



ST. ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH, WELLAND

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, SEP 27TH 2026



Mt 21:28-32

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Office Hours
Friday Only
10:00am to 2:00pm
(Please call before
visiting the office).

Sunday readings

First Reading: Ezk 18:25-28
Second reading: Phil 2:1-11
Gospel: Matthew 21:28-32
Parable of the two sons
"Am I doing the will of God"

DONATIONS

Kindly send a cheque, payable to St.
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Mass intentions for the Week of Sep 26th to Oct 4th

SATURDAY September 26th – 5.00pm

Alessandro Albano by Family
Pierrette Gauthier by Monique & Greg Shinton
Maria Mannella by Loving Children

26th SUNDAY in Ordinary Time Sep 27th– 9am

Anna Maria Giovinazzo by Grandchildren
Domenic Porcaro by Godchildren
Jocelyne Currie by Roselina McCombs

11am Mass : For all your intentions

SUNDAY LATE EVENING MASS – 8:15pm

Honoring St. Titus by G. Pang

TUESDAY Sep 29th – 5pm - Mass & Adoration

Michael Tessier by David Fox

WEDNESDAY Sep 30th – 9:30am

Anniversary blessings for Rosemary
& Steve Lastovic by R & S Lastovic

THURSDAY Oct 1st – 5pm – Mass & Adoration

Honouring St. Stephen by G Pang

FRIDAY Oct 2nd – 9:30 am

Chris Cook by David Fox

SATURDAY October 3rd – 5.00pm

Tony Sdao by wife & family

Maria Mazzei by Carmelo Mazzei & family

Carol Laverdiere by Michael & Renee Ventresca

27th SUNDAY in Ordinary Time Oct 4th– 9am

Msgr John Weber by Janis Garel-Martel

Helene Marceau by Debbie Begin

Margaret Nunes by Serena Britto

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Honoring St. Cyprian by G. Pang

*The Parable
of the two
sons
Mt 21:28-32*

*Please
join us
to pray
the
Rosary
25 min
before
all
weekday
Masses*

*The stones
the builders
rejected has
become the
cornerstone
Mt 21:33-43*

112th World Day of Migrants and Refugees.

Each year the World Day of Migrants and Refugees invites us to turn our attention to different aspects of the complex phenomenon of migration. For this **World Day (Sep 27th)**, the theme selected is, **"Even just one of these children"**. It draws our attention to the minors directly involved in the experience of migration and flight, to the care owed to them, and to the Lord's promise that **"whoever receives one such child in my name receives me" (Mk 9:37)**. Minors are the most vulnerable group within the global movements of migration. Every year, millions of children and adolescents are forced to leave their homeland because of war, poverty, violence, and other tragedies. **The suffering of migrant children does not end with their relocation.** There are very young children who have lost parents, brothers, sisters and friends, and who have witnessed unspeakable acts of violence. Others, separated from their families for long periods. There are also minors who are exposed to extreme and traumatic conditions. Finally, we cannot forget the tragic situation of **those separated from their parents because of repatriation.**

Jesus profoundly challenge our consciences:

"Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me" (Mt 18:5). This call becomes even more pressing in the light of another of the Lord's affirmations in the Gospel of Matthew: **"I was a stranger and you welcomed me" (Mt 25:35).** Let us **entrust migrant and refugee children to the maternal protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Saint Joseph.** May they accompany their steps and help our communities to become living and credible signs of the Gospel.
Blessings, Pope Leo XVI.

2nd Annual Bishop's Fundraising Gala

This years *LIGHT THE WAY* Gala will be on **Friday, November 27th**. With the proceeds, the diocese will support faith formation for laity and education of Seminarians. For details and to purchase the ticket, please check the poster exhibited on our notice board.

Last Week's Collection (ET included)

Sunday Offerings -	\$ 1,347.00
Repair & Renovations -	\$ 485.00
Indigenous healing	\$ 30.00

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Thank You, Jesus.

We are grateful to **Fr. Julian Studden** and **Shalom world conference** team members for celebrating **the Jesus heals Mass & Adoration** with us on September 21st evening. We came to know that many experienced the living presence of Jesus in their whole being and many participants requested to bring this or similar services again.

Thank you once again for your participation & support.

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

The R.C.I.A. program has began.

If interested please contact the office.