



**June 21 SATURDAY - Saint Aloysius Gonzaga**

5:00 Pompilio & Angelina DiEmanuele – by  
F. & M. Santesso

Mary Richard – by Flora Kennedy

**June 22 SUNDAY- Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood  
of Christ - CORPUS CHRISTI**

9:00 Lili Martuccio-Custode – by dad Joe & family  
Domenico Cameli – by moglie Angelina  
Antonio & Maria Coladonato – by  
Anna & Pasquale DelVecchio  
Giuseppe Muraca – by moglie Adelina  
Angela & Carmelo Blancato – by Golfi fam.  
In Thanksgiving Holy Trinity – by Corradina Cassia

11:00 For All the Deceased of the Parish  
For the Needs of All Parishioners

**June 23 Monday - NO MASS**

**June 24 Tuesday - The Nativity of St. John the Baptist**

8:00 Louis & Philamena Fiorentino – by Lisa/Jim

**June 25 Wednesday - Blessed Jutta of Thuringia**

8:00 Theresa Lococo – by friends

**June 26 Thursday - Blessed. Raymond Lull**

8:00 Assunta Elia – by Antoinette Panucci

**June 27 Friday - Saint Cyril of Alexandria**

9:00 Alberto Carlesimo – by Gina Paquette  
Vito & Anthony Barone – by Barb, Angela, B.J.  
Cesare Lombardi – by Philamena Currado  
Deceased Pizzi Family & Friends - by  
Angelo & Annina Pizzi

**June 28 SATURDAY - Saint Irenaeus**

5:00 Deceased of Fiorentino/Giagnorio families – by  
Mark Fiorentino

Mary Richard – by Donna Caldwell

**June 29 SUNDAY - SAINTS PETER & PAUL APOSTLES**

9:00 Johnathan Fabiano – by Florence & family  
Luigi Scozzafava – by moglie Teresa  
Giuseppe Calabrese – by Domenic & Wilma  
Iole Biamonte – by parents Joe & Maria Orsini  
Efisia Orsini – by Joe & Maria Orsini  
In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Guadalupe &  
Divino Bambino Gesù – by Corradina Cassia

11:00 Polly Aquino – by Alita & Ralph Elefante  
Antonietta Polletta – by Angela/Tony Romano  
Domenico Cameli – by daughters Mary/Rita  
Peter Tirabasso – by Tony & Nancy Mazzei  
Gino & Maria Visca – by family  
Dr. Carie Larosa – by Barb, Angela & B.J.

**GOSPEL MESSAGE**

Jesus Christ did not leave us orphans. He is present in the form we can touch and consume, the Eucharist. Corpus Christi Sunday solemnizes the real presence of Christ in the form of bread and wine in the celebration of the Holy Mass. Receiving the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ brings personal grace and healing, and binds the believers into one body – united in Christ's love.

**MESSAGGIO DEL VANGELO**

Gesù Cristo non ci ha lasciati orfani. È presente in mezzo a noi nella forma che possiamo toccare e consumare: L'Eucaristia. La domenica del Corpus Cristi solennizza la presenza reale di Cristo nella forma del pane e del vino nella celebrazione della Santa Messa. Ricevere il Corpo e il Sangue di Gesù Cristo porta grazia e guarigione personali e unisce i credenti in un solo corpo – uniti nell'amore di Cristo.

**WEEKLY QUOTE**

*"...silence the sounds of arms,...overcome division,...tear  
down walls of division and dispel hatred..."*  
(Pope Francis, Urbi et Orbe 2024)

**The Solemnity of The Most Holy  
Body & Blood of Christ - 22<sup>nd</sup> June**

**Blood and Sacrifice**

Sacrificial blood of the new covenant poured out for us! We do not often think of taking part in these events for our salvation, yet Jesus our Messiah takes up the covenant of Moses, renews and fulfills it for us on his cross. He changes things, once and for all, so we can, here and now, take part in his work, opening divine grace and life to the world. The Eucharist draws us into the work of his cross, his life-giving service.

**Catechism of the Catholic Church (# 271)**

**What is the Eucharist?** - The Eucharist is the sacrifice of Body and Blood of the Lord Jesus which he instituted to perpetuate the sacrifice of the cross throughout the ages until his return in glory. Thus he entrusted to his Church this memorial of his death and resurrection.

**Corpus Cristi - 22 Giugno**

La solennità del *Corpus Domini* (espressione latina che significa *Corpo del Signore*), più propriamente chiamata **solennità del santissimo Corpo e Sangue di Cristo**, è una delle principali solennità dell'anno liturgico della Chiesa cattolica. Si celebra il giovedì successivo alla solennità della Santissima Trinità.

**Storia**

Venne istituita l' 8 settembre 1264 da papa Urbano IV con la Bolla *Transiturus de hoc mundo* in seguito al miracolo di Bolsena. Il suo scopo era quello di celebrare la reale presenza di Cristo nell' Eucaristia.

