

# SAINT CECILIA'S CHURCH

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## *A Thanksgiving Prayer*

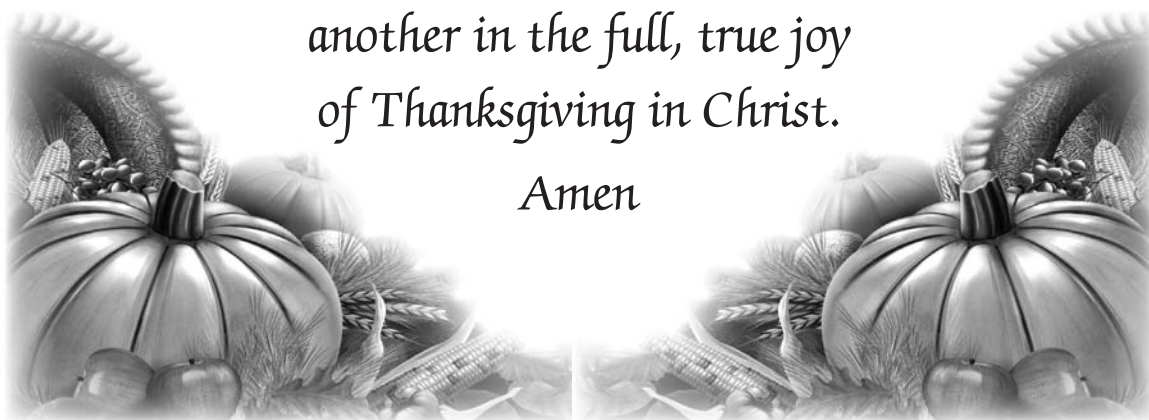
Heavenly Creator,

In this season of gratitude and abundance,  
we give You thanks for our many blessings  
as we pray for all who struggle  
with hunger and want.

Be with them in the dark of night,  
when all hope seems lost.

Keep their faith strong as they await relief.  
And let Your goodness flow through our  
hearts and hands as we reach out to one  
another in the full, true joy  
of Thanksgiving in Christ.

Amen



# Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## October 9, 2022

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### FEASTS OF THE WEEK

- Tues. Oct 11: St. John XXIII, *pope*  
Fri. Oct 14: St. Callistus I, *pope, martyr*  
Sat. Oct 15: St. Theresa of Jesus, *virgin, doctor*  
Sun. Oct 16 Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time



### MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Mon. Oct 10 - Sun. Oct 16

#### Tuesday 9:05 a.m.

Ewa Rodrigues (RIP)

Req. by *The Clough Family*

#### Saturday 9:05 a.m.

Pat Floros (INT)

Req. by *The Clough Family*

#### Saturday 7 p.m.

Jardelina Melo and Manuel Umbelina (RIP)

Req. by *Their Children*

#### Sunday 9 a.m.

Intentions of the Parish Community

#### Sunday 11 a.m.

Oliver Teitsson, Shirley Teitsson and their children (INT)

Req. by *Shirley Teitsson*



### *Sunday Adoration*

**Sunday, October 9th, 2022**

After the 9:00 a.m. and  
before the 11:00 a.m. Masses



*God, whose gifts are countless and whose goodness is without limit, teach us, we pray, to use wisely the rich blessings of the land and sea, to be attentive to the needs of others, and to give as freely as we have received.*

Ritual Lectionary, Thanksgiving Day

### 5th ANNUAL PARISH MINISTRY CONFERENCE

Moving Into the Deep Waters of Mission: Start with Jesus.  
*October 20-22, 2022 virtual with optional in person day at Hilton Mississauga, 6750 Mississauga Rd, Mississauga*

If you've been serving in parish ministry and are looking for an opportunity to connect with others serving in ministry to pray together, learn together and to be re-energised, you won't want to miss this upcoming Archdiocesan conference.

**Info and Registration:** [www.archtoronto.org/conference](http://www.archtoronto.org/conference)

**Cost:** In-Person & Virtual: \$35/person.

Virtual attendance only: \$25/person

**Contact:** [formation@archtoronto.org](mailto:formation@archtoronto.org)

### WORLD FOOD DAY - October 16, 2022

I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink.

