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Ashley Gallardi - 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, 11:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.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 School 905-354-6631
St. Mary School 905-354-7744

Diocese of St. Catharines (est. 1958)

Most Rev. Gerard Bergie, D.D., Bishop
Most Rev. John A. O'Mara, D.D., Bishop-Emeritus

Parish Established 1858
Church Dedicated 1895



New Parishioners are asked to complete a parish registration form.

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Saturday, October 5

5:00 James Ogilvie req. by St. Angelo & Ogilvie Families
Lori Morellato-Webb req. by Cero & Carol Morellato

Sunday, October 6

8:00 Stephano & Rita DeProphetis req. by Giulio & Family
Clemente Della Marca req. by Maria & Children
9:30 Nicola Rinaldi req. by the Family
Francesco Provenzano req. by his Wife: Josephina & Family
11:30 Dianne Goegan req. by Louise Goegan
Dec'd mem. of the Pietrangelo Family req. by the DiCarlo Family
7:00 People of the Parish

Monday, October 7 Our Lady of the Rosary

8:00 Carlo Pizzolato req. by Angela & Dave Dumele
Eleanor & Lawrence Murray & Mike Sinodhinos req. by Fred & Judy Murray

Tuesday, October 8

8:00 Ivon & Robbie Loro req. by the Family
Barbara Lorentz req. by Stu & Mary Lou Gallardi

9:30 St. Patrick & St. Mary's School Mass

Wednesday, October 9 St Denis

8:00 Carmen Radice req. by the Radice Family
Louise Weitz req. by Grahame & Nicole Abbott

Thursday, October 10 St John Leonardi

8:00 Cometto Family req. by Anna Bortolin & Family
Adelino Marcon & Antonia & Giuseppe Lazzarin req. by Theresa Marcon

Friday, October 11 St John XXIII

8:00 Vendramin Family req. by Audrey
Hugh MacIsaac req. by the Family

Saturday, October 12

5:00 Vincent & Ruby Crowley req. by the Family
Francesco Provenzano req. by his Wife: Josephina & Family

Sunday, October 13

8:00 People of the Parish
9:30 David & Michael Shannon & Judy Mingle req. by the Family
Maria Luu Thi Khen Nguyen & Luu Anthony Hung Nguyen req. by Family
11:30 Danny Trabucco req. by his Wife: Betty
Dec'd mem. of the Power Family req. by Brian Power
7:00 Lawrence & Lucy Kitney req. by Evelyn Kemp
Oscar Bonaguro req. by the Family

Children Sacramental Dates 2020

Confirmation: Saturday, May 30, 2020 @ 5:00 PM
First Reconciliation: Tuesday, March 3, 2020 @ 7:00 PM
First Communion: Sunday, May 3, 2020 @ 9:30 AM and 1:30 PM
(If you are a parishioner at St. Patrick Church, and have a child who does not attend St. Patrick or St. Mary Schools, and would like to celebrate their sacraments here, please contact the parish office for the registration forms.)

CWL News... At 6:00pm every Wednesday in October, the C.W.L. will be praying the Rosary in the Parish hall. All are welcome
- 3rd Annual Halloween party ... on October 26th from 6 - 7:30pm crafts, games, treats. Tickets on sale next week in the Parish Office

CWL ladies please note that in your box of envelopes you have another CWL dues envelope in the month of November, even though you had one in January. This is because we are actually supposed to pay them before the first of the year. So we need to give you the envelopes earlier in order to submit our dues on time!!! If you have any questions please call Maggie at 905-246-6212

The CWL are collecting for Socotber again this year!!! Please drop off new socks of all sizes at the entrances of the church!! These socks will keep our homeless women, men and children warm throughout the winter. Please help us out if you can!!

Project Share sends a big thank-you to our parishioners who continued to donate food. We are really making a difference! School snacks would be great, and also Macaroni and Cheese, canned Tuna, Peanut Butter, canned pasta, sauce and meats! If you prefer, Project Share also distributes toiletry items: soaps, shampoos, toothpaste, wash-cloths/towels. "Lord, when did we see you hungry?"

Please refer to the Bulletin Boards at the back and side entrances of the Church for many important notices and events.

Rest in Peace... We pray for the souls of Carlo Trasmundi, Lee Chevalier and Vincent Bernardi. May they rest in peace. Please remember their families in your prayers.

