

## FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### MASSES OF THE WEEK

† - For the repose of the soul / in memory of the person(s) indicated

#### Sunday, February 9

9:00 a.m. For the parishioners of St. Theresa Parish.  
10:30 a.m. † Bridget and Benedict Tracey by their daughter Maureen.  
For the intentions of the Handmaids of the Lord.

#### Monday, February 10

*Feast of St. Scholastica*

9:00 a.m. For Marika's intentions.

#### Tuesday, February 11

9:00 a.m. † Leonila Orbuda by the family.

#### Wednesday, February 12

9:00 a.m. † Blair Wright by Geraldine and Jeanette.

#### Thursday, February 13

9:00 a.m. † Souls in Purgatory.

#### Friday, February 14

*Feasts of St. Cyril and St. Methodius*

9:00 a.m. For the health and recovery of Nicholas by his mother.

#### Saturday, February 15

9:00 a.m. -----

4:30 p.m. For the health and recovery of Nicholas by his mother.

#### PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Baby Raechal McIntyre, Richard Robinson, Michelle Boyer, Alice Hilchie, Gordon F. Hilchie, Catherine Bedard, Lisa Rey, Christina Addison, Monique Beaudry, Erin Burnett, Sara Arias Hernandez, Marcelo Pimentel, Franco Azua Arias, Moli Coletti, Zygmunt Wysocki, Marcelle Makropoulos .



### Lectors & Commentators

#### Saturday, February 15

4:30 p.m. Don Murphy  
*Commentator: Marie Comisso*

#### Sunday, February 16

9:00 a.m. George Hack  
*Commentator: Jane Arbour*  
10:30 a.m. Kathy McVean  
*Commentator: Miguel Planas*

### EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

#### Saturday, February 15

4:30 p.m. Cathy Major

#### Sunday, February 16

9:00 a.m. Darell Herauf  
10:30 a.m. Juanita de Ocampo  
*Chalice: Joan Texeira and Ellen Dulay*

#### HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION

**Evangelization:** *Listen to the Migrants' Cries* ~ We pray that the cries of our migrant brothers and sisters, victims of criminal trafficking, may be heard and considered.

#### FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year A)

**First Reading:** Isaiah 58.6-10++  
*Your light shall break forth like the dawn.*

**Second Reading:** Corinthians 2.1-5  
*I proclaimed to you the mystery of Jesus Christ,  
and him crucified.*

**Gospel:** Matthew 5.13-16  
*You are the light of the world.*



#### THANK YOU

Many thanks you to everyone who attended our Knights of Columbus pancake breakfast last Sunday and to everyone who worked behind the scenes to prepare the delicious spread.

#### PARISH CALENDARS

Parish 2020 calendars are available in the parish office.  
Cost: \$3.00 each or two for \$5.00.

### WORLD DAY OF THE SICK - FEBRUARY 11

The ministry of Jesus to the sick is central to the life of the Church. February 11 (Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes) highlights the healing ministry of the Church. It reminds us that service to the sick and suffering cannot be neglected. It recognizes the great efforts of doctors, nurses, health care institutions and pastoral care givers to restore health to those afflicted with illness and disease.  
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### ST. THERESA FOOD DRIVE

Next weekend, **February 15 and 16**, we will have our monthly non-perishable food drive at each Mass. The neighbourhood food bank also accepts grocery store vouchers.

### SPAGHETTI & KARAOKE FUNDRAISER DINNER

The Knights of Columbus are hosting this very popular event in the parish hall on **Sat., Feb. 29, 2020, 5 p.m. – 10 p.m.** Info & tickets: Roger Richard (613-277-5423).

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

on **Friday evening, March 13, 2020** and **all day Saturday, March 14, 2020**. Info: (613-235-5119).

### 2019 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

Income Tax receipts can be obtained by placing a stamped, self-addressed envelope in the collection basket. Please write your 2019 envelope # on the envelope.

### 2020 PARISH ENVELOPES

2020 parish envelopes are available in the parish office.

Please write your full name, address and telephone number on the first few envelopes you use in 2020 and **always indicate the amount** of your donation on each envelope. It is important for income tax purposes.

Direct deposit is always welcome.

### CONVERSION STORY

A survivor of the 1906 San Francisco earthquake as a child, Dorothy Day landed in New York in 1916 and was jailed the following year while marching for women's suffrage. She became a journalist in the 1920s and explored Marxism and communism. She was a social activist. Her socialist commitments, her salty language, heavy smoking, hard drinking, abortion, and a love affair with Forster Batterham, giving birth to Tamar out of wedlock. Her decision to have Tamar baptized a Catholic in order to give her daughter's life meaning and prevent her from floundering as she had done, is particularly moving. So is her decision to leave Batterham, whom she loved, because he would not marry her, believing as he did that marriage was tyranny and Catholicism folly. And subsequently she converted to Catholicism before founding The Catholic Worker Movement, with which she will forever be associated.

Dorothy Day has been called uncompromising Prophet. The last time she went jail when she was 76 and yet she was a peacemaker. She maintained that faithfulness and perseverance were the central virtues, and she witnessed to them with her life for 50 years, even though at the end she believed she was a failure. What calmed her restlessness was reading the Psalms, prayer, and especially the Holy Eucharist. Although bored by theology, she was nurtured by writing which she considered a form of prayer. When the world seemed disordered, she escaped to nature, to the sea or to reading, each renewing her experience of beauty. She believed, with Dostoevsky, that it was beauty that would save the world.

And now she is promoted to sainthood and all in the United States are in favour of making her a Saint.

### COMMUNITY EVENTS & INTERESTS

#### GOSNELL FILM

'Gosnell: the Trial of America's Biggest Serial Killer', an accurate film dramatization of the investigation and trial of Dr. Kermit Gosnell and how the media and political establishment attempted to cover it up will be shown at St. John the Apostle hall, **Fri., Feb. 21, 7:00 p.m.**

*Love can accomplish all things. Things that are most impossible become easy where love is at work.*

St. Theresa of the Child Jesus