

**May 2 Saturday - Saint Athanasius**

5:00 Domenic Luca – by Angie Pisano & family

May 3 Sunday – FIFTH SUNDAY of EASTER

9:00 Nicola & Lina DelBuono-by Mary Mauriello
 Bruno & Teresa Villella – by Raffaella & fam.
 Michele, Cesare, Maria Lombardi-by Joe/Anna
 Domenico Cameli – by wife Angelina
 Giovanni Scozzafava – by wife Grazia

11:00 Giovanni Romano-by Tony & Angela Romano
 Vince Vadicchino – by Fred & Flora Scordino
 Olinda Mastroianni-by Rita/Flavio Iammarino
 Dr. Carie Ann LaRosa – by parents Sam/Ethel
 Deceased Bove family – by Emily Leo

May 4 Monday - N O M A S S**May 5 Tuesday – Saint Hilary of Arles**8:00 Mansueto Cassolato – by Francesca Azzano
Bruna DeBlassis – by family**May 6 Wednesday - St. Francois de Laval**

8:00 Theresa Lococo - by friends

May 7 Thursday - Saint Rose Venerini

8:00 Kathleen Uy – by Janice Macalino

May 8 Friday - Saint Peter of Tarentaise

9:00 Maria Saporito – by family
 Carmela D'Angelo – by sister Philomena Currado
 Madonna Addolorata-by Philomena Currado
 Our Lady of Pompei – by Francesca Azzano

May 9 Saturday - Saint John of Avila

5:00 Gaston Paquette – by wife Gina

May 10 Sunday – SIXTH SUNDAY of EASTER

9:00 Benedetto DiRienzo – by wife Angelina
 Costanza Martuccio – by husband Joe & fam.
 Maria Coladonato & Lidia DelVecchio – by
 Anna & Pasquale Del Vecchio
 Antonio Lettieri – by family
 Vincenzo Elia – by wife Concettina & family

11:00 Angelina/Pompilio DiEmanuele – by son Ezio
 Michele Stante – by wife Palma & family
 Emilia Carlesimo – by daughter Gina Paquette
 Ben Salvatore – by Sam & Ethel LaRosa
 Matilda Greco – by family

GOSPEL MESSAGE

Our hearts are troubled and restless and we ask: “Lord, we do not know where you are going, so how can we know the way?”

This reveals the human longing for direction and search for meaning. To this question Jesus reveals his identity. He does not indicate his Way, he is the Way. He doesn't speak about the Truth, he is the Truth. Jesus does not lead to Life, but he reveals to us that He is Life.

Faith in God, faith in Jesus Christ, is finding the direction of walking the Way to Life.

MESSAGGIO DEL VANGELO

I nostri cuori sono turbati e inquieti e chiediamo: “Signore, non sappiamo dove stai andando, come possiamo dunque consocere la via?”

Questa domanda rivela la speranza umana di una direzione e la ricerca del valore della vita. A questa domanda Gesù rivela la sua identità. Non indica la sua via, Lui è la Via. Gesù non conduce alla vita, ma ci rivela che Lui è la Vita.

La fede in Dio, la fede in Gesù Cristo, è trovare la direzione per percorrere la Via verso la Vita.

MAY - THE MONTH OF MARY

Catholic Tradition has dedicated May to Mary the Mother of God. During the Month of May, we honour Mary in a special way by praying the Rosary. Her holy life is an inspiration, a guide and model - an ideal for us to strive for. We will be praying the Holy Rosary throughout the month of May before each weekday Mass: Tuesday to Thursday @ 7:30-Friday @ 8:30 Saturday at 4:30pm Sunday at 8:30 and 10:30am.

MAGGIO – IL MESE DI MARIA

La Tradizione Cattolica ha dedicato Maggio a Maria la Madre di Dio. Durante il mese di Maggio, onoriamo Maria in speciale pregando il Rosario. La sua vita santa è un'ispirazione, una guida, e un modello, ideale per noi. Reciteremo il Santo Rosario mezz'ora prima di tutte le messe.

POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS – Collection

This collection provides an opportunity for Catholics to make a financial offering to assist the Holy Father. One-third of the funds collected is for what is traditionally known as Peter's Pence: donations used by the Pope for his charitable contributions to those most in need throughout the world. Two-thirds is in support of the Holy Father in administering the Holy See and serving the Universal Church.

If you have forgotten your donation envelope for this week's collection, please bring it next weekend. Thank you for your generosity!

CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEKMay 3rd – 8th 2026

This year's theme of *Catholic Education Week 2026* is "**Catholic Education: Pilgrims of Hope: On the Path to Holiness**". This week highlights the partnership between schools and parishes, featuring daily themes focused on faith, service, and hope in the context of the Jubilee year. For more information: aobrien@acosta.on.ca

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - ROSARY

Throughout the month of May, the Knights of Columbus Council 1652 – 6990 Stanley Avenue – Niagara Falls (*next to Mount Carmel Monastery*) will be hosting the Holy Rosary every Tuesday evening at 7:00pm in the Columbus Club / Knights of Columbus Hall, beginning May 5th and continuing on May 12th, 19th, and 26th.

All organizations, ministries, clubs, and societies as well as families and friends are invited to join.

HEARTS ON FIRE APPEAL

Recently we were visited by Frank Capisciolto who explained the scope and aim of this Appeal by Bishop Bergie. Envelopes are available at the entrance of the church for all donations which will be forwarded to the Diocese by the end of May. We are appealing to the generosity of all parishioners. You can also visit BishopsAppeal.ca to donate.

YOUTH MARCH FOR LIFE TRIP

Choose Life Niagara invites high school and post-secondary students to join us on our annual March for Life trip to Ottawa! We plan to depart the Vineland Carpool lot at 5:00a.m., Thursday, May 14th and return at 9:30 p.m. – Friday, May 15th. Cost is \$120 and includes the March for Life, the National Youth Conference, the Rose Dinner, hotel accommodations, and coach bus transportation. For more information and to register, visit chooselife.ca/events or email info@chooselife.ca

CLUB ITALIA EVENT CENTRE
SENIORS BINGO 2-4pm Every Wednesday
ALL ARE WELCOME!

St. Ann Parish Monthly Supper**Thursday – 7th May**

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

***Sponsored in Memory of
Deceased Parishioners of St. Ann***

**SEPARATED AND DIVORCED
HEALING MINISTRY**

Mount Carmel - 7020 Stanley Avenue, N. Falls

May 11th 2026

May 25, 2026

June 8, 2026

June 22, 2026

Navigating Change

Self-Esteem

Who Am I Now?

Loving and

Respecting Yourself

**GRUPPO ORA DI GUARDIA
PRAYER GROUP**

Venerdi – 1 Maggio alle 8:30 a.m. si riunisce il Gruppo *ORA DI GUARDIA* per recitare il Santo Rosario.

Friday – May 1st at 8:30 a.m. the *ORA DI GUARDIA* Prayer Group will meet to recite the Holy Rosary in Italian.

Siccome Maggio e il mese dedicato alla Santa Madre, Venerdi 22 Maggio – alle 12pm - il Gruppo si riunira per recitare tutti i 20 Misteri del Rosario alla Madonna.

PROJECT SHARE

As the cost of living continues to rise, Project Share is seeing an increasing number of working individuals and families turn to their emergency food program for support. Your donations help ensure that they can keep their shelves stocked with the essentials people can use. Please continue to donate non-perishable food items through our Parish. Your continued generosity is much appreciated.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL PRIESTS
OF THE DIOCESE**

Lord Jesus Christ, You love Your church and those called to share your priesthood. With our love and prayers, we join you in asking our Heavenly Father to continue to pour out his gifts of holiness, compassion and ardent zeal on your priests everywhere. Inspire each of them to offer his life as an "Ambassador of Christ", bringing reconciliation and healing to the world. Mary, Mother of all Priests, inspire us to live in peace and joy and pray this prayer with us. Amen

O Loving God, inspire your people to promote
and to answer the call to Religious Life.

Remove fears and doubts from their hearts.

Give them the Spirit's gifts of wisdom and courage.

We ask this in Jesus's name. AMEN!

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

Vince Anania, Mary Argenta, Giuseppe Armenti,
Leonora Ballena, Rosa Brew, Angelina Cameli, Rita
Cameli, Domenic & Wilma Calabrese, Iole & Gus
Crescenzi, Estelle Critelli, Mario De Biasi, Angelina
DiRienzo, Maria DiRienzo, Frank Dorazio, George Ellis,
Carmen Fabiani, Thomas Flynn, Jenny Green, Salvatore
LoGreco, Nancy Mazzei, Virginia McConnell, Patricia
Millington, André Milot, Tina Pupo, Bettina Paola, Teresa
Scozzafava, Gregg Serles, Mary Slovak, Deanna Spaetzel,
Don Taddeo, Marianna Weber