Saint Patrick's Church

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Parish Staff

Rev. Gerard Power, O.Carm., Pastor (Director in Canada, Society of the Little Flower) Rev. Marc Bell, O.Carm., Associate Pastor Rev. Mr. David Scott, Deacon Debbie Herman, Secretary Alice Corfield, Bookkeeper Secretary Brian Kneller, Caretaker

Music Ministry

Carol Martin - Director of Music Sandra DiCienzo - Organist Tim Marrie - Pianist and Soloist Anthony Scaringi - Pianist and Organist Ashley Gallardi-Pietrangelo - Soloist

Office Hours:

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:00, 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Closed on Weekends & Holidays

Sunday Mass Schedule Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 8:00, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.

Weekday Mass Schedule Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.

Reconciliation Saturday 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

Baptism

Once monthly at 1:00 p.m. on Sunday Preparation for Parents and Godparents required.

Marriage

Please contact the parish office at least six months in advance. Preparation weekend is required.

Schools

St. Patrick School905-354-6631St. Mary School905-354-7744

Diocese of St. Catharines (est. 1958) Most Rev. Gerard Bergie, D.D., Bishop

Parish Established 1858 Church Dedicated 1895

New Parishioners are asked to complete a parish registration form.

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Mass Latentians
Saturday, July 1 Canada Day St Junipero Serra 5:00 Alexandra Scott & Cecil Gozansky req. by Dave & Maggie Giuseppe & Libera Iacobaccio req. by the Family Sunday, July 2
 8:00 James Shepherd req. by Debbie Jane Shepherd Linda & Achille Paolin req. by the Paolin Family 9:30 Mario Turra req. by Maria & Family
Dec'd mem of the Tonet & Rondinelli Fam <i>req. by Alba & Ann Marie</i> 11:30 People of the Parish
Monday, July 3 Saint Thomas 8:00 Ron Liberty req. by Belle Liberty
Tuesday, July 4 St Elizabeth of Portugal USA Independence Day
8:00 Johnny MacLean Jr. req by Mom, Dad & Jacob Dave Naar req. by Mildred & John Naar & Family
Wednesday, July 5 St Anthony Zaccaria 8:00 World Peace
Thursday, July 6 St Maria Goretti 8:00 Fred Persia reg. by Sam & Christine St. Angelo
Friday, July 7
8:00 Gerry Fassett <i>req. by Aileen & Bryce</i> Saturday, July 8
5:00 Vincent & Ruby Crowley req. by the Family Vincent Audibert req. by Fred & Betty
Sunday, July 9
8:00 People of the Parish9:30 Giustino 'Gus' Bagarozza req. by Kathy Bagarozza
Sal Pietrangelo req. by Mary DiCarlo & Family 11:30 Jackie Cavasin req. by Norm & Family
Gerald Shugg req. by his Wife: Cecilia & Sons
Monday, July 10 8:00 Francesco Mastropierro <i>req. by the Family</i>
Tuesday, July 11 St Benedict 8:00 Gaetan Buteau <i>reg. by the Family</i>
Wednesday, July 12 8:00 Dariusz Rebisz <i>reg. by the Family</i>
Jessanne Martino req. by Joe Martino & Meg Mulligan
Thursday, July 13 St Henry 8:00 Helen Ogilvie req. by Sam & Chris St. Angelo & Ogilvie Families
Louise, Zig & Dave Kiraly <i>req. by Mildred & John Naar & Family</i> Friday, July 14 St Camillus de Lellis & St Kateri Tekakwitha
8:00 Fred Persia req. by Lillian Winslow
Saturday, July 15 St Bonaventure 5:00 Anita & Roger Archambault <i>req. by Jeanne Lea & Family</i>
Gregory Ogilvie <i>req. by Ashley & Rico Menechella & Ogilvie Families</i> Sunday, July 16 The Blessed Virgin Mary of Mount Carmel
8:00 People of the Parish
9:30 Fred Girardo Jr. req. by the Family Mark Stewart req. by Mom & Dad
11:30 Bruna Panucci <i>req. by her Family</i> Jerry & Lia Nieuwesteeg <i>req. by the Family</i>
CWL News Everyone is welcome July & August we will be praying
the Rosary on Wednesday evenings at 7pm Fairview Cemetery, entrance off Stanley Avenue. There is a nice green patch we use!!
Bring your Rosaries and a chair and join us!! Hope to see you there!!
Weekday Rosary
Every morning at 7:30, the Holy Rosary is prayed in St. Patrick Church. Keep Mary in mind, and Jesus will grow in your heart!
Upcoming Weddings at St. Patrick's in July
Lucia Leone & Daniel DeMizio
Catalina Pardo & Paul Murphy



Please continue to bring food items to Mass for Project Share! Every item helps! "Lord, when did we see you hungry?"

