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Mass Schedule

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 8:30 a.m.
Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m. (Children's Liturgy of the Word)
11:00 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

Office Hours

Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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February 6, 2022 - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our readings today remind us of the great privilege we have in calling ourselves both children and disciples of the Most High God.

The First Reading from Isaiah describes a vision of the prophet in which angels surround the Lord proclaiming, "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts! All the earth is filled with his glory!" Our God invites us to such deep intimacy and friendship with Him that sometimes we can forget just how majestic and unspeakably holy He truly is.

In the Gospel passage, from Luke, Jesus instructs Simon to lower his nets for a catch despite an unsuccessful night of fishing. Peter is skeptical but obeys and is amazed at the catch of fish that he makes. He kneels down before Jesus in astonishment.



This sense of awe and reverence before God should motivate us to deepen our stewardship way of life. As we contemplate the holiness of God, we come to a heightened awareness of what a privilege it is that He has chosen to include us in His work of spreading the Gospel to others through the grateful sharing of the gifts He has given us. Aware of this privilege, we will then make the words of Isaiah our own: "Here I am Lord, send me!"

— Stewardship Reflections by [Catholic Stewardship Consultants](#)

Parish Calendar

Monday, February 7

8:30 a.m. (Livestream) - Majella Laliberte †
7:00 p.m. - RCIA

Tuesday, February 8

8:30 a.m. (Livestream) - Louise Minniti †

Wednesday, February 9

8:30 a.m. (Livestream) - Fr. James McSharry †

Thursday, February 10 - No Mass

Friday, February 11

8:30 a.m. (Livestream) - Anointing of the Sick
Andrew Keltos †

Saturday, February 12

5:00 p.m. (Livestream) - Marlene DeRose †
Mary Barkwill † | Shea Kenny †
Special Intention for Jennifer & Edward Murphy

Sunday, February 13

9:00 a.m. - Bill Kennedy † | John & Mary Delgobbo †
Francesco & Josephine Napoli †
11:00 a.m. - Mass for the People

Are You Being Called?

World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life

Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying,
"Whom shall I send?"

Do you think that the Lord wants
to send you as a priest,
deacon, sister or brother?

Contact Fr. Greg at the church office,
905 684 5603 or email
frgregoryschmidt@gmail.com.

Faith Formation & Catechesis

Interested in joining our RCIA session
at 7:00 pm, Monday, February 7th, 2022 for

"The Commandments: 4-5"?



Please contact the parish office to
join the Google Meet.

2021 Tax Receipts

Tax receipts will be available for pick up at
all weekend Masses. Those not picked up
by February 21st, will be mailed.

Thank you for your generous support.



St. Vincent de Paul News

Year Ending 2021 Financial Report

St. Vincent de Paul was a Catholic priest who dedicated himself to serving the poor. Renowned for his compassion, humility and generosity, he was venerated as a Saint in the Catholic Church and canonized in 1737.

He gives us our Mission: To serve the poor with love, respect, justice and joy.

The poor will always be with us. St. Vincent de Paul, St. Julia Conference is thankful for your most generous ongoing support, caring and concern for those in need. You have enabled us to offer support to those in our own area who need help. Never before have we seen such need for food assistance. Your donations this year have allowed us to donate a total of \$39,750 to feed the hungry; including food vouchers to clients in our own area, St. Mary and St. Patrick food banks, Ozanam Center, Community Care, Out of the Cold and Niagara Nutrition. In addition a donation of \$500 was sent for food for the North of 60 Project to help our neighbours in the far north.

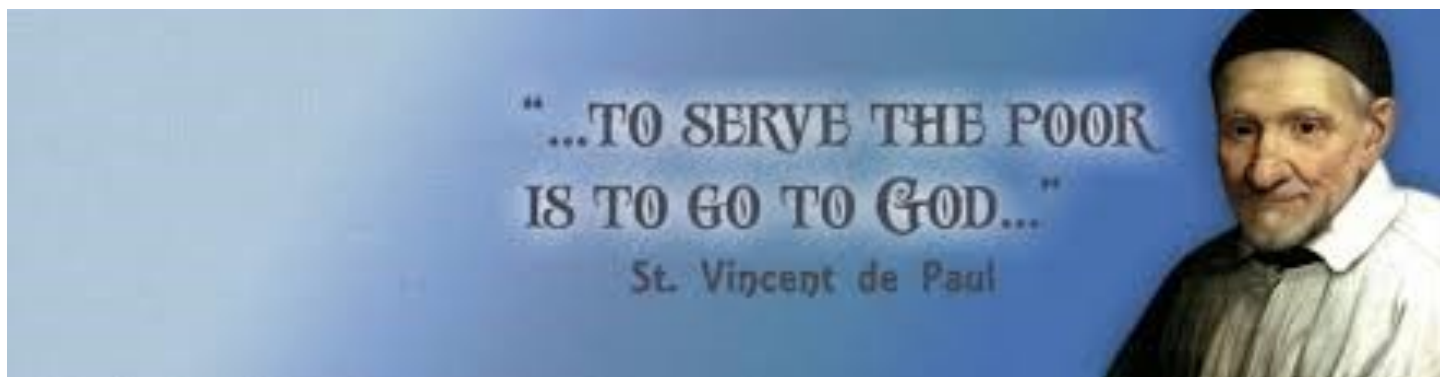
During the winter months warm clothing is requested from the St. Vincent store. We are able to offer assistance to those fighting the cold. Gently used and new clothing is needed; especially this year. You support Start Me Up Niagara who assist those trying to enter the workplace needing a hand up to find meaningful employment on their way to independence. Funds are given to DM Cares to support student needs. The Broken Spoke program repairs and offers free bicycles to those in need of transportation. Your donation helps to purchase bicycle parts. Outreach continues to St. Mary Church to support their food baskets at Christmas. Included you gave the gift of Pen Center certificates for the children. St. Peter School collected nonperishable food to supplement the Christmas food drive. Thank you St. Peter School!

Administration expenses include postage and stationary, insurance and fees to Particular Council which serves the Niagara area.

This past year your generous support totaled \$51,206.85; for this we are most grateful. Your trust in us has allowed us to serve the vulnerable on your behalf during these challenging times. "What you do unto others you do unto me".

We welcome new members and new ideas to further our commitment to help those less fortunate. Please call the church office at 905 684 5603 for more information.

Thank you and God Bless



Ways to Give to St. Julia Parish

Pre-Authorized Debit (PAD)

- The easiest way to give, automatically debited from your bank account monthly
- Set it up once and never forget your offering
- Sustained offering for the parish through regular and consistent giving
- The debit will take place on the 5th day of each month (or on the next business day)
- Can be altered or stopped at any time

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 1. Log in to your online banking
 2. Click *Interac* e-Transfer
 3. Add contact name i.e. St. Julia
 4. Notify by *email*
 5. Contacts email address
 - Enter in our new **stjuliaparishstcgiving@gmail.com** email address
 - (you will only have to enter this in for the first time – St. Julia will then be a saved contact)
 6. Make your donation via your newly set up *Interac* E-Transfer

Note: Please put your envelope number in the message line
There is no password required for St. Julia to receive your donation

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Thank you for your continued generosity.

God bless you and those that you love.