

Fifth Sunday of Easter

April 28th, 2024 ~ Liturgical Year B

Mass Intentions

✠ April 29th to May 5th, 2024

MondayNO MASS.....

St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin, Doctor ...April 29th

Tuesday..St. Marie de L'Incarnation, Religious..April 30th

8:00 am ✠ Elizabeth Wilson-Zorzetto (by Friend)

✠ Boni Visser (by Angelo & Angiolina Gabriele)

Wednesday.....May 1st

8:00 am ✠ Shauna Leigh McCreedy

{by Jo-Ann (Feor) & Jim McCreedy}

♥ **For the Special Intention of Elessia Olivia**

(by Patricia)

Thursday.....**St. Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor**.....May 2nd

8:00 am ✠ Eliodoro Pineda (by Romeo & Teresa Feliciano)

✠ Neillie Pineda-Lagazon

(by Romeo & Teresa Feliciano)

Friday.....**St. Philip and St. James, Apostles**.....May 3rd

8:00 am ♥ **For the Special Intention of Patricia & Matthew**

(by Olivia)

✠ Virgilio Escat & Matteo Maneini

(by The Catechist Sisters)

6:30pm ♥♥♥**Mass In Honour Of The Sacred Heart**♥♥♥

Saturday.....May 4th

8:00 am ♥ **For the Special Intention of**

Leslie Martin & children (by Patricia)

✠ Consiglia LaFratta (by Mike LaFratta & family)

5:00 pm ✠ Constantino Afonso (by Maria Afonso & family)

✠ John Gabriele (by Granma Maria)

✠ David Sabourin Sr. (by Patricia)

✠ Jimmy Ricciuto (by Richard & Diane Stanlik)

✠ Geraldine Kogler (by Ludgi & Ginette)

✠ Elizabeth Longo (by The Gregoire family)

✠ Tony Laslo (by Anne Marie Timlock)

Sunday**Sixth Sunday of Easter**.....May 5th

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

9:30 am ♥ **For the Special Intention of the Catechist Sisters**

✠ Giuseppe De Divitiis

(by granddaughter Caterina Mastropiero)

✠ Maria Mariani

(by Pia & Michele D'Abate & family)

11:00 am ✠ Betty Sprout (by Patricia)

✠ Joe Alward (by Mary Cody)

5^a Domenica di Pasqua (Divina Misericordia) (B)

28 Aprile 2024

Il Signore ci ha inseriti in Cristo come tralci nella vite. Preghiamo oggi perché possiamo vivere, meglio che possiamo, la vita della grazia, e portare così molto frutto come il tralcio che vive unito alla vite.

When Jesus was coming back to his Father after the resurrection, he assured the apostles and the Church: "Surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age. (Mt 28:20)" Today in the Gospel Jesus says: "I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing."

Jesus is truly with us wherever the holy Mass is celebrated. He becomes our food, everyday bread that gives life. It is there – in the Eucharist - that we are united intimately with Christ. It is there – in the Eucharist - that we have the opportunity to remain in Christ like the branches in the vine.

Just like to live biologically we need food and drink so also to live spiritually we need this special food, which is Eucharist.

Dear Brother, dear Sister, do you really understand that only through this intimate union with Christ which is accomplished in the Eucharist and absorbed in prayer your life truly will attain its fullness, and only this way it will bear much fruit, which will last eternally?

Fr. Janusz Roginski, S.A.C.



Mark your calendar for the **second Thursday of each month**. The format is takeout only **from 4 to 7pm**. **Beef on a bun**, roasted potatoes and coleslaw for only \$12. Hope to see you there on May 9th.

SANCTUARY LAMP: This weekly Sanctuary Lamp is donated in memory of **Giuseppe & Pasquala Conte**. The Sanctuary lamp is lit to remind us of Christ's presence in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for the Month of May

For the role of women.

We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

SPECIAL COLLECTION:

Pope's Pastoral Works – May 5th, 2024



St. Joseph Parish in Grimsby is hosting a **Designer Purse Bingo** fundraiser on Friday, May 3, 2024 at **Blessed Trinity Catholic Secondary School 145 Livingston Avenue, Grimsby. \$50/Person**. For tickets call the Parish Office at 905-945-2661. A poster with details is attached to this Update.



May 1st is the Feast of Saint Joseph Saint Joseph, gentle soul and virtuous man, pray for us and bless our Parish. Amen!





**The CWL of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary
CWL Spring Membership Drive**

All ladies ages 16 and up are invited to join the Catholic Women's League of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Parish.

