



**28<sup>th</sup> SUN IN ORDINARY TIME - B**

Jesus invites us to a life of love and personal commitment to him which goes beyond keeping the commandments. Since we follow Jesus to the Father, today's gospel sees him refusing the homage which is given to God alone. As with the rich man, Jesus looks with special love on those who seek to commit themselves more fully. He invites each one of us to abandon whatever gets in the way of disciple-ship. The sadness of the rich man, who was too tied to his possessions to choose spiritual treasure, reflects the loss suffered when someone refuses Christ's invitation to special friendship with him. How dangerous wealth is! Only God's grace can overcome this impediment, Jesus says. But what of those who have given up everything for him? Jesus does not promise an easy life – they can expect persecutions – but they will be richly rewarded both now and forever. The gift of wisdom, praised in the first reading, leads us to choose God. Hebrews reminds us to take seriously God's word which calls us to commitment. We are judged by that word if we refuse to heed it. Is our treasure really in heaven?



**28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in OT – Oct. 11, 2015**

If we really believe in something, it does not seem to be a sacrifice to give up everything else to pursue that new dream. Jesus asks the same as any great leader...total dedication; but He promises rewards no one else can promise. "You will have treasure in Heaven, then come, follow Me." Come, follow the call of Christ as a priest, sister, brother or deacon. If you think God is calling you to one of these, call Fr. Chris at 416-968-0997 or email at [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) or call Fr. Victor at 416-757-2806 or email at [olfatima@rogers.com](mailto:olfatima@rogers.com) for further information.

**Roses for Life weekend – 2015**



The **Knights of Columbus** thank all our parishioners who contributed to the **Roses for Life** campaign last weekend. Due to your generosity we will be able to donate **\$361.25** to the **SISTERS OF LIFE** who work tirelessly to protect and promote the sacredness of life.



**God reward your generous hearts**

**LifeChain 2015**

This year's LifeChain 2015 – last Sunday, October 4, also known as – **RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY** – was very well attended in spite of the cool breeze and overcast weather. **THANK YOU FOR JOINING US!**  
**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING LIFE!**



<b>Mass for the Intentions Week</b>		<b>October 12-18 2015</b>
<b>Thanksgiving Day</b>		
Mon 12	8:00 am	Elizabeth Manion [I] – wellness
Tues 13	8:00 am	Souls in Purgatory
<b>Commemoration of the Last Fatima Apparition</b>	7:00 pm	Eleanor Ritchie-Stephen [D]
Wed 14	7:00 pm	Francisco & Jose Ragasa [D]
<b>Vigil - St. Teresa of Jesus</b>		
Thur 15	8:00 am	Bienvenida San Jaun [D]
Fri 16	8:00 am	Luigi Di Nardo [D]
Sat 17	9:00 am	Antonio Tuason [D]
	4:30 pm	Carmela Mallia [D] – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Ann.
Sun 18	9:00 am	Souls in Purgatory
<b>29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	10:30 am	Josephine Lind [D]
<b>Missions Sunday</b>	12:15 pm	People of the Parish

**Tomorrow is THANKSGIVING DAY!**  
The morning Mass in church is at 9.00 am and the church and office are closed for the day.  
**Have a blessed and peaceful Thanksgiving Day**

**St. Vincent de Paul**  
**Thanksgiving Food Drive**  
**Final weekend today**  
**October 10/11**



**We need your support very much!**

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**Fatima's Famous Pasta Dinner**  
**Mark your calendars!**  
at Our Lady of Fatima Church Hall  
**on Saturday, October 24, 2015**  
Pick up special insert with this Sunday's Bulletin!  
**Tickets are available from the parish office**

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

There is **NO** Children's Liturgy this Sunday [October 11]. Applications for **First Holy Communion** are available from the office. Kindly call the office during office hours only. Thank you&  
The next **Confirmation** session is on: **Oct. 17** [+ 2<sup>nd</sup> Enrolment]



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**28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in OT** – Sunday, Oct 11

During all of this weekend Masses there is a 2<sup>nd</sup> collection for the parish's **Renovations Fund**. This is the long **Thanksgiving Holiday** weekend; there is **NO Children's Liturgy** today. The **LORD'S FLOCK** has **NO prayer meeting** today. The Legion of Mary will continue to lead 2 more petitions in the **2000 HAIL MARY ROSARY** to commemorate the final **FATIMA APPARITION** at 1.30 pm.

**THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY** – Monday, Oct 12

On **Thanksgiving Day** morning Mass is at **9.00 am**, followed by praying 2 more petitions in the **2000 HAIL MARY ROSARY** and Benediction. The Office & Church are **closed for the rest of the day**.

**Memorial of Final Fatima Apparition** – Tuesday, Oct 13

The regular morning Mass is at 8.00 am. Evening devotions start at 6.00 pm with 2 more petitions in the **2000 HAIL MARY ROSARY**. Holy Mass is at 7.00 pm which will include an indoor procession and consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary commemorating the final Fatima Apparition.

**Vigil Mass - St. TERESA OF JESUS (Avila)** – Wednesday, Oct 14

Devotions start at 6.00 pm with the last 2 petitions in the **2000 HAIL MARY ROSARY**. Solemn Mass and Evening Prayer marking the 5<sup>th</sup> Birth Centenary of St. Teresa of Jesus begin at 7.00 pm. All are welcome.

**Feast of St. TERESA OF JESUS** – Thursday, Oct 15

We have morning Mass only at 8.00 am as usual.

**Weekend Activities** – Saturday, Oct 17

Today's **RCIA** session is at 10 am and the **Confirmation** meeting at 2.30 pm as usual. The 2<sup>nd</sup> enrolment ceremony for students in the Confirmation program takes place today in the 4.30 pm Mass. At all of this weekend Masses there is a 2<sup>nd</sup> collection for the **Missions of the Church** as tomorrow is **MISSIONS SUNDAY**.

**29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in OT** – Sunday, Oct 18

This is **MISSIONS SUNDAY**; there is a **Children's Liturgy** meeting at 10.30 am and the **LORD'S FLOCK** prayer meeting is at the usual time of 2.00 pm.

**Feast of St. Teresa of Jesus (of Avila)**

Join us – on Wednesday, October 14 – for **Rosary and Evening Prayer (Vespers) at 6.00 pm** followed by **sung holy Mass in honor of St. Teresa of Jesus on the vigil of her feast day**. Prayer booklets will be available. *All are welcome*



A second collection for the **WORLD MISSIONS** will be taken next weekend **October 17/18**. Please use envelopes from your box of donation envelopes ... or the ones available at all church entrances.

**Pray for the Missions and help generously**

**R.C.I.A. Program: Oct. 2015 – Mar. 2016**

Meetings have started according to Schedule, on Saturdays, in church hall from **10.00 – 11.00 am**

*We have reached our maximum number of candidates for this year's program and cannot accept more applications.*

Thank you for your interest and support.

**There is no meeting this weekend;**

**We meet again next Saturday, October 17.**



The **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** will be selling **CHRISTMAS CARDS** at the back of the church on the weekends of Nov 7/8, 14/15 & 21/22. **RAFFLE TICKETS** in an artistic **NATIVITY DISPLAY** [for fund-raising purposes] will be also on sale during these weekends. Raffle is to be drawn on Sunday, Dec. 20 at the end of the Fatima Christmas Concert. The **SOCK DRIVE** runs during the weeks of Advent, beginning Saturday, November 28.



**From the Pastor's Desk**

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**The LUCIA DOS SANTOS SECULAR CARMEL COMMUNITY**

This month's community meeting is on **Tuesday, October 20** in the church hall at 7.00 pm. *Prospective candidates intending to join the Aspirants program in January 2016 are invited to attend as observers.*

**Come and See Weekend**  
**Fall 2015 – Nov 06 to 08**

Do you ever think about a future in the priesthood? Ever considered what it is like?

Then **"Come and See"** is for yourself! This is an opportunity for young men of 18 years or older to spend a weekend with time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples through the Catholic priesthood. Call Fr. Chris Lemieux at (416) 968-0997 or email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org).

*This weekend will take place at St. Augustine's Seminary*



**A married couple – Zelig+Louis Martin**  
– parents of *St. Therese of Lisieux*, known as *"The Little Flower"*. **Pope Francis** will declare them Saints of the Church on Sunday, Oct. 18 – **Missions Sunday**.