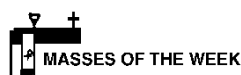


SUNDAY (Liturgical will change to current date each week)



† This symbol signifies repose of the soul.

Sunday, September 6

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m.

For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish

10:30 a.m.

For the intentions of the Handmaids of the Lord

For the intention of Lauren, by her father, Adam

Tuesday, September 8

The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 a.m.

For Fr. Vincent's intentions, by a parishioner

Wednesday, September 9

Weekday

9:00 a.m.

†*For the souls in purgatory*

Thursday, September 10

Weekday

9:00 a.m.

Friday, September 11

Weekday

9:00 a.m.

Saturday, September 12

Weekday

4:30 p.m.

For the protection of Canada & for the well-being of all its citizens, by a parishioner

†Elmer Hratzay, by Ron Sorobey

Sunday, September 13

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m.

For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish

10:30 a.m.

For the intentions of the Handmaids of the Lord

*For John & David Poirier (brothers), by
Kathleen Lynch*

PLEASE NOTE:

Tues.-Fri. 9am Masses – only 1 intention per Mass (ideally)

Sat. Vigil & Sun. 10:30am Masses – can have up to 3 intentions

Please remember these sick people in your prayers:

Michelle Boyer, Nickie Shaw, Marie-Andrée Boyer, Raechel McIntyre, Zygmunt Wysocki, Lily Harmon, Debby MacAdam, Michael Budge, Robby Felteau, Elaine Taylor, Wanda Staples, Judette & Marie, Marilyn Donoghue, Aline Lafleur Raymond, Paul O' Leary, Michaela Fong, Julie Robinson, Deacon Will Read

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION

For the care of water ~

Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it.

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year A)

First Reading: Ezekiel 33.7-9

Second Reading: Romans 13.8-10

Gospel: Matthew 18.15-20



Lectors & Commentators

Saturday, September 12

4:30 p.m.

Marie Comisso

Sunday, September 13

9:00 a.m.

George Hack

10:30 a.m.

Matteo Grutman

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday, September 12

4:30 p.m.

Marisa Fusaro

Sunday, September 13

9:00 a.m.

Denise Corbett – C

Darrell Herauf – EM

10:30 a.m.

Miguel Planas

Vocation Prayer:

That all in the Church will accept their vocation to holiness, we pray to the Lord.

BAZAAR – DROP OFF & PICK UP

The next donation drop off will be **Sat., Sept. 12 (9:30-11am)** in the parish hall. If you have items but need help, please contact Kathleen to arrange a pick up: Kathleen@TalentMatchllc.com.

EMPTY YOUR POCKETS

Thank you so much for your generosity in donating \$366.75 to the food centre at last weekend's Masses. There will be no collection at the end of September. Instead, we encourage you to support the annual Walkathon for the Food Centre, scheduled for Sunday, October 4. Stay tuned for more details.

PARISH AGM

You are warmly invited to the parish's Annual General Meeting on Sunday, Sept. 27, after the 10:30am Mass. BBQ will be served.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children's liturgy classes will start up on Sunday, September 13, after the 10:30am Mass. All children 3 years and up are welcome.

SACRAMENTS FOR CHILDREN

To register for first Holy Communion, Reconciliation and Confirmation for children, please contact Wendy Schieman at 613-230-4552 or speak to her after 9am or 10:30am Sunday Mass.

NEXT BUS TRIP

Make sure you register early for the Fall Market Trip to the Ottawa Valley on October 2. Enjoy the beautiful Fall colours with friends and family. \$45.00

DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMAGE

On October 3, join a pilgrimage to Wilno, ON, with Fr. Marcus Schonnop and Fr. John Ogbaje. To register, contact Stan & Maria: mhbielec@gmail.com or 613-227-5900.

ANSWER THE CALL BENEFIT GALA (OCT. 29)

Mark your calendars! You are invited to the Answer the Call Benefit Gala, an evening of faith, fellowship, and joyful support for priestly vocations in our Archdiocese:

October 29th (5-9 p.m.)
Ottawa Conference and Event Centre
\$165 per person
A partial tax receipt issued with each ticket



For tickets, scan the QR code or visit:
www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/ADOC/events/gala-26

MINISTRY OF LECTORS, COMMENTATORS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Each weekend Mass, we welcome the congregation, proclaim the Word, and assist during Communion. In each role, we can participate more actively and meaningfully in Mass. If you feel called to serve as a Lector, Commentator, or Eucharistic Minister, please contact Cathy: 613-565-6179 or cathy.daylily@gmail.com.

EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE

Pilgrimage to Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg with Fr. Francis Ching, CC. April 22 – May 4, 2027. 13 days/11 nights with a 2-day optional extension to May 6. Price includes all costs except for 10 lunches. \$7335 per person (double occ.). Info. meeting on Nov. 15 (2pm) at St. Mary's parish. For more info., contact Laurie Courchesne-Dooley: 613-732-5739 or lafrcondo@outlook.com.

SAINTS OF THE DAY:

Sts. Joseph of Arimathea and Nicodemus

Joseph was a respected, wealthy civic leader who had become a disciple of Jesus. Following the death of Jesus, Joseph obtained Jesus' body from Pilate, wrapped it in fine linen and buried it. For these reasons, Joseph is considered the patron saint of funeral directors and pallbearers. More important is the courage Joseph showed in asking Pilate for Jesus' body. Jesus was a condemned criminal who had been publicly executed. According to some legends, Joseph was punished and imprisoned for such a bold act.

Nicodemus was a Pharisee and, like Joseph, an important first-century Jew. We know from John's Gospel that Nicodemus went to Jesus at night—secretly—to better understand his teachings about the kingdom. Later, he spoke up for Jesus at the time of his arrest and assisted in Jesus' burial. We know little else about Nicodemus.

Reflection

Celebrating these two contemporaries of Jesus who played significant roles in Jesus' life reminds us of the humanity of Jesus and how he related to his fellow men and women. His gentleness to these two and his acceptance of their help remind us that he treats us in the same gentle way.

Source: Franciscan Media

“For me, prayer is a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy.”

- St. Theresa of the Child Jesus