

# Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

## October 5, 2025 — Year C



Sat. Oct 4	8:00AM For the health of Theresa Wilson 4:00PM For the People
Sun. Oct 5	9:00AM †Steve Czinege by Ann Czinege
Mon. Oct 6	8:00AM † Salvatore (Sam) Scalzo by Mike & Teresa Arcaro
Tue. Oct 7	6:30PM †DiNobile & Nigro families by Fernanda DiNobile
Wed. Oct 8	8:00AM For the health of Theresa Wilson
Thu. Oct 9	8:00AM †† Salvatore (Sam) Scalzo by Rosa Scalzo
Fri. Oct 10	8:00AM †George & Onelda Basque
Sat. Oct 11	8:00AM †George & Onelda Basque 4:00PM †Rose Mallia by Gordon & Carmen Burrison
Sun. Oct 12	9:00AM For the People

### LIFE CHAIN

The Annual Life Chain, a silent witness to the sanctity of life, will be held along Niagara Street between Woodlawn Road and Lancaster Drive, Welland on Sunday, October 5 from 2:30 until 3:30 PM. Please consider spending one hour participating in this important Pro-Life event.

### TURKEY PIE SALE

Knights of Columbus Council #3732 is having a Turkey Pie Sale. Orders are now being taken. Cost is \$9 each. To order a pie call Dan Quinn at 905-835-6594 before October 14. Orders can be picked up at St. Therese Hall on October 18. You will be notified about the time.

### RETROUVAILLE

Retrouvaille is a Catholic program designed to support Marriages in crisis and help couples repair the difficulties in their relationship. The next experience will take place in Hamilton on the weekend of October 17-19. For more information call 905-664-5212 or email 1013r@helpour-marriage.org.

### DIVORCED AND SEPARATED MINISTRY

The Diocesan Divorced and Separated Ministry Group will be meeting at Mount Carmel Spiritual Center (7020 Stanley Ave., Niagara Falls) on October 14 from 7:00-9:00 PM. The topic for this session is "Loneliness". For more information call 905-356-4113 or 905-684-0154 or email [separatedanddivorced@saintcd.com](mailto:separatedanddivorced@saintcd.com).

### SCHOOL MASS

The next Mass at St. Therese of Lisieux School will be celebrated in the gym on Tuesday, October 14 starting at 12:00 Noon. Everyone is welcome.

### CATHOLICISM

St. Elizabeth's Parish (31928 Hwy. #3, Wainfleet) is presenting an Adult Faith Formation Series based on Bishop Robert Barron's Videos "Catholicism: The Pivotal Prayers" in the Church on Sunday afternoons at 2:00 PM from September 28 until November 30 and repeat sessions on Tuesdays at 7:00 PM from September 30 until December 2.

### YOUTH MINISTRY

Adults and youth interested in having Youth Ministry at St. Therese of Lisieux Parish are invited to a meeting to be held in the Parish Hall on Sunday, October 19 from 10:00 until 11:30 AM. For information call Dorothy Murtaugh at 905-658-9579.

### CONFIRMATION MEETING

A meeting for parents of Grade Eight students who wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation will be held in the Parish Hall on Wednesday, October 8 at 6:00 PM. At least one parent must attend the meeting. Students and Sponsors are welcome to attend. Please bring the students Baptismal Certificate to the meeting.

### FOOD DRIVE

St. Therese of Lisieux Parish is holding a Thanksgiving Food Drive to assist those in our community facing food insecurity. Donations will be accepted until Thursday, October 9 when they will be forwarded to Port Cares for distribution to the needy. Consider buying a few non-perishable food items (pasta, pasta sauce, cereal, soup etc.) or toiletries (soap, shampoo, toothpaste) whenever you pick up your groceries before October 9 and placing them in the bin in the foyer of the Church.

### ENGAGED ENCOUNTER

Engaged Encounter is a Diocesan approved Marriage Preparation program for engaged couples. The next Engaged Encounter Weekend will take place at Jericho (10845 Rathfon Rd., Port Colborne) on the weekend of October 17-19 starting on Friday at 6:00 PM. For information call Celine de Grosbois at 289-241-4390 and to register go to [cecanada.ca](http://cecanada.ca).

