

# ST. ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH, WELLAND

## 24<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 2022

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Tuesday & Friday  
 10:00am to 2:00pm  
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### Mass Schedule & Intentions - September 10<sup>th</sup> to September 18<sup>th</sup>

#### SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 10<sup>th</sup> - 5.00pm

Brian Milette by Peter & Columba Michtics  
 Caterina & Ruggero Sdao by Frances Sdao  
 Francisca Duarte by Erika P. Rivadeneira Bueno  
 Vincent Resch by Alice Garon



#### SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 11<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time- 9.00am

Fr. Mel Stevens by Ardith Atkins  
 Immacolata Giovinazzo by Stella Balettrame  
 Maria Angela Raso by Teresa & Saverio Angi  
 Michael Angelo Mammoliti by grandchildren  
**11.00am** - for all your Intentions.



#### TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 13<sup>th</sup> - 4.45pm -Mass & Adoration-

Raffaele Mancuso by Maria Mancuso

#### WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 14<sup>th</sup> - 9.15am -FEAST: THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS-

In honor of St. Peter by G. Pang

#### THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 15<sup>th</sup> - 5.00pm -Communion Service & Adoration-

#### FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 16<sup>th</sup> - 9.00am -Communion Service-

#### SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 17<sup>th</sup> - 5.00pm

Antonio & Giuseppina Gallo by family  
 Betty Leon by Andrew Petriu  
 Margaret Connelly by Tina Giovinazzo  
 Saverio Tavano by Mario Mancuso



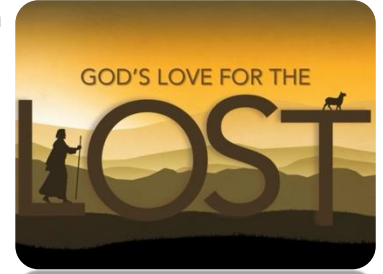
#### SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 18<sup>th</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time- 9.00am

Agnes Nenadovich by S&R Lastovic  
 Domenico Locco by Leah Locco  
 Fr. Mel Stevens by Angelo Fazari  
 Immacolata Giovinazzo by Sam & Teresa Angi  
**11.00am** - for all your Intentions.

**TO BOOK A MASS:**  
 Kindly take a Mass  
 Request envelope  
 from the back of  
 the Church

### A Reflection by Pope Francis Chapel of the Domus Sanctae Marthae

Pope Francis began his reflection by describing the attitude of the scribes and the Pharisees who studied Jesus' actions. They were



scandalised by the things that Jesus did and murmured against him: "This man is dangerous!" What scandalised them most was the fact that "Jesus ate with publicans and sinners, that he talked with them"... "The music of their murmuring is the music of hypocrisy," and "Jesus responds to this murmuring hypocrisy with a parable" in which the words "joy and rejoicing" recur four times... In fact, he added "this is the deepest message of the parable: *God's joy*". He is a God "who does not like to lose what is his, and in order not to lose it, he goes out from himself, and seeks out" the lost. He is a God "who searches for all those who are far from him," like the shepherd recounted in St Luke's Gospel who "goes in search of the lost sheep". "Our God is a God who searches, His work is to search: to search and seek out the lost in order to invite them back". For "God cannot abide losing what is his; thus on Holy Thursday Jesus would pray 'that none of those whom thou hast given me may be lost'". Indeed, the Holy Father said, God "has a certain weakness of love for those who are furthest away, who are lost. He goes in search of them... However, God's work does not consist only in seeking out the lost..." "When he finds us, when he has found the lost sheep" he neither sets it aside nor does he ask us: "Why did you get lost? Why did you fall?". Rather, he restores what was lost to its proper place. And when this happens "it is God who rejoices. God rejoices not in the death of the sinner but rather that he be restored to life".



### PIE SALE/PICKUP

October 1, 2022  
 10:30am to 2:30pm



Please order your apple (cooked or frozen) and pumpkin pies at your earliest, by calling Monique Shinton at 289-820-8826

**\*\*\*VOLUNTEERS NEEDED\*\*\***