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Carol Martin - Director of Music
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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 and 11:30 a.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.

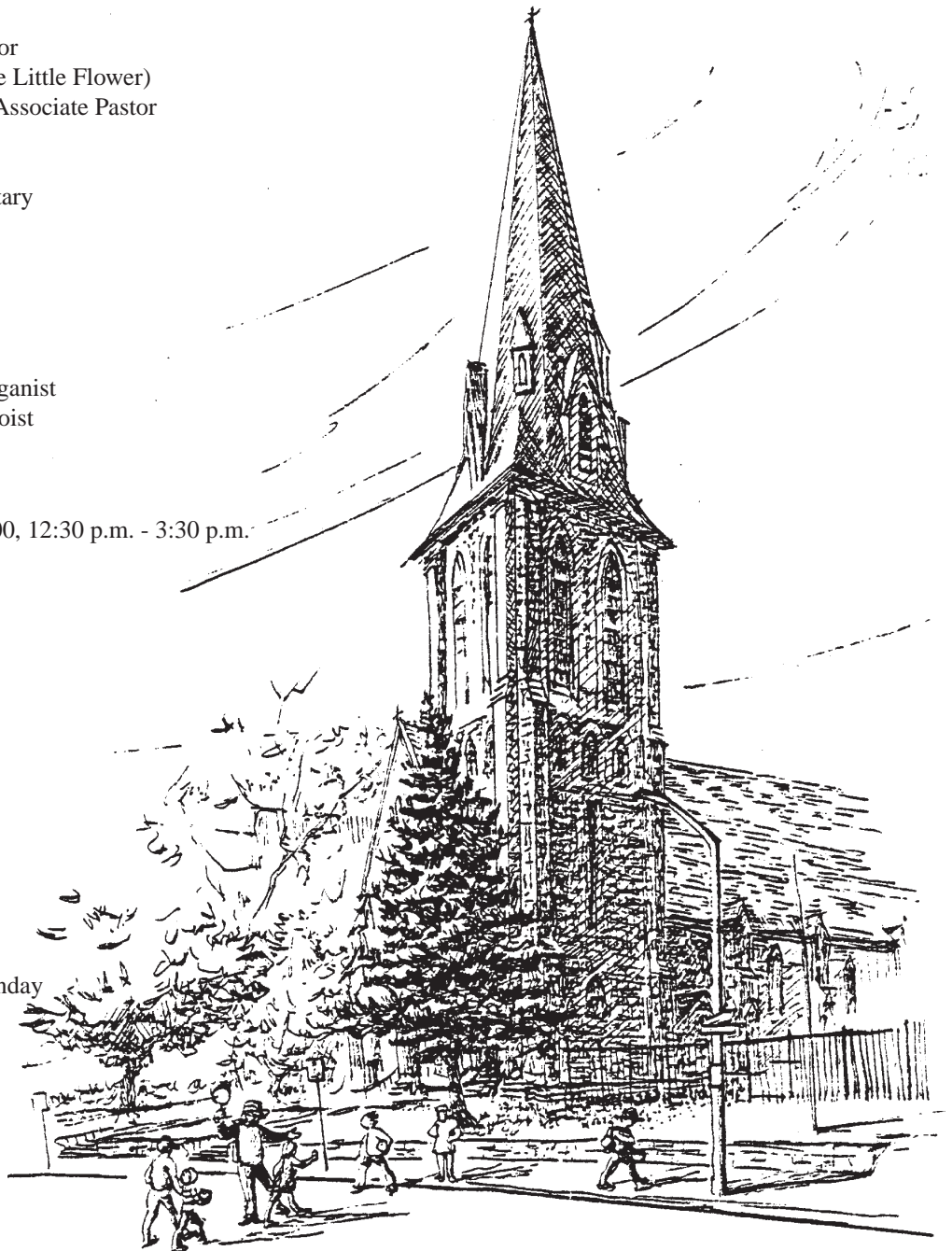
Schools

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

Parish Established 1858
Church Dedicated 1895

New Parishioners are asked to complete a parish registration form.



