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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, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.**

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**WORD OF GOD SUNDAY**

JANUARY 21 - 22, 2023  
AT EVERY MASS

**St. Therese of Lisieux**  
of the Child Jesus and the Holy Face Catholic Church  
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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

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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.

**THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

January 8, 2023– Year A

**Mass Schedule & Intentions: Jan 7-13**

<b>Saturday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 7th—Saint Andre Bessette</b> † Maria Baldissera (Linda Smarrella)
<b>4:00PM</b>	<b>Vigil of the Epiphany of The Lord</b> † Michael Sammons (mother)
<b>Sunday 9:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 8th—The Epiphany of The Lord</b> Missa pro populo
Monday	Jan 9th—The Baptism of the Lord
<b>Tuesday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 10th—Ferial</b> † Enrico Mascio (Elvira Mascio)
<b>Wednesday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 11th— Ferial</b> Alida Sabetti & family (Diane & Derek Miller)
<b>Thursday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 12th— St. Marguerite Bourgeoys</b> †All Souls in purgatory (Lynn)
<b>Friday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 13th—Saint Hilary, Bishop, Doctor</b> † John Lelay (Steve & Ann Czinege)

**ENVELOPES FOR 2023**

**PLEASE** use the 2023 envelopes that been assigned to you. If you have not picked them up, they are available at the back of the church filed in alphabetical order. If you do not have envelopes and would like to start using them, please contact the office and a box will be assigned to you. **PLEASE** print your name and address clearly on your envelopes for the month of January. Please contact the office if there are any changes in your information. **PLEASE DO NOT USE ANY ENVELOPES FROM THE PREVIOUS YEARS AS SOME NUMBERS HAVE BEEN RE-ASSIGNED.**

**INCOME TAX RECEIPTS FOR 2022**

Income Tax receipts will be ready in February. Receipts will be issued for donations received by December 28, 2022, for people who use envelopes or provide their details – Name, Surname and address. Important! Please update the address if it has been changed recently.

**FROM PARISH OFFICE**

Please contact the office if you change your address or phone number.

When requesting Masses please leave your phone number, with your request, in case we need to contact you in regards to the dates you requested. Please note that each family is allowed to request only 2 weekends masses during the year at this time. We apologize for any inconvenience that this may cause.

**POPE EMERITUS BENEDICT XVI**

We pray that Our Lord and His Blessed Mother will welcome Pope Benedict into Paradise. May he be granted the grace to gaze upon the God he loved for all eternity.

Requiescat in pace et in amore.



**JANUARY 21/22, 2023  
SOLEMNITY OF  
SAINT VINCENT PAL-  
LOTTI**

Sunday Jan 22 is the **Feast of Saint Vincent Pallotti**, the founder of the Pallottine Fathers, who have been working in the Diocese of St. Catharines since July of 2021 year. Fr Janusz Roginski, our Pastor, belongs to this congregation. In all Pallottine parishes all over the world this Sunday is celebrated as **the Solemnity of St. Vincent Pallotti**. Let us pray for all the Pallottines in the world so that they may serve God in accordance with their charism, which is the apostolate of lay people.

**2022 BAPTISM IN OUR PARISH**

We give praise to God for the increase of Baptisms in our Parish last year. The following children joined our faith family:

- \* Chelsey Eaton Turner
- \* Kenneth Eaton Turner
- \* Cylus Eaton Turner
- \* Levi Joseph Dominic
- \* Harper Aldridge
- \* Jyla Price
- \* Myles Price
- \* Mariah Eliana G. Nicolas
- \* Evalynn Michelle Marie Duquette
- \* Anthony William Duquette
- \* Isabelle Nancy Johanne Duquette

In the month of January 2023 2 more children will be baptized:

- \* Karina Lexa Simoni—Jan 14
- \* Violet Villeneuve—Jan 28

**SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

January 15, 2023—Year A

**Mass Schedule & Intentions: Jan 14-22**

<b>Saturday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 14th— Our Lady’s Saturday</b> † Italo Rossi (Ron Favero)
<b>4:00PM</b>	<b>Vigil of the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Missa pro populo
<b>Sunday 9:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 15th—Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> † Steve and Grace Czinege (ASC)
Monday	Jan 16th—Ferial
<b>Tuesday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 17th—Saint Anthony</b> †Mario & Maria Ottaviano (Maria Maguzzi)
<b>Wednesday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 18th—Ferial</b> God’s blessings for Victoria Laskowski on birthday (Parents)
<b>Thursday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 19th—Ferial</b> † Delia & Gaetano Chiavetti (Mafalda Chiavetti)
<b>Friday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 20th—Saint Fabian, Pope</b> † All Souls in purgatory (Diane Miller)
<b>Saturday 8:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 21st—Saint Agnes</b> God’s blessing for Agnes (Richard)
<b>4:00PM</b>	<b>Vigil of the Sunday of the Word of God</b> † Marie Leon (Annette Azzopardi-Cote & family)
<b>Sunday 9:00AM</b>	<b>Jan 22nd—Sunday of the Word of God Saint Vincent</b> Missa pro populo
<b>10:30AM</b>	<b>(Open for Intention)</b>

**FAITH FORMATION GROUP**

The meeting for the Faith Formation Group will be on 3rd Tuesday of each month at 5:30pm. Next Meeting will be January 17th. Those who are interested, please sign your name, contact number and email on the list in the vestibule of the church. See you soon and God bless you!

**YOUTH GROUP**

The meetings take place once a month on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 6pm. Next meeting will be January 18th. All the youth from older classes in the elementary school, high school and college students are welcome! Pray for our youth so that they may grow in their faith!

**EVENTS IN OUR PARISH**

*January*

*Month of the Most Holy Name of Jesus*

**SUNDAY OFFERING**

December 18	\$ 2,765.00
December 25	\$ 643.00
Christmas	\$ 3,265.00
January 1,	\$ 2,288.00
January Repairs	\$ 234.00

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

**E-TRANSFERS**

Thank you to everyone for their contributions to St. Therese Church either by offertory envelopes or E-transfer. We would like to remind everyone to use [celineincarmel@gmail.com](mailto:celineincarmel@gmail.com) for any e-transfer. We cannot accept any e-transfers at [thereselisieux@cogeco.net](mailto:thereselisieux@cogeco.net)

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

**UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS –  
Hosted by the CWL**

Thank you everyone for supporting our Christmas Gift Baskets and for your generosity.

The winners are:

- ♦ Lauren Klukach
- ♦ Sherrie Poulin
- ♦ Lydia Favero

Mary will call about February’s meeting

**WISHING EVERY ONE A PEACEFUL AND  
BLESSED NEW YEAR**

**MARY**

**THANK YOU**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our volunteers and staff members who worked tirelessly over this past year to ensure that all our Eucharistic celebrations and outreach activities were carefully planned, and the church building prepared for these celebrations and well taken care of. I appreciate your generosity and thoughtfulness. Thank you also to all parishioners for your sacrificial giving through the different appeals that we had over this year. May the Lord abundantly bless you with his joy and peace.