**COMMUNION – REVERENCE**

When coming to receive the Blessed Sacrament please approach the Communion Minister reverentially with extended hand, then saying 'AMEN' and consuming the 'Body of Christ' immediately upon receiving it.

**TOTUS TUUS – TOTALLY YOURS, MARY!**

Join Adelaine Nohara at Our Lady of the Rosary Shrine - Welland for a new, four-week Catholic formation course designed to present the whole truth about Mary

Course #1: July 9,16,23,30 6:30-8:30pm in the St. Joseph Room  
Course #2: Aug. 4,11,18,25 6:30-8:30pm in the St. Joseph Room  
Information/Register: <https://ourladyoftherosaryshrine.org/programs/>

## The month of June is dedicated to THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

**SITE FOR DONATIONS NOW AVAILABLE**

Donations to St. Ann Church can now be directly deposited to the church account via our email: [office@churchofsaintann.ca](mailto:office@churchofsaintann.ca). Your transaction will show at your bank as a payment to: RCEC Diocese of St. Catharines – St. Ann Church.

**3-MONTH REPORT****MONTHLY COLLECTION/EXPENSES**

March Church Collections	\$11,942.62
<b>March Expenses</b>	<b>19,017.29</b>
April Church Collections	\$13,655.82
<b>April Expenses</b>	<b>23,311.08</b>
May Church Collections	\$ 8,027.09
<b>May Expenses</b>	<b>13,383.17</b>

**St. Ann Parish Monthly Supper****Thursday – 3<sup>rd</sup> July**

Doors open at 4:30 pm

**Pasta & Meatballs Dinner**

**Plus – Bread - Salad - Dessert & Coffee**

Take-out available-We provide take-out container

Tickets at the door: Adults -\$ 15.00 - Child \$ 8.00

**COFFEE WEEKEND**

Saturday & Sunday – July 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>

All parishioners and visitors are invited for Coffee and light refreshments in the Church Hall after all the Masses of 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> July. Enjoy the company of your faith community and catch up with the events in the parish over coffee or tea prepared by our Welcoming Committee!

*This coffee weekend is being sponsored by Maria DiRienzo in Memory of Benny, Rocco & Anna DiRienzo*

In Honour of Fr. Raymond's Retirement  
Mass @5:00pm - St. Mary Church – Welland

Retirement Dinner – Parish Hall- July 12<sup>th</sup> 2025

Doors Open at 6:30pm – Dinner at 7:00pm

MENU: Antipasto Bar-Pasta Aglio e Olio-Pasta Tomato Sauce  
Chicken Francese with Lemon Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Beans –  
Salad-Coffee & Tea – Cake

\$40.pp – Limited Seating – RSVP by 1<sup>st</sup> July 2025  
Lou – 289-969-7104 OR L.dimario55@hotmail.com

## PRAYER FOR TOLERANCE, FORGIVENESS, RECONCILIATION

*National Indigenous Peoples Day – 21 June*

*O God, Creator and Father of all,  
With humility we your children acknowledge  
The relationship of all living things.  
For this we thank you, we praise you  
And we worship you.  
We call on you, Great Mystery,  
The Word made Flesh  
Our teacher, prophet and brother –  
To open our hearts to all our brothers and sisters,  
And with them to grow in the wisdom, honesty,  
Courage and respectfulness shown in  
The Sacred Teachings.*

*Give us the vision and honesty to recognize  
That we are all brothers and sisters of one human family,  
Created and sustained by the One Creator.  
As we deal with many challenges, may we never give way  
To fear and anger, which can be the source  
Of division and threat amongst peoples.  
We look to how God always gives to us,  
As a remedy for sins of prejudice and intolerance.  
We see in God the Creator of all things,  
One who always provides and is generous  
Even given the abuses we have heaped  
On one another and on the earth.  
We see in the Son, Jesus Christ  
The innocent Victim who pours His life blood  
Out from the Cross for all peoples.  
We see how the Holy Spirit is God's gift,  
Alive in our world today  
Inspiring vision and hope that we can have  
The same mind and heart of God!  
May your Spirit bless the souls  
Who died at the Kamloops residential school  
And all souls who died at residential schools.  
May this Spirit also bring blessing and healing  
To all families and communities affected  
In any way by the schools.  
May this same Spirit also bring blessing and healing  
to all the families and communities  
affected in any way by the schools.  
O Creator, show us the way to healing,  
Forgiveness and reconciliation  
And a renewed fellowship. AMEN!*

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK & THE HOMEBOUND

Mary Argenta, Giuseppe Armenti, Angelina Cameli,  
Rita Cameli, Domenic Calabrese,  
Iole & Gus Crescenzi, Estelle Critelli,  
Angelina DiRienzo, Maria DiRienzo  
Adrianna DiRisio, Beatriz Disch, Frank Dorazio  
Carmen Fabiani, Sam Fiore, Jenny Green,  
Nancy Mazzei, Virginia McConnell,  
Patricia Millington, Geraldine Parker,  
Vincenzina Pascuzzi, Dan Taddeo,  
Louie Valeri, Marianna Weber