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*Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the Power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl through the world seeking the ruin of souls.
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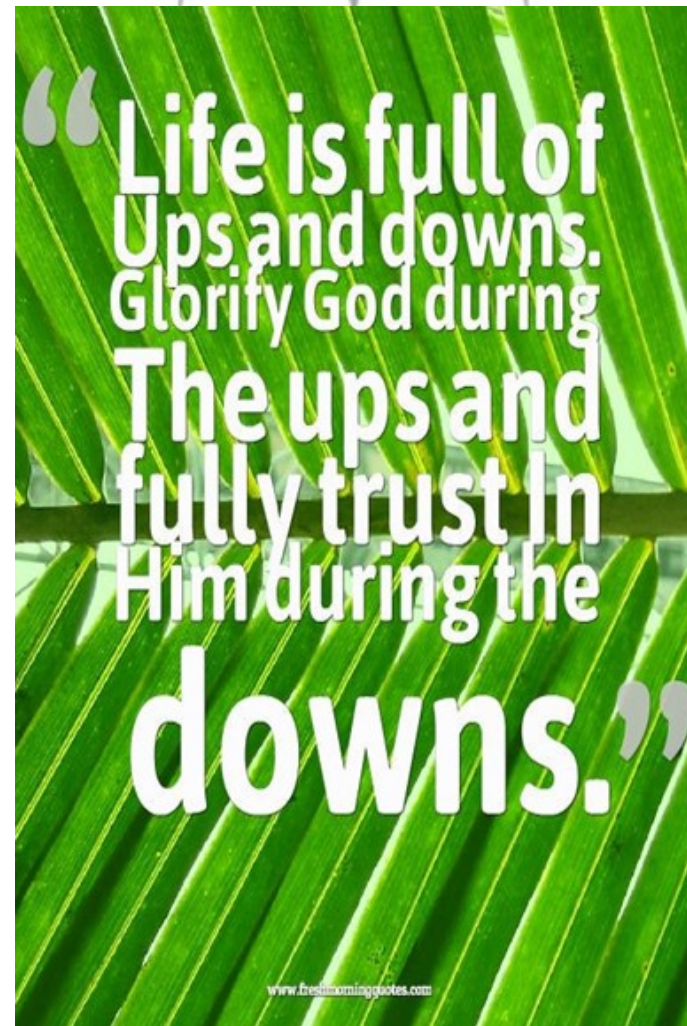
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Office Hours: Wednesday 8:30AM-4:30PM

Holy Mass Schedule:
 The Day of the Lord begins Saturday: Vigil 4:00PM
 Sunday: 9:00AM
 Mass in Italian: Fourth Sunday of each month at 10:30AM
 Weekdays: 8:00AM or as announced

Sacrament of Penance (Confession)
 Saturday: 3:00-3:45PM
 Sunday: 7:30-8:30AM
 By appointment

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:
 Please contact the parish priest during serious illness or before surgery.

Sacrament of Baptism:
 By appointment. "Parents are obliged to see that their infants are baptized within the first few weeks of life." (C.867.1)

Sacrament of Marriage:
 Please contact the parish priest as soon as possible. Pre-marriage classes are mandatory.

Catholic Women's League:
 President: Mary Nan—905-834-9520
 Postponed until further notice.

Knights of Columbus Council #3732:
 Meetings are postponed until further notice

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PLEASE NOTE: Father Janusz is available for confessions before each weekday and weekend Mass. If this is not convenient please contact Father and he will make himself available.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

April 3, 2022—Year C

Mass Schedule & Intentions: Apr 2-8

Saturday 8:00AM 10:00-2:00PM	April 2nd—Our Lady's Saturday †Filiberto DiGregorio (CWL) Confessions
4:00PM	Vigil of the Fifth Sunday of Lent †Peppino Trasatti (Tony & Giuseppina Trasatti)
Sunday 9:00AM	April 3rd Fifth Sunday of Lent <i>Missa pro populo</i>
Monday	April 4th— ferial
Tuesday 8:00AM	April 5th— ferial †Bruno Sottana (wife Rita & Family)
Wednesday 8:00AM	April 6th— ferial †Steve and Grace Czinege (Czinege Family)
Thursday 8:00AM	April 7th— ferial Rocco Galati (Alida Sabetti)
Friday 8:00AM 6:00PM	April 8— ferial †Fr. Bruno Bonomi (Aldo Bonomi) Stations of the Cross

Help refugees from eastern Ukraine by Pallottine Missionary Foundation Salvatti.pl

Russia has invaded Ukraine. This is the biggest war attack since the Second World War. Deep fear is escalating from one minute to another.

The Pallottine parishes in Ukraine, especially in Kyiv, Odesa, Zhytomyr and Lviv receive more and more families asking for shelter. The adaptation of the various rooms for the arriving people is needed, water, food and hygiene products.

Long-Term Impact

Thanks to your help many lives will be saved and people in Ukraine will gain hope.

Resources

<http://www.salvatti.pl>

[Help for Ukraine](#)

[Help for children in Bilohiria in Ukraine](#)

Direct Website:

<https://www.globalgiving.org/projects/help-refugees-from-eastern-ukraine>

If parishioners wish to make a financial contribution they can do so through the parish. Cheques should be made payable to the parish clearly marked Ukraine relief and funds collected can then be forwarded to the Chancery office. The Chancery office will send all monetary donations to the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA). As mentioned in last week's Update donations can also be done through CNEW's website at <https://cnewa.org/ca/donate/>

Easter Flowers in Memory of:

Dora Duquette, Fage Gronier, Doralas Kreiger
Bruce Smith, Trasatti Family, Seca Family, Larry Bodis, Teofil & Stanislawa Siudara, Emma Favero, Tony Favero, Alfonzo & Mary Foresi, Aspartero & Teresa Faresi, Antonio & Amelia Caperchione, Joseph Palma, Stanley Cook, Albert Cook, Thomas Grove, Kayla Henry, Eyr Family, Mario Bugeja, Mike & Cathrine Bugeja, Clement & Maryanne Calleja, Josephine White, Frank, Angela & Carmen Grimaldi, Nicola Morcone, Elia Caira, Loreta Derubeis, Mary Farkas, Luigi Buri, Steve & Grace Czinege, Raoul & Elaine Breton, Rizzo Family, Paonessa Family, Carolina & Giuseppe Merante, Jino DiMobile, DiMobile & Nigro Family, Argilio Lametti, Per Tutti, Cari Mili Difunti.

