THE THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9 (DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA) 5:00 pm

- + Holy Souls in Purgatory
- + Perry Alain

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10 (ST. LEO THE GREAT) 8:00 am

+ Diane Giroux

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER II (St. Martin of Tours)

5:00 pm (followed by Divine Mercy Novena)

+ Doris Johnston

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12 (ST. JOSAPHAT)

8:00 am (8:30 - 9:30 am adoration)

+ Holy Souls in Purgatory

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13

5:00 pm

- + Luiza & Jacinto Lima
- + Antonio & Emilia Figueiredo
- + Vincente Moniz & Francisco Melo
- + Richard & Celine Ireland
- + lack Furlong
- + Antonio Machado

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14 9:00 am

+ Luiza & Jacinto Lima

11:00 am Mass for the People - Pro populo

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday	Rev. Jeffery Oehring	
Tuesday	Rev. Francesco Cucchi	
Wednesday	Deceased Members of St. Patrick's	
Thursday	Rev. Mark Gatto	
Friday	Rev. Paul Patrick, O.M.I.	
Saturday	Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil, C.Ss.R.	

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS ON:

Sunday, November 7 @ 2 a.m. "Fall Back" one hour.

ST. PATRICK

Roman Catholic Church Welcomes You!

OUR BOOK OF LIFE

Throughout the month of November, our Book of Life will be placed near the baptismal font. The Easter candle, representing the new and eternal life we have in Christ, will burn beside it. Parishioners are invited to write the names of deceased family and friends in our Book of Life so that they may be remembered, as a group, at each mass offered in our parish throughout the month of November. Names entered previously need not be entered again as

prayers are offered for all whose names are written there.



PRAY THE ROSARY

The Rosary is by its nature a prayer for peace, since it consists in the contemplation of Christ, the Prince of Peace, the one who is "our peace" (Eph. 2:14; St. John Paul II). Please join us every Saturday at 4:30 pm as we pray the rosary before the 5 pm Mass. We are looking for people who would be

willing lead the rosary. Please speak with Fr. Joe.



HOLY SPIRIT PRAYER COMMUNITY

The Holy Spirit Prayer Community would like to invite you to join us in prayer, as we reconnect with the sustaining presence, love and mercy of our compassionate God, revealed to us in Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour. Come and join us for a time

of music, prayer, worship, reflection and intercession. We meet every 1st and 3rd Tuesday evening, beginning Tuesday, November 16th, in the church, at 7:30 pm. The main doors of the church will be open at 7:15 p.m. We will be following the diocesan recommendations for masks and social distancing. For more information, contact Mary Ann Costa 519-740-1668.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS NOVEMBER 13 & 14				
	5:00 p.m.	9:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	
Lectors	M. Henry	A. Jamieson	C. Terpstra	
Communion	L. Henry B. Raghubar	B. Sousa J. Streppel	H. France R. France	

OFFERIORY			
Envelope Contributions Last Week	\$2,517.00		
Loose Collection	\$ 217.10		
EFT	\$1,104.25		
Total Collection – Thank you	\$3,838.35		

NOVEMBER 7, 2021



CWL MEETING

The next Catholic Women's League meeting will be held on **Tuesday, November 9**. The meeting will begin with the celebration of Mass at 5 pm and continue in the parish hall - everyone is invited to bring their own brown bag supper or snacks. The formal meeting will begin promptly at 6:15 pm. It is asked that all CWL members share this

news among the league. Any women interested in learning about or becoming members of St. Patrick Parish Council CWL are invited to attend.



CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN

The members of the C.W.L. of St. Patrick's would like to extend a heartfelt "thank you" to all who participated in our annual Christmas Shoebox

Campaign. The boxes are bound to a third world country. So many children will now have a gift to open that perhaps will be their only one this year. We pray for these and for all the poor children of the world.



HUMAN LIFE AND DIGNITY

For the Church, there is no distinction between defending human life and promoting the dignity of the human person. Pope Benedict XVI writes in *Caritas in Veritate* that, "The Church forcefully maintains this link between life ethics and

social ethics, fully aware that a society lacks solid foundations when, on the one hand, it asserts values such as the dignity of the person, justice and peace, but then, on the other hand, radically acts to the contrary by allowing or tolerating a variety of ways in which human life is devalued and violated, especially where it is weak or marginalized." (#15).

As a gift from God, every human life is sacred from conception to natural death. The life and dignity of every person must be respected and protected at every stage and in every condition. The right to life is the first and most fundamental principle of human rights that leads Catholics to actively work for a world of greater respect for human life and greater commitment to justice and peace. (CCC # 2258, 2270; Pope Francis)



REMEMBRANCE DAY

On **Thursday, November 11**, Canadians will pause in silence to remember those who died in war and to pray for the victims of aggression and inhumanity throughout the world. This is a day to pray for peace, to consider what we are doing as individuals, as a community and as a nation to bring God's peace into the world.

FORGIVENESS MUST BE PASSED ON

Christ makes our being forgiven by him contingent on our forgiving others: "For if you forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father also will forgive you; but if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses" (Mt 6:14 - 15).

Our refusal to forgive - to do this first deed of charity - will, quite simply, send us to hell if not repented of. Why is this? It is not that God refuses to give forgiveness to us until we forgive but that we cannot receive forgiveness from God if we have unforgiving hearts. If our heart is closed, like a clenched fist, to giving forgiveness to others, it will also be closed to receiving forgiveness from God. Taken from Peter Kreeft's, *Catholic Christianity*



SVDP CHRISTMAS ANGEL GIVINGTREE

The SVDP Christmas Angel Tree Campaign is underway. Letters have been sent to previous donors with a heartfelt thank you and request for support once again this year.

Even if you have not donated in previous years, please consider providing an Interac e-transfer to SVDPStPatrick.T@gmail.com or make a cheque payable to St Vincent de Paul Society. Please return by Sunday, November 15. Thank you for your support!

...and God's Grace was so powerfully at work in them all, that there were no needy persons among them. Acts 4 33-34



USING THE DOOR BY THE CHOIR

The weather outside is frightful...In consideration of our musicians, please do not e choir door if you are leaving mass before the

exit by the choir door if you are leaving mass before the end of the final hymn. Should you find it necessary to leave the church before the final hymn has concluded, please exit through the main doors of the church. Thank you.

PRAYING THE ROSARY WITH THE LEGION OF MARY Join the Legion of Mary every Saturday morning at 9:30 am (rain, shine, sleet or snow) as they bare witness to our Catholic faith by praying the Rosary in front of Cambridge City Hall. Safety protocols must be followed - masks & physical distancing are mandatory. All are welcome!

"COULD YOU NOT WATCH ONE HOUR WITH ME?"

The Adoration Chapel at St. Mary of the Visitation Church in Hespeler will be re-opening soon. If you would like to spend one hour a week with Jesus, truly present in the Most Blessed Sacrament, or would like more information on adoration, please call **Sheila Mauser 519.658.9414.** Remember, God cannot be outdone in generosity. Whatever we give to Him we will receive a hundredfold.

The family that prays together, stays together.