Rest in Peace... We pray for the souls of Mary Giuriato and Betty Abbruscato. May they rest in peace. Please remember their families in your prayers.

Please pray for those who are ill

Mary Power, Sherry Wales, Karyn McEvoy, Pamela Jones, Maureen Young, Maureen Tustin, Maureen Watson, Tony Laslo, Michael DelGrande, Mary F Hanlon, Leila Khan, David Gallina, Andrew Zacharuk, Patrick Macri, Alba Rondinelli, John Pritty, Nancy Waters, Natalie Speth, Cecilia Shugg, Jeanne S, John & Laura Giampa, Christine Pritty, Antoinette Vescio, Charlene Shannon, Sandra DeFoe, Ron O'Neill, Missy Bilotta, Mary Lou Gallardi, Flori Heimbigner, Toni Brideau, Anna Hunt, Robert Morningstar, Leon French, Isabell Frost, Leroy Collee, Elaine Pampena, Rita Ross, Teresa Calzonetti Spiller, Tony Cuviello, Jim & Betty Calzonetti, Eric Van Noort, Marcellina Mativo, William JA DeFoe, Sr. Carol Forhan CPPS, Judy, D.D., Estelle Critelli, Betty Crete, Bernadette Moore, Andrea Fisher, Sister Prem, Joe Young, Kelsey Liles, Julian Cassidy, Kelly Laslo, Mahmat, Jeannette Fabian, Teresa Hebb, Rose MacDonald, Edward Brzozowski, Lori Ann Pizzolato, Pat DiLorenzo Jr., JoAnne Biamonte Ely, Karen Bradley, Corinne Journeau, Tom Hilton, Carmine Astorino, Bob Marshall, Arlene Collee, Betty & Mary Ann Quigley, Danielle Barranca, Nancy Weiss, Brian Smith, Gregory Roulston, Cameron Boyes, Samuel Potapczyk, Kerrie Szuch, Norma Zanus, John Nicks, Pasquale Abrunzo, John Calder, Todd Reid, Anna Chayer, Patricia Williams, Nancy Praakel, Jeanne Lea, Rebecca Evans, Nancy Huber, Denise Colalillo, John Cox, Francesco Albanese, Margaret Smith, Nikki Mansfield, Baby Victoria, Carmella Modenti, Donna Bradley, Elizabeth Stachura, Michelle Price, Vito Fuccillo, Bernard Martin, Joyce Weaver, Emmanuel & Aline Chayer, Margaret Waghorn, Vicki Lea-Dawson, Evelyn Rose Baker, Lorraine Spence, Patricia O'Reilly, Gloria Smelko, Conner Hawkswell, Jackie, Fran Smelko, John Smelko, Jozefa Bilski, Mary Jo O'Kell, Robert & Maria Melchiorre, Mary Brennan, Faith Amadio, Cheryl Granton, Alessia Commisso, Trina Washington, Maria Guerin, Jadwiga Wozniak, John O'Leary, Walter Wallace, D.H., Francois Chayer, Julie Nicholson, Patrick McCarthy, Stefanie Borin, Pepper Martin Jr, Cheryl D'Ammizio Please help us update our list of those who are homebound, infirm, or hospitalized by calling the parish office.

Collections

June 18: \$5,178.00 June 25: \$5,737.00 Many thanks for your generosity!

Baptism Schedule for 2023

Baptisms will be celebrated in St. Patrick Church at 1:00 PM on: Sunday July 23, Aug 20, Sept 17, Oct 22 & Nov 26. A mandatory meeting for Parents and Godparents will be held in the Church on Tuesday, Jul 11, Aug 8, Sept 5, Oct 10 & Nov 14 at 7:00 pm.

Sacrament of Baptism...Congratulations on the birth of your child! If you wish to have your child baptized, please register in the parish (if you haven't already done so). One of the parents must come into the parish office, meet with the pastor or his designate, so we can complete the proper forms, and gather the necessary information. We encourage parents and Godparents to make an effort to attend liturgies in the parish community. We also have a mandatory evening of preparation for parents and Godparents!



