

**Jesus in our midst –
our protector and Saviour**

Every day Jesus keeps coming our way full of mercy and love. He comes our way through our neighbors, through the sacraments, and through the whole of creation. Do we see or recognize Him? How much effort do we make to have a glimpse of him?

The story of Zacchaeus is a true indication that the merciful Christ comes to seek and save us. Irrespective of all human obstacles, the courage and humility of Zacchaeus attracted the attention and mercy of Christ to him. He refused to be limited by the crowd, or allow his short coming be a hindrance to his salvation. He saw mercy and salvation, and immediately took advantage of them.

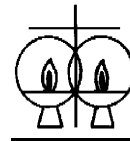
In life, there are so many obstacles preventing us from seeing Christ. If we make frantic efforts as Zacchaeus did, Christ will certainly notice us and show us his loving mercy. Therefore, we must rise above all obstacles that prevents us from seeing Christ and receiving his mercy. Paul advised Timothy thus: “Do not allow any one to look down on you because you are young” (I Tim 4:12). Likewise, we must not allow any obstacle to prevent us from seeing Christ.

Finally, humility helps us to accept who we are. However, it does not prevent us from trying to overcome our shortcomings. Instead, it should spur us to search good paths to success in life. Zacchaeus’ humility and effort to see and encounter Christ is worth emulating.

He acknowledged the fact that he was short and could not contend with the crowd for space. He did not quarrel with anyone. Rather, he simply explored another option. My dear, there are so many other options in life better than that one that has made your life miserable.

THANKSGIVING MASS FOR FR. WALTER on Saturday, November 5th at 6:00pm followed by a fellowship gathering in the Main Hall. We thank Fr. Walter for his guidance and dedication. There will also be a presentation of St. John Baptist Scalabrini and St. Charles Borromeo.

INSTALLATION OF FR. GABRIEL, our new Pastor, will be on Saturday, November 12th at 6:00pm, presided by Bishop Ivan Camilleri. A fellowship to follow in the Main Hall. We warmly welcome to Fr. Gabriel to our Parish.



**MASS
INTENTIONS**

Saturday, Oct. 29, 2022

8:00am Thanksgiving for Laura Nasato
6:00pm + Marino Rizzato Jr.

Sunday, Oct. 30 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Thanksgiving from Peter & Enis Maritan
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
1:00pm + Carmelina Cariello
4:00pm Special intentions for Marina Garcia &
Carlos Alberto Vanegas
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Monday, Oct. 31

8:00am Thanksgiving from Celine Hendricks
7:00pm + Kingsley H.

Tuesday, Nov. 1

All Saints

8:00am + Deceased of Gaudette & Gauthier Families
6:30pm *Novena to St. Anthony*
7:00pm + Ida & Luigi Collodel

Wednesday, Nov. 2

All Souls Day

8:00am + All Souls
6:00pm *Novena in honor of Mother of Perpetual Help*
7:00pm + All Souls

Thursday, Nov. 3

St. Martin de Porres

8:00am + Franca De Rose
7:00pm + Pedro Eballa
8:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Friday, Nov. 4

St. Charles Borromeo

8:00am + Michael Colavito
7:00pm Deceased & Living of Rimbao & Fermin
Families
7:30pm ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, Nov. 5

8:00am + Adriano Paolazzi
6:00pm + Genara, Serafin & Ponciano Santos

Sunday, Nov. 6 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am + Ulrico, Benjamina & Maria Clarita Niña
Adona
10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
1:00pm + Parvathi Shetty
4:00pm + Agostinho Mota
6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

2023 Mass Book is open

AVISOS EN ESPAÑOL

El JUEVES 3 de NOVIEMBRE, 2022 (8:00 pm), participaremos en la SANTA MISA en ESPAÑOL.

El VIERNES 4 de NOVIEMBRE, 2022 es el PRIMER VIERNES DEL MES. Por lo tanto, NO HABRÁ ASAMBLEA de nuestro grupo de la RENOVACIÓN CARISMÁTICA CATÓLICA HISPANA parroquial, para que participemos en la SANTA MISA (7:00 pm) y la ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA (7:30 pm) en INGLÉS.

De LUNES a VIERNES ESTÁ EXPUESTO el SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO EN EL TEMPLO de 8:30 am a 6:30 pm. Dedicamos un tiempo para la ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA PERSONAL.

HOY, participaremos en el SANTO ROSARIO (5:30 pm) y la SANTA MISA EN ESPAÑOL (6:00 pm). Los siguientes son los enlaces del Internet para aquellos hermanos y hermanas que deseen participar VIRTUALMENTE en el SANTO ROSARIO y en la SANTA MISA EN ESPAÑOL: <https://www.facebook.com/parroquiasantacatalina.de.sienna.9>

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

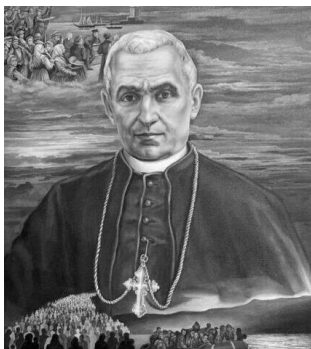


PILGRIMAGE TO HOLY LAND & JORDAN

under the spiritual leadership of Fr. Tiziano.

April 11 - 22, 2023 (12 days) \$4,490.00.

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SAINT JOHN BAPTIST SCALABRINI

<https://www.scalabrinisanto.net/en/gb-scalabrini/>

COMMEMORATION OF ALL SOULS

November 2nd we remember the souls of the faithful departed, especially our loved ones who have gone before us to the Lord. Place your Mass intentions at the Altar.

PARISH YOUTH will be selling candles, in memory of our deceased family and friends, before or after Mass on Wednesday, November 2nd. All proceeds will go towards World Youth Day 2023 in Portugal.

FIRST FRIDAY on November 4th. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed all day. After the 7:00pm Mass there will be a holy hour of Adoration and all night vigil.

CHILDRENS' ROSARY on Saturday, November 5th at 1:00pm in Church.

BUNDLE SUNDAY The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be collecting gently used clothing and household items to support our neighbours in need. The truck will be in our parking lot November 5 & 6.

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

Classes for Confirmation start on Sat., Nov. 5th

Classes for First Holy Communion start on Sat., Nov. 12th

BIBLE STUDY (Letter of St. James) Pearls for Wise Wisdom on Thursday night in person in Zanon Hall or on Zoom at 7:30pm.

Session 6: Wisdom – False and True

ADULT CATECHISM and RCIA started on Monday, October 17th. All those who want to receive the Baptism or be welcome into the Catholic Church must register at the parish office as soon as possible.

FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY has a program for Couples: "To know, love and serve" at 2:00pm on **Sundays** in the Main Hall. Children will have a special program, while the parents are participating in the course.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will have their 11th Annual Dinner/Dance on Saturday, December 10th in the main hall. For tickets (\$30.00) call the office at 905-272-1454. Everyone is invited.

Sunday Missals for 2023 are available at the office.