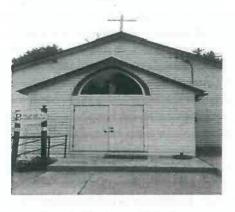
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Weekday Masses

Please refer to the schedule in the bulletin

Weekend Masses

Saturday – 4:30 PM (Highland Grove)

Sunday 9:00 AM (Chandos/Apsley)

11:00 AM (Cardiff)

**Baptism** 

by appointment

Reconciliation

30 minutes before weekend Masses

**Anointing of the Sick & Communion for Shut-Ins** 

Please call the office 613-339-2852

Marriages

First appointment at least 6 months prior to wedding date Couples are required to attend Marriage Preparation session

**Devotions** 

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena

Wednesday 11:00 AM (Cardiff)

Eucharistic Adoration / Rosary / Benediction

First Fridays 11:30 AM (Cardiff)

First Saturdays 5:30 PM (Highland Grove)

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### TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C) SEPTEMBER 11, 2022 MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Day	Location	Time	Intentions	Donors
Sat. 10	Highland Grove	4:30 PM	For the People of the parish	
Sun 11	Chandos 9:00 AM		+ Connie McCullum	
	Cardiff	11:00 AM		
Mon.12			OFF	
Tue. 13	Highland Grove	7:00 PM	+Paul Canfield	
Wed.14	Cardiff	11:00 AM	+ Paul Canfield	
Thu. 15	Chandos ***	11:00 AM	+ Paul Canfield	
Fri. 16	Cardiff	11:00 AM	+ Paul Canfield	
Sat. 17 Highland Grove <b>4:30 PM</b> + Vincenza Acca		+ Vincenza Accardi		
			+Carlito Aquilo	
Sun. 18	Chandos	9:00 AM		
		11:00 AM		

Weekly Financial Report						
	Sept. 4, 2022	Aug. 28, 2022				
Highland Grove		\$920.00				
Chandos		\$710.00				
Cardiff		\$530.00				
Total (Offertory)	\$1,935.00	\$2,160.00				
Donation (project)	\$8,030.00	\$6,690.00				
Vocations	\$40.00					
Mass Stipend	\$40.00					
Candles	\$200.00					
Advertising	\$250.00					
POP AUGUST 30		\$1,290.00				
POP SEPTEMBER 15		\$1,110.00				

Lectors							
Date	H. Grove	Chandos	Cardiff				
	Sat. 4:30 PM	Sun. 9:00AM	Sun. 11:00 AM				
Sept. 3/4	Mackenzie B.	Gene T.	Peter Mc.				
Sept. 10/11	Katie B.	Sharon S.	Gary B.				
Sept. 17/18	Gary B.	Frances P.	Theresa P.				
Sept.24/25	Melissa B.	Gene T.	Brenda B.				
Oct. 1/2	Mackenzie B.	Sharon S.	Peter Mc.				

# Readings Next Week (SEPTEMBER 18, 2022) 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### **First Reading**

Amos 8:4-7

Unfair business practices and injustice to the poor will be judged by God.

#### Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 113: 1-2,4-6,7-8

Praise be to God, who raises up the poor.

#### **Second Reading**

1 Timothy 2:1-8

Paul tells Timothy that prayer for those in authority is pleasing to God because God wills the salvation of all.

#### **Gospel Reading**

*Luke 16:1-13* (shorter form, Luke 16:10-13)

Jesus tells a parable about a dishonest steward who is commended for his prudence; one cannot serve both God and money.

#### **Background on the Gospel Reading**

Today's Gospel sounds puzzling to contemporary readers, but it can be made less so by considering the economic system which stands behind the parable. A steward is dismissed because he is squandering his master's property. He is called dishonest because he is not serving the interests of the rich man, his employer. In response the steward, in an attempt to ensure favor for himself among the rich man's debtors, brokers repayment of the rich man's loans by foregoing the interest and fees that had been levied to line the steward's pockets. It is this action, in which the steward puts aside his greed and takes the longer perspective in order to enhance his security, which is commended

by the rich man.

The passage concludes with three morals for the listeners. The first exhorts the listener to be prudent about the use of wealth. Like the steward in the parable, those who would follow Jesus must put transitory affairs in proper perspective. Christians should handle the affairs of temporal life with an eye toward eternal life.

The second concerns trustworthiness. Those who can be trusted in small things can also be trusted in great things. If Christians handle money and other passing things responsibly, then they can also be trusted with the affairs of the Kingdom of God.

Finally, Jesus tells his listeners that no one can serve two masters simultaneously. God must be put ahead of money.

