

33RD SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME ~ NOVEMBER 17TH, 2024

Prayers for the Sick:

Please keep the following members in our parish in your prayers who are sick or unwell:

Marian Kelly, Richard D'Souza, Jane Cocco, Mel Cervantes, Michaela Gebhart, Anna Chorozy, Lisa Wong, Ron Harris, Bryan Peplinskie, Nicole Dirickx, Terry Small, Paige Johnston, Patti Matheson, Frances Van Esch, Richard, Cherish Reece, Marina Subic, Marie Harris, Teri Carmichael, Joe McGean, Vince Evangelista, Romulo Mercado, Basil Bruce, Roxanne, Alfred Hall, David Dewar, Hubert Pereira, Loretta Pereira, Egidio Passero, Marcia Panter, Don Langlois, Giles Cote, Madeline Hayes, Anna Carboni, Paul Stone, Elaine Beehler, Janet Beattie, Manuel Borges, Gilles Ethier, Ron Paskie, Juliann Sliwa, Fr. Brian Bevan, Alan Disik, Anne Camus, John Paul Korsmit

CHURCH ENVELOPES 2025

Church envelopes are available in alphabetical order on the tables against the walls of the Church. Please check that your name and address are correct. If you did not use envelopes last year and wish to begin this year or if you have changed your address, please come to the office during the week. We ask you not to use old Church envelopes from previous years. If you have not used envelopes for a few years your number may have been assigned to someone else. Envelope users will receive a receipt for income tax purposes

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**TRIVIA NIGHT** - Come out and have a fun night to help support NPFC and give back to the children in our community by supporting SVDP. Niagara Peninsula Foundation for Children presents its Annual Trivia Night on Saturday, November 23rd, 2024, at Grantham Optimist Club, 188 Linwell Rd., St. Catharines. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., the Buffet Dinner starts at 6:00 p.m., and Trivia starts at 7 p.m. It will be 80s and Christmas Theme Trivia with NewsTalk 610's Jason Agnew, which will be amazing! The tickets are only \$30 per person and the benefits go to SVDP Summer Kids Camp.

## THINKING OF STUDENTS IN NEED AT CHRISTMAS

Poverty is often associated with developing countries when in fact, it exists right here at home. Every day in Niagara, a very large number of students goes to school hungry and waits in line for breakfast. According to recent statistics, nationally, more than 17 percent of Children in Canada live in poverty. The Niagara Region combined is just over the national average at 18 percent; however, when looking at the micro level, those numbers increase, especially in St. Catharines, Niagara Falls and Niagara Centre. According to Food Banks Canada, which maps the vulnerability to poverty according to ridings, St. Catharines riding had 22 percent of children living in poverty, while Niagara Falls and Niagara Centre ridings had a little more than one in every five children, or 20.7 and 20.4 percent respectively, living in poverty and lacking proper nutrition. The Niagara Foundation for Catholic Education is a registered charitable foundation that assists students in need who attend Niagara Catholic District School Board schools. Your donation to purchase food cards will help brighten Christmas for students in need and their families. Receipts are issued for tax purposes. Mailing address 427 Rice Road, Welland, Ontario L3C 7C1. Donate on line through PayPal on the Foundation's website at [www.nfce.org](http://www.nfce.org). Phone (905) 735-0247 ext. 210

## CWL NEWS

~Congratulations to the following people who won the raffle at the Snowflake Bazaar: 1st prize Linda Afonso; 2nd prize Penny Harper; 3rd prize Penny Harper.

~We want to thank the parish for donating prizes for the penny sale, items to the white elephant room and the Price Is Right table, baked goods, plants, and all the other fantastic items. This bazaar was a success due to the wonderful help of many hands. Thank you!

~Your 2025 CWL membership is due. The cost is \$40 and it can be put in the collection plate in the envelope marked CWL membership.

