



30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, October 28, 2018

Weekend Liturgy Times

Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 9:00 & 11:00 am

Pastor: Rev. Asisclo Podelino p.p. **Deacon:** Rev. Douglas Penn

Secretary: Mrs. Patricia Elcome **Office Hours:** M-F, 9am-3pm

Private Reconciliation

Saturday 4-4:30, Sunday 8-8:30, 10-10:30 or by appt.

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Schedule & Intentions (Oct. 29 – Nov. 4)

Please Note: This week we will pray Morning Prayer of the Church 15 minutes before daily Masses in the Chapel.

Monday, October 29

9:00 am Special Intention for Dale Carpenter

Tuesday, October 30

9:00 am Special Intention for Ashlyn/Paige/Talin

Wednesday, October 31

9:00 am

Thursday, November 1

9:00 am

Friday, November 2

10:30 am Adoration

11:30 am Mass

For Thomas Joseph Donnelley by Dennie

Saturday, November 3

5:00 pm For the Deceased members of the Cuccio & Labrecque Families

Sunday, November 4

9:00 am Mass for the People

11:00 am For Theo Welter by the CWL

Readings for Next Sunday

1st Reading: Deut. 6.2-6

2nd Reading: Heb. 7.23-28

Gospel: Mk. 12.28-34



Ministries for Next Week: Nov. 3/4

Readers

5 pm Joachim Baur, Kevin Money

9 am Lucie Owen, Dennie Radcliffe

11 am Doris Araujo, Sylvia Vanhaverbeke



Eucharistic Ministers

5 pm Deacon Doug, Natalie Stretton, Eileen Parry

9 am Deacon Doug, Lucie Owen, Kathy Mercz

11 am Deacon Doug, Helen Cartier, Gerry Gualandris



Ushers

5 pm Fred Horvath, Linda Pleasance

9 am Lou Speziale, Joe Mercz

11 am Pete Peters, Emy Talusan



Children's Liturgy

11 am Cindy Pearce

****Children's Liturgy is intended for children in Kindergarten – Grade 2. Younger children are welcome but must be accompanied by an adult****



Altar Servers

5 pm Adult Servers

9 am Please serve at the Mass you attend.

11 am Thomas J., Tony



Altar Servers Needed

Anyone interested in this rewarding ministry (young or young at heart!) please call the Parish Office. Training is provided!



SSVP Information

For assistance please call 905 786 2249.



Financial Information

October 13/14

Offertory \$ 1,440.00

Capital Fund \$ 610.00



Thank you for your generosity!

Weekly Offering Option

Are you aware that we offer the service of using automatic withdrawal for your parish weekly offering? With this electronic support, you decide what a fair and constant contribution is for you, and set that up with our Parish Secretary.



From the Pastor's Desk

The Way of Prayer

Are there various ways to pray?

Yes, there is vocal prayer, meditation, and contemplative prayer.

All three ways of prayer presuppose recollecting one's mind and heart.



What happens if you do not feel anything when you pray or even experience reluctance to pray?

Distractions during prayer, the feeling of interior emptiness and dryness, indeed, even an aversion to prayer are experienced by everyone who prays. Then to persevere faithfully is itself already a prayer.

Even St. Therese of Lisieux for a long time could not sense God's love at all. Shortly before her death she was visited one night by her sister Celine. She noticed that Therese's hands were clasped together. "What are you doing? You should try to sleep", Celine said. "I Cannot. I am suffering too much. But I am praying", Therese replied. "And what do you say to Jesus?" I do not say anything to him. I love Him."

Children's Sacrament News

Parents whose children attend the public school or French Immersion Schools and who wish their child to receive the Confirmation are asked to contact the Parish Office.



Words of Pope Francis

When we listen to the Word of God, we obtain the courage and perseverance to offer the best of ourselves to others.



Sunday Funny Goodbye Mom

A young man shopping in a supermarket noticed a little old lady following him around. If he stopped, she stopped, and she kept staring at him. She finally overtook him at the checkout, and she turned to him and said, "I hope I haven't made you feel ill at ease; it's just that you look so much like my late son." He answered, "That's okay."

"I know it's silly, but if you'd call out 'Good bye, Mum' as I leave the store, it would make me feel so happy." She then went through the checkout, and as she was on her way out of the store, the man called out, "Good bye, Mum." The little old lady waved and smiled back at him. Pleased that he had brought a little sunshine into someone's day, he went to pay for his groceries.

"That comes to \$121.85," said the clerk.

"How come so much? I only bought 5 items."

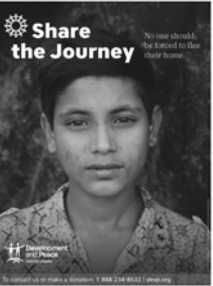
"The clerk replied, "Yeah, but your Mother said you'd be paying for her things too."



Development & Peace – Caritas Canada

Fall Campaign – Share the Journey

Pope Francis launched the campaign during his weekly audience in St. Peter's Square on Sept. 27, 2017. The Share the Journey campaign brings together more than 200 Catholic organizations. This includes Development & Peace – Caritas Canada, Catholic Relief Services – USA, CAFOD – England and Wales, and our sister Caritas agencies in every continent.



Pope Francis challenges us all to open our arms wide to welcome refugees, and all forced to leave their homes and possessions, who set off in hope, in the true sense of the word, hope being all that they have left.

Together, we will call on all our governments, and on all people, to play their part in welcoming and protecting people forced to flee their homes due to armed conflict, climate change, development megaprojects, persecution...The causes of forced displacement are multiple, interwoven and complex.

Postcard signing will be Nov. 18 – more information next week.

Thank you, Thank you!!

The SSVP would like to thank our parishioners and St. Francis of Assisi School for the food that was donated for the less fortunate in our community. Our shelves are stocked again!



Today!! World Mission Collection

This is a worldwide collection for the missionary Church that provides emergency aid when disaster strikes, cares for refugees in war torn countries, and provides rural and health clinics and transportation for priests, catechists, religious and lay pastoral workers. It provides financial support for the daily needs of all missionaries. Please pray for the missions.



The Televised Daily Mass Schedule

Televised from St. Basil's Church in Toronto.

CTS – Monday – Friday @ 1:00 pm EST

Salt & Light TV – Monday – Saturday @ 11:00 am, 3:00 pm, 10:30 pm and 2:30 am EST

Vision TV – Daily Mass – 8:00 am, 12:00 pm

Canadian Tire Money

A big thank you from the CWL to all those who have donated Canadian Tire money.

The money will be used to purchase prizes for the Penny Sale at our upcoming bazaar.

We are still accepting donations; coupons can be put in the box in the Gathering Room beside the Religious Articles Table.

