

## Mass Intentions from June 16 to 24, 2018

Sat. Jun 16/4:30 p.m. Living & Deceased Members of the Baird, Shanahan, Scott, Ryan, Malone, Faherty, McGarry & Kostner Families - Teresa & Nick Baird

Sun. Jun 17/10:30 a.m. Cesarina & Luigi Orsini - Orsini Family  
 Victor Chartier - Doreen Chartier  
 Antonio Marchei - Francesca  
 Giuseppe Diamanti - Francesca & Family  
 Salvatore Bertucci - Cecil Bertucci  
 Giovanni Bellini - Anna Bellini & Family  
 Eileen Shanahan - Shanahan & Scott Family  
 Valentina, Francesco & Carlo Cicchino - Nick Cicchino  
 Vito Andreacchi, Giuseppe & Francesco Nardi - Elisabetta Nardi  
 Deceased members of The Orsini, Narducci, Troli & D'Angelo Families - Orsini Family

Wed. Jun 20/9:00 a.m. Living & Deceased Members of the Baird, Shanahan, Scott, Ryan, Malone, Faherty, McGarry & Kostner Families - Teresa & Nick Baird

### Memorial : St. Aloysius Gonzaga

Thur. Jun 21/9:00 a.m. Gaetano Parrisi - Franca-Alberto

Fri. Jun 22/9:00 a.m. Francesco & Domenica Tedeschi - Elisabetta, Carlo & Figlia

Sat. Jun 23/4:30 p.m. Living & Deceased Members of the Baird, Shanahan, Scott, Ryan, Malone, Faherty, McGarry & Kostner Families - Teresa & Nick Baird

Sun. Jun 24/10:30 a.m. Cesarina & Luigi Orsini - Orsini Family  
 Giuseppe Venanzi - Angela Venanzi  
 Ugo Salvati - Maria Salvati  
 Clementina Sylvestri - Francesca  
 Brian Scott - Yvonne Gouviea  
 Eileen Shanahan - Shanahan & Scott Family  
 Deceased members of The John Wilson & John Baptiste Families - Esther Wilson

## 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - (Year B)

**First Reading** (Ezekeil 17:22-24) In the first reading the prophet Ezekiel brings comfort to God's people with the promise that their fortunes will be restored. This work comes about only by God's loving act, through the same power that makes great and beautiful trees from small shoots.

**Second Reading** (2 Cor 5:6-10) Paul reminds us that it is not through our own sight and certainty that we can have confidence about what lies ahead, but through faith in Jesus. Walking in this faith we find our pleasures in Christ, whatever the condition of our life.

**Gospel** (Mark 4:26-34) Jesus longs to bring his disciples into an understanding of the kingdom of God. The stories he uses for his friends are stories of the mystery of growth and fruitfulness in creation, the mystery of God's loving presence at work in the world.

### Reflection:

The seed grows without the sower knowing how.

The mystery of how life grows. Jesus' use of images of growth in creation, as parables of the kingdom- a mysterious work of God's creative power.

The call to remember that it is God's power, through all our little everyday works, that builds God's kingdom.

The call to follow Jesus is not so much a call to hard work, but rather an invitation to live life and discern and trust in God's creative, loving power.

## MEMBERSHIP HAS IT'S PRIVILEGES, BUT THERE IS A COST TO MEMBERSHIP. Keeping Your Parish Financially Healthy

Your yearly dues are due and your parish needs your help financially. It is important to remember that a parish is non-profit and to keep it functioning depends on its loyal parishioners.

We recommend **FAMILIES donate \$100 & INDIVIDUAL - \$ 50.** If all our ENVELOPE USERS and our OTHER PARISHIONERS, who do not use envelope, give their dues, these donations will help reverse your parish deficit.

A special envelope is provided in your box for this purpose.

For those who do not use envelopes special ones are provided at the back of the church for your convenience.

Your Pastor, Fr. Peter and the Wardens, who are doing their very best to serve the parish **THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.**

## "Year-long 50/50 raffle"

50/50 event, a year-long fundraiser, recently begun and will continue until December 31st, 2018.

If every family or individual could take 20 tickets and sell them to their extended family or friends, this would help make this fundraiser a success. Please, if possible help us; help your Parish financially by buying or selling 20 tickets for the Half & Half 2018 ticket draw. We are very grateful for your support. Please see Teresa Baird or one of the members of the Men's Club for Tickets. Thank you.

## Faith First Registration for 2018-2019 Sessions:

Faith First registration forms for the 2018-2019 sessions are available at the church entrances and on our website.

All new and returning students must register before August 31<sup>st</sup>.

The cost is - 1 child - \$85

2 children - \$110

3 & more - \$150

For more information please contact Lina Forlini at : 514 486-6849



The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week for **ALL THE FATHER'S.**

**OUR LAST BULLETIN BEFORE WE BREAK FOR THE SUMMER WILL BE PUBLISHED NEXT SUNDAY JUNE 24, 2018.**

## STEWARDSHIP

### New Way of Life

Needs are great- here is our parish and out there in the world. God blesses us abundantly and invites us to use all we have – not just leftovers – in love for Him and his people.

All those wonderful gifts we have are meant to be shared over and over until they multiply and spark stories of God's goodness everywhere.

Stewardship is a way of life – something we practice in a dozen little ways each day and a few big ways each year. The best part is that, as we place our trust in the Lord, when we give for the pure joy of sharing, it changes us – changes our hearts. True Stewardship as a way of life changes us from giving to a need, into needing to GIVE!

Then everything changes...

## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

### What Makes A Dad

*God took the strength of a mountain,  
 The majesty of a tree,  
 The warmth of a summer sun,  
 The calm of a quiet sea,  
 The generous soul of nature,  
 The comforting arm of night,  
 The wisdom of the ages,  
 The power of the eagle's flight,  
 The joy of a morning in spring,  
 The faith of a mustard seed,  
 The patience of eternity,  
 The depth of a family need,  
 Then God combined these qualities,  
 When there was nothing more to add,  
 He knew His masterpiece was complete,  
 And so, He called it ... Dad*

*Author Unknown*



## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES

Our weekly Goal	\$2,829.30
Last weekend collection & other income	\$1,945.50
<b>Deficit</b>	<b>\$ (883.80)</b>

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