

# Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*“The tax collectors and the prostitutes are going into the kingdom of God ahead of you.”*

October 1, 2017

## † Masses this week at St. Michael's Year A

**Monday, October 2** *The Holy Guardian Angels*

12:05 pm Special Intentions of Fr. John Henry  
-Bill Little

**Tues. October 3**

12:05 pm † John McNeill  
-Barry McNeill

**Wed. October 4** *St. Francis of Assisi*

10:00 am Mass at Cobourg Retirement  
12:05 pm † Walter O'Connell  
-his daughter Nancy

**Thurs. October 5**

12:05 pm † Deric Quemby  
-Bud Monaghan

**Fri. October 6**

10:00 am Mass at Golden Plough Lodge  
12:05 pm † Marie Therese Cabardos  
-Dorothy Ruttan

### Saturday, October 7

5:00 pm Special Intentions of Fr. Andrew Ayala  
-Roberta

### Sunday, October 8

9:00 am † Shirley Thompson  
-Nancy & Garry Sharpe

11:00 am Missa Pro Populo

Next Weekend's Readings: **26th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1st: Isaiah 5.1-7

2nd: Philippians 4.6-9 Gospel: Matthew 21.33-43

### Prayer Life at St. Michael's

<b>Tues. 3</b>	7:00 am Adoration/Prayer	
<b>Wed. 4</b>	7:00 am Adoration/Prayer	7:00 pm Catholic's Come Home
<b>Thurs. 5</b>	7:00 am Adoration/Prayer	3:00-7:00 pm Adoration
<b>Fri. 5</b>	7:00 am Adoration/Prayer	3:00-7:00 pm Adoration
<b>Sat. 7</b>	7:00 am Adoration/Prayer	

**All are invited to join in these Adoration and Prayer times held in St. Joseph's Chapel.**

☞ Summary of Your Generosity: Sunday offerings Sept. 24 \$4,369 and Needs of the Church in Canada \$586. Thank you for your support. ☞

### Intentions this weekend

5:00 pm † Anthony Kibane -Taylor Family  
9:00 am Missa Pro Populo  
11:00 am † Dec. Members of Guiry Family -Family

### Sacramental Preparation:

**First Reconciliation & Eucharist & Confirmation**  
Reminder of **CONFIRMATION PARENT/STUDENT** meeting for **Tuesday, October 3rd at 7:00 pm in the Church.** If you missed the September 18th meeting, here is another opportunity.

The scheduled dates for the above sacraments are posted on our website.

**Baptism of School age children:** If you have a school age child who is in need of Baptism, please contact the office for preparation.

### Our Lady of the Rosary:

On October 7, the Roman Catholic Church celebrates the yearly feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. Known for several centuries by the alternate title of "Our Lady of Victory," "This devotion, so great and so confident, to the august Queen of Heaven," Pope Leo states, "has never shone forth with such brilliancy as when the militant Church of God has seemed to be endangered by the violence of heresy ... or by an intolerable moral corruption, or by the attacks of powerful enemies."



**Do you want to know more about the Catholic Church? Do you know someone who is**

**contemplating on becoming a Catholic?** This program, led by Fr. Gerardus, prepares adults/teens for initiation

through a process of prayer, rituals, reflection on the Word of God, and teachings of the Church. Anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic faith contact the office at 905 372-6844. **Begins: Oct. 4**



### Meetings & Events this Week

**Tues. 3**—12:45 pm Legion of Mary in Parish Centre

**Wed. 4**—1:15pm Consoling the Heart of Jesus Classes in the Parish Centre

**Wed. 4**—7:00 pm RCIA begins in Parish Centre



## St. Michael's Ministry/Volunteer Fair

Thank you to the Ministry Groups for their enthusiastic participation in presenting a very successful first Information/Volunteer/Ministry/Fair last weekend in St. Michael's School.

