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WEEKDAYS MASSES:

Weekdays: Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Saturday 8:00 a.m.

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday: 6:00 p.m. (English)
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. (English)
10:00 a.m. (Italian)
11:30 a.m. (English)
1:00 p.m. (English)
2:30 p.m. (Filipino-Tagalog,
only 3rd Sunday of the Month)
4:00 p.m. (English)
6:00 p.m. (Misa en español)

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"I was a stranger and you welcomed me." Mt. 25, 35
"Out of many we are one in Christ."

BAPTISMS - BAUTIZOS:

Call the office at least 3 months before Baptism date for an interview and meetings for parents and godparents.

Llamar a la oficina por lo menos 3 meses antes de la fecha del Bautizo, para entrevistarse y reunirse con los padres y padrinos.

CONFESSIONS - CONFESIONES:

Saturday - *Sabado*: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. & by appointment.

MARRIAGES - BODAS:

Call the office at least 1 year before the wedding date planned and before you arrange a hall.

Llame a la oficina 1 año antes de la fecha estimada para la boda y antes de reservar el Salón.

RCIA- RICA: (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults/Sacramental Preparation)
Contact the parish office as soon as possible.

(Ceremonia de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos /Preparación Sacramental)
Contacte la oficina parroquial tan pronto como sea posible.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK AND THE ELDERLY- SACRAMENTOS PARA LOS ENFERMOS Y ADULTOS MAYORES

Please notify the parish office if someone is in the hospital or confined to the home due to sickness or old age.

Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si alguien se encuentra en el hospital o en la casa debido a una enfermedad o adultos mayores que no pueden salir de la casa.

PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome you to our Parish Community and invite you/your family to introduce yourself to the priests and REGISTER as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the parish office.

REGISTRACION PARROQUIAL

Le damos la Bienvenida a nuestra comunidad parroquial y lo invitamos a usted y su familia a presentarse con los Sacerdotes y a que se registre lo más pronto posible. Los formatos de registro están disponibles en la oficina parroquial.

GOOD SOIL AND RAIN FROM HEAVEN.

The parable of this Sunday's Gospel is very simple and clear. The sower is throwing the seeds on the ground. Remember that in the middle east the farms are not well tilted as in our beautiful Canada. The soil was mixed with stones, with all kind of wild shrubs and people used to cross them, because there were not regulated pathways. So the seed could easily fall either in the passageway, on the stones or among the shrubs.

From a simple image of a sower, Jesus draws a beautiful teaching. The field is our heart; the seed is the word of God, the different types of soil is our spiritual life; the rain (see the first reading in Isaiah 55) is the love/grace of God which does not return to God, without watering the earth and bringing forth bread to the sower.

There are 4 types of soil: The pathway where the seed cannot penetrate; it represents superficial people, which have no time to deepen the word of God. The rocky ground represents the people who have too many things (rocks) to do and don't have time to deepen their faith; at the first temptation they fall and forget the word of God. The thorny soil represents those who, even though they listen to the word of God, follow their inclinations and sins; so that even the grace of God does not have a chance to grow. The good soil, finally, is you and me, who strive to listen to the word, try to understand it and make a serious effort to put it in practice. They surely will produce good fruit! It does not matter how much, but it will produce; and the master will be happy if we produce a hundredfold, or sixty or thirtyfold.

And the Father will provide good springtime rain for all those soils who are open to the will of God and accept his grace like the rain from heaven. "It will not return to heaven empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose and succeed in the things for which I sent it."

JOSEPHINE LALDEEN, the Founder of **FATIMA HOSUE** in Pakistan has left for heaven. She was 90 years old. Our parish has supported her apostolate for many years and we like to remember her faith and faithfulness with great joy.

May her good work continue both here and in Pakistan. May she rest in peace!

R.C.I.A. CELEBRATION.

