



Sixth Sunday of Easter May 9, 2021 - Year B



📖 Sunday Readings 📖

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48, 1 John 4:7-10
John 15:9-17

MASS INTENTIONS Sixth Sunday of Easter Mother's Day

SATURDAY, MAY 8,

4:30 p.m. +Stanislaw Zawadzky, Antoni Kocjan
+Michael & Katalin Somogyvari, John & Natalie

SUNDAY, MAY 9,

8:30, 10:00, 11:30 a.m., and 7:30 pm.

For all Mothers & Intentions
received in Mother's Day Envelopes

MONDAY, MAY 10,

7:30 a.m. +Holy Souls, Leo Bonomi
12:10 p.m. +Holy Souls in Purgatory, Mary Cody

TUESDAY, MAY 11,

12:10 p.m. Maria Antonieta Fonseca Bastos,
Maria Bastos

WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, *Canada Health Day*

7:30 a.m. +Holy Souls
12:10 a.m. +Fannon & Mista Families, family

THURS., MAY 13,

7:30 a.m. +Holy Souls, Leo Bonomi
12:10 p.m. +Holy Souls in Purgatory

FRIDAY, MAY 14, *St. Matthias, Apostle*

7:30 a.m. +Holy Souls,
12:10 p.m. +Joyce & Freda Edwards,
Rob & Jackie Messinger

SATURDAY, MAY 15,

9:00 a.m. +Holy Souls, Leo Bonomi
12:10 p.m. Int. of Jennifer Olszowy, her children

The Ascension of the Lord

SATURDAY, MAY 15,

4:30 p.m. +Janet Rusan, Lise & Agnes Mailloux

SUNDAY, MAY 16, *Pope's Pastoral Works Day*

World Communication Day

8:30 a.m. Cathedral Parishioners
10:00 a.m. +Mark Zwolak, family
11:30 a.m. +Pedro Hugo, Greg Gamotin
+Orlando Gamotin, Greg
7:30 p.m. +Giovannino Cicerone,
Deacon Frank & Teresa Berardi

10 AM & 7:30 PM DRIVE-IN MASSES

10 am and 7:30 pm Masses every Sunday during lockdown will take place in our Parking lots. Please tune in to your radio while in the lot to pick up the Mass.

Happy Mother's Day

To all our Mothers and Grandmothers: We want to share this beautiful day with you, to help you in any way we can and to remember you in our Prayers today and always because of your constant love for us and for all that you do for us and with us always:

*"May God Bless you
with health of mind, body and spirit,
with hearts alive in Love and Joy and with Souls
graced by God's presence. Amen.*

MOTHER'S DAY MASSES

All Masses celebrated Mother's Day weekend, May 8/9, will be offered for those intentions received through Mother's Day Remembrance envelopes which are available at all the entrances of the Cathedral

CANADA HEALTH DAY MAY 12

Canada Health Day is celebrated in health care facilities and community services across the country.

This day reminds us that health and healing are essential aspects of our baptismal vocation. We are called to take responsibility for our personal health: to prevent illness and to seek a healthy lifestyle. Good health concerns the physical, emotional, social and spiritual health of our communities, respect for God's creatures and the nurturing of the whole earth.

MAY THE MONTH OF OUR LADY

It has been a long-standing Catholic tradition to honour the Blessed Virgin Mary in May. In most Catholic churches (and even in many Catholic homes), a "May Altar" is erected with a statue or picture of Mary, flowers, and perhaps candles. The altar stands from May 1 to 31 as a reminder of Mary's importance in the life of the Church and in our own lives as well. Additionally, many Catholic churches and families hold a "May Crowning," presenting Mary with a crown made of blossoms or other hand-crafted materials to signify her queenship as the mother of Christ, the King. There have even been some crowns made of glistening metal and synthetic jewels.

WELCOME DANIEL CORSO

We welcome Daniel to the Cathedral, a Seminarian for the Diocese of St. Catharines, for his summer placement.



