

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time ❖ September 13, 2015

Sat Sept 12 5:00pm +Agata Garofalo (Emma Pagliaro)

Sun Sept 13 9:00am +Ann Ciccale (J&M Hanuschuk)

11:00am -Missa pro populo

Mon Sept 14 8:00am The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

+Guy DeDonatis

Tue Sept 15 8:00am Our Lady of Sorrows

+Mario Bugeja (wife, Nina & family)

Wed Sept 16 8:00am Saints Cornelius & Cyprian

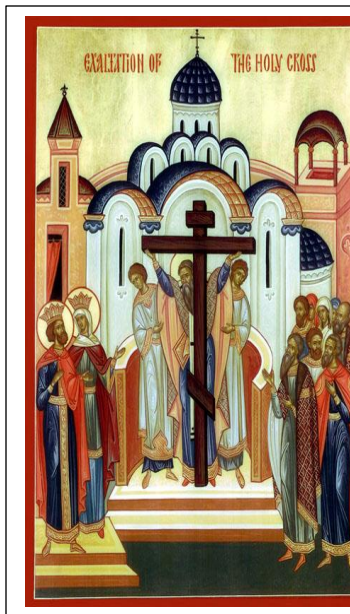
+Bisson & Mazerolle families (Nelson Bisson)

Thu Sept 17 8:00am Saint Robert Bellarmine

+Eleanor Hogue (Marlene Henninger)

Fri Sept 18 8:00am ferial

+Bruno Baldissera (Maria Ottaviano)



EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

This liturgical feast has been celebrated since the 4th century. Adopted by the Church in Rome during the 7th century, the feast commemorates both the dedication of an original Church of the Holy Sepulchre in 335 and Christ's victory over death.

O Cross of Christ,
save us.

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time ❖ September 20, 2015

Sat Sept 19 5:00pm +Annunziata Constantini ved DiBartolomeo

Sun Sept 20 9:00am - Missa pro populo

11:00am +Jacqueline & Donald Peresotti (family)

Mon Sept 21 8:00am Feast of Saint Matthew, apostle

+Carolina Merante (Maria Ottaviano)

Tue Sept 22 **9:30am Mass with St Therese School**

+Angela Ferrara (D & L Sicoli)

Wed Sept 23 8:00am Saint Pius of Pietrelcina

+Anita Castagna (Maria Baldissera)

Thu Sept 24 8:00am ferial

+Gil Foster (wife Joanne)

Fri Sept 25 8:00am Saints Cosmos & Damian, martyrs

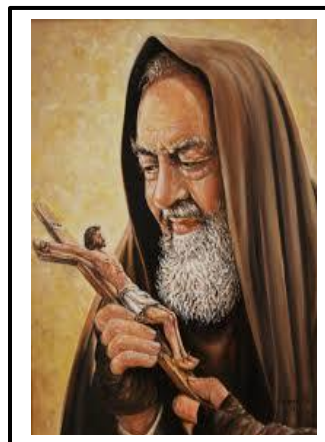
+Souls in Purgatory (E. Niec)

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time ❖ Sept 27, 2015

Sat Sept 26 5:00pm +Jeannine Herrington (T&G Marchonda)

Sun Sept 27 9:00am - Missa pro populo

11:00am +Argilio Lametti (wife Merina & family)



Saint Pio of Pietrelcina commonly known as Padre Pio, was a friar, priest, stigmatist and mystic of the Order of Friars Minor Capuchin. Padre Pio became famous for bearing the stigmata for most of his life. He was canonized by Pope John Paul II in 2002.

PARISH SUPPORT

Please remember when you are absent from the parish, we continue to pay the bills. So many of our faithful parishioners now live in retirement/nursing homes. Your financial support and generosity is greatly appreciated. Thank you and God bless you.

Children's Liturgy at 11:00am Mass

We are happy once again to have Mrs. Lynn Dyson offer her services for the young children attending the 11am Mass.

If you request a specific date for a Mass, please do so well in advance.



St. Therese Parish CWL News

The CWL of St. Therese parish is hosting a retreat on Saturday October 24 at Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre (7021 Stanley Ave., Niagara Falls) beginning at 10AM. The topic will be the Life and Spirituality of St. Therese. There is a limited amount of space. Cost is \$25. To register: contact Mary Ann Stocco at 905-835-5709 or Mary Nan at 905-834-9520. This retreat will be open to parishioners after September 15th if there are any vacancies...Please see bulletin board poster.

