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*Give thanks to the Lord for
His many Blessings
On Thanksgiving*

WORSHIP IN OUR PARISH

Liturgical Calendar

Monday, October 14

9:00 a.m.

Armindo Lopes offered by the Fernandes Family

Tuesday, October 15

7:00 p.m. Mass

Elysia Osztrovics offered by Cathy Hoogstraten

Wednesday, October 16

8:30 a.m. Mass

Deceased Knights of Columbus Members offered by
Knights of Columbus 16418, Burford

Thursday, October 17

9:00 a.m. Mass

Mass with Blessed Sacrament School
Karl & Julia Hepp offered by Joan Hepp

11:30 a.m. Mass

Mass with St. Theresa School

Friday, October 18

8:30 a.m. Mass

Amanda MacDonald offered by the Ritter Family

Saturday, October 19

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. Mass

Karl Hepp offered by St. Vincent De Paul, Burford

Sunday, October 20

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 a.m. Mass

For All Our Parishioners (Both Parishes)

Sanctuary Candle for the Intentions of Shauna and
Michael requested by Pearl Szabo

On-Line Giving/E-Tithing for

September, 2019.	\$ 1,135.00
Weekend Contributions	\$ 1,985.00



PARISH NEWS

Thanksgiving Day Mass: Monday, October 14 at 9:00 a.m.

Welcome Patti Field: We are happy to welcome our newest member to the pastoral team. Patti has accepted the position of **Hall Coordinator**. We wish Patti much success and we look forward to her work among us for years to come.

Adult Faith Formation: If any adult is interested in becoming Catholic or any baptized Catholic would like to complete his/her initiation by receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation, please contact Fr. Peter through the Parish Office. Also, if any parishioner is interested in helping Fr. Peter with the program, please contact him.

Important Dates for 2020: Parents please note that First Communion will be celebrated on **Sunday, May 3** (11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.) and Confirmation on **Tuesday, April 21** at 7:00 p.m. Letters will be made available for parents by next week.

Scare the Hunger: Once again we will partner with Assumption College High School by donating non-perishable food items. Please drop them off at the back of the church for the month of October. The school will collect them on October 30 and donate them to worthy charities in our area, like the St. Vincent de Paul.

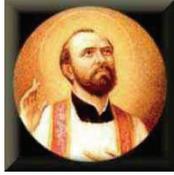
Knights of Columbus Breakfast: Sunday, November 3 after the 9:30 a.m. Mass. Menu: Eggs, ham, pancakes, homefries, toast, jam, tea and coffee. Special 50/50 Draw. Part of the proceeds will help with the Bursary Program for our young people. Cost: \$10 per adult and \$5 for children under 10.

Farmworkers' Mass in Spanish: The last Mass for the season will be celebrated Sunday, October 27 at 7:00 p.m. We will have a supper after Mass hosted by the **Columbus Club of Hamilton**. All are invited. *Bienvenidos!*

Pilgrimage 2020: Fr. Peter will lead a Pilgrimage to Poland, Hungary, Austria and Oberammergau, Germany from May 14-25, 2020. Please pick up a brochure for more information. Register now to secure your place.

Parish Dinner & Dance

Join us on Saturday, Nov 9, 2019 for another Parish Dinner and Dance. For tickets, please see Jerry or Api Stager, or contact us at jerryapistager@gmail.com or 519-443- 4085. Come on out to have a great time.



Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, October 20

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:30 a.m. Mass

Jose Americano offered by Maria Carvalho

General Meeting: All are invited to attend following the Mass on **Sunday, October 20** (with coffee and refreshments). We will discuss the building and property assessment provided by the Diocese. We would like your input as to how we will implement the necessary repairs and upgrades (including the chair lift) after our successful Capital Campaign.

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CWL Meeting: Tuesday, November 5 at 1:30 p.m. in the Hall.

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Contributions \$ 415.50



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GIVING THANKS TO THE LORD

Dear Parishioners:

The Thanksgiving holiday offers us an opportunity not only to gather with family and friends and indulge in a bountiful meal, but to offer thanks to the Lord. The practice of giving thanks to the Lord is seen all throughout the Bible. In Genesis, there are stories of people showing their thanks by giving sacrifices to the Lord. Later, the Israelites expressed thanks by dancing, singing songs, and even feasting.

In the New Testament, hundreds of verses mark the importance of giving thanks, and command us to do so. As natural-born sinners, we frequently become covetous. In remembering to give thanks our focus shifts from what we want, to what we have. We all have so much, and He was the provider.

In that switch of focus comes understanding. When we begin to study what we have, and how it positively affects our lives, our eyes begin to see God's work more frequently. We learn to recognize Him in the smallest of gestures, and His communication to us becomes clearer. By simply acknowledging His gifts, we can strengthen our relationship with Him, and build unyielding faith.

Without giving thanks, we cannot come to have a deep understanding of our God. Worship and prayer become difficult when we are having trouble expressing gratitude. By recognizing His gifts, we can help others recognize Him too.

Our job as Christians is to share His love with the world. Who would hear us if we couldn't share with them why we are thankful for Him? When our hearts are filled with gratitude, we can better guide others to His kingdom.

God's love is such a beautiful thing. Let us not forget to send all of our thanks to Him this Thanksgiving holiday.

Happy Thanksgiving!
Fr. Peter Ciallella

ST. PIUS X C.W.L. AUTUMN BAZAAR

We would like to extend an invitation to you to attend our Bazaar on **Saturday, October 26th** from 9:00 am until 2:00 pm in our Parish Hall.

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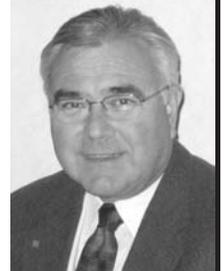


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