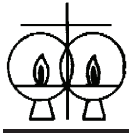
We have received the permission of our Bishop to celebrate the SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION for the candidates of our parish. On July 16, 2020 at 7:30pm we will have a celebration in church for the PREPARATION of the CELEBRATION, which will take place on SATURDAY July 25, 2020 at 11:00am in church. The three sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion will be conferred during the special mass of Initiation. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office (905) 272-1454 or Sybil Lee Loy at (905) 896-4839.

FILIPINO MASS.

This July 19th we will resume the celebration of the FILIPINO MASS at 2:30pm in church. We will go back to the previous schedule and celebrate every 3rd Sunday the Filipino Mass at 2:30pm.

THE LIVE STREAMING is back to normal in our **WEB SITE**: Just go to: stcatherine.ca – Watch Live – Watch Live Mass here – and then click on "Live Now".

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3LSYfkjx9dnOu-rf0nDsXA>



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 11 St. Benedict

8:00am + Natalia Bacani
 12:00pm WEDD: Marcelo Pintos & Kelly Almeida
 6:00pm + Jose Medeiros, John Sr., John Jr. &
 Jose Antonio De Freitas

Sunday, July 12 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am + Deceased of Angela & Emanuele Caruso
 10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
 11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
 1:00pm + Sandro Ruta
 4:00pm + Matilda D'Souza
 6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Monday, July 13 St. Henry

8:00am + Peter Joseph Wee
 7:00pm + Franklin Militante

Tuesday, July 14 St. Camillus de Lellis

8:00am Thanksgiving from Menezes Family
 + Anthony Almeida
 7:00pm + Frank Pinto

Wednesday, July 15 St. Bonaventure

8:00am + Sisters Bertilla Scola, Aurea Canalli &
 Lucia Giacomet
 7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

Thursday, July 16 Our Lady of Mount Carmel

8:00am Thanksgiving from Bet & Vivien Basnet &
 family
 7:00pm + Rosa Buemi
 8:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Friday, July 17

8:00am + Josephine Laldin
 7:00pm + Peter, Joachim Mascarenhas & Peter Ferrao

Saturday, July 18

8:00am + Maurice Almeida
 6:00pm + Jose & Larry Feijo
 8:00pm Spanish Divine Novena

Sunday, July 19 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am + Forgotten Souls
 10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI
 11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
 1:00pm + Giovanni & Lucia Forte
 2:30pm FILIPINO MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS
 4:00pm For our parishioners
 6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

HOLY COMMUNION only in the Hand.

The guidelines of the Cardinal are clear and we will follow his wishes with great faith and obedience. SO Holy Communion, because of this emergency situation can be given ONLY in the hands of the faithful both at Mass or in private until we will receive instructions from the Archdiocese. "Obedience – says Jesus – is better than sacrifice or offerings."

BACK TO NORMAL.

We are very happy to see that slowly people are coming back to their own Mass. Last week we had a good participation at the 8:30am Mass and a smaller participation at the other Masses.

A GREAT THANKS to our faithful VOLUNTEERS. We are so happy to have 35 volunteers/ushers, plus the 12 Eucharistic Ministers and another 6 lectors, who make sure that the liturgical celebrations run smoothly, making it safe for everybody. We have a capacity of 150 spaces, between the church, the balcony and the Main Hall. We could (if needed) add also the other 2 Halls.

- **AGAIN** – The mask is required; sanitizing your hands both when you come in and go out of the Church; exiting the church maintaining the distance of 2 meters; the volunteers will sanitize all the pews of the whole church as soon as people are out, preparing for the next Mass.
- THINGS ARE WORKING VERY WELL, and it is safe to come back to Mass in person.

CONFESSIONS are now scheduled for Saturday at 4:30pm. The two confessionals are sanitized and adapted, so there is no communication between the penitent and the priest. You remain standing, so you don't have to sit or kneel; you don't touch any chair or kneeler.

- During the week you can request confession either in the office or in the crying room next to the sacristy.

Baptisms, Funerals and Weddings are back to normal. We will celebrate one sacrament at times, to avoid crowding the church.

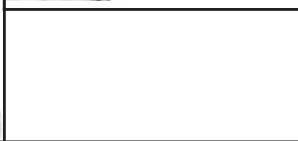


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