O Mary, Mother of Sorrows, pray for us and for those most in need of your mercy

REPLACING FRONT STEPS OF THE CHURCH

To replace the fractured front steps of the church, TUMMILLO Construction will clean off existing coating on stairs (treads & risers) and remove all upper tiles, replacing them with natural stone. Redo existing masonry wing walls (right & left side). Cost: \$15,500+hst. I've been informed that work will begin in early October or whenever? God knows!

To complete the project, MOORE Insulation will clean the underpart of the basement, insulate & paint.... Cost: \$2,000 + hst. This necessary task is being undertaken because the CWL of our Parish have promised \$10,000. to the project. To the CWL we owe our sincere gratitude and appreciation for this kindness. We need your generosity to complete this work. Each bulletin will list the names of donors until the project has been completed.

LIST OF DONORS

Catholic Women's League	Josef & Mary van Ruyven
van der Wilt family	Roger & Carmen Cote
Mrs. Carmen Buri	Anonymous (1)
Mrs. Merina Lametti	Anonymous (2)
Mrs. Christine Haley	
Father Michael	
Father Michael's family	



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Invite you to attend the
BISHOP'S CHARITIES DINNER

At Club Castropignano
1311 Egerter Rd., Port Robinson
Saturday October 24, 2015

Tickets-\$60

Bill Amodeo - 289-456-7888 or Albert Craig - 905-988-1222 or Chuck Johnston 905-646-5099

Proceeds to support Catholic Charities

GRIEF RECOVERY
A Grief Recovery program will be held at Northland Pointe beginning September 15. Contact Armstrong's or Davidson's Funeral Home to register.

MASS AT CEMETERY
Bishop Bergie will celebrate a special Mass at St. Joseph's Cemetery on Thursday September 17th beginning at 6:30pm. In case of rain, Mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's Church (123 King St., Port Colborne) at 7:00pm.



ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY FOOD DRIVE

Please remember the food boxes at the front and side of the church.
Thank you.

SUNDAY OFFERING - THANK YOU

August 30/31 \$2092.25 September 5/6 \$ 1586.25

BISHOP'S COLLECTION FOR THE NEEDS OF THE CANADIAN CHURCH

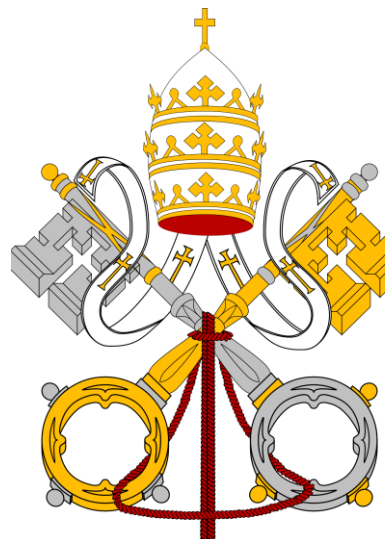
The weekend of September 26/27, a special collection will be held in all Canadian Parishes to support the pastoral work of our Bishops nationally and internationally. This collection helps dioceses pay the annual contribution to the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. The CCCB works in close partnership with other Episcopal Conferences around the world in particular with those in the Americas.

2015 APOSOLIC JOURNEY OF POPE FRANCIS TO THE UNITED STATES

Pope Francis will make his first visit to the USA with stops on September 21 in Washington, D.C., New York City, concluding in Philadelphia for the World Meeting of Families September 26/27.

During his visit in Washington, the Holy Father will preside at the Mass of Canonization of Junipero Serra, Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception.

As North Americans and the Catholic faithful, we join in prayer with grateful hearts welcoming His Holiness to America. Let us all pray for his safe journey



REGENERATE(D) 2015 "Speak of My Mercy"

Branches Catholic Ministries will be sponsoring a fall conference on October 3-4 in Niagara Falls. Regenerate(d) 2015 will feature dynamic talks from renowned Catholic speakers including Vinny Flynn. For more information contact Branches at 905-685-7000 or visit www.go2branches.com