Please pray for those who are hospitalized:

Joe Young, Roger Paradis, Jarod Hickey

Please pray for those who are ill

Mary Power, Erika Bell, Sherry Wales, Anita Archambault, John Corfield, Arlene Collee, Guistino 'Gus' Bagarozza, Kitty Decicco, Betty & Joe Power, Carole Ann Ogilvie, Carol DeVilliers, Kelly Power, Gregory Roulston, Pasquale Abrunzo, Alice Dalton, John Nicks, Wilf Manuel, Victor Sincich, Nancy Praakel, Norma Zanus, Lily Williams, Patricia Williams, Mark Pepple, Nancy Huber, Fern Albert, Toni Brideau, Bernadette Moore, Edward Brzozowski Jr., Nikki Mansfield, Lester Snow, Nicolina Compare, Dr. Andy Fisher, Alvin Learn, James Moody Sr., Rose MacDonald, Elizabeth Stachura, John Calder, Charlene Shannon, Anna Hunt, Carmella Modenti, John Kealey, Margaret Smith, Anna Vergalito, Helen Lelievre, Nancy Weiss, Leo Martin, Samuel Potapczyk, William JA De Foe, Denise Colalillo, Kelly Laslo, Joyce Weaver, Michelle Price, Mary Lawrence, Bernard Martin, Emily Hanover, Drago Bicanic, Jeanne S, John Cox, Margaret Waghorn, Bob Marshall, Gerry Laffradi, Nancy Jean Rose, Danielle Barranca, Fred Girardo Sr., Gloria Smelko, Fran Smelko, John Smelko, Maria Melchiorre, Conner Hawkswell, Jeannette Fabian, Vicki Leada-Dawson, Iole Mancini, Vito Fuccillo, Donna Cormier, Jeanne Lea, Maria Roslana, Tom Hilton, Frank Sica, Evelyn Rose Baker, Jill Leronowich, Audrey Vendramin, Patrick Kealey, Brian Smith, Francesco Albanese, Florrie Heimbigner, Jozefa Bilski, Todd Reid, Rebecca Evans, Marie Massolin, Stefanie Borin, Maria Guerin, Faith Amadio, Patricia O'Reilly, Patrick McCarthy, Walter Wallace, Francois Chayer, Alessia Comisso, Kerrie Szuch, Donna Bradley, Helen Rotella, Cheryl D'Ammizio, Mary Jo O'Kell, Julie Nicholson, Jadwiga Wozniak, Lorraine Spence, Mary Brennan, Shirley Machulla, Robert & JoAnne Biamonte Ely, Trina Washington, Pepper Martin Jr., Baby Nicholas

Please help us update our list of those who are homebound, infirm, or hospitalized by calling the parish office.

Baptism Schedule for 2019

Baptisms will be celebrated in St. Patrick Church at 1:00 PM on:

Sunday, Oct 20, Nov 24 & Dec 15

A mandatory meeting for Parents and Godparents will be held in the Church on Tuesday, Oct 8, Nov 12 & Dec 3 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!

Collections

September 29: \$5,325.29

Cathedral Appeal (to date): \$9,185.00

Many thanks for your generosity!

Cathedral Appeal

After 4 months of the Cathedral Appeal, we have reached **60%** of our goal of \$16,000. Many thanks to all of you who have made a sacrifice. (The average raised in the Diocese to date is 45%, so we are doing well!) We have until November to reach our goal. So if everyone makes some small sacrifice, we should be able to reach our goal. Anyone wishing to donate by credit card, can do so through **Canada Helps**.

Go to: www.canadahelps.org

Search: **Diocese of St. Catharines**

Choose: **"Cathedral Appeal"**

Fill in parish name and complete the donor information.

Canada Helps issues tax receipts.

The Diocese will get a monthly report which will show what parish the donation is from. **Canada Helps** will deposit donations in the diocesan bank account. On a monthly basis the diocese will provide parishes with updates if parishioners have donated through Canada Helps. Let's see how quickly we can reach our goal!

A special Bishop's Collection will be taken up this weekend, October 5 & 6 for the Needs of the Canadian Church. Envelopes are in your pews and at the doors of the Church today. Please be generous.

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!



Dear Friends,

October is here, and we have enjoyed some cleansing rain! It's hard to believe that next weekend is Thanksgiving! May we take the sacred time to thank God for the abundance we enjoy... and may God stir our hearts to always help those who lack the basic necessities of life.

Faith

In today's Gospel, the Apostles ask Jesus to "Increase our faith!" And Jesus says, you only need faith the **size of a mustard seed!** Even a little bit of faith can work marvels! Faith can tell a mulberry tree to be uprooted and planted in the sea! There's a powerful teaching here! FAITH... even in small quantities, has great power.

