



Sunday 06-20

10:00a.m. ++Josipa & Nicola Milkovic
 12:00 p.m. ++Irena & Edward Panek
 7:00 p.m. Fr. Jan's Ordination Anniversary

Monday 06-21

8:15a.m. Bishop Ustrzycki, God's blessings

Tuesday 06-22

7:00p.m. Wiktoria & Krzysztof, birthday blessings

Wednesday 06-23

8:15a.m. 1.) Bartłomiej Rudnicki, God's blessings

Thursday 06-24

7:00p.m. 1.) For early triumph of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Friday 06-25

8:15a.m. +Gus Hoffbauer
 7:00p.m. For the gifts of the Holy Spirit and obedience for Amelia

Saturday 06-26

8:15a.m. +Terry Eardley
 7:00p.m. For the gifts of the Holy Spirit and obedience for Adrian

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 06-27

10:00a.m. +Estrella Severino
 12:00 p.m. O Boze bogoslawienstwo i potrzebne laski dla Joanny i Hernyka Mieczkowskich
 7:00 p.m. +Nikola Milkovic Junior

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY COLLECTION: May & June 6, 13 \$ 7, 905.00

Cura Pastorum Collection: \$ 930.00

Papal Charities Collection: \$ 205.0

THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS!

LITURGICAL SERVERS

Saturday 06-19 7:00 p.m. - altar servers:

-lector: A.Marchione-Faragher
 - E. O.M. T.Heffernen
 - ushers:

Sunday 06-20 10:00 a.m. - altar servers:

-lector: M.Hoffbauer
 - E. O. M.:A.Maiocco/P.Stradiotto
 - ushers:

Sunday 06-20 12:00 p.m. - ministranci:

- lektorzy: A.Stankiewicz
 - kolektorzy: H.Mieczkowski, K.Rogowski

Sunday 06-20 7:00p.m. - altar servers:

-lector: Anna Percic
 - E. O. M.

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JUNE 20, 2021

Jesus brought peace to the wind and the sea. "Peace! Be still!" Many are searching for this peace and need your help to find Jesus. Would you be willing to proclaim the truth of God's love and presence in your life as a priest, religious or permanent deacon? If you think God is calling you, call Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton, 905-528-7988 ext. 2246.

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IN THE NEXT WEEK IN THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON WE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PRIESTS

Monday 06-21 - Rev. Lech Wycichowski, C.R.
Tuesday 06-22 - Rev. Stanley Zaryczny, C.R.
Wednesday 06-23 - Comboni Missionaries (M.C.C.J.)
Thursday 06-24 - Rev. John Redmond
Friday 06-25 - Rev. Peter Ciallella
Saturday 06-26 - Rev. Michael Downey

JUNE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday 20 - Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 - Fathers Day
Monday 21 - Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Memorial
Tuesday 22 - Saint Paulinus of Nola, Saint John Fisher & Thomas More, Martyrs
Thursday 24 - The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist
Saturday 26 - Saint Josemaria Escriva de Balaguer, Opt. Memorial
Sunday 27 - Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday 28 - Saint Irenaeus, Bishop & Martyr, Memorial
Tuesday 29 - St. Peter & St. Paul, Apostles
Wednesday 30 - First Martyrs of the Church of Rome, Opt. Mem

SUNDAY READINGS

The first reading is taken from the Book of Job 38:1, 8-11.

The second reading is from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians 5:14-17. St. Paul is urging his converts never to forget what being a Christian means. They have been given a new mode of life because Christ died and rose from the dead for them.

The Gospel is from St. Mark 4:35-41. There is a very important lesson for every one of us in today's gospel story. Our lives are really a journey across the sea of time to the shore of eternity. During that crossing all who come to the use of reason encounter some storms. There is no smooth, calm crossing for anyone. This is the will of God. Our Lord knew that a storm was going to blow up that night in the Sea of Galilee. He allowed his disciples to face that terrifying ordeal, because he wanted his future Church to have confidence in his divine power and assistance, when tribulations and persecutions would seem to be on the point of ending her forever. Down through the centuries the Church of God has had to face storms and trials which would have swamped her if she had not a divine Founder and Protector. Christ, however, kept his promise — the gates of hell cannot prevail against her. She survived the storms and as a consequence of them gained new vigor and strength.

That same divine guarantee which Christ gave his Church will be with her until the last human being on earth has entered heaven. It is with her today. It will save her from internal weaknesses which could do more damage to her spiritual vitality than open persecution from without could ever do. We know Christ is in the barque of Peter. He is waiting to be called. If we realize that of ourselves we are not able to weather this storm, and call on him, he will rebuke the winds of

pride and calm the waves of turbulent self-assertion. The barque of Peter will enter calm waters once more.

What is true in the life of the Church is true also in the life of each member of the Church. God foresees all our life's storms. He permits them, because he is to use them as means to help us in our struggle to reach heaven. If we use these storms or trials of life to come closer to Jesus, to throw ourselves on his mercy, they will serve the purpose for which he permits them. Unfortunately, there are Christians who question not only the goodness of God, but his very existence, when some heavy seas break across their life's barque. "How could God, if he be good," they ask, "allow me to suffer like this, I who have been so faithful? Why should he let me bear all this poverty, all these pains, all this dishonesty of my fellowmen, when a small act of his will could remove it all and make me healthy, happy and prosperous?"