TENTH & ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Saturday, June 8 The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

5:00 George Oprici req by Josephine Provenzano
Gus & Zorka Wach req by John & Helen Olsiak

Sunday, June 9

8:00 People of the Parish
9:30 Carole Finella req by Theresa Lucia
Angelo Radice req by his Wife: Antonietta & Family
11:30 Anna Goegan req by Louise Goegan
Bernardino & Gaetanina Mallone req by the Antonio Family

Monday, June 10

8:00 Aline, Gerard & Ronald Cormier req by the Family
Fernando Persia req by the Family

Tuesday, June 11 St. Barnabas

8:00 Ed Nieuwesteeg req by Tony & Jackie Phillip

Wednesday, June 12

8:00 Lucia Camillo req by Gino & Anita Montagano

Thursday, June 13 St Anthony of Padua

8:00 Bill Amadio req by Carol Martin & Family

Friday, June 14

8:00 Intentions of the Little Flower Society

Saturday, June 15

5:00 Victor Lea req by Jeanne & Family
Deacon Pat O'Brien req by Dave & Maggie Scott

Sunday, June 16 Father's Day

8:00 Bruno Pietrobon req by the Family
Dariusz & Franciszek 'Frank' Rebisz req by the Family
9:30 People of the Parish
11:30 Nick DiPaolo req by Rosemary Panetta
Immacolata Luciano req by Alessandro Luciano & Family

Monday, June 17

8:00 Gerard Cormier req by his Daughters
Intentions of the Little Flower Society

Tuesday, June 18

8:00 Carole Ogilvie req by Ashley & Rico Menechella
Lia Nieuwesteeg req by the Family

Wednesday, June 19 St Romuald

8:00 Hugh, Felicitas & William Hockton req by the Family
Francesco D'Angelo req by Lucia D'Angelo

Thursday, June 20

8:00 Donald Brodie req by Jenny Brodie
Intentions of the Little Flower Society

Friday, June 21 St Aloysius Gonzaga

8:00 Janice Grant req by Jackie & Dave
Frank & Trudy Bombicino req by their Niece: Clara Fisher

Saturday, June 22 St Paulinus of Nola & St John Fisher

5:00 Victor Lea req by Jeanne & Family
John & Mary Ruzyllo req by the Family

Sunday, June 23

8:00 Ray Sexton req by Teresa & Cliff
Anna Hoan & Guseph Vinh req by the Nguyen Family
9:30 Frank Ruberto req by Teresa Ruberto
Battista 'Bob' Sacco req by his Family
11:30 People of the Parish

Upcoming Wedding at St. Patrick's in June

Julia Pantusa & Garrett Gallardi

Little Flower Society Cards

St. Patrick Parish Office has Mass Cards in stock 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 those 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 in several countries.

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Rest in Peace... We pray for the souls of Anthony 'Nay' Pasco, Ann Willick and Cristina Baluyut. May they rest in peace. Please remember their families in your prayers.

Please pray for those who are ill. We are currently updating our sick list. This will be limited to parishioners and family members who are hospitalized or chronically ill. Please be advised that only an immediate family member can request a name to be added to this list.

