

The Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time
Sunday, February 9, 2025- Year C



📖 Sunday Readings 📖

Isaiah 6.1-2a, 3-8
 1 Corinthians 15.3-8, 11 Luke 5.1-11

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8

4:30 pm +Martin Howley – Cathedral SVDP

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9

8:30 am +Courtney Schroter

10:00 am +Edwidge Richard – Charlie Richard & Family

11:30 am +Peter Miketic - Family

2:00 pm Mass for Married Couples with Bishop Bergie

7:30 pm Cathedral parishioners

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10 *St. Scholastica, Virgin*

12:10 pm +Intentions of Vulcan, Arwen &

Johnathan

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11 *Our Lady of Lourdes*

7:00 am +Jack McDonald

12:10 pm +Mary & Fred Stewart – Son

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

7:00 am Natalie, Mike & Family

12:10 pm +Joseph & Marion Mullin

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

7:00 am In Reparation to the Holy Name of Jesus - H. McNulty

12:10 pm +Michael & Katalin Somogyvári- Family

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14 *Sts. Cyril, Monk & Methodius,*

Bishop

7:00 am +Holy Souls

12:10 pm +Alicia Cortes MacDonald – Andy Cortes

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15

8:00 am +Andrea Sabiano – Cely Sabiano

4:30 pm +Sina Marchesano – Christine

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

8:30 am +Peter Miketic - Family

10:00 am Deceased Members of the Richard & MacRae Families - Joan & Charlie Richard

11:30 am +Andrew Pluhar - Somogyvári Family



SANCTUARY LAMP

Week of February 9th

Mary Ann and Scott Bradley – A Friend

St. Vincent de Paul News

Cathedral St. Vincent de Paul is grateful for the financial support provided by Cathedral parishioners. On Tuesday mornings our members write food vouchers for those applying for assistance. Starting Tuesday, January 7th until Tuesday, January 28th, 102 households applied and received help (137 adults and 38 children). Thank you for helping us to help those who need our help. God bless.



The Cathedral Council of the CWL meets the second Thursday of every month. The next meeting will take place on February 13th. Mass at 6:30

pm. with Father Paul McDonald and meeting to follow in the Hall.

Please join us for a Lenten Retreat with Father Ben on Saturday, March 22nd 10:00am -11:30am. The topic will be Redemptive Suffering, followed by Confession and Benediction. All ladies welcome!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

February 2nd Collection:	\$3,113.00
Candles:	\$192.00
Out of the Cold:	\$300.00
Wheel of St. Catherine	\$1,343.00

TAX RECEIPTS FOR 2024

Will be available next weekend, February 15/16, in the downstairs foyer.



Our Lady of Lourdes Rosary

Pray the Rosary with Father Paul McDonald, February 11th @ 4 pm for the Intentions of Our Lady and especially for the Sick.



Celebrating Significant Wedding Anniversaries this Jubilee Year

Bishop Bergie will preside **today** at this special Mass commemorating the **2025 World Day of Marriage at 2:00 pm**, at the Cathedral of St. Catherine of

Alexandria in St. Catharines. All attendees are welcome to a coffee social at Knox Presbyterian Church, 53 Church Street following Mass. Bishop Bergie will be available after Mass for a photo opportunity (bring your own camera) with couples celebrating significant anniversaries at the Mass. A congratulatory certificate will be mailed to couples who will celebrate their 1st, 25th, 40th, 60th or 60th+ special anniversary in 2025. To receive this certificate, please contact the parish office.



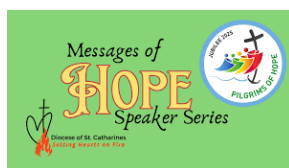
Our next **Coffee Social** will take place **Sunday, February 16th** after the 11:30 am mass. Come down to the Parish hall for a coffee, treat and fellowship.

SACRED HEART PRIVATE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Sacred Heart Private Catholic School is run by the Sisters of the Sacred Heart. The Sisters provide a classical Catholic elementary education with an emphasis on excellence in academics, charity in conduct and fidelity to God and his Holy Catholic Church.



Our address is 1 Edward Street, Welland, Ontario. Our contact information is: sacredheartprivateschool22@gmail.com



The **MESSAGES OF HOPE Speaker Series** is a special Jubilee 2025 initiative designed to engage those living in the Diocese of St. Catharines to

learn about hope, and together, reflect and explore ways to restore a climate of hope in our world that desperately yearns for it. Each month, in venues around the diocese, a speaker has been invited to give a talk that explores some messages and themes that Pope Francis highlighted in the Jubilee's Bull of Indiction - SPES NON CONFUNDIT: Hope does not disappoint. **Rev. Rico Passero**, pastor of St. Joseph's Church in Grimsby and podcast host of God's Playbook will be the second featured speaker in this Jubilee's Messages of Hope Series. He will be reflecting on 'Hope for Today' on **February 24, 2025 at 7:00 pm at the Catholic Centre, 3400 Merrittville**

Liturgical Music: The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



ENTRANCE: 638 Tell Out, My Soul, The Greatness of the Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 243 ps 138
In the sight of the angels

I will sing your praises, Lord.

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS: 709 Leave Your Fishing Nets

COMMUNION: 576 Father, Who in Jesus Found Us

CHOIR ANTHEM: Come Follow Me – J. Leaving

RECESSIONAL: 609 Salve Regina

661 Sing, Sing to the Lord

MASS MUSIC: 5.2-5.10 CIS Hymnal

HELP WANTED

Over the past few years, our Diocese has been working closely, under the guidance of our Bishop, with Ron Huntley Ministries to help set our diocese on fire with love for our Lord. Part of the process has been to help pastors look at their parishes and assess the needs and areas of growth.

One of the areas brought to my attention is the fact that every weekend we get many visitors. It would be excellent to have dedicated Cathedral parishioners assigned at every weekend Mass to greet and welcome them and offer help, giving general information about the Cathedral, Mass and confession times, how to become a parishioner, baptism etc.

Our ushers already do an excellent job in seating, handing out bulletins, greeting and taking up the collection. This new group would be focused on helping with extra assistance. Anyone interested in committing to this endeavour (it may be weekly or less depending on the number of volunteers) can contact the office in the next two weeks, leaving your name and contact information. We would begin ideally at the beginning of Lent. Training would take place in the last two weeks of February.

Another concern is **our parish school, St. Nicholas**.

Unfortunately, due to difficult economic times and other circumstances, a number of children come to school hungry or with very poor nutrition. There are programs in place to help but everything is limited.

I have committed to going once a month, possibly twice, to feed the children at lunchtime. With the assistance of Dagmar, we have already made a hearty soup for the children. If you would like to be involved with this project, we could use frozen vegetables, bread or crackers. Large soup pots would be happily accepted. Anyone interested in helping with the making and serving of the soup or any other meal suggestions would be greatly appreciated. If you are able to offer any help, I thank you in advance. God Bless You!

Father Ben