*Mt 25.35*

### INDIGENOUS HEALING AND RECONCILIATION FUND

*Special Collection October 1/2, 2022*

Our parish collected \$1, 230.00 for the fund which will support both local and national programs proposed by Indigenous communities to nurture ongoing reconciliation. Thank you for your support! If you missed the collection and would like to contribute, you can donate anytime at: [www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation](http://www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation).



**FIRST COMMUNION REGISTRATION** opened October 3, 2022 on our website: [saintcecilia.ca](http://saintcecilia.ca). Parents with children currently in Grade 2 (or above) who wish to receive First Holy Communion in the Spring of 2023 are invited to register.

**Registration will close Monday, October 31, 2022.**

(or earlier if capacity is reached)

The classes will be IN PERSON on **Thursday evenings**.

**The programme consists of 11 classes, 1 Saturday retreat and Mass attendance.**

**First Meeting** (must have registered on-line by the deadline):

**Thursday, November 24, 2022 at 6:15 p.m.**



**CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION** opened October 3, 2022 on our website: [saintcecilia.ca](http://saintcecilia.ca). Parishioner families with children currently in Grade 7 or 8 who wish to celebrate Confirmation in the Spring of 2023 are invited to register.

**Registration will close Monday, October 31, 2022.**

(unless capacity is reached earlier).

The classes will be IN PERSON on Tuesday evenings, beginning: **Tuesday, February 5, 2023.**

**The programme consists of 8 Tuesday evening classes, 1 Saturday retreat and Sunday 11 a.m. Mass attendance.**

*Please note: Sacramental Preparation should take place in your HOME parish. If St. Cecilia Parish is not your parish, please contact your home parish as soon as possible regarding their First Communion/Confirmation programmes as their programmes may be underway.*

### PAKISTAN FLOODS - HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

Devastating floods in Pakistan have displaced hundreds of thousands, at one point leaving a third of the country inundated with water. More than 1,500 people have died following record rainfall with 33 million throughout the country affected by this disaster.

The Archdiocese of Toronto will channel donations through Catholic partners (including Caritas Canada – Development and Peace as well as the Archdiocese of Karachi) to support relief efforts underway. Please note that these organizations are not subject to the government matching funds program. Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

-Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website –

[www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org)

- By phone through the Development Office – 416-934-3411

-Through the parish, making cheques payable to:

St. Cecilia Parish – Pakistan Floods – Humanitarian Relief

**WE WELCOME  
THE NEWLY BAPTIZED**

*Bella Zaferinne Ikon Omolon*



### HOSTS NEEDED FOR UKRAINIAN FAMILIES

Over 80,000 Ukrainians have already arrived to Canada through a special visa program created by Immigration Canada. An additional 500,000 have applied to the program and are expected to arrive in the coming months. Many are arriving to Toronto and are without family here in Canada to help them.

There is an immediate need for families to host for a period of between one and six months some of those who have arrived. To learn more about hosting a Ukrainian family, please visit:

Archdiocese of Toronto - Ukrainian Crisis ([archtoronto.org](http://archtoronto.org)) and register for a virtual information session.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR  
OCT 16, 2022  
29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
*Exodus 17.8-13*  
*2 Timothy 3.14-4.2*  
*Psalms 121*  
*Luke 18.1-8*

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

*Please notify the office of any changes to the list*



*Hang Sam Lee, Richard Mijares, Drew Fiala, Connie Tari-Kornhauser, Lisa Reardon, Stuart Robson, Rosa Maria Santos, Dory Kashin, Bianca Auriemma, Rosie Po, Frank Ferreira, Antonina Koziara, Julia Collins, Mary Ann Cuschieri, Sebastian Carvalho, Anne Tran Fazzalari, Gabriel Sebastian Romano, Robert Freimuts, Giuseppe R., Mikayla Haswell, Victoria Cooper, Anna Solims, Lorenza Varga, Steven McKinney, Krysten Telfer, Edward Spiteri, Maria Ruccolo, John Conforzi, Ignacio Juarez Ednet, Dominic Coccimiglio, Winifred Ismail, Mimi Ashton, Ann Baby, Susan Murphy, Marta DiGregorio, Guy Alcamo.*



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