

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 8, 2020—Year A

Mass Intentions November 7—14, 2020

Saturday 4:00PM	†Argilio Lametti (by wife, Merina & family)	Nov 7th
Sunday 9:00AM	“Missa pro populo”	Nov 8th
Monday	Dedication of the Lateran Basilica No Scheduled Mass	Nov 9th
Tuesday 8:00AM	Saint Leo the Great, pope †Mario & †Maria Forte (by family)	Nov 10th
Wednesday 8:00AM	Saint Martin of Tours †Henry Nan (by wife, Mary & family)	Nov 11th
Thursday	St. Josaphat, bishop, martyr No Scheduled Mass	Nov 12th
Friday	ferial No Scheduled Mass	Nov 13th
Saturday 9:00AM	Our Lady’s Saturday Special Intention	Nov 14th

REMEMBRANCE DAY—November 11

Canadians pause today in silence to remember those who died in war and to pray for the victims of aggression and inhumanity throughout the world. This is a day to pray for peace, to consider what we are doing as individuals, as a community and as a nation to bring God’s peace into the world. This is a day when a believing community should rededicate itself by prayer and action to the ideals Jesus gives us in the Beatitudes.



CATHEDRAL APPEAL UPDATE

As we move into the final month of our eighteen-month Cathedral Appeal, it is timely that we take a look at where we have been as a diocesan family and count our blessings, in the midst of the world that looks very different from when we began. We launched our Cathedral Appeal in May of 2019, and as of October 30, 2020, our appeal has raised \$1,217,018.88 in cash donations and \$21,690.00 in pledges. This brings our **total raised to \$1,238,708.88** or 103% of our \$1,200,000 goal. We continue to thank God for the generosity of so many and for this wonderful achievement. As with every project, unexpected expenses did arise along the way as necessary repairs were only discovered once the work began. Early on it was discovered that the exterior stonework required repair as there was water leaking into the Cathedral, preventing restoration work from moving forward. This expense was approximately \$200,000. There was also the break-in at the Cathedral and the removal of the tabernacle, requiring the installation of video cameras. These are just a couple of examples. So, we appeal to you again, in these challenging times. Could this be the time that you too play a part in this historic event and undertaking in our diocese? Visit us at www.saintcd.com/appeal or make a donation at your church marked “Cathedral Appeal.” Once again, thank you to all and may God bless you.

FROM THE BISHOP’S DESK

Monday, November 9, the feast in honour of the Dedication of St. John Lateran in Rome, marks the 62nd anniversary of the foundation of the Diocese of St. Catharines. This feast illustrates the unity of each diocese with the Universal Church, the See of Rome, and the Holy Father. We try to live that unity within our diocese through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. This date also marks the 10th anniversary of my installation as Bishop of the Diocese of St. Catharines. I continually give thanks to Almighty God for this grace in my life. To be your bishop is an awesome responsibility; however, it is also an incredible source of joy for me. We are part of a wonderful diocese that God has richly blessed. Please pray for me as I daily pray for you.

“That Almighty God will continue to bless the Diocese of St. Catharines with strong faith and many vocations as we celebrate the 62nd anniversary of the foundation of our diocese on November 9, we pray to the Lord”.

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME

November 15, 2020—Year A

Mass Intentions November 14—21, 2020

Saturday 4:00PM	†Teresa Berkhout (by Amelia Foresi)	Nov 14th
Sunday 9:00AM	“Missa pro populo”	Nov 15th
Monday	Saint Margaret of Scotland No Scheduled Mass	Nov 16th
Tuesday 8:00 AM	Saint Elizabeth of Hungary †Lawrence McAllister (by family)	Nov 17th
Wednesday 8:00 AM	Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter & Paul †Teofil Sivdara (by Irene Sinko & family)	Nov 18th
Thursday	ferial No Scheduled Mass	Nov 19th
Friday	ferial No Scheduled Mass	Nov 20th
Saturday 9:00AM	The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Special Intention	Nov 21st

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The 2021 Offertory envelopes will be ready for pick up at the front door of the Church after November 21st. They will be sorted alphabetically for your convenience. Any parishioners who do not have envelopes but would like them or need to make a change to their information are asked to call the office. **PLEASE DO NOT** use them until 2021 as some numbers have changed. When using the 2021 envelopes, please clearly print your name and address on them.

2020 -2021 MISSALS

The new Sunday Missal is now available. It starts the 1st Sunday of Advent, November 29th, 2020 – Year B. The price is \$5 per copy. Be sure to purchase your copy early as there is a limited supply.

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,

KING OF THE UNIVERSE

November 22, 2020—Year A

Mass Intentions November 21—28, 2020

Saturday 4:00PM	†Vittorina Cossaro (by Erta Masotti)	Nov 21st
Sunday 9:00AM	“Missa pro populo”	Nov 22nd
Monday	Pope St. Clement I No Scheduled Mass	Nov 23rd
Tuesday 8:00 AM	St. Andrew Dung-Lac †Clement & †Maryanne Calleja (by Nina & family)	Nov 24th
Wednesday 8:00 AM	St. Catherine of Alexandria †Maria Forte (by family)	Nov 25th
Thursday	ferial No Scheduled Mass	Nov 26th
Friday	Votive Mass of Scared Heart †Giuseppe Consoni (by Bonomi family)	Nov 27th
Saturday 9:00AM	Our Lady’s Saturday Special Intention	Nov 28th

DEO GRATIAS COLLECTION

Please support the *Deo Gratias* Collection of November 14/15, 2020. All revenue will go to our Clergy Aid Society. We are grateful to God, and to our retired clergy in the Diocese of St. Catharines who, from the time of their ordination, have cared for us and our spiritual needs. In thanksgiving to God for them and their years of faithful service, your generous support of the *Deo Gratias* collection will enable us to care for those who have dedicated their lives to caring for us. The revenue from this collection does not go into an endowment fund but goes directly to the Clergy Aid Society which provides an income for our retired clergy.