

Sept. 27 SATURDAY - Saint Vincent de Paul

5:00 Angelina & Pompilio DiEmanuele - by
F. & M. Santesso
Michael Angelo Cassa - by dad Renato

Sept.28 SUNDAY - 26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 Gino & Maria Visca – by family
Efisia Orsini - by Joe & Maria Orsini
Caterina Lagrotteria & Pietro/Paolo Scalese –
by Gennaro Scalese

Deceduti Tirabasso & Mazzei families – by Mary Mauriello

11:00 For the Needs of All Parishioners For All the Deceased of the Parish

Sept.29 Monday - NO MASS

Sept.30 Tuesday - Saint Jerome

8:00 Deceased of Kanan family – by family In Honour of Santo Padre Pio-by Olga Fiello

Oct. 1 Wednesday - Ste. Therese of Lisieux

8:00 Pietro Talarico – by friend Ste. Therese of Lisieux – by G.S.G. Souls of Purgatory – by Parishioner

Oct. 2 Thursday - Feast of the Guardian Angels

8:00 Jan Szpakowski – by wife Irena Sts. Cosimo & Damiano – by Maria DiRienzo

Oct. 3 Friday - Saint Theodora Guerin

9:00 Antonio Forte – by Antonietta Lombardi Patty Hirsch – by Bonnie & Tony Gibert Domenico Cameli – by daughters Mary & Rita

Oct. 4 SATURDAY - Saint Francis of Assisi

5:00 Deceased of Soltys, Covelli, Greco familiesby Covelli family

Oct. 5 SUNDAY - 27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 Raffaele Muraca – by Adelina Muraca
Antonio & Rosina Scozzafava – by Teresa
Emilio & Giuseppina Cristiano – by daughter
Lina Fazio & family
Iole Biamonte – by parents Joe & Maria
Domenico Cameli - by wife Angelina

Maria Bonadio – by parents Joe & Isabella
 Maria Rosa & Paola Marisa – by family
 Nicola D'Amico – by daughter Mary & family
 Gordon Rankin – by A. Bortolon

GOSPEL MESSAGE

In today's gospel, the rich man's story is a warning for modern society. The rich man enjoyed luxury everyday while Lazarus was poor, hungry and covered with sores. The rich man is not condemned because of his riches. His sin was not wealth rather, he committed a sin of omission. "Love thy neighbour as yourself": he failed to have compassion for Lazarus. He missed the golden and irreversible opportunity to be generous and help his neighbour.

MESSAGGIO DEL VANGELO

Nel vangelo di oggi, la storia del ricco è un avvertimento per la società moderna. Il ricco si godeva il lusso ogni giorno, mentre Lazzaro era povero, affamato e coperto di piaghe. Il ricco non è condannato a causa delle sue ricchezze. Il suo peccato non era la ricchezza, ma un peccato di omissione. "Ama il prossimo tuo come te stesso": non ha avuto compassione per Lazzaro. Ha perso l'occasione preziosa e irreversibile di essere generoso e aiutare il prossimo.

WEEKLY QUOTE

"Peace. It does not mean to be in a place where there is no noise, trouble or hard work. It means to be in the midst of those things and still be calm, in your heart."

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WORLD TOURISM DAY – 27th September

A World Tourism Day was created in 1979 by the World Tourism Organization. The Church is concerned about tourism in the world, remembering the words of Jesus to his disciples, "Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this House!' And if anyone is there who shares in peace and lives there, your peace will rest on that person" ($Lk\ 10,5-6$).

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES September 28th

"The world is thy ship and not thy home" Ste. Therese de Lisieux

A World Day of Migrants and Refugees is observed in many places in solidarity with the World Refugee Day promoted by the United Nations and observed since 2001 on June 20th. The January observance was instituted by Saint Pius X in 1914. At the request of several Conferences of Bishops, Pope Francis moved the observance to September in 2019. "The phenomenon of migration today is a providential opportunity for the proclamation of the Gospel in the contemporary world. Men and women from various regions of the earth who have not yet encountered Jesus Christ or know him only partially, ask to be received in countries with an ancient Christian tradition. It is necessary to find adequate ways for them to meet and to become acquainted with Jesus Christ and to experience the invaluable gift of salvation." (Pope Benedict XVI, 2012).

Canada is one of the largest recipients of migrants and refugees.

Let us take pride as a "welcoming" nation
to all religions, races and cultures.

NATIONAL DAY OF RECONCILIATION & HEALING September 30th 2025

Each year, September 30th marks the National Day of Reconciliation and Healing. The day honours the children who never returned home and Survivors of residential schools as well as their families and communities. This day is a vital component of the healing process. <u>Let us Pray!</u>

St. Ann Parish PASTA NIGHT

Thursday - 2nd October

Doors open at 4:30 pm

Pasta & Meatballs Dinner

Plus - Bread - Salad - Dessert & Coffee

Take-out available-We provide take-out container Tickets at the door: Adults: \$ 15.00 - Child: \$ 8.00

This Pasta Night is being sponsored by LARRY SIRIANNI

In Loving Memory of Laurinda Sirianni and Lora Shoveller

COFFEE WEEKEND - October 4th & 5th

All parishioners and visitors are invited for Coffee and light refreshments in the Parish Hall after all the Masses. Enjoy the company of your faith community and catch up with the Parish events over coffee or tea prepared by our Welcoming Committee!

