# Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 15, 2017



Then he said to his slaves, 'The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy. Go therefore into the main streets, and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet. Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests. (Mt 22: 1-14)

### Last Week's Collection

Sunday Offering - \$ 1492.60 'Host a Family..' \$ 55.00 Repair & Renovations fund - \$65.00 Disaster Relief Fund - \$ 100.00 Bless you for your continued generous support.

### **Upcoming Events - 2017**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament -October 27 @ 6.30pm CWL Poinsettia Festival Nov.5th **Host a Family Fund Raising Programs: Prosciutto Raffle - November 1-15** 

Meatball sale Nov.18th

Family Mass & Luncheon Nov.26th Friends, please join and support that we may help



We will be praying the Rosary before every weekend Masses in October. Please join us 25 minutes before Mass.

Tuesday Mass will be back to 9AM, from this Tuesday.



### Mass Schedule & Intentions from October 14, 2017 to October 22, 2017

Saturday 5:00PM † Antonio & Giuseppina Gallo by Family Franco Sdao by Peppe & Tina Corona

Sunday 9:00AM † Palmarosa & Emedio Ioannoni

by Daughter in law & family Gilda & Filodora Guglielmi by Loreta Zinatelli

Rosana Magazzeni

by Maria Magazzeni & family Marrietta, Ida & Eduardo Rizzuto by Daughter Lea & family

11:00AM For us and for all our dearly deceased ones

No Mass Monday Tuesday

(winter Schedule)

Wednesday

Thursday

Saturday

Friday

World

Mission

Sunday

Thank you for

supporting

'Host a Family

Program'

9:00AM † Giuseppina Gallo by Arduino Rossi

9:00AM † Vincenzo Guzzi by Liliana Mammarella

9:00AM † Maria Eisenring (DeChellis) by Andrew & Anna Gervasio

9:00AM † Umberto & Angelo Nobile by Franca Sdao

5:00PM † Franco Sdao

by Michelino & Assunde Fornato Pauline Villella by Nick & Alicia Villella Pasquale Vaccaro by Wife & family Giacomo Mancuso by the family

9:00AM † Nicola Bernardi

by Domenic & Angie D'Aurizio Stephen, Raymond & Theresa Horvat by Mother Theresa Horvat Aladino Magazzeni by Wife & family Vincent Fazzalari by wife Maria & family

11:00AM For us and for all our dearly deceased ones

## CWL Meeting

Monday October 16, 2017 @ 6:30pm in the church hall.

# **Diocesan Anniversary Mass & Dinner**

Married couples celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th or 60th anniversary in the year 2017 are invited to the diocesan anniversary Mass, Monday November 27, 2017, 5:30 pm at the Cathedral of St. Catherine of Alexandria, St. Catharines. To register and receive a formal invitation from Bishop Gerard Bergie, contact the parish office and fill out the registration form by October 13. A dinner will be held at Club Roma, St. Catharines, 7:00 pm.

### Host a Family Program our 2nd family

Friends, for the last one year we were supporting the Almakhoul family from Syria. We thank God and all the Volunteers and donors for supporting the family. Your sacrifices and the enthusiasm and cooperation of the family made it a success story. They are doing pretty good.

Our 2nd family, a 3 member one, will be **arriving on November 1st.** I am sure that with the dedication of our Volunteers and the support you are giving we will be able to help them too. Again we thank God for giving us the courage and good will to do His will. May God bless each one of you for your compassion and support. Fr. Paul



# Saint Andrew the Apostle, pray for us

**POPE FRANCIS** 

**General Audience October 11, 2017** 

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

Today I wish to speak about that dimension of hope which we can call attentive waiting. Jesus tells his disciples to be like those who await the return of their master, with lamps alight (cf. Lk 12:35-36). As Christians, therefore, we are always attentive, awaiting the Lord's return, when God will be all in all (cf. 1 Cor 15:28). Every day is a new opportunity to be attentive to God, to welcome the day as his gift, and to live that day by offering our good works to him. Such attentiveness requires patience, however, if we are not to lose sight of God's grace when our days are monotonous, or our difficulties many. For no night is so long, as to make us forget the joy that comes with dawn. As Christians, we know that Christ will return; that no matter what we may suffer, life has its purpose and deeper meaning, and that the merciful Lord will greet us at its end. Thus we can look upon history and our own lives with confidence and hope, knowing that the future is not guided solely by the work of our hands but by God's providence. May we repeat everyday the words of thefirst disciples: "Come, Lord Jesus!" (Rev. 22:20). And in our most difficult moments, may we hear the consoling response of Jesus: "Behold, I am coming soon" (Rev. 22:7).

Nov.2nd - All Souls' day Masses at 9AM and 7PM

The DIOCESAN SEPARATED AND **DIVORCED HEALING MINISTRY** support group meetings has resumed. Meetings are held every second and fourth Monday (except holidays) from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre, 7020 Stanley Avenue, Niagara Falls. For a pamphlet or information call 905-356-4113 or 905-684-0154, or email separatedanddivorced@saintcd.com.

No pre-registration required.

### Fatima & Italy Pilgrimage 2018

Pilgrimage to Fatima & Italy with the spiritual leadership of Father Paul: March (break) - 7th to **16th**, 2018. We will honor our Blessed Mother in Fatima; Visit the 4 Major Roman Basilicas; St.Padre Pio; St. Francis Assisi & St. Clare. See the greatest Eucharistic Miracle in Lanciano; the House of Nazareth in Loreto: St.Michael's Grotto and more. I invite vou to join me on a trip of a lifetime that will enrich your faith. **Brochure** with details are available at the back table. Orientation meeting - Nov.7th, 6.30pm, here.

### **World Mission Sunday**

Next Sunday our parish will celebrate World Mission Sunday. It represents a global sign of the universal Church and Mission. We are invited to reach out and help build the Church in the most remote areas across our world. Your prayers and donations will support churches, hospitals, schools, and vocations to priesthood and religious life. Please show your generosity as much as possible during this collection, because it provides assistance to the young dioceses in Asia, Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific Islands.

### "Defending Life Where You Are"

St. Catharines Right to Life Speaker's Workshop: Sat., Oct. 28, 2017, 9:00am – 12:30pm at St. Alfred's Hall, 272 Vine St., St. Catharines. Lunch and refreshments provided. No fee. Guest speakers include MPP Sam Oosterhoff. Topics will cover Pro-Life 101, how to answer the tough questions, and an update on assisted suicide in Ontario. Everyone welcome. For info and to register, call/text 905-684-7505 or email info@chooselife.ca. ChooseLife.ca.

All Souls' Day envelops are in every envelope box. Additional envelops may be found at the back table. Please write the name of your dearly deceased loved ones on it. An offering of \$2 for each name is much appreciated. Please place the envelops in the collection basket.

### **Remembering Our Loved Ones**

On Nov. 4th and 5th at all Masses we will be commemorating the recently deceased members from your families. One member from each family who lost a loved one since All Soul's Day 2016 is requested to come forward to light a candle in their memory.

## Do vou feel alone?

Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Retrouvaille has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing marital difficulty. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on November 3, 2017, 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

### Welland Port Colborne Pro-Life - Film Show

HUSH the movie will be showing at St. Andrew's Church Hall on Thursday October 26, 2017 @ 6:30pm Kindly bring in a FREE will offering. Thank you