Thank you for your generosity and please forgive any mistakes, as some envelopes were hard to read.

'Passion of the Christ'

Come join members of the parish in viewing the classic film, 'Passion of the Christ' by Mel Gibson, as a Lenten exercise of entering into Christ's Passion and death. We will view second half of the film Sunday April 3 at 12:00 noon in the church hall and follow up with a brief discussion about the film. Coffee and light snacks will be available.

PERPETUAL MASS INTENTIONS

The Pallottine Fathers welcome enrollments in the Perpetual Mass celebrated by the Pallottine Fathers in Poland. To enroll in the Perpetual Mass, please visit the parish office.

RCIA

Thanks be to God our 3 catechumens will receive all 3 sacraments of initiation on Easter Vigil. Their last 3rd scrutiny will take place at 9:00am Sunday Mass on April 3rd.

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Triduum: A Spiritual Pilgrimage

In Triduum: A Spiritual Pilgrimage, the viewer is brought deeper into the story, landscape, and reality of Holy Week. It draws those with open hearts and minds toward a deeper understanding of Christ's victory while offering rich meditations for the pilgrimage of daily life.

<https://watch.formed.org/triduum-a-spiritual-pilgrimage/videos/triduum>

Please subscribe for free to FORMED following the instructions on pamphlets available at the back of the church.

PALM SUNDAY

April 10, 2022—Year C

Mass Schedule & Intentions: Apr 10-16

Saturday 8:00AM	April 9th— Our Lady's Saturday † Miroslaw Hryszko (Agnes)
4:00PM	Vigil of the Palm Sunday <i>Missa pro populo</i>
Sunday 9:00AM	April 10— Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord † Peppino & Darren Dipasquale(Tony & Giuseppina Trasatti)
Monday	April 11
Tuesday 8:00AM	April 12th †D'Alberto Family (Linda Smarrella)
Wednesday 8:00AM	April 13th †Olgamaria Rodriguez (Maria McKay)
Thursday 6:00PM	April 14th-Lord's Supper God's Blessings for Fr. Janusz (Elizabeth Niec)
Friday 11:00AM 3:00PM	April 15th—Passion Of The Lord Stations of the Cross Friday of the Passion (Good Friday is a universal day of fasting and abstinence from meat)
Saturday 11-11:30AM 7:45PM	April 16th—Holy Saturday Easter Food Blessing Vigil of the Resurrection of the Lord
Sunday 9:00AM	April 17th—Easter Sunday <i>Missa pro populo</i>

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Thank you to all who found time and went to pray for unborn children. Those who still would like to participate please do so in the area by the Niagara Falls general hospital Portage Rd, (between Kitchener & North Sts.) until Palm Sunday included.

Prayers Group and Bible Study

Would you like to understand the struggles of people and families with mental challenges? Perhaps you or someone dear to you experience mental health issues. It's time to break the silence around mental illness in our communities of faith! Join Mary van Ruyven and Rita Smith as we shatter the stigma around mental illness in a 4 week Bible study called "Let's Talk!" Beginning Wednesday April 20 at 6:30 PM in the Parish Hall, the group will meet for 4 consecutive weeks. For more information or to register call Mary at 289 668-9269.

Diocesan update on Covid Regulations

As of March 21st mask are not required.

-Capacity limits in all indoor public settings, including churches, are lifted.

-Please, stay home IF you are sick or have symptoms.

EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

April—Month of the Holy Eucharist

SUNDAY OFFERING

March 20, 2022 \$ 1122.00
March 27, 2022 \$ 1632.00

Thank you for sharing your gifts with the Lord and the faith community of St. Therese. May God bless you for your faithful stewardship.

EUCCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR

Eucharistic Adoration Group will be adoring our Lord in the tabernacle on Thursdays at 10am for an hour. Thanks to God last Thursday there were 11 people for adoration. Everybody is welcome!

CWL NEWS

The CWL Mass will be Tuesday April 5th at 6pm followed by the meeting in the church hall.

Easter Food Baskets - tickets for Easter baskets are available at the back of the church \$1.00 each.

Soup Sunday was very successful

Food Bank:

We dropped of 85.5 lbs this week and as of March 30 we dropped in total 482lbs.of food.

Thank you for your generosity.

Apple pie sale. April 9 & 10 following Saturday 4.00 p.m. and Sunday 9.00a.m. **Unfortunately all pies are SOLD OUT**

PROCEEDS OF ALL 3 FUNDRAISERS WILL BE DONATED TO UKRAINE RELIEVE FUND.

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY LAND

On Good Friday, April 15, there will be a Pontifical collection for the Holy Land in support of Christian communities, the work of the Holy Land, the upkeep of the Holy Sites and the formation of future priests. Let us give generously and show solidarity to respond to the needs of the Church in the land of Jesus.

Yard Sale, Book Sale and Silent Auction

Saturday April 9, 2022

At Our Lady of the Rosary Shrine
4706 Miller Rd. Port Colborne