

## Mass Intentions from September 7-13, 2024

Sat. Sept 7/4:30 p.m. Living & Deceased members of the Baird, Shanahan, Scott, Ryan, Malone, Faherty, McGarry & Kostner Families - Teresa Baird

Sun. Sept 8/10:00 a.m. Nick Baird -Teresa Baird  
Eva Sziranyi - Judith Sziranyi  
Warson Obsioma - Janie Jacot  
Aldo Farinelli - Vera Farinelli & family  
Liliane Chung - Jacqueline & Jeanine Chung  
Eileen Shanahan - Shanahan & Scott families  
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Special Intentions for Tanya Kahawita - Kahawita family

Wed. Sept 11/10:00 a.m. Antonio & Maria Rosaria Nardi - Elisabetta Nardi

Thu. Sept 12/10:00 a.m. Pasquale Di-Murro - Daughter's

### Memorial – St. John Chrysostom

Fri. Sept 13/10:00 a.m. Living & Deceased members of the Baird, Shanahan, Scott, Ryan, Malone, Faherty, McGarry & Kostner Families - Teresa Baird

## 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

“BE OPEN”.

***Are we willing to care for GOD's loved ones, the poor and disabled, the disenfranchised and lowly?***

### First Reading (Isaiah 35.4-7)

The prophet Isaiah offers words of hope and encouragement to those who are poor and downtrodden, assuring them that GOD is always faithful and that they will not be abandoned.

### Second Reading (James 2.1-5)

St. James says that the one who walks in Christ's footsteps will be the one who welcomes everyone in his name without discrimination.

### Gospel (Mark 7.31-37)

The story of Jesus healing the man who is deaf and has a speech impediment reminds us of the power of his love for all humanity. His desire to heal is there for us too.

### Reflection:

The story of Jesus healing the man who could not speak or hear is also a story for us. Can we allow ourselves to be healed of our impairment and become instruments of the healing love in our families and community?

Let us pray that in the coming week the love that GOD has for us will be revealed and GOD will heal us in our need.

Then we will be able to rejoice and say,  
“He has done all things well.”

***May you respond to GOD's invitation to be open to all that the Lord Jesus has for you, both the gifts that He desires to bestow on you and the deeds He desires you to do, especially for the needy around you.***

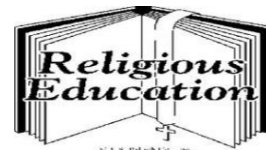
## A WARM WELCOME TO OLD & NEW PARISHIONERS!

Labor Day weekend marks the end of the summer vacation and the beginning of the regular activities in parishes and schools. Hope you all made the most of our short lived summer!

Parishioners are encouraged to take an active part in the spiritual work of the parish community.

*If you are new to St. Richards Parish, we invite you to fill out a registration form which can be found at the entrance of the Church and drop it in the collection basket.*

To receive a tax receipt for your weekly contributions/donations, it is preferred you use an envelope box.



## FAITH EDUCATION 2024-2025

For new and returning Faith Education students, Registration form is online at [www.strichards.ca](http://www.strichards.ca) and available at the back of the church.

It is important that your child be registered prior to the first day of class which will commence on Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am. Children are expected to attend mass at 10:00 am.

For further information please to contact - Lina Forlini (514) 486 6849 or you may call the office (514) 488 0778 or email [strichard@videotron.ca](mailto:strichard@videotron.ca)

Thanks for your cooperation.

Look forward to welcoming you all again...



The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week  
In memory of Nelson Odal.

By- Concepcion Odal.

## Weekday Mass Timings...

Wednesday, Thursday

Rosary begins at 9:30 a.m. followed by mass at 10:00 a.m.

Friday - Chaplet of The Divine Mercy 9:30 a.m. followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and 10:00 am mass.

# MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

## WELCOME BACK BBQ....

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A FUN FILLED AFTERNOON ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22<sup>nd</sup>, AFTER THE 10 A.M. MASS. (Weather permitting) ...for

Hotdogs, burgers, corn & drinks

Tickets will be available for purchase next Sunday at the back.

Tickets are...

Adults \$10.00 each.

Children 10 and under \$5.00 each.

Kids 5 and under enjoy for free!

