

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, May 27, 2018



“All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age. (Mt 28: 16-20)

Last Week's Collection

Sunday Offering - \$ 2033.00
 Repair & Renovations fund - \$ 110.00
 'Host a Family..' \$ 10.00
Bless you for your continued generous support.

Upcoming Events - 2018

Vacation Bible School—July 9—13 2018
Host a Family Fund Raising Programs:
Meatball Sale June 16-17
Friends, please join and support that we may help our 2nd Syrian family.

May month of Blessed Mother Mary



We continue the Rosary recital at different houses. It would be nice if you can join us and invite others to join as well.

Saturday, Sunday and Tuesday we will be reciting Rosary 25 minutes before Mass.

Mass Schedule & Intentions from May 26, 2018 to June 3, 2018

Saturday	5:00PM † Frank Lostracco by Father & family Darlene Briggs by Tony & Mary Sdao Marisa Principi by Franca Sdao & family
Sunday	9:00AM † Albina, Rosina & Agata Montemurro by Sister Ines Mauro Frank Lostracco by Annie Silvestri Aladino Magazzeni by Wife & family 11:00AM For us and for all our dearly deceased ones Family Mass & Luncheon
Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	7:00PM † Franco Sdao by Sylvia Maletta
Wednesday	9:00AM † Tony Mazzei by Antonietta Nobile
Thursday	9:00AM † Roger Larabie by Family
Friday	9:00AM † Alcide Charette by Helen Charette
Saturday	5:00PM † Giulio Lostracco by Family Sheela Rathee by Franca Sdao & family
Sunday	9:00AM † Clementina Giovinazzo by Grandchildren Tina, Nancy & Rosa Stella Grande & Tony Giovinazzo by Cousins Tina, Nancy & Rosa Giovinazzo Frank Lostracco by Father & family 11:00AM For us and for all our dearly deceased ones



Corpus Christi

Thank you for supporting 'Host a Family Program'

To book a Mass

If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for a special occasion, on behalf of a family member, a friend, or a deceased loved one (Holy Souls in Purgatory), please submit a Mass Request to us. Envelopes are available at the back. You may also visit the office during office hours or sent us an e-mail at sandrewrce@outlook.com
We currently have many week day Mass openings available.

Corpus Christi

The Feast of Corpus Christi is the Roman Rite liturgical solemnity celebrating the real presence of the body and blood of Jesus Christ, the Son of God, in the Eucharist—known as transubstantiation. It is celebrated on the Thursday after Trinity Sunday; 60 days after Easter, or the Sunday immediately following this.

The Feast of Corpus Christi was not celebrated throughout the entire Catholic Church until the year 1264. Did you know: In 1519, on the Roman Catholic Feast Day of Corpus Christi, Spanish explorer Alonzo Alvarez de Pineda discovered a lush semi-tropical bay on what is now the southern coast of Texas. The bay, and the city that later sprung up there, took the name of the feast day “Corpus Christi”



VBS 2018 July 9th to 13th

We are planning to have this year's Vacation Bible Class in July. We will have the next **Volunteers meeting on Sunday, May 27th**, after the 2nd Mass, here at the Hall. If you would like to join the team, please attend this meeting. Thank you!



Saint Andrew the Apostle, pray for us



Pope Francis
General Audience
May 23, 2018

Dear brothers and sisters:
 In these days following the Church's celebration of the gift of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, our catechesis turns to the sacrament of Confirmation, which “confirms” the grace of our Baptism and “anoints” us with the Spirit to bear witness to Christ before the world. Jesus himself, filled with the Holy Spirit, carried out his mission as the Lord's Anointed, and after his death and resurrection, bestowed the Spirit upon his disciples, who went forth from the Upper Room to proclaim God's mighty works (cf. Acts 2:11). As Christ was anointed by the Spirit at his baptism in the Jordan, so at Pentecost the Church received the Spirit in order to carry out her mission of preaching the Gospel to the ends of the earth. In Confirmation, Jesus fills us with his Spirit and makes us sharers in his own life and mission, in accordance with the Father's saving plan. May this sacrament strengthen us to be ever docile to the promptings of the Holy Spirit, as we strive in all our actions and words to live fully the new life received in Baptism and to advance the Church's mission in the world.

Mass at holy Cross Cemetery

Sixth Annual Outdoor Mass - Holy Cross Cemetery Mass. Located at 50 Woodlawn Road in Welland Saturday June 23, 2018 at 11 AM
 In the event of inclement weather, the Mass will be re-scheduled for Saturday July 7, 2018 at 11AM

Welland Port Colborne Prolife Walk - A - Thon

Saturday June 2, 2018 @ 8:30 AM
 Chippawa Park—Welland.
 Please join us in the annual Walk - A - thon fundraising event. Pledge sheets are available online at www.wpcprolife.com or in the pro life office on Hellems Ave.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

We have been considering all the mysteries of salvation from the birth of Christ to Pentecost, and now the Church directs our attention to the primordial mystery of Christianity, the Blessed Trinity, the source of every gift and every good. She invites us to sing in praise: “Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; to him who is, who was, and who is to come” (Alleluia). Divine Intimacy

Collection for the Education of Seminarians & Clergy
 Weekend of June 9 & 10 Envelopes to be included Next week

Light, radiance and grace are in the Trinity and from the Trinity descending of the Holy Spirit

A letter by St Athanasius

It will not be out of place to consider the ancient tradition, teaching and faith of the Catholic Church, which was revealed by the Lord, proclaimed by the apostles and guarded by the fathers. For upon this faith the Church is built, and if anyone were to lapse from it, he would no longer be a Christian either in fact or in name.

We acknowledge the Trinity, holy and perfect, to consist of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. In this Trinity there is no intrusion of any alien element or of anything from outside, nor is the Trinity a blend of creative and created being. It is a wholly creative and energising reality, self-consistent and undivided in its active power, for the Father makes all things through the Word and in the Holy Spirit, and in this way the unity of the holy Trinity is preserved. Accordingly, in the Church, one God is preached, one God who is above all things and through all things and in all things. God is above all things as Father, for he is principle and source; he is through all things through the Word; and he is in all things in the Holy Spirit.

Writing to the Corinthians about spiritual matters, Paul traces all reality back to one God, the Father, saying: Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of service but the same Lord; and there are varieties of working, but it is the same God who inspires them all in everyone.

Even the gifts that the Spirit dispenses to individuals are given by the Father through the Word. For all that belongs to the Father belongs also to the Son, and so the graces given by the Son in the Spirit are true gifts of the Father. Similarly, when the Spirit dwells in us, the Word who bestows the Spirit is in us too, and the Father is present in the Word. This is the meaning of the text: My Father and I will come to him and make our home with him. For where the light is, there also is the radiance; and where the radiance is, there too are its power and its resplendent grace.

This is also Paul's teaching in his second letter to the Corinthians: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. For grace and the gift of the Trinity are given by the Father through the Son in the Holy Spirit. Just as grace is given from the Father through the Son, so there could be no communication of the gift to us except in the Holy Spirit. But when we share in the Spirit, we possess the love of the Father, the grace of the Son and the fellowship of the Spirit himself.

Provincial Election—June 7 2018.

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto have put together an Election Guide. It is available online at the following link: <http://www.catholiccharitiestor.org>