

30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Monday, October 24th St. Anthony Mary Claret

9:00 a.m. † Barbara Derosie
-and- † Nella & Nicola Mucci

Tuesday, October 25th

9:00 a.m. † Fr. Ben Vanco
-and- Special Intention
for Fr. Stephen Innamorati

Wednesday, October 26th

9:00 a.m. † Carole Kampman
-and- † Karen Derosie

Thursday, October 27th

9:00 a.m. † Antonio Colalillo
-and- † Jerome-Michael Alexis
-and- † Jason Munt

Friday, October 28th Saints Simon and Jude

9:00 a.m. † Tony Passero
-and- Special Intention for
Fr. Rico Passero

Saturday, October 29th

9:00 a.m. † Fr. Stanley Bijak
-and- Special Intention for Dave Blais

5:00 p.m. † Pat McMahon
-and- † Fr. Bruno Bonomi

Sunday, October 30th

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. † Fr. James Chiaro
-and- Special Intention for
Terry Clark-Orsborn

10:30 a.m. † Ernest Huggins
-and- Special Intention for
Fr. Stephen Innamorati

12 noon † Msgr. Raymond Montague
-and- Parishioners of St. Joseph,
Living & Deceased

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, November 1st. 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 at church...well ask your questions to:

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 page- facebook.com/GodsPlaybook and copy this link to begin listening to the podcasts- godsplaybook.buzzsprout.com

I love my
Catholic Moms Group.com
LOVE. LAUGHTER. MOMENTS OF GRACE.

Our next Mom's & Tot's meeting will take place on Friday, October 28th from 6-7:30 p.m. Join us as we prepare for a Grace Filled November and pray for our loved ones. Coffee and tea are provided and feel free to bring your kids!

OCTOBER 23, 2022

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 by Monday, October 24th 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 "The Mass" 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!

FOR THE YOUTH OF OUR PARISH... LIFE TEEN

This term, our Young Adult Program will be running Alpha Youth. Taking place over 9 weeks, this invitational program is open to all students in High School regardless of their faith. Our next session is on Tuesday, October 25th from 2-3:30 p.m. in the Youth Room. Join us for a meal and bring a friend! Please RSVP so we can order enough food!

EDGE

Will take place at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesdays this year. It is open for all students in grades 5-8 in the youth Room. We kicked off last week and we are all excited for our next session on October 25th at 6:30 p.m. we will be having a DINNER MYSTERY so please RSVP so that we know how many characters to plan for! Going to be a ton of fun!

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.

Drive Thru Bottle Drive: 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 Book of Life 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. Please submit your names no later than October 27th. Thank you!



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.

The Diocesan Anniversary Mass will be held on Friday, November 25th at 11:00 a.m. at the Cathedral of St. Catherine of Alexandria. Parishioners from across the Diocese are welcome to attend.