### LOW GLUTEN HOSTS

Low Gluten Hosts (the amount of Gluten in them is less than 20 ppm) are available to anyone who suffers from Celiac Disease and requires one to receive the Eucharist. For those whose allergy is extremely serious, one can receive the Consecrated Wine from a separate Chalice to avoid contamination. Please let Fr. Basque know before Mass if a low gluten host or receiving the Consecrated Wine is necessary.

### CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER

A Contemplative Prayer Group following the teachings of St. John of the Cross and Fr. Thomas Keating will be meeting on Wednesday October 15 at 1:00 PM. On Zoom. Everyone is welcome. For information call Brenda Coleman at 905-646-1995.

### LAKESHORE MASS

Mass is celebrated at Lakeshore Catholic High School each Wednesday during the School Year starting at 7:30 AM. On Wednesday, October 15 Fr. Basque will be offering the Mass so the Parish Mass will be at 8:30 AM.

### APPLE PIE SALE

St. Therese of Lisieux Parish Catholic Women's League is having an Apple Pie Sale. Cost is \$ 13 each or 2 for \$25. Pies can be ordered starting this weekend and picked up on the weekend of October 11-12 after the 4:00 PM Mass (Saturday evening) and 9:00 AM Mass (Sunday morning). To order a pie call Mary Nan at 905-834-9520 or Alba Farkas at 905-835-5337.

### LEGACY DONATIONS

When you and your family are making arrangements for your Will consider making St. Therese of Lisieux Parish one of your beneficiaries. When making Funeral arrangements consider directing donations to our Parish. Your generosity is greatly needed and appreciated.. All donations will be recorded and income tax receipts will be issued at the end of the year.

### FIRST COMMUNION MEETING

A meeting for parents of Grade Two students who wish to receive the Sacraments of First Confession and First Communion will be held in the Parish Hall on Thursday, October 16 at 6:00 PM. At least one parent must attend the meeting. Students and are welcome to attend. Please bring the student's Baptismal Certificate to the meeting.

### MARRIAGE TRIBUNAL

If you are considering remarriage in the Catholic Church or hoping to enter a Marriage with someone who was previously married speak to a Priest or contact the St. Catharine's Marriage Tribunal Office at 905-687-8817 or email [tribunal@saintcd.com](mailto:tribunal@saintcd.com).

### BISHOP'S GALA

The Diocese of St. Catharine's is holding a Bishop's Gala Fundraiser at John Michael's Banquet Hall (1368 Uppers Lane, Thorold) on Friday, November 28 from 5:30 until 11:00 PM. Proceeds will support evangelization in our community and the growth of Youth and Young Adult Ministries in the Diocese. A live auction will begin at 8:30 PM. Tickets are \$250 of which \$125 is tax deductible. For information and tickets call Emma Mete at the Catholic Center at 905-684-0154.

### LAKESHORE PILGRIMAGE

Students and Staff from Lakeshore Catholic High School will be participating in the Niagara Catholic District School Board's Annual Pilgrimage Walk on Sunday, October 26. Participants will attend the 9:00 AM Mass at St. Therese of Lisieux Parish and then walk along a route which will end at the High School around 11:30 AM. Proceeds will support La Bermuda in El Salvador and the Casa El Norte Refugee Center in Fort Erie.

### STUDY DAYS

The Priests of the Diocese will be gathering for their annual Study Days at Mount Carmel Spiritual Center from Monday, October 27 until Wednesday, October 29. Mass will be offered at the Parish on Monday at 8:00 AM and Wednesday at 6:30 PM. There will be no Mass on Tuesday, October 28.

### HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The Diocesan Convention of the Holy Name Society will be held at Our Lady of the Scapular Parish Hall (6557 Thorold Stone Road, Niagara Falls) on Saturday, October 25 starting at 2:00 pm. Tickets are \$45 (which includes the Dinner) and are on sale until Friday October 17. For information call Garret Smits at 905-938-3220.

### NEW EMAIL

Fr. Basque's new email is [mbasque@saintcd.com](mailto:mbasque@saintcd.com). You can use it to contact him about any Parish business.

### WEEKLY COLLECTION

September 27/28 Sunday Offering	\$ 1,518.00
Maintenance	\$ 10.00
E-transfer: <a href="mailto:celineincarmel@gmail.com">celineincarmel@gmail.com</a>	