

**Aug. 2 SATURDAY – Saint Eusebius of Vercelli**

5:00 Gaetano, Fortunata & Tony Rizzo and the  
Deceased Rizzo family – by Angela Pellegrino

**Aug. 3 SUNDAY - 18<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 Costanza Martuccio – by husband Joe & fam.  
Domenico Cameli – by moglie Angelina  
Iole Biamonte – by parents Joe & Maria Orsini  
Antonio Nicoletta – by Palma Stante  
Vincenzo Elia – by moglie Concettina & family

11:00 Giuseppe DelGobbo – by family  
Alfredo & Pilar Aquino – by Ralph & Alita.  
Eric & Sara Elefante & family  
Duncan & Mary Carmichael – by  
Fred & F Scordino  
Carie LaRosa – by aunt Rose Tomasky  
Ben Salvatore – by Sam & Ethel LaRosa

**Aug. 4 Monday - N O M A S S****Aug. 5 Tuesday - Dedication of St. Mary Major Basilica**

8:00 Aldo Lancia – by friends

**Aug. 6 Wednesday - Transfiguration of Our Lord**

8:00 Antonio Elia – by Sina Sacco

**Aug. 7 Thursday - Saint Cajetan**

8:00 Alderina Mignelli – by Olga Fiello

**Aug. 8 Friday - Saint Dominic**

9:00 Giuseppe Gulla – by moglie Gilda & family  
Ben Salvatore, by Barb, Angela, B.J.  
Giuseppe Panucci – by Panucci family

**Aug. 9 SATURDAY - Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross**

5:00 For All the Deceased of the Parish  
For the Needs of All Parishioners

**Aug.10 SUNDAY - 19<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 Lili Martuccio-Custode – by dad Joe & family  
Luigino Maruca – by family  
Gildo Luvison – by Domenic/Wilma Calabrese  
Efisia Orsini – by Joe & Maria Orsini  
Angela Iudiciani – by daughter Maria & fam.

11:00 Frank & Assunta Elia – by Elia family  
Ben Salvatore – by Barb, Angela, B.J.  
Domenico Cameli – by daughters Mary & Rita  
Giuseppe Gigliotti – by moglie Giovanna/fam.  
Jose Lamis Jr. – by daughter Fitas Fitas  
Vince Baldo – by Josephine Gallagher

**GOSPEL MESSAGE**

In today's Gospel Jesus condemns the appetite for possessions.

Greed is putting possessions above people and their dignity.

Neglecting human dignity and abusing manpower for gain is exploitation, and it breeds injustice and corruption.

**MESSAGGIO DEL VANGELO**

Nel Vangelo di oggi, Gesù condanna l'avidità.

L'avidità antepone i beni materiali alle persone e alla loro dignità.

Trascurare la dignità umana e abusare il valore del lavoro costituisce sfruttamento e genera ingiustizia e corruzione.

**WEEKLY QUOTE**

*"...silence the sounds of arms,...overcome division,...tear  
down walls of division and dispel hatred..."*

*(Pope Francis, Urbi et Orbe 2024)*

**FEAST OF ST. ANN – 2025  
GRATITUDE & ACKNOWLEDGMENTS**

We would like to acknowledge all of the following for their input, contribution, donations, time, and efforts ... in ensuring the great success of our 2025 – ST. ANN FEAST:

The St. Ann Feast Committee Members  
Members of the Ladies' Auxiliary Committee  
Altar Servers, Ushers, Communion Ministers  
Statue Carriers, Banner Carriers,  
All Ministers and Volunteers

who were part of the Mass and Procession  
and those who led us in praying the Rosary

In addition and in no particular order:

Fr. Michael Basque  
Tina Biamonte – Choir Director  
St. Ann Choir Members – Club Roma Choir  
Italian National Band of Niagara – DJ Morris Villella  
Penny Sale Organizer: Mrs. Maria Anania  
John St. Angelo  
Altieri Family for providing the Float for St. Ann

**MISSION APPEAL 2025**

*August 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>*

Rev. Fr. Frank Wagner, CSC – Associate Pastor at St. Raphael parish in Burlington, Ontario. from the Congregation of Holy Cross, will be addressing our congregation regarding his mission appeal the weekend of August 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>.

