

# ST. ANDREW THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH, WELLAND

## ~ 26<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2023 ~

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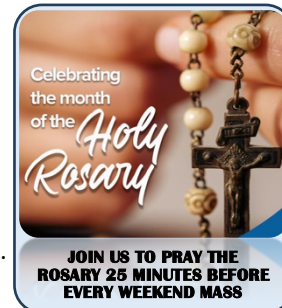
### Donations:

Kindly send a cheque, payable to  
 St. Andrew Catholic Church, Welland  
 E-transfer: saint2020andrew@gmail.com

Tuesday & Friday  
 10:00am to 2:00pm  
*(Please call before  
 visiting the office)*

### BOOK A MASS: Kindly take a Mass Request envelope at the back of the Church.

"The Rosary is a school of contemplation and silence. At first glance, it could seem a prayer that accumulates words, therefore difficult to reconcile with the silence that is rightly recommended for meditation and contemplation. cadent repetition of the Hail Mary does not disturb inner



silence but indeed both demands and nourishes it. Similarly to what happens for the Psalms when one prays the Liturgy of the Hours, the silence surfaces through the words and sentences, not as emptiness, but rather as the presence of an ultimate meaning that transcends the words themselves and through them speaks to the heart. Thus, in reciting the Hail Mary, we must be careful that our voices do not "cover" the voice of God who always speaks through the silence like the "still small voice" of a gentle breeze (1 Kings 19: 12). Then how important it is to foster this silence full of God, both in one's personal recitation and in its recitation with the community! And this cannot happen without an atmosphere of inner silence... If Christian contemplation cannot leave the Word of God out of consideration, if it is to be a contemplative prayer, the Rosary must always emerge from the silence of the heart as a response to the Word, after the model of Mary's prayer. Seen clearly, the Rosary is completely interwoven with scriptural elements. First of all there is the enunciation of the mystery, preferably made, as it has been today, with words taken from the Bible. The Our Father follows; by giving the prayer a "vertical" orientation, the soul of who recites the rosary is opened to the correct filial attitude in accordance with the Lord's invitation: "When you pray say: Father..." (Lk 11: 2). The first part of the Hail Mary, also taken from the Gospel, lets us listen again each time to the words that God addressed to the Virgin through the Angel and to the words of her cousin Elizabeth's blessing. The second part of the Hail Mary resounds like the answer of children who, in addressing supplications to their Mother, do nothing other than express their own adherence to the saving plan revealed by God. Thus the thought of those who pray remains ever anchored to Scripture and to the mysteries presented in it." - HIS HOLINESS BENEDICT XVI

### Mass Schedule & Intentions - September 30<sup>th</sup> to October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023

#### SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 30<sup>th</sup> - 5.00pm

Maria Nancy & Mike Fazari by Teresa Angi & Angelo Fazari  
 Anna Maria Giovinazzo by grandchildren  
 Domenic Porcaro by Tina, Nancy & Rosa  
 Sts. Louis & Zelig Martin by G.Pang



#### SUNDAY OCTOBER 1<sup>st</sup> - 9.00am (26<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

Francesca & Maria Ranieri by Benny & Jenny Bernardi  
 Mr. KM & Mrs. SJ Pang by G. Pang  
 Stevie, Raymond & Theresa Horvat by family  
 Yvon Coutu by Len & Irene Aubertin  
**11.00am** - for all your intentions

#### TUESDAY OCTOBER 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5.00pm -MASS & ADORATION-

Alba Nobile by Barbara Nenadovich



#### WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 4<sup>th</sup> - 9.00am

In honour of Our Blessed Mother by Saverio & Teresa Angi

#### THURSDAY OCTOBER 5<sup>th</sup> - 5.00pm -MASS & ADORATION-

For Triumph of the Holy Eucharist by G. Pang

#### FRIDAY OCTOBER 6<sup>th</sup> - 9.15am

~ **MEMORIAL: OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY** ~  
 Albert & Pauline Coutu by Irene & Len Aubertin



#### SATURDAY OCTOBER 7<sup>th</sup> - 9.30am

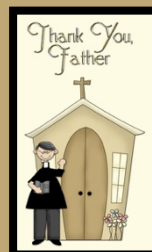
~ **FIRST SATURDAY MASS IN HONOUR OF OUR BLESSED MOTHER** ~  
**5.00pm**

Antonio & Giuseppina Gallo by family  
 Antonio Sdao by Maria G. Sdao  
 Mike & Stella Giovinazzo by Teresa Di Gioia  
 Pasquale Vaccaro by Raymond & Mary Mercato



#### SUNDAY OCTOBER 8<sup>th</sup> - 9.00am (27<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

Dr. Joseph Leon by Meg & John Belcastro  
 Jose Cordeiro & Alda Cordeiro by Laura Dabbour & family  
 Maria Agostino by the family; Agnes Siriano by David Fox  
**11.00am** - for all your intentions



A BIG thank you to Fr. Francis for all his help while Fr. Paul was away. We are truly grateful for your support and pray that God will continue to bless you with good health and peace.

