The Presentation of the Lord
February 2nd 2020

Mass Schedule & Intentions from February 1, 2020 to February 9, 2020

Saturday	5:00 PM	†Nick Kraneyk by Tony & Rosanna Celi Ruggero & Caterina Sdao by Franca Sdao & Family Maria "Nancy" Fazari by Lina Albanese & Family Patty Valleriani by Angelina Camposarcone
Sunday	9:00AM	†Steve Mannella by Maria & Vince Mannella Teresa Sara Fazari by Maria Fazzalari Domenico Locco by wife & Family Evelina & Tesina DiGaetano by Maria Magazzeni & Family
World Day For Consecrated Life	11:00AM	For us and for all our dearly deceased ones.
Monday		No Mass
Tuesday	9:00AM	†Olivia Mancini by Tony & Augusta DeChellis
Wednesday	9:00AM	†Conrad Lemlin by Yoli Pellegrino
Thursday	9:00AM	†Lena Mete by Ron & Rose Lalande
Friday	9:00AM	†Saverio Mussari by Carmelo & Maria Mazzei
Saturday	5:00PM	†Giuseppina & Antonio Gallo by Family Maria "Nancy" Fazari by Andrea & Anna Gervasio Allegra Degano by Maria Fazzalari Aurore Hallé by John & Rollande Watson
Mass with Anointing Of the Sick		
Sunday	9:00 AM	†Anita & Ada Magazzeni by Maria Magazzeni & Family Angelo Ligotti by Adelina & Teresa Tavano Maria "Nancy" Fazari by Lea Locco Conrad Lemlin by Lea Locco & Family
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Anointing of the sick

Then Simeon blessed them and said to his mother Mary, "This child is destined for the falling and the rising of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be opposed so that the inner thoughts of many will be revealed– and a sword will pierce your own soul too… Luke 2; 22-40

Last Week's Collection

Regular Collection	$ 1853.00
Renovations	$ 111.00
Thank you for your	*continued support*

Upcoming Events

Masses Honouring Married Couples – *Feb 15th & 16th*

Valentines Childcare Night: **Feb 14th 5-8:30PM**

Family Mass and Luncheon ***Feb.23rd***

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper –**Feb 25th 4:30-6 pm**

Please join and support our Parish

Saint Andrew the Apostle, pray for us

World Day of the Sick - February 11th

Dear brothers and sisters who are ill, your sickness makes you in a particular way one of those "who labour and are burdened", and thus attract the eyes and heart of Jesus. In him, you will find light to brighten your darkest moments and hope to soothe your distress. He urges you: "Come to me". In him, you will find strength to face all the worries and questions that assail you during this "dark night" of body and soul. Christ did not give us prescriptions, but through his passion, death and resurrection he frees us from the grip of evil. In your experience of illness, you certainly need a place to find rest. The Church desires to become more and more the "inn" of the Good Samaritan who is Christ (cf. Lk 10:34), that is, a home where you can encounter his grace, which finds expression in closeness, acceptance and relief. In this home, you can meet people who, healed in their frailty by God's mercy, will help you bear your cross and enable your suffering to give you a new perspective. You will be able to look beyond your illness to a greater horizon of new light and fresh strength for your lives. To read more go to… http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/sick/documents/papa-francesco_20200103_giornata-malato.html

World Day of the Sick

Married Singles Lifestyle –The Married Singles Lifestyle describes couples that may have lost a sense of closeness they once had as marriage partners and are living more like roommates. ***Retrouvaille*** has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulty at all levels. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on March 13, 2020, at the Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre in Niagara Falls, please call 905-664-5212 or email: hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org.

In Memory

Mario Ranieri passed away on Sat. Jan 25th. A funeral Mass was celebrated here for him on January 30th. Our condolences go out to the bereaving family.

A Prayer for the Consecrated Ones

God our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's Kingdom as sisters, brothers, religious priests, consecrated virgins, and hermits, as well as members of Secular Institutes. Renew their knowledge and love of you, and send your Holy Spirit to help them respond generously and courageously to your will. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Eucharist in Scripture

6 Part Bible Class, here. Start Date: Feb 27th at 6:30 P.M.

Liturgy is an essential element of Scripture. It is central to the Bible's story. The New Testament liturgy—especially the Eucharist—was promised in the Old Testament. It was anticipated, prefigured, foreshadowed. And it was fulfilled by Jesus in his Sacred Passion. In *The Eucharist in Scripture*, discover God's plan as it is expressed through the Bible and the liturgy. This six lesson study, presented by **Dr. Scott Hahn**, will unlock the meaning of covenant, sacrifice, and sacrament as understood in the Bible, from Genesis through Revelation.

Honouring Catholic Marriage (Feb.15th & 16th)

All laws, both human and divine, are made for the good of society. Once in a while, a law will work a hardship on an individual, and this is sometimes true of God's laws on marriage. But you marry "for better or for worse." Therefore, if through no fault of yours, your married life is unhappy, or if your partner has left you, or if you find God's laws hard to observe, ask God for the strength to do His will; ask your crucified Savior for the courage to carry your cross. The Sacrament of Matrimony gives married people special graces to live their lives according to God's laws. In any case, God made no exceptions to His laws on marriage; to break them for any reason is a serious matter.