A Mission Appeal envelope will be provided  
and the special collection will be taken up  
that weekend and/or the next weekend.  
*Your generosity will be much appreciated.*

**COFFEE WEEKEND – August 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>**

Saturday and Sunday – August 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> all parishioners and visitors are invited for Coffee and light refreshments in the Church Hall after all the Masses. Enjoy the company of your faith community and catch up with the events in the parish over coffee or tea prepared by our Welcoming Committee!

*This coffee weekend is being sponsored by the Scialdone family in memory of their parents – Clementina & Francesco.*

**SEMINARIAN FROM OUR PARISH**

With overwhelming pride we are happy to announce that Paul Nguyen, who has been a Parishioner and an Altar Server at Saint Ann over these many years, will be beginning his seminarian studies this September at St. Augustine Seminary in Toronto.

As a farewell to Paul we will dedicate the August Coffee Weekend to him as we wish him good luck and success on his new journey.

*Contributions/donations as he continues his education to the priesthood would be much appreciated.*

**COMMUNION - REVERENCE**

When coming to receive the Blessed Sacrament please approach the Communion Minister reverentially with extended hand, then saying 'AMEN' and consuming the 'Body of Christ' immediately upon receiving it.

**MEMORIAL DONATION**

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Fran Valeri and her family who, through Morse & Son Funeral Home, directed donations to Saint Ann Church. We received over \$750. in donations.

**LEGACY DONATIONS**

When you or your family are making arrangements for Wills and Legacies, we would humbly and kindly ask that you consider including St. Ann Church as one of the beneficiaries. Also, when making funeral arrangements through the various funeral homes in the Niagara Region, as parishioners, please consider directing donations to St. Ann Church. Your generosity is much needed and greatly appreciated. All donations will be recorded and receipts issued on an annual basis.

**CHEERS!!! FOR OUR FANTASTIC BAKERS**

Although there are too many to name individually, we would like to profusely thank each and every one of our talented bakers who came through for us in donating all of the delicious items which raised so much money for the Feast of Saint Ann.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK & THE HOMEBOUND**

Mary Argenta, Giuseppe Armenti, Angelina Cameli,  
Rita Cameli, Domenic Calabrese,  
Iole & Gus Crescenzi, Estelle Critelli,  
Angelina DiRienzo, Maria DiRienzo  
Adrianna DiRisio, Beatriz Disch, Frank Dorazio  
Carmen Fabiani, Sam Fiore, Jenny Green,  
Nancy Mazzei, Virginia McConnell,  
Patricia Millington, Geraldine Parker,  
Vincenzina Pascuzzi, Bettina Paola, Dan Taddeo

**A HUGE THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR DONORS**

Joseph's Estate Wines	Picard's
Commisso's	Home Hardware
Regal	Bettina Paola
The Body Shop	Rita Walters
Maria Anania	Niagara Helicopters
Mr. Quick	Strada West
The Monastery Store	Niagara Parks Commission
First Choice Hair Cutters	Sobey's
Theresa Forte	Francesca Azzano
Joseph Ling	Gilda Gulla
Anna Pizzulo	V. & C. Menechella
Cheryl Yacysen	Kasama Wellness

**FEAST CASH INTAKE AND EXPENSES****INCOME:**

Feast Donations	\$ 750.00
Feast Collection	1,330.00
Bake Sale	1,400.00
Gourmet Basket	875.00
Penny Sale	540.00
In-House Draw \$130 + \$60	190.00
Food Sales	1,350.00

<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$ 6,435.00</b>
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**EXPENSES:**

Grandparents' Day	626.54
Basket Contents (donated)	-----
Niagara Italian Band	700.00
DJ Morris Villella	300.00
Club Roma Choir	300.00
Lococo's	140.54
Beer Store	142.60
Party Connection	100.12
The Flower House	400.00
Frank's Pizzeria	200.00
Thorowest	84.50
Speakers	243.00

<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 3,237.30</b>
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<b>INCOME less EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$ 3,197.70</b>
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**FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION****ST. MARY PARISH – 90 Griffith St. – Welland, ON**

2 <sup>nd</sup> August - Saturday 5:00pm Solemn Vigil Mass – Celebrating Wedding Anniversaries Renewal of Marriage Vows
10 <sup>th</sup> August – Sunday – 4:00pm Solemn Mass Procession & Benediction Food & Entertainment Parish Hall
15 <sup>th</sup> August – Friday–Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary 6:00pm Rosary 6:30 pm Solemn Mass

**CANADIAN MISSIONS SHARED COLLECTION –  
COLLECTION NEXT WEEK – August 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>**

This collection advances and sustains the Catholic faith in remote dioceses in the Northwest Territories and northern Alberta, along with mission communities supported by Catholic Missions in Canada.  
Your generosity is much appreciated!