What such a Christian forgets is that God's purpose in creating him was not to make him healthy, happy and prosperous in this life, but to give him a share in his own eternal happiness in heaven. If this life were the end and sum-total of man, if all ended with death, then certainly that complaint would have some foundation. However, our human intelligence, and divine revelation, prove to us conclusively that this life is not an end for man but a means with which to attain his real end, perfect happiness.

Therefore, we must not expect to get from life what it cannot give. Instead, we must use what it gives us, the unpleasant as well as the pleasant, the rain as well as the sunshine, the pain as well as the pleasure, as means which will help us to reach our perfect ending, our eternal dwelling-place in heaven. Too often like the disciples that night in the storm, we think that God has forgotten us, that he is not interested in us when storms break around us. In fact, it is then that he is nearest to us. We think he is sleeping and that all is lost, when he is but using this storm to rekindle our faith, and make us realize that we are pilgrims on our way across this earth and not permanent residents here.

Excerpted from The Sunday Readings by Fr. Kevin O'Sullivan, O.F.M.

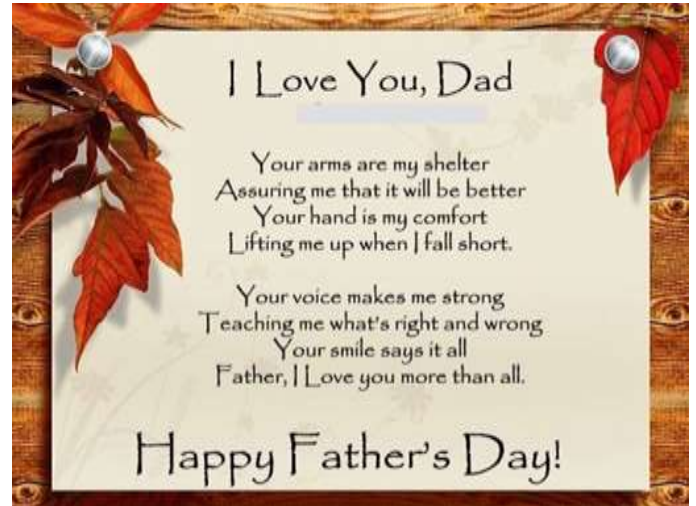
ONE HEART ONE SOUL CAMPAIGN



We are getting closer and closer to our goal!!!
The new total is \$190, 258. That is 84.6% of the \$225,000.00 baseline goal and 30% participation. Just \$35, 000.00 more will be worth \$80, 000.00 to our parish, when the \$45, 000.00 in matching funds are included.
THANK YOU !!!

GUELPH VIRTUAL WALKING PILGRIMAGE - JULY 31- AUG 7

Nourish your spirituality, exercise; enjoy the outdoors. Participate for 1 day, a weekend or the full 8 day trip! This year, like last summer, we are not able to walk the pilgrimage as we have for the last 18 years. Covid -19 brought the birth of a Virtual Walking Pilgrimage in a slightly different format. Registration is \$75. To register or for more information go to www.ignatiusguelph.ca (under programs - Guelph Walking Pilgrimage)



DESEASED FATHERS

God, the Father! We thank you for all those fathers. We thank you for their love and dedication. Forgive them their sins. Give them happiness and peace in your heavenly kingdom. May they be intercessors before you in heaven for their children on earth. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

LIVING FATHERS

God, the Father! We thank you for all those fathers. Bless all of them and help them to fulfill their parental vocation and obligation in daily life. Sanctify them. Help them to be in touch with you everyday. May they be an instrument of your love. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

SOLEMNITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST – JUNE 24TH

St. Luke tells us in his Gospel that John was conceived in a miraculous manner and that his parents were Zachary and Elizabeth. He spent his youth in the desert, and at the age of 30 came to Judea and preached near the Jordan. He exhorted the people to do penance because the kingdom of God was at hand. He baptized the Savior in the Jordan. He rebuked Herod Antipas for taking to himself Herodias, the wife of his brother Philip; at the request of the dancing daughter of Herodias he was imprisoned and beheaded.

John the Baptist is the only saint whose birthday is observed by the Church; he is the only saint who was cleansed from original sin in his mother's womb and who consequently was holy at his birth. The Gospel describes the joy caused by his birth, and recalls that at the circumcision he did not receive the name of his father, as was customary among the Jews, but the name designated by the angel. He was to be the precursor of the Lord, a mission prefigured by that of Isaiah and destined for him by God even before his birth.

The Introit tells us that God made John's "mouth like a sharp sword." John was uncompromising in his attitude towards sin, condemned fearlessly his incredulous and adulterous generation, and accepted martyrdom rather than flatter or condone the vices of the rich and the mighty.

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**PRAYER IS THE ROOT, THE FOUNTAIN, THE MOTHER OF
A THOUSAND BLESSINGS. – St. John Chrysostom**