

THE GREATEST LAW

Jesus simplifies all the laws and precepts of the Old Testament in one simple law: The Love of God, self and neighbor. In the first reading of Exodus, God himself is taking the responsibility to defend the migrants, the orphans and the widows. Whenever a poor or a marginalized person will pray to God, He “will listen, for He is compassionate”.

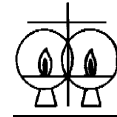
The Love of God is the key to a good life. Our relationships with God, self and neighbor are based totally on love and compassion. The law without love becomes vengeance; the law without love becomes selfishness and greed; the law without love becomes self-centered isolation. The law without love is not human, but mechanical.

As human beings we are created to be social, that is, in relationship with others. Any good relationship is made of love and compassion. Love is the glue of marriage; love is the respect of life; love is the hope for the future.

And love is not a choice, it is a “command”. We cannot live without love; we cannot build any relationship with God or neighbor without love. Law is not sufficient.

Love also fulfills the law; life without love is not livable; life without love is useless for God and for man.

But real love has to be discovered and built slowly, during all the extent of life. Every season has its particular love; every age builds a different type of love; we never stop on building a life of love. Love never ends, says St. Paul in the letter to the Corinthians (Ch. 13). God is love; and God created all things out of love. Do we really know how to love in the right way, the way of God?



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Oct. 24, 2020 St. Anthony Mary Claret

8:00am Thanksgiving from Cavallin Family
11:00am FIRST COMMUNION St. Catherine of Siena
12:30pm FIRST COMMUNION St. Catherine of Siena
6:00pm + Anthony Colaco

Sunday, Oct. 25 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am + Maria & Domenico Iannicca
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
1:00pm + Danilo Berdusco
4:00pm Thanksgiving for 125th Anniversary of
Scalabrinian Sisters Foundation
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Monday, Oct. 26

8:00am + Laraine Ong
7:00pm + Paolina Di Michele

Tuesday, Oct. 27

8:00am + Victoria & Guilherme Santos
7:00pm + Donato, Natalia, Enzo & Rita Di Michele

Wednesday, Oct. 28 Sts. Simon & Jude

8:00am + Ironcina & Guilherme Jr. Santos
6:00pm (*Novena in honor of Mother of Perpetual Help*)
7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

Thursday, Oct. 29

8:00am + Edgardo Capul
7:00pm Thanksgiving from Nasato Family
+ Enzo Antidormi
8:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Friday, Oct. 30

8:00am Thanksgiving from Peter & Enis Maritan
5:00am FIRST COMMUNION St. Timothy School
7:00pm + Ernestine Pinto
7:30pm FIRST COMMUNION St. Timothy School

Saturday, Oct. 31

8:00am Thanksgiving for Mr. & Mrs. A.J. Cletus
6:00pm + David Pinto

Sunday, Nov. 1 All Saints Day

8:30am + Deceased of Angela & Emanuele Caruso
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
1:00pm + Lucy Fernandes
4:00pm + Sandro Ruta
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

AVISOS EN ESPAÑOL

El MARTES 27 de October, 2020 (8:00 pm), continúa el CURSO VIRTUAL DE BIBLIA #1 en Español a través de ZOOM. Favor registrarse con el Padre José Plascencia (tel. 289-788-6844).

El MIÉRCOLES 28 de October, 2020 (8:00 pm), continúa el CURSO VIRTUAL DE BIBLIA #2 en Español a través de ZOOM. Favor registrarse con el Padre José Plascencia (tel. 289-788-6844).

El JUEVES 29 de Octubre, 2020 (8:00 pm) participaremos en la SANTA MISA en ESPAÑOL.

El VIERNES 30 de Octubre, 2020 (7:30 pm) participaremos en la ASAMBLEA VIRTUAL DE ORACIÓN Y ALABANZA de la RENOVACIÓN CARISMÁTICA CATÓLICA HISPANA PARROQUIAL, a través de Zoom.

DE LUNES A VIERNES ESTÁ EXPUESTO el SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO EN EL TEMPLO de 8:30 am a 7:00 pm. Dediquemos un tiempo para la ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA INDIVIDUAL o por GRUPO.

HOY y todos los DOMINGOS RECEMOS JUNTOS el SANTO ROSARIO a las 5:25 pm en el TEMPLO y luego PARTICIPEMOS en la SANTA MISA EN ESPAÑOL (6:00 pm - 7:00 pm).

También pueden participar en la Adoración Eucarística y la Santa Misa a través de los siguientes sitios del Internet:

<https://www.facebook.com/parroquiasantacatalina.de.sienna.9>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCpfixRYsl7vLmI4hDDWEmNA>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3LSYfkJx9dnOu-rf0nDsXA>

VOCATION CLUB

"Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborer to his harvest"

We have decided to establish a VOCATION MINISTRY in our parish, to pray and to promote vocations to the priesthood, religious life, diaconate and committed lay people. Fr. Stephen will guide this group beginning with a **SPECIAL HOUR OF PRAYER FOR VOCATION** on every second Friday of each month, beginning with **NOVEMBER 13, before the 7:00pm mass.**

Young people are requested to sign up for this Vocation Club and the rest of the parish will pray every month for this intention. YOU MAY REGISTER NOW by calling the office or speaking to Fr. Stephen.

HEAD COUNT The Archdiocese will conduct a headcount survey in all parishes this weekend.

BIBLE STUDY continues every Thursday night at 7:30pm - Main Hall.

ENGLISH PRAYER GROUP every Saturday, at 2:30pm in Scalabrini Hall.

PRE-CANA began on Wednesday, October 21, at 7:00pm in Zanon Hall. All the couples getting married in 2021 have to participate in this course in preparation to their Catholic Marriage.

GRANDPARENTS/GRANDCHILDREN SPECIAL MASS.

We are inviting all the Grandparents to a special Mass on Sunday October 25, at 1:00pm with their grandchildren. and teach them how to say the Holy Rosary. We will **consecrate** all our grandchildren to the Blessed Mother and will recite the Holy Rosary together; then we will also have a pizza for all.

YOUTH Our Youth Ministry is having an All Saints Day event. Anyone in grade 1 to Grade 12 can enter, the only rule is to dress up as a saint and find out how they won their sainthood. We have prizes for three different categories: 1] Best Saint costume, 2] Most unknown saint and 3] Canadian Saint. Each category winner will get \$50, a bible, a rosary and chocolates. Deadline: November 1st, 2020. Email your pictures to our Youth Minister (André) at stcatsienayouth@gmail.com

PRO-LIFE MASS – November 1st, at 1:00pm in Church.

MARIAN CONSECRATION for the whole Parish

On November 5 we will begin the new "33 days of Glory" in preparation to the Marian Consecration, which will be celebrated on Tuesday, December 8 with a special mass. Sign up now with Vicky Nisce. We invite the whole parish, to consecrate oneself and the whole family to Jesus through Mary.

BUNDLE SUNDAY On November 7th and 8th St. Vincent de Paul Society will have a truck in our parking lot. Please bring only gently used clothing and household items to support those in need.

FIRST COMMUNION – St. Catherine of Siena School – Saturday, October 24th at 11:00am or 12:30pm.

FIRST COMMUNION – St. Timothy School – October 30th at 5:00pm or 7:00pm.