Congratulations and best wishes to Maeve Dunham, Connor Dunn, Finn Fairgrieve, Steven Kiradjian & Lucas Size who were recently baptized

Little Flower Society Cards



St. Patrick Parish Office has Mass Cards in stock from the Carmelite's Little Flower Society? We have Healing Mass Cards, Living Intentions, Five-Year Memorial Cards, and also Perpetual Memorial Cards. By using those cards, you not only comfort a family member or friend, but you also support the mission of the Carmelites, our Carmelite Vocation Efforts, and our

Carmelite Formation Programs in several countries.

Check out our website: http://www.stpatricknf.ca

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SUMMER BULLETINS

Until Labour Day, our parish bulletin will be published every other Sunday! Mass intentions for two weeks will appear in the same bulletin. Have a blessed summer.

Dear Friends,

Happy Canada Day! Happy 156th Birthday to our great country! May we give God thanks and praise for all the freedoms we enjoy in this nation! We are truly blessed.

It's hard to believe July is here already! Congratulations to all our Elementary and High School Graduates! The celebrations of Graduation and the Closing School Masses were beautiful! We pray that the summer will be a safe one for our students. May God bless and protect our students, teachers, principals, vice-Principals, EA's and staff. May you have a restful and joyful summer.

Fr. Gerard

13th Sunday [Matthew 10: 37-42] July 2, 2023 Hospitality is highlighted in today's First Reading and Gospel. The Prophet Elisha was warmly welcomed when he entered a town. A woman provided him with warm and gracious hospitality. Elisha knew she had no children and she was well beyond child-bearing years! But you guessed it! She was rewarded by God. The ancient people believed that each person should be welcomed as though one were welcoming God! Jesus moves this virtue of hospitality into Christian times in today's Gospel. Hospitality is far more than being a good host at a dinner party. Hospitality means encountering the presence of God in others, usually in those whom we least expect, and then nourishing that presence. When we practice genuine hospitality, then the stranger is no longer a stranger, but a member of our family! A good week to pray for an openness to God's presence in ways we least expect.

14th Sunday [Matthew 11: 25-30] July 9, 2023

Our Gospel this Sunday has some very comforting words from Jesus, "Come to me all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest!" A wonderful week to bring our heartaches, our worries, our torments, our brokenness, our loneliness, our fears, to the Lord. Allow Him to fill our lives with good things! In order to do this we need to trust Him! Sometimes we need to get out of God's way... and let him work in and through us! And sometimes we need to get out of our OWN way... out of our own wills, to allow God in! The God who wants to carry us is strong, stronger than our fears, stronger than our struggles! Just let Him do it!!! Let Go and Let God!



"May the Virgin Mary, Mother of listening and attentive service, teach us to be welcoming and hospitable with our brothers and sisters." *Pope Francis*

Prayer of Thanksgiving for Canada

We thank You, O God for the many blessings you have bestowed on the people of Canada. We thank You for the rich gifts of this land, and for those who teach us to live in harmony with its resources. We thank you for every person whose loving work,

leadership and ministry has helped this country shine with the light of Christ.

We ask you to bless this country of Canada;

bless our families and communities with Your peace. Make us good stewards of its resources and inspire us to shine with Christ's light in all that we do. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Church Smile

Sunday school teacher: "Does anyone know what we mean by sins of omission?"

Johnny: "Aren't those the sins we should have committed, but didn't?"

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Because Sunday, July 16th is the Solemnity of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Patroness of the Carmelite Order, we will celebrate all the Masses on **Sunday**, **July 15-16** as Votive Masses to Our Lady. May she shower many blessings on our community. We Carmelites have been serving here at St. Pat's for **148** years!!!



 DID YOU KNOW?
 For those of you who have Celiac Disease or are

 Allergy
 allergic to wheat products, our parish has special approved

 Gluten-Free hosts available. The onus is on you to let the presiding priest know before each Mass. He will ensure that he has it in his ciborium for you.

We have a few parishioners who struggle with perfume allergies! Please keep this in mind as you prepare yourself for Sunday Mass. Just a little dab'll do!

Give thanks Advertisers by calling them first Please take time to look at the back of our Parish Bulletin! These local advertisers pay for the printing/publishing of our bulletin. Let's do everything we can to **patronize**

them, and let them know that you saw their AD here! If there's other family businesses within the parish that would like to advertise, call the company listed on the back of the Bulletin!

Parish Registration

Please help keep our records up to date! You may bring this form to the parish office or place it in the collection.

PostalCode:

Name:

Address:_____

City:

Telephone:_____

I am new in the parish and wish to register

I wish to use contribution envelopes

I have recently moved

I have changed my phone number

We have married & wish to update our information



