29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 17th St. Ignatius of Antioch

† James Pakiyanayagam 9:00 a.m. Tony Ramalho -and-

Tuesday, October 18th St. Luke, Evangelist

9:00 a.m. † Stephen Mielko

> † Gino & Antonietta Luison -and-

Wednesday, October 19th St's John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues

† Charlotte Olivia Feletar 9:00 a.m. † Emma Kate Feletar -and-

> Special Intention for Agnes Morgan -and-

Thursday, October 20th

Donna Atkinson 9:00 a.m. † Gloria Demers -and-

Friday, October 21st

† Fr. Thomas Cresswell 9:00 a.m. Special Intention for -and-Andrew & Deirdre Natale

Saturday, October 22nd St. John Paul II

† Karen Derousie 9:00 a.m. -and-Richard Kosian

5:00 p.m. † Rosaria Deane

† Fr. Wilfrid McAneney -and-

Sunday, October 23rd

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

† Mary Theresa MacFadyen 9:00 a.m. Special Intention for Paz De Leon -and-

10:30 a.m. † Ernest Huggins

> † Deceased Members of -and-

the Kubik Family

† Fr. Trevor Plug 12 noon

Special Intention for Gail Tymchuk -and-

A MESSAGE FROM FR. STEPHEN INNAMORATI

Dear Friends in Christ:

I was recently diagnosed with cancer and will be taking a leave of absence from St. Joseph's to focus on treatment. I am optimistic and hopeful about treatment and my goal and aim is to return to ministry once I am able to do so. Please keep me in your prayers as I begin treatment and be always assured of my prayers for you every day. There would be no reason for me to be a priest if I was not continually praying for the people of God. We hold up in prayer too, everyone who is facing down this insidious disease. Prayer is one of the most powerful weapons in our arsenal. I am grateful for Fr. Bill's assistance to Fr. Rico and the parish in my absence. I look ahead and forward to returning to St. Joseph's. In Christ,

Fr. Stephen

FR. RICO'S GOD TALK

This is a weekly Bible Study that meets via Zoom at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesdays. Our next meeting is on Tuesday, October 18th. We will study John, Chapter 8. Visit our website for the link to join our meetings. ALL are welcome!

GOD'S PLAYBOOK PODCAST

Have you ever had a religious question you never knew the answer to?....or why we do certain things questions at church...well ask vour godsplaybookpodcast@gmail.com or leave your question in the box provided in the foyer and listen in the future to hear your question being answered, with your host, Fr. Rico Passero. Episodes are launched daily. Subscribe on the Facebook pagefacebook.com/GodsPlaybook and copy this link to begin to the podcastslistening godsplaybook.buzzsprout.com

TEACHERS NEEEDED!

for the Little Spirits Program at the 10:30 a.m. Mass on Sundays. Commitment would only be 2.5 hours/month. Please contact the parish office if you can help out!

MEMORIAL MASS

Sunday, November 6th at 6:30 p.m.

Each year, at the Parish of St. Joseph, we hold a Memorial Mass to commemorate relatives and loved ones that have died in the past year leading up to All Souls' Day (the Commemoration of all of the Faithful Departed). The parish office mails an invitation to the next of kin of all of the deceased, whose church or chapel service was presided over by one of the priests of our parish. If you are a parishioner who lost a loved one this past year, whose service did not take place at our parish, please contact the parish office before October 17th if you would like us to include your loved one in this beautiful Mass.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The RCIA is a process by which adults, continuing on their journey of faith, are fully initiated into the life of the Catholic Church. Participants may include: Those who have never been baptized (Catechumens). Those baptized in another faith tradition (Candidates). Baptized Catholics who have not received other sacraments or instruction in the faith.

The goal of initiation is not simply to receive the sacraments but discipleship in Jesus Christ. The whole parish is responsible for the RCIA through their prayer, witness and attention given to Catechumens and Candidates. Please call the parish office to register. For Catholics interested in the lesson of the week, this week we study "Sacred Places in the Church, Vestments and Vessels" Please join us at 7:30 p.m.

This program has begun and runs weekly on Wednesdays from 7-8:30 p.m. All are welcome!

THANKS FROM THE PEROGIE TEAM!

To all of our perogie customers and "pinching" volunteers, we want to say a very heartfelt THANKS! We successfully made over 200 dozen of those delightful pouches of potatoes, cheese and onion. Based on this outcome, we will be running our next perogie production on Wednesday, November 30th, just in time for Christmas. Mark your calendars and watch for further announcements in the bulletin.

P.S. We may not spell Perogie correctly but, we do know how to make them!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. All parishioners are invited to join the K of C for the 5th Sunday Rosary Prayer on Sunday, October 30th at 1:15 p.m. after the 12 noon Mass.

<u>Drive Thru Bottle Drive</u>: Saturday, November 5th from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. in the church parking lot. We will be collecting recyclable, refundable beer, liquor and wine containers to support our local community charities.

ALL SOULS' ENVELOPES

Please clearly print the names of your loved ones on the envelope attached to this bulletin, place your donation inside and leave in the basket provided at the foot of the ambo. These special loved ones will be added to our <u>Book of Life</u> in front of the sanctuary and prayed for at every Mass throughout the month of November. Please note that there will be over 40 Masses offered for your loved one, so please include your appropriate monetary offering inside accordingly.



ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



SOCTOBER is back! The CWL will once again be collecting new

socks to support various agencies helping the needy in the Niagara Region. Collection bins will be in the church foyer throughout the month of October. Our thanks for your support!

COUPLES CELEBRATING SPECIAL ANNIVERSARIES

Because there will not be a formal Mass and dinner celebration held this November for married couples who have celebrated or will celebrate a special wedding anniversary in 2022, Bishop Bergie would like to send you a congratulatory certificate. If you are celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th or 60th anniversary in 2022, please complete a registration form in the parish office.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday. It is a global celebration of the universal church. Your prayer and donations will assist churches, hospitals, schools and the training of priests. The donations that the Catholic communities throughout the world receive through World Mission Sunday, will assist them to be self-sufficient and continue to flourish.