

Tuesday May 12, 2026, 7 pm; Holy Rosary Hall

All ladies welcome!

Available... blue gemstone bracelets (beads with cross) ... a great gift... for you or for someone you know... \$25.00...

Contact Mary Jane Rose/ Stephanie Ralph or email
cwlholyroary100@yahoo.ca

WELCOME SUNDAY: Following all Masses, parishioners are invited to enjoy some refreshments and a time of fellowship on Sunday, May 17th, 2026 in the Parish Hall. **Our Welcome Sundays is on the third Sunday of each month.**

THE MONTH OF MAY

The month of May is traditionally dedicated to Our Blessed Mother Mary. Let us seek Her intercession for our parish, our families and our diocese by promoting a sincere devotion to her as Mother of God and model of Christians.

Holy Virgin Mary, Mother of the Living God, pray for us!

LEGACY ROSARY:

Parishioners are invited to look at the presentation at the back of the church, which shows the Rosary Beads that will encircle the Basement Hall. The Rosary beads (Plaques) can be dedicated in memory of a loved ones. Look at the chart and pick your bead for your loved ones. Make your loved ones legacy memorable!
A tax receipt will be issued for the amount donated.

CONTEMPLATIVE ROSARY – The Glorious Mystery

With Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Music Ministry and the Niagara Men’s Schola, on Wednesday, May 13th, 2026 at 7:00 pm at the Church. **EVERYONE IS INVITED!**

LATIN MASS

Our Parish, Our Lady of the Holy Rosary, will celebrate **the Feast of The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church, with Latin Mass** on Monday, May 25th, 2026 at 7:00 pm. *All are Welcome!*

Hearts On Fire Annual Appeal

The Hearts on Fire annual appeal supports the development of new ministries across the Diocese of St. Catharines. All donations are tax deductible

📖 **EVANGELIZATION & FAITH FORMATION MINISTRY**
 Developing programs that empower parishioners to share their personal journeys of faith with others.

📖 **YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY**

Reaching more young people through events, programs, and outreach that help build lifelong faith.

Envelopes are in the back of the Church. Please, be generous. Thank you!

Weekly Offering	26-Apr-26	Weekly Offering	03-May-26
Offertory: Regular & Initial	3,114.20	Offertory: Regular & Initial	3,341.50
Online Offertory	1,210.25	Online Offertory	1,085.40
Church Basement	688.20	E-Transfer Offertory	270.00
Church Maintenance	403.00	Church Basement	1,875.70
Easter	100.00	Church Maintenance	125.00
St. Anthony of Padua	113.00	Bishop Appeal	5.00
Total	\$ 5,628.65	St. Anthony of Padua	325.00
		Total	\$ 7,027.60

Thank you for your generosity!

Basement Renovation	Collection	Expense	Balance
Donation Collected as of April 19th, 2026	\$148,882.40	-	\$148,882.40
New Donations: April 26th, 2026	-	-	148,882.40
2nd Collect April 26th, 2026	688.20	-	149,570.60
Rosary Legacy	18,500.00		168,070.60
Incurred Expenses as of April 26th, 2026		333,281.49	-165,210.89

Basement Renovation	Collection	Expense	Balance
Donation Collected as of April 26th, 2026	\$168,070.60	-	\$168,070.60
New Donations: May 3rd, 2026	-	-	168,070.60
2nd Collect May 3rd, 2026	660.70	-	168,731.30
Rosary Legacy	17,400.00		186,131.30
First Communion - May 3rd, 2026	1,080.00		187,211.30
Plant	135.00		187,346.30
Incurred Expenses as of April 26th, 2026	-	333,281.49	-145,935.19

Confirmation

Confirmation Rehearsal:	Thursday, May 21 st , 2026 at 7:00pm
Celebration of Confirmation:	Friday, May 22 nd , 2026 at 7:00pm

ALL ADVERTISING NOT VERIFIED BY THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE TAKEN DOWN OF THE PARISH BULLETIN BOARD.

Memorare Prayer

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary,
 that never was it known
 that any one who fled to thy protection,
 implored thy help
 or sought thy intercession,
 was left unaided.
 Inspired by this confidence,
 We fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins my Mother;
 to thee do we come, before thee we stand, sinful and
 sorrowful;
 O Mother of the Word Incarnate,
 despise not our petitions,
 but in thy mercy hear and answer them. Amen.

Happy Mother's Day to all mothers, expecting mothers and to all the women who play a mother figure role in our lives!
 May God’s unending favor, kindness, mercy, peace and love strengthen them on this day and always.

Special collection: Pope’s Pastoral Works – May 17th, 2026

The Parish office will be closed on Monday, May 18th, 2026 for Victoria Day.