**2025 – PENNY SALE PRIZES & WINNERS**

1. Joseph's Estate Wine- Wine Basket  
-Mike LaFratta
2. Picard's- Basket – Josephine Mauriello
3. Anonymous – Decorative Lantern -  
Mario Daniele
4. Commisso's - \$25 Gift Card &  
Gift Bowl - Naz Caneloro
5. Home Hardware – 3pc. BBQ Tool Set  
& Home Hardware \$50 Gift Card  
- Rose Sansotta
6. Regal – 2 Mugs/Bird Tray – Rita Iammarino
7. Bettina Paola-Cocktail Glass Set & Tray  
- Elizabeth LaFratta
8. The Body Shop – Fragrance/Shower & Tray  
- Edmay St. Angelo
9. Rita Walters – Kid's Chalk Set + \$25  
Gift Card Toys R Us - Tony Valente
10. Maria Anania – Porcelain Espresso Set  
- Edmay St. Angelo
11. Joseph's Estate Wines – Wine Gift Package  
- Anna Delvecchio
12. Maria Anania – Cheese Dome - \$25 Gift  
Card WINNERS - Giselda Mazza
13. Joseph's Estate Wines – Icewine Package  
- Gregg Gleason
14. Niagara Helicopters Limited – 2 Adults –  
- Elizabeth LaFratta
15. Mr. Quick – 2 Ultimate Complete Car Wash  
Giuseppe Martuccio
16. Strada West - \$50 Gift Certificate  
- Josephine Mauriello
17. Strada West - \$50 Gift Certificate  
- Elizabeth LaFratta
18. LCBO - \$50 Gift Card - Elizabeth LaFratta
19. Cineplex - \$50 Gift Certificate  
- Alaina St. Angelo
20. McDonald's - \$25 Gift Card – Lisa St. Angelo
21. Picard's - Basket - Antoinette Nero
22. Bettina Paola – French Press Coffee Maker-  
- Connie Izzo
23. Monastery Store - \$50 Certificate - Rosary  
- Franca Ingribelli
24. Niagara Parks Commission – Attractions  
Passes for Two - Teresa Dennis
25. First Choice Hair Cutters- 2 Bot. Conditioner  
- Silvana Rizzo
26. Anonymous – Bottle Crown Royal  
- Tony Valente
27. Anonymous – Kitchen Basket Set –  
Apple Gift Card \$30 - Rose Sansotta
28. Anonymous – 3 Porcelain Sugar Bowls  
& Apple Gift Card \$30 - Tony Zinatelli
29. Sobey's & St. Ann Ladies Auxiliary –  
Kitchen Items Basket & \$25 Gift Card  
- Giselda Mazza
30. Kasama Wellness – Sound Bath & Products  
- Kristiana Anania
31. Anonymous – Gravy Separator - \$50  
Home Sense Card - Mirella Provenzano
32. Anonymous – Sparkling Wine Set-Joe Galati
33. Anonymous-Child Set - \$30 Apple Card  
- Jenni Bernardi
34. Anonymous-Painting Set-\$30 Apple Card-  
- Alaina St.Angelo
35. Teresa Forte-Tivoli Print – Denise Zakoor
36. Francesca Azzano-Purse/Necklace-Alaina St.Angelo
37. Cheryl Yacyshen-SpaPackage-Alaina St.Angelo
38. Francesca Azzano-Straw Clutch & Scarf -  
- Abigail Ajosh
39. Joseph Ling – Framed Puzzle-Dante Vanier
40. Gilda Gulla – Chocolate & Cookie Set -  
- Ronda Gietherow
41. Anonymous- Glassware & Basket  
- Phyllis Sergnese

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GOURMET BASKET WINNER: Anna Pizzulo  
FRAMED PRINT of ROME – Mark Forte  
HAND-CRAFTED STEEL SHELIVING  
Donated by John St. Angelo-Anna Sirianni  
IN-HOUSE DRAW WINNER: Guy DeBenedetti