(Loyola Press)

#### Pray for those in need of healing and health

Philip Hughes, Nick Novakowski, Kevin Ralph, Rhys Telka, Jane Tsagrinos, Fr. Bart Burke, Eileen Carr, Noreen Howe, Ella Richard, Emilee Callzonetti, Pierre Longevin, Dennis Hendricks, Eleanor Cadeau, Hermance Therrien, Sally Rayes, George Chennette, Shannon Reid, Yvon Gaboury, Megan Connelly, Kathleen Sawa, Diane Malloy, Regina Gedge, Dan, Claudette Wilkinson, Patricia Weston, Eley Wisniewski, Al & Laura Quinn

#### Pray for their souls

Paul Canfield, Fr. Ray Heffernan, Rico Lagos, Ron Bereault, Malcolm Gurley

#### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

**Pregnancy Care & Family Support Centre Fall Fundraiser** 

Saturday, September 17th 7:00 pm Lakeside Church, Park Street, Haliburton Featuring:

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Receipts will be mailed.

For more information, please call 705-457-4673



#### BIBLE IN A YEAR!

Here is a link to the Ascension Press about "Bible in a Year with Fr. Mike Schmitz. You can also download a reading plan from Ascension Press. All of it is free. The Bible in a Year: Sign up-Ascension (ascensionpress.com)

FR.VIC WILL BE ON holiday back to the Philippines to visit his parents, family and friends. He leaves on Sept 5th via Japan to Manila and will be back on Oct. 19th. In his absence Fr. Gene Shin will cover for him. Daily and weekend Masses are as usual as Father Gene will reside in the rectory.

WELCOME, FR GENE!

#### REFLECTION: Honour the Dignity of Every Single Person *The Word Among Us*

This shouldn't be a surprise. Every Catholic knows: life matters. Respect it. Embrace it. Cherish it. Fight for it, from conception until natural death. As the bishops explain, "We believe that every person is precious, that people are more important than things, and that the measure of every institution is whether it threatens or enhances the life and dignity of the human person."

Out of this central idea flows our respect for the poor and vulnerable, our concern for the rights and dignity of workers, and our compassion for the poor and marginalized. We believe this in our bones; everyone, no matter his or her station in life, is made in the image and likeness of God—whether it's the grocer in the supermarket or the homeless person on the street.

This also means that we are responsible for one another. Each of us realizes that , yes, I *am* my brother's keeper. Remember the parable of the Good Samaritan. It begins when someone asks Jesus, "Who is my neighbour? " and concludes with Jesus tasking his listeners, "Go and do likewise" (Luke 10:29, 37). We are called to "do likewise" for those in need. Or to borrow the anthem from *High School Musical*, we're all in this together!

#### Funny Isn't It

Funny how a \$10.00 bill looks so big when you take it to church, but so small when you take it to market.

Funny how big an hour serving God looks and how small 60 minutes are when spent playing golf, fishing or playing bridge.

**St. John Paul II, Pope** (1920 - 2005)

Born Karol J. Wojtyla in Wadowice, Poland, on May 18, 1920, John Paul II was elected pope in October 1978, the first non-Italian pope in more than 40 years. "Open wide the doors to Christ," he proclaimed at his installation. He traveled the world in his nearly three decades as pope, becoming the most traveled pope in history.

Living through Nazi occupation, and subsequently communism, he became a stalwart for defending the faith in the face of such modern evils. Beginning in 1942, he studied for the priesthood in secret due to the Nazi occupation. He was ordained to the priesthood in Krakow in 1946. Communist officials allowed Fr. Wojtyla to be appointed auxiliary bishop of Krakow in 1958, considering him a harmless intellectual. Especially dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary, he credits her with saving his life following an assassination attempt in 1981. He founded World Youth Day and was especially beloved by the youth of his time. Even judging by the world's standards, Pope John Paul II was "great." He was a charismatic leader, an important thinker, and a historychanging political force. But perhaps in no more profound area of life did he exemplify sanctity than through his own suffering late in his life. As Pope John Paul II aged, he took the public on his journey of suffering as he battled Parkinson's disease for years prior to his death.

"Christ does not explain in the abstract the reasons for suffering, but before all else he says: 'Follow me! Come! Take part through your suffering in this work of saving the world.'"

"There is no evil to be faced that Christ does not face with us. There is no enemy that Christ has not already conquered. There is no cross to bear that Christ has not already born for us."

"Courageously follow the path of personal holiness and diligently nourish yourselves with the word of God and the Eucharist."



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