

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 28th, 2026 ~ Liturgical Year A

Mass Intentions

✠ June 29th, 2026, to July 5th, 2026

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

Monday.....NO MASS..... June 29th
Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

Tuesday.....June 30th
 8:00 am ✠ Jonny Biancaniello (by Vince Addario)
 ✠ Holy Souls in Purgatory (by Isabel & Joseph Schackmann)

Wednesday.....July 1st
 8:00 am ♥ **For the Special Intention of** Augustin Robazza
 (by Isabel & Joseph Schackmann)
 ✠ Carol Roach (by Angela Braun)

Thursday.....July 2nd
 8:00 am ♥ **For the Special Intention of** Frido (by Family)
 ✠ Antonio Ciamarra (by Family)

Friday.....St. Thomas, Apostle.....July 3rd
 8:00 am ♥ **For the Special Intention of** Fr. Michael Andrusik
 (by Isabel & Joseph Schackmann)
 ✠ Mary “Betty” Fenton (by Ken Fenton)

Saturday.....June 4th
 8:00 am ✠ Maria Carmela DiFruscia (by Family)
 ✠ Dorina LaFratta (by Husband & family)
 5:00 pm ✠ Jimmy & Rita Ricciuto
 (by Angelo & Angiolina Gabriele)
 ✠ Mary JoLoiselle (Pat Loiselle)
 ✠ John Gabriele (by Tony Ricciuto)
 ✠ Grace Gilles by Mary Cody
 ✠ Ruth & Don Taliano (by Elizabeth & Family)
 ✠ Tony Celima (by Angelo & Angiolina Gabriele)
 ✠ Maria Dicostanzo (by Carmen)

Sunday.... Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time....July 5th
 8:00 am ♥ ✠ The People of Holy Rosary Parish
 9:30 am ✠ Emma Nasato (by Irene Yurkewich)
 ✠ Olinda Mastroianni (by Angelo & Angiolina Gabriele)
 11:00 am ✠ Guido & Luisa Minicucci (by Chris & Julia)
 ✠ Giovanni & Onelia Raimondo (by Family)

SANCTUARY LAMP:

This week’s Sanctuary Lamp is donated in memory of **Domenico and Maria Riccuito**. 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 July 2026 FOR RESPECT FOR HUMAN LIFE

Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.

LIVING FAITH BOOKLETS:

The Living Faith Booklets are sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Take one and remember the Knights work in your prayers.



P.A.R. (Pre-Authorized Remittance.) is:

1. **Envelope FREE**
2. **No offertory envelope number change.**

It’s a very easy and convenient approach for church offering and it is done one a monthly basis. If this sounds your way of giving, please come to the Parish office or call 905-227-3178 during our working hours for more explanative information. Thank you!

REQUEST YOUR BEAD, I’TS YOUR LEGACY

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.

LAST DRAW

FIFTY/FIFTY TICKETS

Remember to claim your **Fifty/ fifty tickets** today, remember, you are also a winner/Gagnant. Just let the draw confirms it and you, remain confident.

➤ We extend sincere condolences and prayers to the families and friends who mourn the recent loss of **Carolina Conte and Lee Alan Woodley**. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen!

Weekly Offering

21-Jun-26

Offertory: Regular & Initial	2,973.90
Online Offertory	1,266.15
E-Transfer Offertory	50.00
Church Basement	720.55
Diocesan Needs	125.00
Feast of Assumption	10.00
St. Antony of Padua	70.00
Church Maintenance	225.00
Total	\$ 5,440.60

Thank you for your generosity!

Basement Renovation	Collection	Expense	Balance
Donation Collected as of June 14th, 2026	\$181,829.90	-	\$181,829.90
New Donations: June 21st, 2026	-	-	181,829.90
2nd Collect June 21st, 2026	720.55	-	182,550.45
Rosary Legacy	-	-	182,550.45
Incurred Expenses as of April 26th, 2026	-	333,281.49	-150,731.04

HAPPY CANADA DAY! BE STRONG AND FREE AS WE STAND ON GUARD FOR THEE.

The Courage to Love Jesus

“... and whoever does not take up his cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will save it.”

