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TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

20 September 2020

Let us pray . . .

For those who seek healing . . . especially those suffering from Covid-19, those undergoing treatment and those experiencing any form of anxiety and suffering at this time.

For those who have died and left this transitory life . . . especially for the repose soul of Ms. Aline Chretien.
Requiescant in Pace!

The Kingdom of God that Jesus proclaims is centered in a spirit of gratitude for what we have received and the humility to seek to share those blessings with others – and in that spirit of gratitude, we discover the happiness that is centered in the Spirit of God. The workers in today's Gospel feel cheated by the vineyard owner's generosity – their resentment at their co-workers' good fortune diminishes them and clouds any satisfaction in being able to provide for their families. Jesus calls us to a change in perspective: to look beyond what we do not have and realize and rejoice in all that we have been given, including the love of family and friends, good health, opportunities to learn and grow, the freedom and resources to live lives of fulfillment and meaning.

CELEBRATION OF MASS

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| Tuesday | 4:00 p.m. | Stanley Zilney by Bernice Byers |
| Wednesday | St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio), Priest 9:00 a.m. | John Landon by Percy & Francis Coulas |
| Thursday | 12:00 noon 12:10 p.m. | The Angelus Bill Green by Rick & Lorna Strack |
| Friday | 9:00 a.m. | November Intentions (All Souls) Ms. Aline Chretien by Beatrice Ross |

(ROSARY IS USUALLY RECITED 25 MINUTES BEFORE ALL WEEKDAY MASS & SATURDAY VIGIL MASS)

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 27 September 2020

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| Saturday | 4:30 p.m. | Barry Crawford by Bryan and Jean Madigan |
| Sunday | 9:30 am | Missa Pro Populo (Mass for all the People) |

Sacrament of Penance (Confessions) – Saturdays at 3:45 – 4:15 p.m. in the Crying Room at the entrance of the Church and weekday in sacristy before all masses.

WE ARE GRATEFUL to Barbara Conway who made a donation to the Memorial Fund in Memory of Patricia Kulas.

Registered Households 182
Last Sunday's Offering \$4040.00

66 Household Envelopes & 3 E-transfers: \$3860.00
Needs of the Canadian Church: \$20.00
Donation: \$25.00

Visitor: \$70.00
Northern Missions: \$30.00

Loose: \$25.00
Building Renewal: \$10.00

Thank you for your continued generosity and sacrifice.

LAST WEEK BISHOP DESROCHERS ordained Father Michael Coyne a priest at his first ordination and also public liturgy as our new bishop at my home parish of Saint Francis Xavier in Renfrew. Attending that ordination flooded my heart with many memories of my spiritual journey. So many loved ones are now gone home to God but are still part of my fabric. The occasion afforded me an opportunity to thank God for the graces and mercies received as I begin my second year as your parish priest during these turbulent times in the world. Our priestly life is a wonderful gift and to share in the mission of Jesus Christ – our great High Priest – who is the same yesterday, today and forever. Fr. Patrick M. Dobec

LIFE CHAIN 2020 – Come join us! A Peaceful, Prayerful Demonstration for Life. On Sunday, October 4th from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. Downtown Barry's Bay. For more information please call 613-756-3958

“FATIMA” MOVIE RELEASE: A new Catholic movie, Fatima, was released in theatres throughout Canada on Friday, August 14th. Fatima tells the story of a ten year old shepherd and her two young cousins in Fatima, Portugal, who report seeing visions of the Virgin Mary. For more information see www.fatimathemovie.com

TO ENSURE THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF ALL PARISHIONERS, we remind you not to sit in those pews that have been roped off, particularly those at the rear of the church.

FORMED.ORG: There are many new resources on this Catholic platform. THE SEARCH, which is great for teens and adults alike, is one worth highlighting. Check it out and share with others!

FOR FAMILIES – APOSTOLATE FOR FAMILY CONSECRATION (AFC.org): Now more than ever before, families need guidance on how to help themselves and their children find true peace and happiness that they long for. Check out this website to find out more about Family Consecration with a commitment to live the 6 principles for God-Centered Family Living: 1. Prayer Life 2. Sacramental Life 3. Living the virtues 4. Learning the faith 5. Sharing the Faith 6. Serving others.

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

MY JESUS, I believe that You are present In the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, And I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

O Jesus,
I pray for your faithful and fervent priests;
For your unfaithful and tepid priests;
For your priests laboring at home or abroad in distant mission fields;
For your tempted priests;
For your lonely and desolate priests;
For your young priests;
For your dying priests;
For the souls of your priests in Purgatory.
But above all, I recommend to you the priests dearest to me;
The priest who baptized me;
The priests who've absolved me from my sins;
The priests at whose Masses I've assisted and who've given me Your Body and Blood in Holy
Communion;
The priests who've taught and instructed me;
All the priests to whom I am indebted in any other way, especially _____
O Jesus, keep them all close to your heart,
And bless them abundantly in time and in eternity.
Amen.

NEW EVANGELIZATION SUMMIT – BACK WITH ANOTHER CONFERENCE! On Saturday, September 26th from 12:00 – 3:00 p.m. EDT, we are hosting a FREE, LIVE virtual conference for Catholics, tackling the topic Crisis & Opportunity: How to evangelize in Uncertain Times. To answer this question, you'll be hearing from: George Weigel, Dr. Mary Healy, Michele Thompson and Fr. Jon Bielawski. You will also be hearing from people who have creatively responded to the call to mission during these uncertain times we are moving through. To grab your free ticket, just click this link:

<https://unevangelize.org/virtualsummit/>.

PARISH REGISTRATION - (Households who have not registered or a change of address, phone or email)

Name: _____

Other Members of Household: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone Number: _____

Envelopes: Do you need envelopes yes no *(Drop this into the collection basket or office, thank you)*

We encourage all households to register for many reasons for our future