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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon & Tues 9:30am - 12:00pm, 1:00pm - 8:00pm

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

9:30am - 12:00pm, 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Saturday 9:30am - 12:00pm, 3:00 pm - 6:30pm

Sunday 7:30am - 2:30pm

MASS TIMES

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm

Sunday 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 12:30pm

Weekday Mass

Monday to Friday: 9:00am Mass. Followed by All Day Adoration

Tuesday: 7:00pm Mass. Followed by the Novena to St. Anthony

First Friday of the Month:

7:00pm Mass. Followed by Adoration until midnight

Saturdays: 9:00am Mass & Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

SACRAMENT of RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00-4:45pm

Or another time by appointment only

SACRAMENT of BAPTISM

Must be registered in the parish for at least three months QR code available in the parish office or online baptism registration on our website

SACRAMENT of MARRIAGE

Arrangements should begin one year in advance

QR code available in the parish office or online marriage registration available on our website

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

At home or hospital by appointment

Please visit our website www.stanthonyofpadua.ca for more information on each Sacrament.

SCHOOLS

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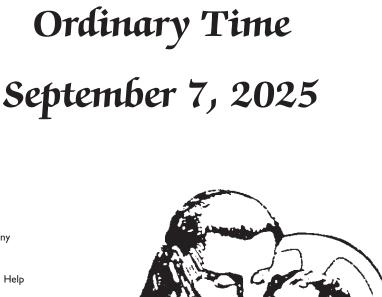
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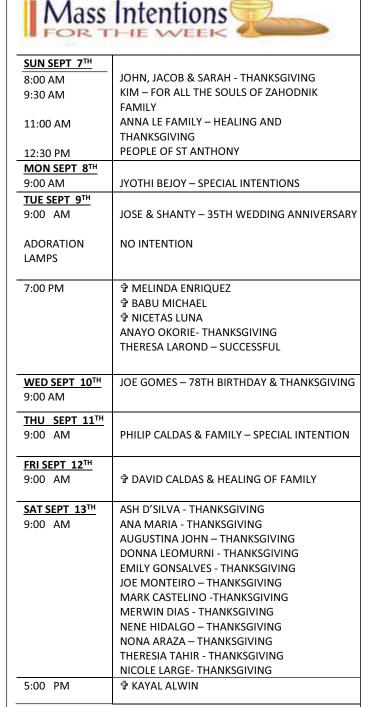
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Twenty-Third Sunday in





ECHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday to Friday 9:30 AM to 6:00PM Spend an hour with the Lord in *silent adoration*.

OUR SOCIAL MEDIA ACCOUNTS

We launched our Instagram page recently. Check out media pages below to stay updated.





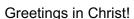


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FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,





We welcome the month of September with grateful hearts. Summer days are slowly fading, and the cool breeze of fall begins to whisper through the trees. A new season is upon us, and with it comes a spirit of renewal and hope. September always feels like a "second new year." Schools open their doors, our children and young people step into new classrooms, and the rhythm of life takes on a fresh energy. Here in our parish, many of our ministries also return after the summer break. It is a time to begin again, to root ourselves more deeply in faith, and to walk closer with the Lord.

September is also a very special month for us as Catholics because we celebrate the Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary on September 8th. Mary, the Mother of Jesus, is a bright light and tender guide for every disciple. Her birth was the dawn of salvation, because through her came the Savior of the world. She is a mother to us all, and just as she said "yes" to God's plan with humility and trust, we are invited to do the same in our lives.

This month, as schools reopen and ministries resume, let us ask Mary to walk with us. May she guide our children and teachers with wisdom and patience. May she bless our families with unity, love, and peace. May she inspire all our parish volunteers, ministers, and leaders to serve joyfully and generously, not seeking recognition but always pointing to Christ. Like Mary, may we learn to say: "Here I am, Lord. Let it be done to me according to Your word."

The changing of the seasons also reminds us of the beauty and wisdom of God's creation. The falling leaves and cooler days speak of transitions, of letting go, and of trust in God's plan. Just as nature surrenders to God's rhythm, we too are called to surrender our lives into His loving hands. In every season—whether joyful or difficult—the Lord remains constant, faithful, and near.

I encourage you, my dear parishioners, to embrace this new season with open hearts. Take time for prayer, even in the busyness of school schedules and ministry meetings. Gather as a family at Mass each Sunday, for the Eucharist is our greatest treasure and our source of strength. In our parish, we are one family in Christ. Let us support one another, encourage one another, and walk together with hope.

SEPTEMBER 7TH - SEPTEMBER 13™ 2025

This September, let us renew our commitment to grow in faith, to serve with love, and to live with gratitude. May the joy of Mary's birth inspire us to be people of joy and faith in our own homes, schools, and workplaces. May this fall season not only bring cooler air and colorful leaves, but also a deeper desire in our hearts to follow Jesus more closely.

May Mary, our Blessed Mother, keep you under her mantle of love. And may Christ, her Son, fill your hearts with peace and strength for the journey ahead.

With love and prayers,

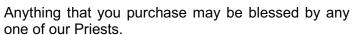
Fr. Jibin Joy

ST. ANTHONY'S RELIGIOUS ARTICLES MINISTRY

As we say goodbye to a wonderful summer, we prepare for the upcoming fall season and all the exciting events, new and old, that will be taking place in our Parish.

I have had the pleasure to expand our store with many new products. Below is a list of items that we have available.

- Extensive line of Rosaries
- Reading resources for children & adults
- Statues to adorn your home
- Baptism, Communion, Confirmation keepsakes
- Marriage Rosaries & gift ideas
- Mother to-be keepsakes
- Women & Men's accessories
- Car accessories
- Medals & Prayer Cards



As of September 14th, our goal is to have the store opened before and after all Masses.

If there is a specific item that you are looking for, please check with me and I will try and source it out.

Thank you for your continued support.

Religious Articles Ministry - Donna Leombruni

4TH DEGREE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS UPCOMING MEETING

Members of Assembly 3433 will meet next **Thursday**, **September 11**th **at 7:30** in the chapel at St. Marguerite D'Youville Church. Sir Knights are encouraged to attend the 7:00 pm Mass. Vivat Jesus!

SEASON OF CREATION 2025

The annual event of the Season of Creation begins on September 1 (the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation) and ends on October 4 on the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, patron saint of ecology.



Garden of Peace

This year's theme is "Peace with Creation" and the symbol is "Garden of Peace", inspired by Isaiah 32:14-18. An introductory video and resources to observe this season at home, church and school may be found at the following links:

Celebration Guide:

https://bit.ly/SoC-CelebrationGuide Video: https://bit.ly/SoC-Video

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Resumes on September 14th: Sundays at 11:00am

Starting Sunday, September 14, children in Junior Kindergarten to Grade 3 are invited to take part in our Children's Liturgy during the 11:00 am Mass



This program runs at the same time as the Mass and is designed especially for young children. The program presents the Sunday readings in a child-friendly way they can easily understand. The sessions are led by trained and experienced leaders who help the children learn about the Gospel in a fun and meaningful way.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, COUNCIL 9235

Announces the 2025 Recipients

Archbishop Anthony Meagher Memorial Scholarship Congratulations to:

Divine Fordjour – St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Secondary School

Mysha Qureshi - Holy Name of Mary Catholic Secondary School

We thank all the Grade 12 students who participated in our essay writing competition on the topic, "What are three most important virtues that you are developing today in your life to enhance your relationship with God and your faith experiences?" Our best wishes and prayers to all the graduates of our secondary schools in our parish as they begin their post-secondary educational journey.

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