

Twenty-Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time

October 1st. 2023 ~ Liturgical Year A

Mass Intentions

✠ October 2nd 2023 to October 8th 2023

Monday~.....**The Holy Guardian Angels**.....

No Mass~ Oct 2nd

Tuesday ~.....~**Oct 3rd**

8:00 am ✠ Kathy Jean Perri (Catholic Women League)

✠ Joe Press (Stephen and Anna Charlton)

Wednesday.....**St. Francis Of Assisi**.....**Oct 4th**

8:00 am ✠ Frank Battle (by Family)

✠ Elizabeth Longo (by Agnes Gillespie)

Thursday.....**Oct 5th**

8:00 am ✠ Carina Cecchini (by Mark & Syl)

✠ Vincenzo “Jimmy” Ricciuto
(by Carlo & Anna Grossi)

Friday ~.....~**Oct 6th**

8:00 am ✠ Archie Ghiendoni (by Sandy)

✠ Giuseppina & Pietro Pizzacalla (by Children)

6:00 pm *In Honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus*

Saturday..... **Our Lady Of The Rosary**..... **Oct 7th**

8:00 am ✠ Annie Fortune (by (George and Marlene)

✠ Rosemary Gillan (by Rosa Bussi)

5:00 pm ✠ Jan (John) Szymanowski (by Mary Jane Rose)

✠ Filomena & Fortunato Stracuzzi
(by Annela Salvatore)

✠ James „Scotty” & Mary „Betty” Fanton
(by Ken Fenton)

✠ Constantino Afonso (by Maria & Children)

✠ Elena Pizzacalla

(by Mr.&Mrs. Alberto Saltarelli)

Sunday..Twenty-Seventh Sunday Ordinary Time.. Oct 8th

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

9:30 am ✠ Mike D’Addario (by Josephine)

✠ Domenico & Jimmy Ricciuto
(by Phyllis & Michael)

11:00 am ✠ Frank Cotroneo

(by Carmen DeRose & Family)

✠ Clayton, Hunter & Chase Doerman (by friend)

26 Domenica Del Tempo Ordinario (A)

1 Ottobre 2023

La liturgia di oggi ci parla di conversione. Il Signore è misericordioso e sempre pronto a perdonarci.

Rinnoviamo la nostra fede nella sua misericordia e impegnamoci ad obbedire con i fatti alla sua parola.

The Gospel brings us a great optimism: everybody, even the rebellious, can become obedient. Though the Gospel doesn’t leave us in illusion: everybody can also become a rebellious child. In the Kingdom of God there are no privileged places. We all have to be vigilant and make a continuous effort.

Jesus tells us a parable. A father has two sons. The one says always “yes” to the father, he is respectful, he doesn’t provoke gossips. But as a matter of fact he lives against his father, he is a hypocrite. He doesn’t fulfill his father’s will. You cannot be saved talking the talk; you have to walk the walk! It is useless to say “yes” with words. In front of God only your acts count!



The other possibility presented in the Gospel is represented by the second son. He says “no” to his father. Apparently he is a rebellious son, but his rebellion is only external. As a matter of fact in his heart he is with his father and he repents over the “no” said to his father. He goes and does his father’s will!

We, Christians, have we ever cried over our sins and have we ever seriously decided to change our lives? One day we will be judged for the walk we walked and not for the talk we talked!

Fr. Janusz Roginski



SANCTUARY LAMP: This week’s Sanctuary Lamp is donated in memory of **Ludguardia, Legionary**. 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 October

For the Synod: *Let us pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a style of life at every level, allowing herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the world’s peripheries. (Apostleship of Prayer)*



Confession

Reminder: There is confession half hour (7:30 – 8:00 am) before all morning masses, from Tuesday to Sunday and from 4:00pm - 4:30pm on Saturdays.

Life chain

Our parishioners are encouraged to take part to the life chain this Sunday, October 1st, 2023

at either:

NIAGARA FALLS, Lundy's Lane - Prince Edward Ave, Highland Ave & Dorchester Ave 2:30pm-3:30 pm

or

WELLAND, Niagara St between Woodlawn Road & Lancaster Drive from 2:30 pm-3:30 pm.



We extend sincere condolences and prayers to the families and friends who mourn the recent loss of: **Elizabeth Marie Longo and Scotty Girotti**. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.



All are Welcome!



The Catholic Women's League of Canada means many things to people. Our core values of faith, service and social justice guide us as we follow Catholic teaching, provide service locally, nationally and internationally, and work to advocate for social justice.

INNOVATION

Members of the Catholic Women's League bring innovative ideas to develop resolutions for change. We read the signs of the times and propose creative solutions. Be a part of the process.

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Thank you!

Thank you to all those who made our Coffee Sunday last week such a wonderful event. It was so nice to see such a great turnout from both new and long-time parishioners. Special thanks to our Hall Manager, Don Lizzotti and the Knights of Columbus for their support in setting up and maintaining the coffee and tea, and the Catholic Women's League for their delicious treat! Excellent Team work! We hope to enjoy another Coffee Sunday next month!

Reminder to our Current Members

Your membership for 2023-2024 is now due. Please use the blue envelope in your church envelope set. Membership for this upcoming year is \$35.00.

Many thanks to all those members who have already sent in their membership fee.



INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?

The RCIA/RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults/Children) is a journey of faith for adults or children who are seeking to be baptized, or anyone who has been baptized in another Faith Tradition but would like to become a member of the Catholic Church. Through prayer, study and the experience of Christian Community, an inquirer is guided to a deeper understanding and appreciation of the Catholic faith. Each new Journey of Faith begins in the Fall. Call the parish office for more information at 905-227-3178 or email holyrosary@cogeco.net



Retrouvaille is a Christian marriage program for married couples struggling in their relationship. It is Catholic in origin. *Couples of all faiths and those with no faith tradition are welcome and encouraged to attend for the benefit of their marriage.* The program is not designed to convert anyone to a specific faith choice, but does reflect Christian concepts. Those who are considering marriage separation and those who are already separated or divorced are encouraged to consider the Retrouvaille Program. There is always hope of reviving your relationship.

Sunday – September 30

Retrouvaille – October 20 - 22 2023 . No matter how much you are hurting, no marriage is beyond hope. There is a light at the end of the tunnel, there is RETROUVAILLE! The best kept secret for helping marriages. For more info visit www.retrouvaille.org or email teamrecine@gmail.com or call 905-664-5212.

MONTH OF OCTOBER is traditionally dedicated to Our



Blessed Mother Mary. Throughout this month, let's continue seeking our Mother's help by reciting the Rosary for our Parish, our diocese and for ourselves as we promote the devotion to Mary, the Mother of God

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

