

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“ ‘You shall love your neighbour as yourself.’ ”

MASSES THIS WEEK AT ST. MICHAEL'S

Psalter II

MON. October 27

12:05 PM † **CARMELA PEDOTA**

--Don & Frances DePalma

TUES. October 28 St. Simon & St. Jude

9:30 AM **Notre Dame School Mass in the Church**

12:05 PM Special Intentions of **KATHLEEN O'CONNOR**

-Beryl & Peter Bridge

WED. October 29

9:30 AM St. Mary's Secondary School Mass *-in School*

12:05 PM † **PETER MAILATH**

--Mailath Family

THURS. October 30

12:05 PM Special Intentions of **KATHLEEN O'CONNOR**

-Beryl & Peter Bridge

FRI. October 31

12:05 PM † **DOREEN GAGNE**

--Rita Marrocco

Saturday, November 1

5:00 PM **MISSA PRO POPULO**

Sunday, November 2

All Souls -*Commemoration of all the faithful departed*

9:00 AM † **RAY & SHANNON LEES**

--Peg & Family

11:00 AM † Deceased Members of **PEDOTA & DEPALMA FAMILIES**

-Don & Frances DePalma

Next Weekend's Readings **31st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1st: Lamentations 3.17-26 • 2nd: 1 Corinthians 15.51-57

Gospel Matthew 11.25-30

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Rob Harper, Lisa Heenan, Shirley Ferguson, Marisca, Rosemarie Cromlish, Arlene Brown, Debbie Hale, Stanley Johnston, Jessica Gerber, Richard Philips, Bill Daly, Isabel Hogan, James Fullerton, Lynn Fabris, Mary Beyette, Gord King, Jean Winters, Theresa Ferguson, Nathalia Yuri Garcia, Charles Bateman, Andy Amelia, Bob Pickett, Rosemary Roth, Matilda Eikens, Noreen Mark, Antoinette Brisson, Julie Black, Stan Johnston, Fred Williams, Denise Palermo, Mark Martel, Diane Bartlett, David Wright, Greg Heenan, *May the Lord's healing hand touch them.*

REFLECTION

Trying to trick Jesus into saying something contrary to Moses, the Pharisees asked Jesus which was the greatest commandment. Jesus responded by saying that we are to love God with all our heart, our soul, and mind. Secondly, we are to love our neighbour as our self. **Reflection for Families** Our children see us live out this gospel message in the every-day things we do for other people. How often do they quietly notice us help an elderly relative, take food to a sick neighbour, or visit someone in a nursing home. We don't really have to preach this gospel message to our children, but sometimes just inviting them along is witness enough to shape their lives.

VOCATION VIEW

We must stop just putting band-aids on the wounds of society. We must tell the world that we are God's people. God loves us and we were created to serve God, and others in God.

COLLECTION REPORT

✠ **A Summary of Your Generosity** ✠

October 19 Offertory \$4992.

World Mission Offering \$868.

Restoration \$115. *Thank you for your support!*

EVENTS/MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Sun. 26—7:00 PM Youth Group Meeting in P/C

Tues. 28—7:30 PM KofC Officer & Committee @ CCC

Wed. 29—12:30 Legion of Mary in Parish Centre

Thurs. 30—1:00 PM Seniors Progressive & Bid Euchre at Columbus Community Centre (CCC)

Thurs. 30—7:00 PM Prayer/Meditation Group in PC

Sat. Nov. 1—11:00 AM Senior Acolyte Guild in the Church

2009 ST. JOSEPH'S MISSALS
NOW AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE AT
THE PARISH CENTRE—COST \$8.00

(with profits going towards the Restoration Fund)

Reminder that Advent is a month away!

ST. MICHAEL'S CEMETERY NOTICE:

This is a reminder that all pots and stands are to be removed from gravesites at St. Michael's Cemetery following All Souls Day, November 2, 2008. Thank you for your co operation.

MURAL RESTORATION

Take a moment to visit the revised, revised plaque board now in place in the Narthex (church entrance). **Take note that there is room for more... PLAQUE ORDERS...** Contact Dorothy at 905 372-3138 to order yours today!

GUESS WHO'S COMING TO LUNCH?

INVITATION

Please join us for lunch on Sat. Nov. 15 or Sat. Nov 22 for food, fun and fellowship! **PLACE: a mystery ??? INVITED GUESTS: a mystery ???** We invite parishioners to volunteer as Mystery-Hosts or Mystery-Guests, providing an opportunity to socialize and contribute to the Restoration Fund. To register, please contact, Henriette DeRoth-905 377-0563 or Colleen Olsen-905 377-8471

Fall Beef Supper—Sunday, November 9

Mark your calendar! The Knights of Columbus and Ladies Auxiliary invite everyone to their annual Fall Beef Supper at the Columbus Community Centre. There will be two seatings: 4:30 or 6:30 PM. Get your tickets by calling 905 372-2991. Cost: Adults \$12. Children ages 5-12 \$6. Hope to see you out!

C.W.L.---CASH FOR CHRISTMAS

Those ladies who have been selling tickets, are asked to return their sold tickets by November 19, to Dorothy Vollering, or other C.W.L. executives. Tickets can be turned in at the Columbus Community Centre at the monthly breakfast on November 19, or placed in offertory collection—addressed to the C.W.L.

St. Vincent de Paul Society Collection

Next weekend, Nov. 1 / 2 (the first Sunday of the month) we will have our monthly collection at the doors of the Church for this Society after all Masses. Thank you for your ongoing support!

Thank you...

A heartfelt thank you to those who assisted Manuela, and myself, while I lay unconscious last Sunday. Thank you for your kind words and prayers. All is well, Otto & Manuela

† All Saints-Nov. 1 & All Souls-Nov. 2 †

May our departed loved ones join the Saints! Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

Villa St. Joseph Retreat Centre

The next Day of Stillness is Wed. Nov. 5. -For further information, please call (905)372-2741. Visit their website: www.villastjoseph.ca for full listing of programmes.

The Sisters of St. Joseph invite interested women to a weekend of reflection, prayer and discernment at Mount St. Joseph, 1545 Monaghan Road, Peterborough on November 14-16/08. For information or registration, please call 705-750-1688 or email csjteamtwo@nexicom.net



Annual Christmas Sharing...

It's that time of year! Once again we will be collecting new gifts, toys, books, etc., for small children and young teens for the Northumberland UP FROM THE ASHES poverty action group. Your donations of gifts is greatly appreciated and unfortunately, necessary. Last year over 60 children 12 and under received our gifts. A large container will be in the Narthex for your gifts.

LATIN MASS

ST. THOMAS MORE, Millbrook
Next Sunday, November 2, 2008 at 3:00 PM
Celebrant: Fr. Joseph Devereaux

This Mass fulfills your Sunday day of obligation.

Attention: Parents of children attending Public Schools

To assist you in the faith education of your children, our Home Catechism Programme is available from Kindergarten through High School. While religious education is important on all levels, it is mandatory for students preparing for Sacraments; First Communion, First Confession (Grade 2) & Confirmation (Grade 7). Please contact our Coordinator, Henriette DeRoth at 905 377-0563.



Working our land, fighting for our rights



"We must globalize human solidarity so as to include sharing the riches of the earth for the common good, with fairness and equity; with respectful options for the poor and self-determination of communities. If we accept the globalization of wealth, technology and power, without the globalization of human rights and human dignity, then we have failed." -Cardinal Oscar Andres Rodriguez **Become informed; learn more about this campaign and the actions you can take at www.devp.org/campaign**

Signing campaign **November 15/16, 2008**