

**“But from the beginning of creation,
God made them male and female”.**

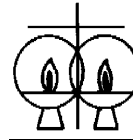
Marriage, what a beautiful heavenly reality! We humans are called to share the same reality of love of God. Since God has made us in His own image, He is giving us the opportunity to experience the extreme beauty of His love in the relationship of a man and a woman.

Marriage is the greatest symbol of the Holy Trinity on earth. In heaven there is one God in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and on earth there is one family in three persons: father, mother and children. So, the family is called to represent on earth the Holy Trinity of God in heaven. What a calling and a mission!

Maybe we Christians have missed our privilege to share with the world this great vocation to love, which God has implanted in every human heart. Maybe we have allowed the dark forces of evil to destroy this heavenly gift, which offers us the possibility of experiencing the love of God even here on earth, through the great gift of Holy Matrimony.

The spousal love is the highest form of love we can find here on earth. The spousal love is an “unconditional” love, exactly the same love, that we find and share from God. When love becomes totally unselfish and unconditional then we are closer to experience the real love of God. And this quality of Love is not limited to the married couple alone, but from them it has to spread to the whole family, to the whole society and to the whole Church. That is why the Church needs the sacrament of Marriage, in order to bring down from heaven the true love of God and spread that type of love to the whole world. That is the holy mission of the Christian sacrament of marriage for the world. If we do not fill the human heart with the gift of God, the world will find other ways to fill it with its selfishness and sinful ways of life and love.

It is up to us Christians to renew the spousal relationship between men and women with a pouring of the divine love which comes from the Sacrament of Matrimony.



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Oct. 2, 2021 Holy Guardian Angels

8:00am Thanksgiving for Dominic Thai Dinh Hoang
12:00pm WEDD: Andrew Pinlac & Aisha Rendon
6:00pm + Rosa Santarelli

Sunday, Oct. 3 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am + Maria Nguyen Thi Ngo
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
1:00pm + Elisabetta Capobianco
4:00pm + Alessandro Ruta
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Monday, Oct. 4 St. Francis of Assisi

8:00am In honour to Our Lady of Apparations
7:00pm + Lewis Fraser

Tuesday, Oct. 5

8:00am Special intentions for Angelo Zotti
6:30pm *Novena in honor of St. Anthony (Tamil)*
7:00pm + Antonia Galea

Wednesday, Oct. 6

8:00am + Lino Gazzola
6:00pm *Novena in honor of Mother of Perpetual Help*
7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

Thursday, Oct. 7 Our Lady of the Rosary

8:00am In honour to Christ of Miracles
+ Diego D'Souza
7:00pm + Costanzo, Caterina, Alfredo & Nazareno Panetta
8:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Friday, Oct. 8

8:00am + Rod Gaudette
7:00pm + Lilia Edañol

Saturday, Oct. 9 Sts. Denis & John Leonardi

8:00am + John, Ruby & Calabin D'Souza
6:00pm + Calogero Manna

Sunday, Oct. 10 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am + Arthur Walter Dunbar
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
1:00pm + Elisabetta Capobianco
4:00pm + Michael Di Renzo
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

AVISOS EN ESPAÑOL

El MARTES 5 de OCTUBRE, 2021 (8:00 pm), continuamos el CURSO VIRTUAL DE BIBLIA #1 con el Padre José Plascencia, a través de Zoom.

El MIÉRCOLES 6 de OCTUBRE, 2021 (7:00 am a 7:00 pm.) continúan los 40 DIAS POR LA VIDA. Favor registrarse al lado de la oficina parroquial, para una hora (o más) de oración y testimonio en la acera al otro lado de la Clínica en la esquina de Queensway y Confederation.

El MIÉRCOLES 6 de OCTUBRE, 2021 (8:00 pm), continuamos el CURSO VIRTUAL DE BIBLIA #2 con el Padre José Plascencia, a través de Zoom.

El JUEVES 7 de OCTUBRE, 2021 (8:00 pm), participaremos en la SANTA MISA en ESPAÑOL.

El VIERNES 8 de OCTUBRE, 2021 (7:30 pm), participaremos en la ASAMBLEA VIRTUAL DE ORACIÓN Y ALABANZA del grupo de la Renovación Carismática Católica Hispana parroquial.

DE LUNES A VIERNES ESTÁ EXPUESTO el SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO EN EL TEMPLO de 8:30 am a 5:30 pm. Dediquemos un tiempo para la ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA INDIVIDUAL.

HOY, rezaremos el SANTO ROSARIO (5:30 pm) y luego participaremos en la SANTA MISA EN ESPAÑOL (6:00 pm).

Los siguientes son los enlaces del Internet para participar VIRTUALMENTE en el SANTO ROSARIO y la SANTA MISA:

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

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

<https://stcatherine.ca/live-mass/>

SCOS ENGLISH PRAYER GROUP meets virtually every week on Saturdays at 2.30pm. Do join in either by app at www.gotomeet.me/cletusc OR by phone at (647) 497-9391 Access code 481-676-325# and follow prompts. Send thanksgiving & prayer requests to Jane at (647) 898-7518 or by email to dunbarjane@hotmail.com. All parishioners, families & friends welcome!

ITALIAN PRAYER GROUP Every Wednesday from 1:30pm to 2:30pm the Italian Prayer Group will have on hour of "Virtual Prayer" through Zoom Phone: 1-888-299-1889, then 477-097-781#, then # again and you can pray with the group.

40 Days for LIFE will begin on September 22 from 7:00am till 7:00pm. Please sign up for one hour (or more) of prayer and witness in the sidewalk across the Clinic on the corner of Queensway and Confederation.

R.C.I.A. for ALL.

Next week we will begin the "journey of faith" under the title of RCIA. This is the most comprehensive course of catechesis, which is offered here in our parish. It will be given every Monday from 7:00pm till 9:00pm. It is intended for ALL who wish to have a full review of the catholic faith. All baptized and non-baptized are welcome. The only expense will be to buy the books that go along with the course. This is part of the NEW EVANGELIZATION PROGRAM of our parish and it is open to all. Please call the office (905 – 272-1454) or just come each Monday night at the Main Hall.

PARISH ANNUAL HEALING RETREAT is postponed

Fr. Matthias will be with us to lead the PARISH HEALING RETREAT on Saturday, October 9th, from 2:00pm till 6:00pm. It will be a good start for the new Pastoral Year of Activities.

It will be an important spiritual event, during which we will ask the Holy Spirit for the graces of the New Evangelization and the healing we need to become true disciples.

IMPORTANT MEETING FOR LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Friday evening, October 15th at 7:30pm in Zanon Hall.

LIFE CHAIN in the sidewalk in front of the Church after the 1:00pm mass on OCTOBER 3rd. We will bring the Blessed Sacrament right to the Sidewalk in prayer and adoration.

ATRIUM CATECHISM will start on October 13, 2021 from 4:30pm till 6:00pm and every Wednesday after that.

ECFL (Early Catholic Family Life) for families and children 0-7 will start on October 16 from 9:30am to 1:00pm and will continue for 6 Saturdays. Still time to register.

APOSTOLATE of the IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY.

The Holy Rosary will be recited each day by one family beginning the month of October. The image of the Blessed Mother will move each day from house to house. This Sunday a special announcement and registration will be made.

SOLEMN MASS OF CLOSING for the 40 Days of Life in our Parish at 1:00pm on October 31, with procession with the Blessed Sacrament and Mother Mary.