



June 20 Saturday - Saint Paulinus of Nola

4:00 Jose Lamis Jr. – by Cherie Lamis & family

June 21 SUNDAY – 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 Vito Zarra – by wife Rosa
 Domenico Cameli – by wife Angelina
 Costanza Martuccio – by husband Joe
 Giovanni, Elisabetta, Rose Belli – by
 Peter & Angela Belli
 Giovanni Scozzafava – by wife Grazia

11:00 Ed Desson – by daughter Sandra Desson
 Attilio Carlesimo – by Gina Paquette
 Polly Aquino – by Ralph & Alita,
 Eric & ,Sarah Elefante
 Vito Barone – by wife Maria Barone
 Anthony Patrick Barone – by mother Maria
 Joseph & Maria - by family

June 22 Monday - N O M A S S

June 23 Tuesday - Saint John Fisher

8:00 Theresa Lococo – by friends

June 24 Wednesday-Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

8:00 DeFilippo & Della Cioppa families-by family

June 25 Thursday - Blessed Jutta of Thuringia

8:00 Rocco Girolamo – by Donna Caldwell

June 26 Friday - Blessed Raymond Lull

9:00 Rosa,Alfredo,Nicolina Mucciarone
 - by A.DiRienzo
 Salvatore Mancuso-by wife Angela & family
 Domenico Cameli – by daughters Mary & Rita
 Caterina Lagrotteria & Pietropaulo Scalese –
 by Gennaro Scalese

June 27 Saturday - Saint Cyril of Alexandria

4:00 Alberto Carlesimo – by sister Gina Paquette

June 28 SUNDAY – 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 Benedetto DiRienzo – by wife Angelina
 Franco Gallo – by Iorio family
 Luigi Scozzafava – by wife Teresa
 Efsia Orsini – by Joe & Maria Orsini
 Iole & Serafino Puglielli – by Joe/Maria Orsini

11:00 Peter Tirabasso – by Tony & Nancy Mazzei
 Teddy B. Bulaclac Sr. – by Fitas Hernandez
 Lillian Cheung – by Christine Lee

GOSPEL MESSAGE

What prevents us from being authentic disciples of Jesus Christ?

Fear? Doubt? Rejection?

We might have a divided heart, We hear many voices and we fail to choose to listen to the Voice of God. We confuse the voice of God in our consciences with the other many voices we hear. Jesus' call: "Do not be afraid!" is a call for faith revival and entrust ourselves to God's providence.

MESSAGGIO DEL VANGELO

Cosa ci impedisce di essere autentici discepoli di Gesù Cristo?

Paura? Dubbio? Negare Dio?

Può essere un cuore diviso, sentire molte voci e non scegliere di ascoltare la Voce di Dio. Molte volte confondiamo la voce di Dio nella nostra coscienza con le altre voci che sentiamo. L'invito di Gesù: "Non abbiate paura!" é un invito a rinnovare la fede e ad affidarci alla provvidenza di Dio.

WEEKLY QUOTE

"The world is thy ship and not thy home!"

St. Therese of Lisieux

We Christians believe that earthly life is simply a temporary voyage and that Heaven is our ultimate destination.

Father's Day - 21 June

Dear God, our Heavenly Father,

Thank you for the gift of our fathers. They protect us, provide for us, counsel us, and guide us. Our fathers motivate us to dream big and to follow our dreams. They give us a truth to believe in, a vision to seek, a purpose to live for, and a destiny to fulfill. Our dads stand in Your place, O God, until the day we meet You, face to face.

Protect our fathers, guide them, and be a Father to them! Console them. Renew their faith, hope, and courage. Show them how to best lead and provide for their families in these challenging times.

O Lord, give our fathers joy! Let them feel Your love in their hearts and Your peace in their souls. May they know and enjoy the love of their families and friends this day as well.

Dear Saint Joseph, husband of Mary, pray for our fathers and give them your strength, your integrity, and your purity of heart. May they never lose heart in their sacred mission of leading their family to heaven.

Dear Lord, may our dads truly enjoy a wonderful Father's Day! In Jesus' name. Amen.

ROSES FOR LIFE – THIS WEEKEND

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring ROSES FOR LIFE this weekend, June 20th & 21st, in all parishes. Please consider a donation for the roses, as all funds received go to CHOOSE LIFE NIAGARA.

NEXT HOSPITALITY WEEKENDJuly 4th & 5th 2026

All parishioners and visitors are invited for Coffee and light refreshments in the Church Hall after the Masses of Saturday 4th July and Sunday 5th July. Enjoy the company of your faith community and catch up with the events in the parish over coffee or tea offered by *Joe Martuccio in loving memory of Costanza Martuccio and Lili Martuccio-Custode.*

DELTA BINGO FUNDS

We would like to sincerely thank Mr. Tony Romano, Tom Mingle, and all the volunteers who represent and who have represented St. Ann Church at DELTA BINGO every month. We are most grateful for these funds which are used to help defray some of our operating expenses as well as to help those less fortunate. Over the past year we have provided a \$500 scholarship to St. Michael Catholic High School and a \$500 scholarship to St. Paul Catholic High School as well as a sizeable donation to Project Share.

St. Ann Parish Monthly Supper**Thursday – 2nd July**

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 by Vittoria Wikstonin Memory ofGino & Maria Visca**SERRA CLUB OF ST. CATHARINES
ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT**

The Serra Club invites you to their “On Eagle’s Wings” 6th Annual Golf Tournament taking place Thursday, August 13th 2026, at Niagara National Golf and Country Club (2900 College Road, Stevensville). Early bird registration is \$150. For golf and dinner or \$55.00 for dinner only. Visit <https://serrastc.ca/golf-tournament-2026/> for registration information. Your generosity will help Serra to continually support our seminarians, diaconate candidates and religious sisters in formation.

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!

THE DIGNITY OF HUMAN LIFE

“Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you, and before you were born, I consecrated you”.
(Jer. 1:5)

“Science attests that life begins at fertilization, when a new and unique living human being comes into existence....At conception, our gender, our genetic make up and eye and hair colour are already determined....The more we learn about science, the more we understand the teachings of the church and the unique value of the unborn baby!”

From the beginning, every human being is not just a body, but also an immortal soul, with a unique and eternal connection with God, our creator.”

*(excerpts from the Irish, English and Scottish bishops’
Message for Life!)*

**MOUNT CARMEL SPIRITUAL CENTRE
SEMINARS – by ANNA RACINE**Saturday 25th July 2026....

Finding God in the Every Day - \$70

June 26-28 SEASONS OF GRIEF - \$350.

www.carmelniagara.com – 905-356-4113**National Indigenous Peoples Day – 21 June****PRAYER FOR TOLERANCE, FORGIVENESS,
RECONCILIATION**

*O God, Creator and Father of all,
With humility we your children acknowledge
The relationship of all living things.*

*For this we thank you, we praise you
And we worship you.*

*We call on you, Great Mystery,
The Word made Flesh*

*Our teacher, prophet and brother –
To open our hearts to all our brothers and sisters,
And with them to grow in the wisdom, honesty,
Courage and respectfulness shown in
The Sacred Teachings.*

*O Creator, show us the way to healing,
Forgiveness and reconciliation
And a renewed fellowship.*

AMEN!**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND 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, Ida Gaudet, Salvatore LoGreco, Nancy Mazzei, Virginia McConnell, Patricia Millington, André Milot, Teresa Moriello, June Myers, Tina Pupo, Bettina Paola, Marina Paul, Teresa Scozzafava, Gregg Serles, Mary Slovak, Deanna Spaetzel, Don Taddeo, Marianna Weber