Mary Power, Norm Scott, Ted Greschuk, Barbara Conidi, Lindsey Luby, Toni Brideau, Charlene Shannon, Jim Crowley, Sherry Wales, Peter Meisenburg Jr., Leila Khan, Maureen Young, Maureen Tustin, Maureen Watson, Michael DelGrande, Anna Hunt, Nancy Waters, David Gallina, John F, John Arnold, Andrew Zacharuk, Patrick Macri, Alba Rondinelli, Leroy Collee, Antoinette Vescio, Victor Pizzolato, Jeanne S, Christine Pritty, John & Laura Giampa, Jim & Betty Calzonetti, Eric Van Noort, Julian Cassidy, Isabell Frost, Lorraine Spence, Estelle Critelli, D.D., Jeannette Fabian, Missy Bilotta, Pasquale Abrunzo, Flori Heimbigner, Rita Ross, Leon French, Tony Cuvieello, Kelsey Liles, Sr. Carol Forhan CPPS, JoAnne Biamonte Ely, Norma Zanus, Judy, Jadwiga Wozniak, Kerrie Szuch, William JA DeFoe, Betty Crete, Sister Prem, Bob Marshall, Danielle Barranca, Kelly Laslo, Mahmat, Teresa Hebb, Rose MacDonald, Cameron Boyes, Lori Ann Pizzolato, Karen Bradley, Betty & Mary Ann Quigley, Arlene Collee, John Calder, Gregory Roulston, Anna Chayer, Denise Colalillo, Maria Guerin, Patrick McCarthy, Michelle Price, Francesco Albanese, Mary Jo O'Kell, Emmanuel & Aline Chayer, Carmella Modenti, Bernard Martin, Joyce Weaver, Margaret Waghorn, Vicki Lea-Dawson, Evelyn Rose Baker, Patricia O'Reilly, Gloria Smelko, Jackie, Vanessa Athoe, Fran Smelko, Jozefa Bilski, Walter Wallace, Faith Amadio, Pepper Martin Jr, Francois Chayer, Julie Nicholson, Marie Brooker, Brian Boudreau, Samuel Potapczyk
Please help us update our list of those who are homebound, infirm, or hospitalized by calling the parish office.

Collections

June 2: \$6,468.00

Education of Seminarians & Clergy: \$1,342.00

Many thanks for your generosity!

Baptism Schedule for 2024

Baptisms will be celebrated in St. Patrick Church at 1:00 PM on: **Sunday June 23, July 21, Aug 18, Sept 22, Oct 20 & Nov 24.**

A mandatory meeting for Parents and Godparents will be held in the Church on Tuesday, **June 11, July 9, Aug 13, Sept 10, Oct 8 & Nov 12** 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!

Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Shrine, located on 4706 Millar Road, Port Colborne, will be celebrating its 40th Anniversary. On Friday, July 19th, 2024, as part of our three days of festivities, we will be having a dinner celebration at the Italian Canadian Cultural Center in Port Colborne. We have been so blessed to secure a best-selling author, and powerful speaker on faith, hope and forgiveness; her name is Immaculee Ilibagiza, a Rwandan genocide survivor.

For Tickets Contact Shelley Tamas: 905-714-7677

Tickets: \$60/Adult and \$30/Child

Catholic Marriage Tribunal... If you are considering remarriage in the Catholic Church or hoping to enter a marriage with someone previously married, please speak to a priest, or contact the St. Catharines Catholic Marriage Tribunal at 905-687-8817 or tribunal@saintcd.com

Check out our website: <http://www.stpatricknf.ca>



Dear Friends,

Beginning this Sunday we will publish our Parish Bulletin every second week. Mass intentions will be published for two weeks.

I want to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of you for your generosity to me and to the parish (for AED's) on the occasion of my 25th Anniversary of Ordination. I received some 200 cards. It will be impossible to thank each of you individually. I am deeply moved by your kindness and support. May God bless you abundantly.

