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Thanksgiving

Be joyful always; Pray continually;
Give thanks for everything.



Masses For The Week

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6

5:00 pm Special Intention for Joseph Vo
- Vo & Nguyen Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7

9:00 am Anne Le & Joseph Tran R.I.P.
- Tran Family

11:00 am The People of the Parish

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8

9:00 am Maurice Porlier R.I.P. - C & V Sciberras

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9

7:00 pm Luigi Sdraulig R.I.P.- Armando Sdraulig

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10

9:00 am Iole Boreanaz R.I.P.
- Anna Dorbolo & Family

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11

7:00 pm Giacomo Lo Giacco R.I.P. - Family

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12

9:00 am Linda Armstrong R.I.P.
- Armstrong Family

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13

9:00 am Francesco & Emilia Gagliardi, Franca &
Rosalbino R.I.P. - Teresa Borrelli

5:00 pm Fr. Garry Lehigh, Fr. Tom Stokes &
Fr. Lucian Perera R.I.P.
- Patricia MacFarlane & Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14

9:00 am Unannounced
11:00 am Gerard Pumphrey R.I.P.
- Kristina Stekar



Sick: That they may experience the presence of our compassionate God, especially Michelina Ciociola.

Deceased: That they may be called to their everlasting home.

Pope's October Evangelization Intention: *The Mission of Religious* - That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves, and be present among the poor, the marginalized, and those who have no voice.

Pope Francis invites Catholics worldwide to pray the Rosary



The Holy Father invites all the faithful, from all over the world, to pray the Holy Rosary every day, during the entire Marian month of October; and thus to unite in communion and penance, as God's people, in asking the Holy Mother of God and Saint Michael the Archangel to protect the Church from the devil - "the Great Accuser" - who always seeks to divide us from God and one another.

The Russian mystics and the great saints of all traditions have advised, in moments of spiritual turmoil, that one protect oneself under the mantle of the Holy Mother of God by pronouncing the invocation, "Sub Tuum Praesidium."

We fly to thy patronage, O holy Mother of God; despise not our petitions in our necessities, but deliver us always from all dangers, O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.

With this request for intercession, the Holy Father asks the faithful throughout the world to pray that the Holy Mother of God will place the Church under her protective mantle: to protect her from the attacks of the devil, the great accuser, and at the same time make her ever more aware of the sins, errors, and abuses committed in the present and in the past, and committed to fighting without hesitation so that evil does not prevail.

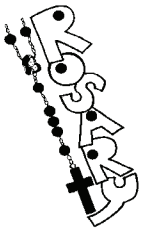
The Holy Father has also asked that the recitation of the Holy Rosary during the month of October be concluded with the following prayer written by Pope Leo XIII:

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; may God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

During the month of October please join us for the Rosary and these prayers after all the weekday Masses.

Rosary Coast to Coast Canada
By *Children of the Eucharist Canada* in
partnership with Fr. Rick Heilman

This Sunday, October 7, 2018
(On the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary)



Please join us for a **Holy Hour at 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. this Sunday, October 7, 2018.** We will recite the Rosary at 4:00 p.m. in solidarity with other people throughout the country in asking our Lady of the Rosary to heal our country and return it to Holiness.

We are called upon to help turn our country back towards God. We will accomplish that through prayer; prayer that can change hearts, change families, change our communities, change our country and change the world. There is no stronger weapon in this Spiritual Battle than the Rosary! We are calling all Canadians to join the world in a clarion call for peace! All Canadians are invited to pray the Rosary Coast to Coast wherever they can gather: in parishes Churches; in front of city government buildings, schools, along the Canadian coasts and borders; as families; or while viewing the live-stream of the National Rosary Rally. For more information and other locations, visit: <https://rosarycoasttoeast.ca>.

Project Rachel

Let God show you his love. Are you still hurting from an abortion experience? We can help. A weekend retreat for women whose hearts have been broken by abortion: October 26-28, 2018. Project Rachel - private and confidential. E-mail ProjectRachel@stmarysrefuge.org or call 416-629-8264.

 **Offering** 

Weekly Offering (Sep 30).....	\$4,326.25
Needs of the Canadian Church.....	\$1,462.15
Expenses (Sep 24 - 30).....	\$8,487.21

Thank you for your contribution.

 **NOTICE** 

**Reconciliation and
First Holy Communion**

If your child was baptized in the Roman Catholic Church and was born in 2011 (Grade 2) or earlier, and you wish to prepare your child to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) and First Holy Communion in the 2018-2019 school year, please attend the parent information meeting on Wednesday, October 24, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at St. John the Evangelist Church.

Registration packages will be handed out at this meeting providing details regarding registration, expectations, materials and dates for our sacramental programme.

IMPORTANT UPDATE:

Scam alert - Impersonating Cardinal Collins

The Archdiocese of Toronto have been advised by a number of sources that scammers have created a Gmail account in an effort to impersonate **Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto**, and are continuing to email people. Note that there is no request for funds in these initial communications - this is often a strategy used by criminals phishing for victims. To this point, the people being targeted are members of religious orders. Do not respond should you receive these emails. Cardinal Collins only communicates through an archtoronto.org email address. Consider any other addresses to be suspect.



The parish office will be closed Monday, October 8, for Thanksgiving Day.

Mass Attendance Count

Once again, the Archdiocese has asked all parish and mission communities to conduct a headcount survey on the weekends of October 13/14 and October 20/21. This is to help provide an accurate profile of Mass attendance in the archdiocese.

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