

ST. ANDREW THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH, WELLAND

~ 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ OCTOBER 22ND, 2023 ~

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Tuesday & Friday
 10:00am to 2:00pm
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2023

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Hearts on fire,
 feet on the move



Dear brothers and sisters! For this year's World Mission Sunday, I have chosen a theme inspired by the story of the disciples on the way to Emmaus, in the Gospel of Luke (cf. 24:13-35): "Hearts on fire, feet on the move". Those two disciples were confused and dismayed, but their encounter with Christ in the word and in the breaking of the bread sparked in them the enthusiastic desire to set out again towards Jerusalem and proclaim that the Lord had truly risen. In the Gospel account, we perceive this change in the disciples through a few revealing images: their hearts burned within them as they heard the Scriptures explained by Jesus, their eyes were opened as they recognized him and, ultimately, their feet set out on the way. By meditating on these three images, which reflect the journey of all missionary disciples, we can renew our zeal for evangelization in today's world... This is an essential goal of the synodal journey that the Church has undertaken, guided by the key words: communion, participation, mission. This journey is certainly not a turning of the Church in upon herself; nor is it a referendum about what we ought to believe and practice, nor a matter of human preferences. Rather, it is a process of setting out on the way and, like the disciples of Emmaus, listening to the risen Lord. For he always comes among us to explain the meaning of the Scriptures and to break bread for us, so that we can, by the power of the Holy Spirit, carry out his mission in the world... So let us set out once more, illumined by our encounter with the risen Lord and prompted by his Spirit. Let us set out again with burning hearts, with our eyes open and our feet in motion. Let us set out to make other hearts burn with the word of God, to open the eyes of others to Jesus in the Eucharist, and to invite everyone to walk together on the path of peace and salvation that God, in Christ, has bestowed upon all humanity... Our Lady of the Way, Mother of Christ's missionary disciples and Queen of Missions, pray for us!

POPE FRANCIS, WORLD MISSION DAY 2023

Special Collection - Deo Gratias

The retirement years can be difficult for senior priests. No longer assigned to parishes or supported by the communities they served with such dedication, these men rely on minimal CPP benefits, Old Age Security, and their monthly income from the Clergy Aid Society of St. Catharines. In two weeks, we will again take up the annual collection, Deo Gratias, to support our priests' retirement. Thank you in advance for your prayerful generosity.

Mass Schedule & Intentions - October 21st to October 29th, 2023

SATURDAY OCTOBER 21st - 5.00pm

Amedeo Giovinazzo by Angelo Fazari
 Antonietta, Vincenzo & Angelo Nobile by Franca Sdao
 In honour of St. Anthony by Saverio & Teresa Angi
 Wade Levy by Ardith Atkins



SUNDAY OCTOBER 22nd - 9.00am (29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

~World Mission Sunday~

Carlo Nero by Olga Nero & family
 Nicola Bernardi by Domenic &
 Angie D'Aurizio
 Vincenzo Fazzalari by Maria Fazzalari
11.00am - for all your intentions



TUESDAY OCTOBER 24th - 5.00pm -MASS & ADORATION-

For Health & Well-Being Fr. Charles Moser by David Fox

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 25th - 9.00am

Romeo Carrey by David Fox

THURSDAY OCTOBER 26th - 5.00pm -MASS & ADORATION-

Tony Mazzei by Mamma & Papa

FRIDAY OCTOBER 27th - 9.15am

In Honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
 by G. Pang

SATURDAY OCTOBER 28th - 5.00pm

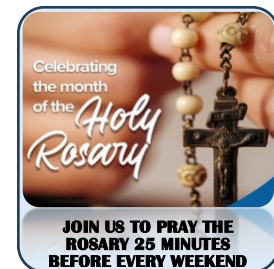
Agostino Mammoliti by Tina, Nancy & Rosa
 Alba Adamo Nobile by John & Kay Kiss
 Maria Nancy & Mike Fazari by Teresa Angi & Angelo Fazari

SUNDAY OCTOBER 29th - 9.00am

(30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

Giuseppina & Alberto Lucci by family
 Maria Grazia Chiochio by Richard &
 Nancy Chehowski
 Rose Levy by David Fox

11.00am - for all your intentions



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 take a Mass Request
 envelope at the back
 of the Church.**