

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

-- MASS INTENTIONS ---

Monday, November 6 - 8:00 am

+ Stella Burdo (Maria Iannucci)

Tuesday, November 7 - 7:15 pm

+ Maria Jose Camara (Christina Flores)

Wednesday, November 8 - 8:00 am

+ Parents, Brother and sisters of (Valerie Behon)

Thursday, November 9 8:00 am

Dedication of St. John Lateran

+ Lawrence Behon & Parents (Valerie Behon)

Friday, November 10 - 8:00 am

St. Leo the Great, pope, doctor

Saturday, November 11 - 9:00 am

Mass for the People

Saturday, 5:00 pm

+ Fernando Paredes Sr. & Holy Souls in Purgatory
(Maria Paredes)

Sunday, November 12

10:00 am + Gary David (Margaret David & family)

11:30 am + Auroro Bengson (Peter & Nellie Santos)

1:00 pm Traditional Latin Mass

The Final Purification, Purgatory

All who die in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven. The Church gives the name Purgatory to this final purification of the elect, which is entirely different from the punishment of the damned. The Church formulated her doctrine of faith on Purgatory especially at the Councils of Florence and Trent. The tradition of the Church, by reference to certain texts of scripture speaks of a cleansing fire: *As for certain lesser faults, we must believe that, before the Final Judgement, there is a purifying fire. He who is truth says that who ever utters blasphemy against the Holy Spirit will be pardoned neither in this age nor in the age to come. From this sentence we understand that certain offenses can be forgiven in this age, but certain others in the age to come.* This teaching is also based on the practice of prayer for the dead, already mentioned in Sacred Scripture: "Therefore [Judas Maccabeus] made atonement for the dead, that they might be delivered from their sin." From the beginning the Church has honoured the memory of the dead and offered prayers in suffrage for them, above all the Eucharistic sacrifice, so that, thus purified, they may attain the beatific vision of God. The Church also commends almsgiving, indulgences and works of penance undertaken on behalf

of the dead;

Let us help and commemorate them. If Job's sons were purified by their father's sacrifice, why would we doubt that our offerings for the dead bring them some consolation? Let us not hesitate to help those who have died and to offer our prayers for them.

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All Souls

The celebration of this feast originated with the Abbot St. Odilo and the monks of Cluny in 998. Between All Saints feast, where the Church praised the saints in glory, and All Souls day, wherein she turns to her suffering children and sends her prayers to God for their relief and release, we see the perfect section of the dogma of the communion of saints. On All souls Day priests are permitted to celebrate three Masses for the dead. We join our own prayers, sufferings and sacrifices to those of the faithful for all our beloved deceased. The best way to help the Souls in Purgatory is to offer Masses, which is the perfect sacrifice of expiation.

With love and diligence let us pray often for the suffering souls in purgatory.

The Shepherd's Trust Collection

November 18/19

The Shepherd's Trust is an Archdiocesan retirement program that provides elderly and infirm priests with the financial support they require to lead a dignified life after their many years of service to us. Next weekend, November 11 -12, a short presentation on the Shepherd's Trust will be made at every Mass, and collection envelopes will be distributed in preparation for the Collection on November 18-19. Also, next week's bulletin will include a copy of the Shepherds' Trust Newsletter. **Please note that all contributions to The Shepherds' Trust are tax-deductible!** Thank you for caring for those who always cared for us!

We Remember Our Beloved Departed

There is a book of Life in front of the altar where you could write the names of the faithful departed whom you want to remember in the month of November. we will pray for those whose names are entered in the Book of Life at all the Masses in November.

Every Life is Precious!



November 5, 2006

Welcome to our newly Baptized in the Month of October

Daniel Danc, Sheldon Osaluagba Osazuwa.
Congratulations to their parents and god parents.

Please Pray for Our Sick

Bibiane Dugas, Mary Falkner, Jenny Verwey, Rina Fuller, Amparo Calayag, Elinor Merola, AnneMarie & Scott Allardyce, Mario Merola. May God grant them comfort and courage.

Please Pray For Our Deceased

Filemon Dacanay, Margaret Doherty, Anne Gnanapragasam mother of Father Patrick, George Crane, Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

Neil McNeil High School

Beuk McNeil High School is hosting an Information Night for Gr. 8 boys and their parents on Tuesday November 14, 2006 at 7 PM. Please join us to meet the teaching staff and to tour the school. The school is located at 127 Victoria Park Ave., just south of Kingston Rd. All are welcome. For more info call 416-393-5502.



Please Pray For The Holy Souls in Purgatory

Memorial Mass

On Thursday, November 16th at 7:30 pm we will have a special Memorial Mass for the deceased whose funeral was held in this Church in the past year. If you want to remember, in this special Mass, any other Parishioner who died **in the course of this year** and whose funeral was held out of the parish, please contact the parish office by November 7th.



For All the Saints, who from their labours rest,
Who Thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy name ,O Jesus be for ever blest, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Dates To Remember

Nov. 12 1st Meeting for First Holy Communion
Nov. 15 - Healing Mass
Nov. 16 - Memorial Mass at 7:30 pm
Nov. 18/19 - Shepherd's Trust Collection
Nov. 19 2nd Meeting for First Holy Communion

Volunteers are Needed

We are looking for volunteers to prepare the students in Public Schools for the Sacrament of Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. If you can help, please contact the parish office.

First Holy Communion Meeting



First of the two meetings for the parents of children of St. Theresa's and St. Agatha's schools who, wish their children to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion, will be held on Sunday, November 12, 2006 in the parish hall. Second meeting will be held on November 19, 2006, attendance to **one of these meetings is imperative.**

Confirmation

(Public Schools)

Students who are in Public Schools or who have missed receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation in grade 8, wishing to receive the Sacrament, please contact the parish office.

S.F.M. Interfaith Educational Series

Tuesdays from 7:00 to 9:00 pm.

Tuesday, November 7 Prayer, Silence and Interfaith Dialogue, speaker Chander Khanna, interfaith activist. 2685 Kingston Road. For more information call: 416-261-7135.

HEALING MASS -THIRD WEDNESDAY

Our next healing Mass will be November
15, 7:30 pm.
Confessions will be heard before Mass.