~The CWL Christmas dinner will be at St. John's Ukrainian Church on Wednesday, December 4th. Doors open at 5:00 pm, with dinner at 6:00 pm. The cost is \$37. Tickets can be purchased by calling Lucy at 905-934-9297. The deadline to purchase tickets is Monday, November 18. Please note that tickets are non-refundable. There will also be a 50/50 draw happening.

| Daily Mass Intentions |                                                                                                                                                                         |
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| Mon                   | Nov 18 8:00 a.m.....All Souls/Giuseppe Petriello/<br>Franco Carboni/ Mary Hartman<br>7:00 p.m. ....All Souls/Helen Lortie/<br>George Fisher/ Armida Boni                |
| Tue                   | Nov 19 8:00 a.m. .... All Souls/Florante Martires/<br>Cathy MacLeod/Cheryl Laughlin<br>7:00 p.m. All Souls/ Gladys Martin/ Maria Celetti                                |
| Wed                   | Nov 20 9:00a.m. .... All Souls/Czeslaw Olejarz/<br>Denis Chauvin/ Max Gallagher                                                                                         |
| Thur                  | Nov 21 8:00 am ..... All Souls/ Anna Annete Tran/<br>Bryan McGuinness/ DiMeco Family<br>7:00 p.m. .... All Souls/Patty Landry/<br>Rosario Tullio/ Mr. &Mrs. Earl Fisher |
| Fri                   | Nov 22 8:00 a.m. .... All Souls/ Anna Annete Tran/<br>Peter Duke Nguyen                                                                                                 |
| Sat                   | Nov 23 8:30 a.m. ....All Souls/Eugene Frajman/<br>Loretta Bauer<br>5:00 p.m. .... All Souls                                                                             |
| Sun                   | Nov 24 7:30 a.m. .... All Souls<br>9:30 a.m. .... All Souls<br>11:30 a.m. .... All Souls                                                                                |

**XXXIII DOMENICA**  
**TEMPO ORDINARIO**  
  
17 NOVEMBRE 2024

**Coats for Kids.**

The Holy Name Society is collecting slightly used children’s winter clothing for those in need in our schools. The box is located in the foyer of the church.

**World Day of the Poor**

November 17, the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, is World Day of the Poor. The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul invites you to help our less fortunate brothers and sisters, especially at this uncertain time. We encourage you to lend a hand by participating in our collection of food supplies. You may donate to the Society of St Vincent de Paul team by using the envelopes available in the church foyer on the counter. Placing them in the collection plate or visit us at the Food Bank open Monday - Friday 9 am-11 am. For your convenience, we have e-transfer available. Please go to our website. [sites.google.com/view/vincentalfred](https://sites.google.com/view/vincentalfred)

**IN LOVING REMEMBRANCE**

At all the Mass celebrations for the entire month of November, we will pray for the souls of your loved ones whose names appear in the Book of Remembrance placed in the sanctuary. Please continue to submit the names of those deceased for whom you wish Parish Prayers and Masses are offered. We will continue to add their names in the Book of Remembrance for the month of November. Please note: If you have submitted names and they are not in the book, it is because we could not decipher them. You are welcome to call the office @ 905-934-9703, give the Secretary the names again and we’ll add them in the Book of Remembrance.

**Buste della Chiesa 2025**

Le buste della Chiesa sono disponibili in ordine alfabetico sui tavoli addossati alle pareti della Chiesa. Controlla che il tuo nome e indirizzo siano corretti. Se non hai utilizzato le buste l'anno scorso e desideri iniziare quest'anno o se hai cambiato indirizzo, vieni in ufficio durante la settimana. Vi chiediamo di non utilizzare vecchie buste della Chiesa degli anni precedenti. Se non usi buste da alcuni anni il tuo numero potrebbe essere stato assegnato a qualcun altro. Gli utenti della busta riceveranno una ricevuta ai fini dell'imposta sul reddito

**Cappotti per bambini**

La Holy Name Society sta raccogliendo oggetti leggermente usati abbigliamento invernale per bambini per i bisognosi nelle nostre scuole. Il box si trova nel foyer della chiesa.

**NOTIZIE CWL**

~Vogliamo ringraziare la parrocchia per aver donato premi per la svendita, oggetti per la stanza dell'elefante bianco e il tavolo Il prezzo è giusto, prodotti da forno, piante e tutti gli altri fantastici oggetti. Questo bazar è stato un successo grazie al meraviglioso aiuto di molte mani. Grazie!

~Scade la scadenza per la tua iscrizione alla CWL 2025. Il costo è di \$ 40 e può essere inserito nella piastra di raccolta nella busta contrassegnata con l'iscrizione alla CWL.

~La cena di Natale della CWL si terrà nella chiesa ucraina di San Giovanni mercoledì 4 dicembre. Apertura porte alle 17:00, cena alle 18:00. Il costo è di \$ 37. I biglietti possono essere acquistati chiamando Lucy al 905-934-9297. La scadenza per acquistare i biglietti è lunedì 18 novembre. Tieni presente che i biglietti non sono rimborsabili. Ci sarà anche un sorteggio 50/50.