



Oct. 4 SATURDAY - Saint Francis of Assisi

5:00 Deceased of Soltys, Covelli, Greco families
- by 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

11:00 Maria Bonadio – by parents Joe & Isabella
Maria Rosa & Paola Marisa – by family
Nicola D'Amico – by daughter Mary & family
Gordon Rankin – by A. Bortolon

Oct. 6 Monday - NO MASS

Oct. 7 Tuesday - Our Lady of the Holy Rosary

8:00 Theresa Lococo – by friends

Oct. 8 Wednesday - Saint John Leonardi

8:00 Anthony 'Tony' Ventresca – by friends/family
Souls of Purgatory – by Francesca Azzano

Oct. 9 Thursday - Saint Denis and Companions

8:00 Michael Fiore – by Larry Martin & family

Oct.10 Friday - Saint Francis Borgia

9:00 Pietro Fiocca – by family
Domenic & Caterina Mazzone - by family
Barbara Frasher – by Bonnie & Tony Gibert
Irene D'Ambrosio – by Ferruccio Forte

Oct. 11 SATURDAY - Saint Pope John XXIII

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

Oct.12 SUNDAY - 28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 Costanza Martuccio – by husband Joe & family
Deceased family and friends of Custode &
Mauriello – by Mary Mauriello
Giuseppe & Caterina Senese – by family
Efisia Orsini – by Joe & Maria Orsini
Gino & Maria Visca – by family
Alessandro Terriaca – by Angelina Cameli

11:00 Alfredo & Pilar Aquino – by Ralph, Alita,
Eric & Sarah Elefante & family
Dr. Carrie LaRosa – by Barb, Angela & B.J.
Ben Salvatore – by Barb, Angela & B.J.
Louie Valeri – by Maria Berlingieri

GOSPEL MESSAGE

Like the Apostles, we always pray asking God to: "Increase our faith." Yes, to have faith is to remain in the state of Grace, to improve our inner spiritual quality.

But faith is not just believing that God exists, know about God or practice religious observances. Faith in God is total surrender to the will of God without any doubt or conditions, for faith gives meaning to our existence.

MESSAGGIO DEL VANGELO

Come gli Apostoli, preghiamo sempre chiedendo a Dio: "Aumenta la nostra fede". Sì, avere fede significa rimanere nello stato di Grazia, migliorare la nostra qualità spirituale interiore.

Ma la fede non è solo credere che Dio esiste, conoscere di Dio, oppure praticare osservanze religiose. La fede in Dio è consegnarsi totalmente alla volontà di Dio, senza alcun dubbio o condizione, perché, la fede dà senso alla nostra esistenza.

WEEKLY QUOTE

"Let nothing trouble you, let nothing frighten you. All things are passing. God never changes. Patience obtains all things. He who believes in God lacks nothing. God alone suffices."
St. Teresa of Avila

PARISH PASTA NIGHT

We are grateful for the hard work and dedication of Joe Covelli and all of his kitchen crew as well as all the other volunteers who diligently show up every month to ensure the success of this monthly fundraising event.

This Pasta Night was sponsored by LARRY SIRIANNI
In Loving Memory of
Laurinda Sirianni and Lora Shoveller

Next Pasta Night – Thursday – November 6th 2025

**PRAYER TO THE QUEEN
OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY**

Queen of the Most Holy Rosary and tender Mother of all people. I consecrate myself to your Immaculate Heart and recommend to you my family, my country, and the whole human race. Please accept my consecration, dearest Mother, and use me as you wish, to accomplish your designs upon the world. O Immaculate Heart of Mary, Queen of Heaven and Earth, rule over me, and teach me how to allow the Heart of Jesus to rule and triumph in me and around me, as it has ruled and triumphed in you. AMEN!

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!

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 office@churchofsaintann.ca. Fitas at 416-880-7395 or e-mail:*

MASS INTENTIONS BOOKINGS - 2026

We will be booking masses for 2026 beginning Tuesday, October 1st 2025. Please submit A WRITTEN LIST of Masses to be booked with suggested 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 UN ELENCO SCRITTO 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 martedì al giovedì 7:30am, venerdì 8:30am, sabato 16:30, domenica 8:30am e 10:30am.

OUR LADY OF THE 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 Salad, Prime Rib or Chicken, Potatoes
 Vegetable, Rolls, Coffee & Dessert
 Cash Bar

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

**SEPARATED AND DIVORCED
 HEALING MINISTRY**

The Diocesan Separated and Divorced Healing Ministry Support Group meets every second and fourth Monday of the month (except holidays) from 7:00pm to 9:00pm at Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre – 7020 Stanley Avenue, Niagara Falls, ON For our pamphlet or information, please call 905-356-4113 or 905-684-0154. Meetings will be held both in person at Mount Carmel and virtually via Zoom platform.

Next Meeting: Tuesday – October 14, 2025 - *LONELINESS*

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

HOLY LAND RELIGIOUS ITEMS SALES

The weekend of October 18th & 19th a group will be visiting St. Ann's Church offering beautiful handcrafted olive wood religious articles from the Holy Land. Proceeds will help our starving brothers and sisters in Jerusalem and Bethlehem, putting food on their tables and supporting their Christian presence in the land of Jesus' birth. Your support through the purchase of these items is a direct way to show solidarity and care for fellow Christians.

THE BISHOP'S FUNDRAISING GALA
'LIGHT THE WAY'

An invitation to an amazing evening of faith, fellowship and fun in support of evangelization in our community and the growth of youth and young adult ministries throughout the Niagara Region.

DATE: Friday – November 28th 2025

TIME: 5:30pm – 11:00pm

LOCATION: John Michael's Banquet Hall
 1308 Uppers Ln., Thorold, ON

ATTIRE: Semi-formal

(Tickets \$250 – of which \$125. Tax deductible)

For more information call the Catholic Centre @ 905-684-0154

**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