Fr. Gerard

Sunday, June 9th - 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

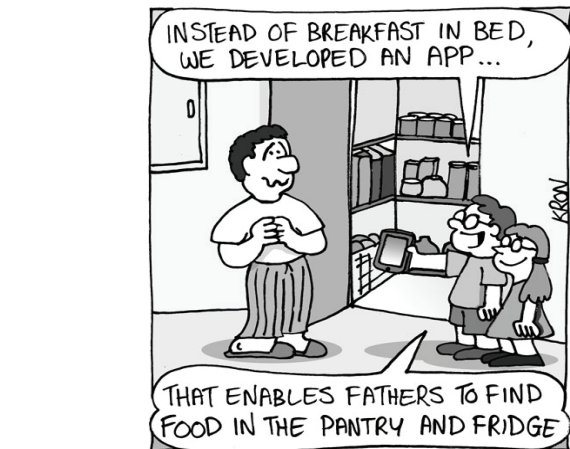
We see from today's Gospel that 'Family' for Jesus, is not based on blood, but is based on doing God's will. *Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.* To be a part of God's family we must do what God calls us to, believe in His Son Jesus, and follow his way of love. God wants us to listen to Jesus and obey all that He asks. Simply put, doing God's will is easy, if we allow it to be. It comes down to two basic things: **loving God and loving our neighbour.** This is precisely what Jesus did when he walked on this earth. He loved God by obeying what the Father wanted Him to do. He loved everyone else by sacrificing his life, and dying for our sins on the cross. A good week to reflect on how I am living out, or doing God's will. Is there something I need to change?

Sunday, June 16th - 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells two parables: one about *scattering seed* and one about a tiny *mustard seed*. These parables were told to explain what the Kingdom of God is like! We plant seeds and we do our best to water, weed and prune, but as today's Gospel says, so much of the growing takes place without us knowing how! **God's hand is in everything** and God is the author of all change and growth! We too need to do our work with the plants, and also in God's Kingdom. If we allow God's hand and God's power to work in and through our lives, what a difference we can make. When we are receptive to God's word, and allow it to be cultivated in our hearts and souls, a transformation takes place from within. God can still change me and you by his grace!

If we are out around a garden this week... look at the plants. Look at the work that must be done to produce the results. Then look at our own lives, and ask, "What still needs to be done in ME" or "what do I still need to do, to make the Kingdom of God more of a reality?"

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The CARTOON KRONICLES

Father's Day is Sunday, June 16th. Happy Father's Day to all the fathers and grandfathers in our families and parish.

Prayer for Father's Day

Lord, thank you for loving us with your perfect heart of a father. We ask you this Father's Day to guide and protect the hearts of all in fatherly roles who are striving to love with your heart and do your work. Give them pure, chaste, courageous, and creative hearts like St. Joseph. Give them hearts that never tire of serving those they are called to love. Give them hearts that seek out their loved ones and gently turn their gaze to see You, who is Love. We ask you, Father, to bless them abundantly today. We thank you for blessing us with those in fatherly roles in our lives. We entrust them to your tender care. Amen.

100th Birthdays

Last Saturday Angie Sommise celebrated her 100th Birthday in Sarnia. I sent her a video message from the parish to be played at her celebration. On June 13th, **Mr. John (Jack) Broderick** will celebrate his 100th Birthday. May God bless John with good health and happiness. We thank John for his generosity and service to the Parish, to the Carmelites, and to the community over the years.

Deus benedicat tibi semper.

On June 12th we wish Fr. Joi a Happy 31st Birthday
May God Bless him with many happy years of Ministry

Church Sound System

The past two weeks we have been experiencing some glitches and loud noises/feedback in our sound system. On Monday, the sound tech discovered that the "mixer" was on its last leg. It was over 30 years old. We had the mixer replaced, and several adjustments made. All seems to be working well now.

Gardening Quotes

- A society grows great when old men plant trees whose shade they know they shall never sit in. - *Greek Proverb*
- Plant and your spouse plants with you; weed and you weed alone.
- Gardening is cheaper than therapy, and you get tomatoes.

... People are funny; they want the front of the bus, the middle of the road, and the back of the church.
... A church is a hospital for sinners, not a museum for saints.
... Seven days without prayers makes one weak.



Congratulations and best wishes to those who were Baptized in May!

Ryan Nicholson, Ivy Mackenzie, Madelyn Caligiuri,
Patrick Fortier and Carter Kubushesky

Is God calling You?...If you feel called to serve as an Altar Server or Funeral Server, please call the parish office, 905-354-7451.

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!*

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



Please continue to bring food items to Mass for Project Share! Every item helps!
"Lord, when did we see you hungry?"

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