Membership is \$35.00 for 2024. We meet on the Second Tuesday of the month. Our next meeting will take place at the **Miller Road Shrine in Port Colborne on Tuesday, May 14, at 7:00p.m.**

All are Welcome!!!!

This is a reminder to all current members that your 2024 membership is now due. You can place your membership dues in an envelope and put it in the collection plate or drop it off at the Parish office

Last Chance!!!! Family Trivia Night

Come and test your knowledge with your family and friends for an evening of fun!

Friday, May 3, 2024; Doors open at 6:00p.m.
Event begins at 6:30p.m.

**\$5.00 person - Bring your own snacks - Pizza available
Club Belvedere -**

Hosted by CWL and Knights of Columbus
Please contact Kim Kuchar at 905-732-6601 or
cwlholyrosary@outlook.com



Young Adult Ministry "Feed Your Faith" event:

All young adults (19 - 39 years old), whether in school or working, whether single, married, or separated/divorced, whether cradle Catholics who were raised and educated in faith or those who have drifted away and are searching for meaning and purpose from a life centred on Christ, are invited and welcome to gather at the Catholic Centre (3400 Merrittville Highway, Thorold) for a shared meal, fellowship, and quiet prayer beginning at 6:00pm on Friday, , May 31, 2024. Contact: Terri Pauco at 905-684-0154, ext. 209 or email familyandyouth@saintcd.com.

**SERRA ST. CATHARINES - "Heaven Help Us"
TRIVIA NIGHT MAY 30TH, 2024**

In support of Seminarians, Deacon Candidates, and Religious Sisters in the Diocese of St. Catharines.

St. Alfred Church, 272 Vine Street, St. Catharines

Pizza provided for all registered. Everyone is welcome to bring their own food and snacks.

Beer, Wine, and Soft Drinks available for purchase.

BOOKINGS AND ENQUIRIES: Kate: 905-407-3994



Catholic Men's Speaker Series

This popular series continues! Gentlemen are invited to attend a spiritual talk & activity designed to strengthen our faith and fight spiritual battles. Held monthly, each night will consist of a one-hour talk

at 7:30 pm followed by a social hour with refreshments. Opportunity for confessions.

Tuesday, May 14 @ Our Lady of the Scapular Church (6557 Thorold Stone Rd, Niagara Falls) with Fr. Daniel Corso

- Confessions @ 6:15–6:45 pm; Holy Mass @ 7 pm;
- talk starts after Mass
- The goodness & necessity of our God-given desires
- Healing & redeeming our fallen & wounded masculinity
- Bring your olive oil to have blessed.



With great joy, we congratulate our newly baptized **Emma Rose & Lilly Anne Lounsbury, Liam Vincent Lococo, Alexandra Lynn Gualtieri-Comi, Madison Marie Fitzgerald, Lucianne Helene Gallo and Mario Andreas Medeiros** who joined our Parish Family on April 21st, 2024. May God bless these new members and their families as they live as followers of Jesus Christ.



Please pray for the children and youth of our parish who will be celebrating the Sacrament of First Holy Communion the weekend of **May 4 & May 5, 2024**

***FIRST COMMUNION:** Please pray for the children participating in the First Communion Solemn Group Celebrations that will take place at the Saturday, 5:00pm and Sunday, 11:00am Masses on **May 11 & May 12, 2024.**

Weekly Offering

CAD

21-Apr-24

In Church offertory:	\$ 3,348.90
Online Offertory:	978.75
Church Maintenance	115.00
Basement Renovation	80.00
Initial Offering	30.00
Easter	200.00
Candle Income	1,175.00
Total	\$ 5,927.65

Thank you for your generosity!

You're invited to attend the upcoming 2024 **Tastes of Heaven Gala, a Mardi Gras-themed fundraiser** in support of Canadian home missions! Join Catholic Missions In Canada (CMIC) on Thursday, May 9th at Bellvue Manor in Vaughan for an enchanting evening filled with vibrant colors, delectable cuisine, and spirited celebration. Your attendance directly supports CMIC, enabling vital grants and support for 22 dioceses, 200 missions, and 12 seminarians. Dress to impress in your finest attire – tuxedos and gowns are welcomed! For sponsorship information or to purchase tickets, visit cmic.info/toh or call 1-866-937-2642.



MONTH OF MAY is traditionally dedicated to Our Blessed Mother Mary. Let us continue to seek Mary's prayers for our parish and our diocese and promote devotion to her as Mother of God and the model Christian.

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