LIVE-STREAMING

At present, our camera is out being repaired, therefore, there is no live-streaming available at this time. We hope that it will return soon.

THE EASTER CANDLE

The Easter or Paschal Candle is a reminder of the presence of the Risen Christ among the people of God. It remains in the Sanctuary until Pentecost Sunday, May 23rd.

EASTER SEASON - FIFTY DAYS

The seven weeks from Easter to Pentecost are celebrated as one great feast day. St. Athanasius called them "The Great Sunday." Christians sing the Alleluia during these days in their rejoicing. The Easter Alleluia is an enthusiastic and joyful Acclamation announcing victory over death, the promise of a new life, the presence of the risen Lord. The Church celebrates for fifty days, culminating with the feast of Pentecost – calling all to Service, to Mission and to Evangelization.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

We offer prayers and extend our best wishes to Bishop Bergie who celebrates his 37th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood on May 12th.

POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS

Next week is our collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works. When a disastrous flood or earthquake strikes a nation at the other end of the world many countries and agencies rush aid. Prominent among such aid is the financial help offered by our Holy Father. In the name of Catholics everywhere, he displays Christ's love and compassion. Each year at this time, Canadian Catholics are asked to give generously to this Papal Collection which is passed on to the Holy Father for his use among those stricken by natural disasters. **Envelopes are available at the back of the Church.** Thank you for your continued prayers and generosity.

SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp indicates that the Blessed Sacrament is reserved in the Tabernacle. Parishioners can make an offering for the lighting of this lamp in memory of living and deceased friends and family members. The offering is \$10.00 and the lamp lasts one week.

Week of May 8

**In Memory of Ivan Sinkovic,
Demkowitz Family**

E TRANSFERS

We appreciate those who have been using e transfers for their donations to the Cathedral. Our account is cathalex1832@gmail.com. This is an Autodeposit and does not require a security question. Please note that the Wheel of St. Catherine and the St. Vincent de Paul Society both have their own separate accounts and still require a cash or cheque offering. Thank you for your support of the Cathedral parish.

*"Love one another
as I have loved you"*

RELIC OF THE TRUE CROSS:

We are very blessed at our Cathedral for we have in our possession a relic of the True Cross. To allow for greater veneration of this magnificent relic, we have placed it in a reliquary that has been inserted in the crucifix in the side wing of our Cathedral. Please feel free to take time to pray before our Lord Jesus Christ crucified and to venerate this relic.

NIAGARA IN LOCKDOWN

The province of Ontario is now in lockdown. Churches are allowed a **maximum of 10 people at a time**, including the priest and organist. A reminder that **anyone coming to the church is required to wear a mask properly during the entire Mass.** (except when receiving Communion). The Parish office is closed to in-person visits. Please use the brass mail slot for drop-offs as it will be checked regularly. For Mass Intentions, please call or drop off your request in the brass mail slot with your donation. If you require a card, please state so on your request along with your phone # and someone will call you when your card is ready for pick-up. If you need to ask a question, please call the office and if someone is available we will answer your call, if not please leave a message at our Parish phone, (905) 684-3964, and we will call you back as soon as we can. Thank you for assisting us in keeping all staff and parishioners safe.

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SUNDAY, MAY 9, 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER, HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

Study/Watch: YDisciple-True Beauty-Womanhood

THURS. MAY 13 OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Watch/Study: Divine Mercy, Episode 6 Fatima, Divine Mercy, Episode 7: The Secret of Divine Mercy, The Bible and the Virgin Mary, Fatima

FRI., MAY 14 ST. MATTHIAS

Watch/Study: Evangelization with Dr. Mary Healy

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS

Your generous donations to Cathedral St. Vincent de Paul allow us to continue to support those in need within our Cathedral Parish boundaries. We are providing vouchers to clients who make appointments for assistance. We are not able to provide clients with pantry items at this time but have increased the amount of the voucher. Thank you for your financial assistance to help those in need.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

Sun., May 2 nd :	\$2,532.10
Candles/Certificates:	\$40.00
Twinning:	\$1,000.00