ST. ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH, WELLAND
18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – AUGUST 3, 2025

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MASS INTENTIONS August 2nd TO August 10th , 2025

SATURDAY August 2nd - 5:00pm
George Pastirik by Family
Franc & Theresa Horvat by Family

Canadian Missions Shared Collection this weekend.

SATURDAY LATE EVENING MASS - 8:15pm
In Honour of Sts. Joachim & Anne by G. Pang

SUNDAY August 3rd - 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 9:00am
Luigi Paonessa by Maria Ruggi-Dietsch
Peter Camposarcone by Wife Angelina
Conrad & Jean-Luc Lemelin by Wife & Mother
11:00am - for all your intentions

TUESDAY August 5th - 5:00pm - *Mass & Adoration*
Fr. Dominic Pizzacalla by Parish

WEDNESDAY August 6th - 7:00pm
Gimmy DiGioia by Teresa DiGioia

THURSDAY August 7th - 5:00pm - *Mass & Adoration*
Fr. Edward Jankowski by Parish

FRIDAY August 8th - 7:00pm -
Melissa & Mark Hortman by Grace Pang

"Have your lamps lit"

SATURDAY August 9th - 5:00pm
Maurice Soong by Maria Fazzalari
Joseph Tavano by Tavano & Ligotti Families
SATURDAY LATE EVENING MASS - 8:15pm
In Honour of Blessed Luigi & Maria Quattrocchi by G. Pang

SUNDAY August 10th - 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 9:00am
Gabriele & Filomena DiGaetano
by Maria Magazzeni & Family
Helen Pupo by Franca Sdao
11:00am - for all your intentions

Saturday Late Evening Mass 8:15pm, at St. Andrews
Daily Confessions (exceptions below)*
Monday to Friday 8:00pm to 9:00pm
Saturday 4:15 to 4:45pm
Sunday 10:10am to 10:40am
***No evening Confessions on Solemnities- August 15th**
•Public holidays like ***Civic Holiday – August 4th***
•**Summer Break August 15 to September 15th**
•Week of Priests' study days (to be announced)
•Christmas (Dec.22nd to Jan.2nd) & Holy Week

Reflection
On the love of Christ by Saint Alphonsus Liguori, bishop

All holiness and perfection of soul lies in our love for Jesus Christ our God, who is our Redeemer and our supreme good. It is part of the love of God to acquire and to nurture all the virtues which make a man perfect.

Has not God in fact won for himself a claim on all our love? From all eternity he has loved us. And it is in this vein that he speaks to us: "O man, consider carefully that I first loved you. You had not yet appeared in the light of day, nor did the world yet exist, but already I loved you. From all eternity I have loved you."

Since God knew that man is enticed by favours, he wished to bind him to his love by means of his gifts: "I want to catch men with the snares, those chains of love in which they allow themselves to be entrapped, so that they will love me." And all the gifts which he bestowed on man were given to this end. He gave him a soul, made in his likeness, and endowed with memory, intellect and will; he gave him a body equipped with the senses; it was for him that he created heaven and earth and such an abundance of things. He made all these things out of love for man, so that all creation might serve man, and man in turn might love God out of gratitude for so many gifts.

But he did not wish to give us only beautiful creatures; the truth is that to win for himself our love, he went so far as to bestow upon us the fullness of himself. The eternal Father went so far as to give us his only Son. When he saw that we were all dead through sin and deprived of his grace, what did he do? Compelled, as the Apostle says, by the superabundance of his love for us, he sent his beloved Son to make reparation for us and to call us back to a sinless life.

By giving us his Son, whom he did not spare precisely so that he might spare us, he bestowed on us at once every good: grace, love and heaven; for all these goods are certainly inferior to the Son. He who did not spare his own Son, but handed him over for all of us: how could he fail to give us along with his Son all good things?

Mass Requests
If you wish to have a Mass said for living or deceased, family & friends, or for special Blessings or occasions like anniversaries or birthdays please fill out a Mass request in the envelopes at the back of the church.

Last Week's Collection
Sunday Offering - $1531
Building Fund - $397.38

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