Matthew 10:38-39

My dear Family in Christ,

I'd like to share two of my favorite commentaries on this Sunday's Gospel. I hope you enjoy them as much as I do!

G.K. Chesterton, [Orthodoxy](#)

'Courage is almost a contradiction in terms. It means a strong desire to live taking the form of a readiness to die. 'He that will lose his life, the same shall save it,' is not a piece of mysticism for saints and heroes. It is a piece of everyday advice for sailors or mountaineers. It might be printed in an Alpine guide or a drill book. This paradox is the whole principle of courage; even of quite earthly or brutal courage. A man cut off by the sea may save his life if he will risk it on the precipice.

He can only get away from death by continually stepping within an inch of it. A soldier surrounded by enemies, if he is to cut his way out, needs to combine a strong desire for living with a strange carelessness about dying. He must not merely cling to life, for then he will be a coward, and will not escape. He must not merely wait for death, for then he will be a suicide, and will not escape. He must seek his life in a spirit of furious indifference to it; he must desire life like water and yet drink death like wine. No philosopher, I fancy, has ever expressed this romantic riddle with adequate lucidity, and I certainly have not done so. But Christianity has done more: it has marked the limits of it in the awful graves of the suicide and the hero, showing the distance between him who dies for the sake of living and him who dies for the sake of dying.'

C.S. Lewis, [Mere Christianity](#)

'Your real, new self (which is Christ's and also yours, and yours just because it is His) will not come as long as you are looking for it. It will come when you are looking for Him. Does that sound strange? ... The principle runs through all life from top to bottom. Give up yourself, and you will find your real self. Lose your life and you will save it. Submit to death, death of your ambitions and favourite wishes every day and death of your whole body in the end submit with every fibre of your being, and you will find eternal life. Keep back nothing. Nothing that you have not given away will be really yours. Nothing in you that has not died will ever be raised from the dead. Look for yourself, and you will find in the long run only hatred, loneliness, despair, rage, ruin, and decay. But look for Christ and you will find Him, and with Him everything else thrown in.'

God love you,

Father Corso

XIII DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO / A

S. Ireneo, S. Vincenza Gerosa, S. Paolo I - 28 giugno 2026
Seguire Cristo richiede di avere delle priorità, che si manifestano nel saper portare ogni giorno la croce del sacrificio e delle rinunce. Ogni piccolo gesto d'amore verso Dio e verso il prossimo sarà ricompensato.
Oggi ricorre la Giornata per la carità del Papa.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DINNER

Thursday, July 9th from 4 - 7 pm, at Club Belvedere, 57 John St., Thorold. Join us for a delicious homestyle dinner featuring: Fresh bun with tender sliced roast beef in rich gravy, Creamy coleslaw, Roasted potatoes. -\$14 per dinner -Cash payment only.

● Dine-in/Take-out; _Cash Bar Available.

We look forward to seeing you at Club Belvedere!

LET'S KEEP THE VENEZUELAN IN OUR PRAYERS:

Please pray for the people in Venezuela to feel God's presence in their midst while facing this hard challenge. Let us also pray for all those who are truly and selflessly devoted to their rescue so that God keeps them safe. May the souls of all the deceased, through the mercy of God rest in peace and may the Perpetual Light shines upon them. Amen! Our Lady of The Holy Rosary, Patron Saint of Venezuela, pray for us.

NOTICE: This week bulletin is be the only one which is published for the month July 2026. The monthly bulletin for August will be published on August 2nd, 2026. Please submit notices to the parish office for the month of August 2026 by July 30th, 2026. Weekly Mass Intentions will be posted on the bulletin boards and handouts will be also available at the entrances of the Church.

Please visit: www.ourladyoftheholyroary.org for update.

THE VINE

Visit the journal of the Diocese of St. Catharines

Here is a link to the June issue of the Vineyard

<https://www.saintcd.com/diocesan-directory/the-vineyard>

UPCOMING EVENT:

Triduum agenda for the Feast of Our Lady of The Assumption. Stay tuned!

CHOOSE LIFE



REMINDER: The parish office will be closed on Wednesday, July 1st, 2026 for Canada Day. Regular office hours will resume on Thursday, July 2nd, 2026.

