

Mass Intentions (June 13-19 2026)

Sat. Jun 13/4:30 p.m. Nick Baird	- Teresa Baird
Sun. Jun 14/10:00 a.m. Nick Baird	- Teresa Baird
John McGee	- Family
Carmela Zompa	- Parishioners
Fr. Martin Foley	- Samia Cassar
Eileen Shanahan	- Shanahan & Scott families
Vito Andrecchi, Giuseppe & Francesco Nardi	- Elisabetta Nardi
Deceased members of Chung family	- Jacqueline & Jeanine Chung
Wed. Jun 17/10:00 a.m. Caterina Bertucci, Antonio & Giuseppe Nardi	- E Nardi
Thu. Jun 18/10:00 a.m. Giving Thanks to the Lord	- Fesahaye & Leteaulak
Fri. Jun 19/10:00 a.m. Living & Deceased members of the Baird, Shanahan, Scott, Ryan, Malone, Faherty, McGarry & Kostner Families	- Teresa Baird

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

“We are his People: the sheep of his pasture.”

First Reading (Exodus 19.1-6a)

You shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation.

Second Reading (Romans 5.6-11)

If we were reconciled to GOD through the death of his Son, much more surely will we be saved by his life.

Gospel (Matthew 9.36-10.8)

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and sent them out.

Reflection:

**What is your vocation? What is your calling from GOD.
How are you responding to GOD's call?**

GOD is gracious in interacting with humans. GOD calls individuals to share in the spreading of the divine message of GOD's love.

GOD the Father, in conjunction with Jesus, is calling you to apply your skills and gifts for bringing people into a closer relationship with GOD.

In the First Reading, Moses hears GOD's summon and reacts.

The Responsorial Psalm is a proclamation of the people's chosen position with GOD and their need to praise GOD for the divine choice of them.

St. Paul, in today's Second Reading, declares GOD's great love for people, even those who have demonstrated their enmity with GOD and refused to value their specialness in the eyes of GOD.

In the Gospel, Jesus' response to the compassion He feels towards the people around Him who are hurting, is to send His "apostles" to minister to their needs and proclaim GOD's message.

The Lord Jesus needs your help in announcing the Gospel, by your actions, and sometimes with your words. Seek to answer the call and the Holy Spirit will empower you to do what Jesus is calling you to do.

Listen for the call of Jesus Who invites you to assist Him in working in His harvesting of souls and serving the lambs of His flock.



Handicraft Holy Land Christians



On Sunday, June 28th, we will welcome our special guest from Sebastien Cardinal's team, representing "Handicraft Holy Land Christians", who after mass will briefly address the issues and concerns regarding the Christian presence in the Holy Land.

Christians in the Holy Land graciously ask your support through conscience prayers and will have many unique hand carved olive wood religious art pieces made by these families in Bethlehem available for purchase after mass.

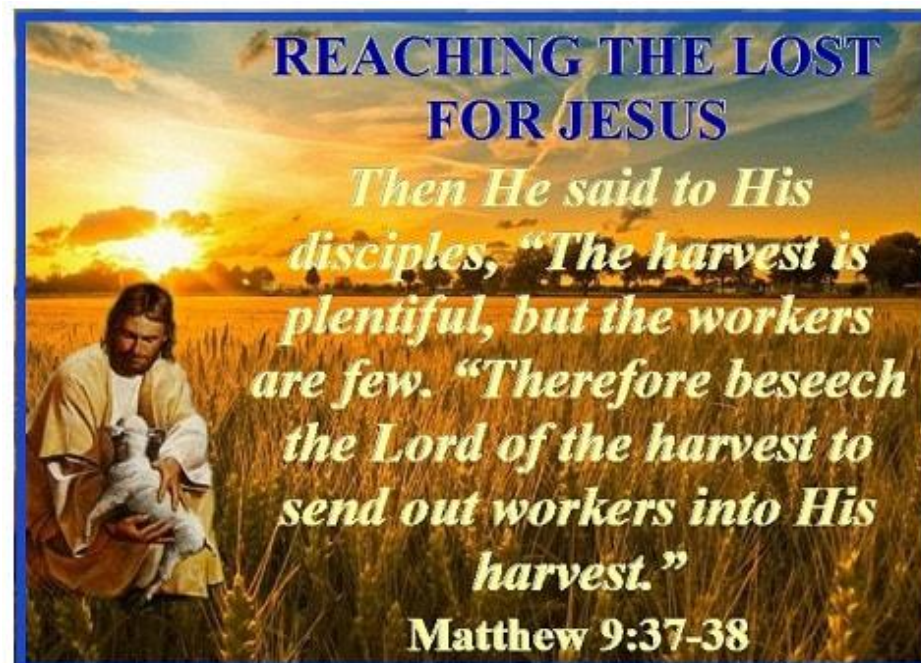
Proceeds of the sales generate much needed employment for our Christian brothers and sisters in Bethlehem.

May God Bless you for your generosity, for you help and for your prayers."

More information is on the bulletin board.

Cash, debit, credit cards and cheque will be accepted.

You can visit and support us at www.HolylandChristians.ca



The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week giving thanks to the Lord.

By - Ernest Clump.



St. Richards Parish is looking for a volunteer WEB DESIGNER to maintain and keep our parish website updated. We are hopeful a few of our TECH-SAVVY parishioners will be able to help out. Our website is www.strichards.ca

Please contact the parish office 514- 488 0778 or feel free to meet the parish secretary Hannah on Sundays after mass.

Thank you in advance for always supporting your parish.

**Every Friday 9 to 10 am
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
&
Chaplet of The Divine Mercy followed by mass at 10 am.**

Sick and Shut-Ins
If you have a family member or know of a friend who is shut-in and wish to receive Holy Communion or a visit from our pastoral home care team please call the parish office.
We are here to serve you.

**New office hrs; Wednesday & Thursday - 9 am to 12 pm.
Friday - 9 am to 1 pm.**

Have a blessed and safe Sunday and a new week.