This coffee weekend is being sponsored by
Mary Mauriello
In Loving Memory of Angela & William Mauriello
& Deceased of Mauriello & Custode families

LIFE CHAIN - Sunday 5th October

Join with thousands, internationally, rain or shine, to pray and stand peaceful witness to the sanctity of human life. Life Chain began in Canada 35 years ago in 1990. Through the years, lives have been saved and hearts have been changed during its powerful witness. In Niagara Falls: 2:30-3:30pm at Lundy's Lane and Prince Edward Avenue & Highland Avenue and Dorchester.

R.C.I.A. – Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults AND -Join us to learn more about our Catholic Faith and deepen our faith in God. ALL ARE WELCOME!

The RCIA program is an amazing Journey of Faith, wherein people who have never been baptized, baptized in another faith, or perhaps already Catholic but not having received all of their sacraments, come together and deepen their understanding of God, the teachings of Jesus and the Catholic Church.

The RCIA meets on a weekly basis from Fall through Spring. It is an Adult Learning Model that is respectful of all educational, cultural, and religious backgrounds.

Under the leadership of Fr. Kessete and other community leaders, we will walk with and guide those who may be interested in learning more about God and the Catholic Church. If you are interested please register by contacting <u>Fitas at 416-880-7395 or e-mail: office@churchofsaintann.ca</u>.

MOTHER MARY PROCESSION

Our Lady of the Scapular Church 6557 Thorold Stone Road – Niagara Falls Tuesday – 14th October 2025

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

Especially children... "Let the children come to me"
Procession @5:30pm – Mass follows @7:00pm
Bring flowers from your gardens.
Bring personal items to be blessed!

MASS INTENTIONS BOOKINGS - 2026

We will be booking masses for 2026 beginning Tuesday, October 1st 2025. Please submit <u>A WRITTEN LIST</u> of Masses to be booked with <u>suggested</u> dates and we will do our best to accommodate your requested dates. Please include payment of \$10 per mass. Those requested masses will be scheduled and a LIST will be returned to you.

INTENZIONE MESSE - 2026

Incominciamo a prenotare le messe per l'anno 2026 dal 1 Ottobre 2025. Si prega di fornire <u>UN ELENCO SCRITTO</u> delle date preferite e faremo del tutto per accomodarvi. Vi chiediamo di includere pagamento di \$10 per ogni messa. Le messe richieste saranno prenotate e l'elenco vi sara mandato.

OCTOBER – Month of the Rosary

Please join us during the whole month of October as we recite the Holy Rosary before each mass: Tuesday to Thursday at 7:30am, Fridays 8:30am, Saturday at 4:30pm, Sunday 8:30am and 10:30am.

OTTOBRE - Mese del Rosario

Siamo tutti invitati durante tutto il mese di Ottobre a recitare il Santo Rosario prima di ogni messa: dal martedi al giovedi 7:30am, venerdi 8:30am, sabato 4:30pm, domenica 8:30am e 10:30am.

OUR LADY OF HOLY ROSARY

Church Basement Restoration – Dinner & Show Saturday 18th October 2025

Featuring: Elvis (Gord McNeil)
Club Capri – 36 Cleveland St., Thorold
\$70pp (Family Style Dinner)

MENU: Seasonal Sald, Prime Rib or Chicken, Potat Vegetable, Rolls, Coffee & Dessert

Cash Bar

Dinner 6:00-6:30pm – Show starts @8:00pm

CHEF MIKE & CO. PRESENT – PASTA FAGIOLI NIGHT

5740 Buchanan Avenue – St. Ann Hall

On Thursday, 30th October 2025, come Feast with friends and family: Antipasto, Pasta Fagioli with rolled Cotica, Roasted Chicken with Ribs & Potatoes, Salad, Fruit, Dessert Station, Coffee. \$60/pp.

Reservations Only – Call John (905)-374-1757 or Moe (905)329-2097

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK & THE HOMEBOUND

Vince Anania, Mary Argenta, Giuseppe Armenti,
Angelina Cameli, Rita Cameli, Domenic & Wilma Calabrese,
Iole & Gus Crescenzi, Estelle Critelli, Angelina DiRienzo,
Maria DiRienzo, Adrianna DiRisio, Beatriz Disch,
Frank Dorazio, George Ellis, Carmen Fabiani, Jenny Green,
Nancy Mazzei, Virginia McConnell,
Patricia Millington, Geraldine Parker, Tina Pupo,
Vincenzina Pascuzzi, Bettina Paola,
Teresa Scozzafava, Gregg Serles,
Don Taddeo, Marianna Weber