Special thanks to all parishioners who attended and have offered to share their talents with the Parish Community. We hope you are absorbing all you learned and are considering how you can assist St. Michael's so we can continue to thrive as a parish that is striving to project Christ's love and mercy in all we do... You will be contacted in the near future. Thanks to Ria for all the Bulletin inserts to inform, explain and raise the awareness of the Volunteer/Ministry Fair. -Duane & Judy

On behalf of the Parish, thank you Judy for bringing forward the idea of having a Ministry Fair, and to Duane for her enthusiasm and organizational skills to make this such a success. Your commitment to St. Michael's is appreciated. --Fr. Gerardus **NOTE:** We would like to have the displays and boards back from all so we can have them on hand for other events/celebrations. Please return them to the Parish Centre.

## Calendar of Youth Activities

**Oratory: 2nd and 4th Saturdays: 10:30 am to 1:00 pm** Workshops, prayer, games, lunch in the Parish Centre (*Elementary school ages*)  
October 14 & 28

**Youth Group: 2nd and 4th Saturday's 7:00 to 9:00 pm** in Parish Centre (*Grade 7 and up*) October 14 & 28

**Altar servers: Every Saturday, 11:00 am – 1:00 pm** in Parish Centre: Starting next Saturday, October 7

## Prayers for the Sick

We pray for healing, peace and contentment for our sick, especially for: Peter Clarey, Lucette Pelland, Steve Summers, Charles Campbell, Josephine Murphy, Doug, Sheila Russell, Todd Denault, Mary Hanley, Anne Quinlan, Mary Ellen Romano, Lynn, Wendy Piercey, Sheila Topps, Roberta Citro, Lydia Rennie, Jorgie Davis, Kurt Marsden, George & Peter, Charles Potier, Mickey McCue, Michaela Stiegler, Maria Tatarek, Marjolaine Trottier, Rob Harper, Mabel Landry, Barbara Monk, Ethan Deryaw, Jean Boudreau, Lynne Kjollersdal, Andy Throope, Carmen Troupe, Paul Lambert, Wayne McQuiod, Trevor, Anita Serson, Rebecca Waite, Adam Hallidey, Kate Adams, Joann Auger, Kandi, Annie, Diane Bartlett, Bill Jamieson, Clara Murphy, June Burke, Nicki, Sandy McEwen, Meaghan Maddigan, Herc Goncalves, Greg Fleming, Brian McCarthy, Marc Bennett, Diane Pritchard, Theresa Ferguson, Jen McEwen, Laura Dickson, Rene Gallagher



**Life Chain: TODAY  
Sunday, October 1**

**COME JOIN IN COBOURG** for this peaceful demonstration and prayer from 2:00 to 3:00 pm at the corner of Elgin St. and William St. For more information, contact Jennifer Riccio at 905 373-8306. Following this march, all are invited to the Parish Centre for fellowship and refreshments. Our witness, Lord willing, will again change hearts, and save lives.

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AND DATES TO  
NOTE IN YOUR

**CALENDAR!** General Meeting and Breakfast with Guest Speaker – Peter Delanty **Theme – Canada's 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.** Ladies are invited to wear red and white for this special meeting!



Sunday October 15 after 9:00 a.m. Mass at Columbus Community Centre

**General Meeting, Breakfast and Guest Speaker (to be advised)**  
**Sunday November 19th after 9:00 a.m.**  
**Mass at Columbus Community Centre**

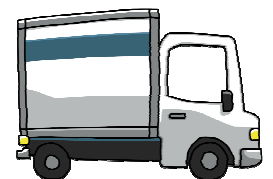
The CWL is going to have a Bake Sale in the Parish Centre after all Masses on the weekend of December 2/3.

Christmas Dinner and Social Tuesday, December 12, 2017 Cocktails: 5 pm; Dinner: 6 pm **Tickets \$25/person.** More information to follow!

## Parish Food Drive for Thanksgiving

**THANK YOU** for bringing in your donations for Fare Share for our Thanksgiving Drive! As you know the barrels are **always** there to accept your weekly donation of non-perishable food.

**ALSO REMINDER: St. Vincent de Paul** will have their truck available for all your donations for their store on the weekend of October 21/22.



Let us share without fear the journey of migrants and refugees.  
-Pope Francis, Sept. 27th