As a priest, there is nothing so powerful as being with a **faith-filled** family during a time of crisis or death. It makes such a huge difference. You can feel God's presence and His hand right there, helping the family through the crisis. Unfortunately, I've encountered people who claim to have no faith... or those who have lost their faith, or have never used their faith, or are un-Churched. And in times of crisis or struggle or death, they don't know where to turn. They seem empty and lost. Faith is available for everyone! We don't need **more** faith. We have it. It must be used.

This is as good a week as any to ask God for a **FAITH LIFT!** May our faith be released and give us the blessed assurance that with God, all things are possible, and that we can get through anything! And perhaps we take some time to pray for those who are struggling with their faith. Have a prayer-filled and faith-filled week.

Fr. Gerard



"For me, whenever you try a new recipe, it becomes a leap of faith."

Thought for the Week

"O God, I don't pray for enough faith to move mountains. I can get enough dynamite and bulldozers to do that. What I need and ask for is enough faith to move me."



Blessing of Animals in honour of St. Francis of Assisi will be celebrated this **Sunday, October 6th at 1:00 PM** in the church. Bring your pets, all creatures great and small... four- legged, two- legged, scaled, winged, finned, furried or feathered! Our Lord God made them all!



Our Lady of the Rosary

Monday, October 7th is the Feast of **Our Lady of the Rosary**. Known for several centuries by the alternate title of "Our Lady of Victory," the feast day takes place in honor of a 16th century naval victory which secured Europe against Turkish invasion. Pope St. Pius V attributed the victory to the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, who was invoked on the day of the battle through a campaign to pray the Rosary throughout Europe.

Little Flower Society Cards



St. Patrick Parish Office has Mass Cards available 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 our 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 throughout the world.

Flying Fathers Hockey Games

The Flying Fathers will be bringing their hockey skills and slap-stick comedy show to the Niagara area for two games in November. On Tuesday, November 19 at the **Gale Centre** in Niagara Falls, the Flying Fathers will skate against Niagara Catholic student all-stars, staff and local priests. The following night, Wednesday, November 20, they will face off with the Thorold Mounts at the **Frank Doherty Arena** in Thorold. Games start at 7:00 pm. Tickets are \$10.00 each and are available at the Gale Centre. Further information: Bill Mann, 905-374-2386, Jim Marino, 905-735-0247 ext. 210.

Upcoming Weddings at St. Patrick's in October

*Julia Chamberlain & Stephen Mateyk,
Kristen Thompson & Vito Colangelo*

Diocesan Anniversary Mass & Dinner – Married couples celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, or 60th Anniversary in 2019 are invited to the Diocesan Anniversary Mass on **Monday November 25, 2019 5:30pm** at the Cathedral of St. Catherine of Alexandria. Please fill out a form, found by the back Bulletin Board or contact the office at 905-354-7451 by **October 15th**. A dinner will follow at Club Roma at 7pm.

Olive Wood Religious Art Sale

The main income for the Christian community of Bethlehem-The Birth Place of Jesus-is selling their handcrafted olive wood religious items to the pilgrims who visit the area.

The past few years have been extremely hard for the community as a result of declining tourism.

Some Christians responded by fleeing the Holy Land, and the absence of a living Christian community is very dangerous for the Holy Sites such as the Church of The Nativity.

On October 19th & 20th, we will be having some of their beautiful art held for sale in an effort to strengthen the Christian presence in the Holy Land.

Bishop's Charities Dinner... Saturday, October 19, 2019 at Club Roma Reception 6pm, Dinner 7:30pm. Tickets \$50 each payable to Knights Bishop's Charity Association. Door prizes. Contact Bill: 289-456-7888, Chuck: 905-646-5099, Martin: 905-401-5646 or Albert: 905-988-1222

Niagara Regional Life Chain

This **Sunday, October 6 from 2:00pm-3:00pm**, as we witness to the Sanctity of human life. We pray that women will choose life for their child, and our country will protect all its citizens - born and unborn. Bring your family – **along Lundy's Lane in Niagara Falls**. Participants from Niagara Falls area, please report to Prince Edward Ave. & Lundy's Lane at 1:45 PM. Learn more about Life Chain campaign at campaignlifecoalition.com/life-chain

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

If you or a family member/friend is interested in becoming a Roman Catholic through a **Profession of Faith**, or desiring Baptism, or other Sacraments of Initiation (Eucharist or Confirmation), please give your name to our Parish Office as soon as possible. Our first **RCIA** meeting will be held during the Advent Season. The sessions will resume after Christmas. During Lent we will meet once a week. This is also a wonderful opportunity for anyone who wants to "refresh or renew" their faith and theology! More information will be forthcoming.



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