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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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June 30, 2024 - Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Our readings today remind us that our God is a tender and loving God. In our Gospel, Jesus heals an ill child. An anxious and loving father sought after Jesus so that his daughter might be cured of her illness. As Jesus was traveling to heal her, they got word that the daughter had died. In that deeply painful moment, a moment no parent wants to experience, Jesus turned and said, "Do not be afraid; just have faith."

Recall a moment when you felt like you hit rock bottom. Maybe you received devastating news, someone died, you lost your job, you were fighting addiction, or you were suffering mentally, spiritually or physically. Maybe you are living that moment or maybe that moment is yet to come.

In that time, imagine Jesus looking at you and saying, "Do not be afraid; just have faith." Remember this verse. May it bring you peace and comfort. Recall that in our First Reading, God does not rejoice in our suffering and death. He rejoices in our faith and our trust in His glorious plan for our lives.

Whether we are healed like the little girl in our Gospel in this life, or we carry our suffering with us until we reach the next, if we remain faithful, Jesus will one day say to us, "Little girl or little boy, I say to you, arise!

Today, let us reflect on how much our Good and Gracious God loves us. Remember that whatever we are suffering in this life, do not be afraid, God is right there with us

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Parish Calendar

Monday, July 1

8:30 a.m. (Livestream) - Peggy Mambella †
Margaret O'Neill †

Tuesday, July 2 8:30 a.m. - Robert Barber †

Wednesday, July 3 8:30 a.m. - Michael Morra †

Thursday, July 4 - No Mass

Friday, July 5

8:00 a.m. (Note Time Change) - Cliff Booker +

Saturday, July 6 5:00 p.m. (Livestream) - Lina Memme †

Sunday, July 7
9:00 a.m. - Mass for the People
11:00 a.m. - Sandra Moccia † | Vito Passero †
Frank Kobe † | John Kobe † | Peggy Mambella †





Catholic Women's League Corner: June 29 / 30

CWL DONATIONS June 2024

- * Bethlehem Place
- * Catholic Missions in Canada
- * Chalice Sponsorship
- Community Care
- Denis Morris Breakfast Program
- Fresh Start Project
- * Gillian's Place
- Hospice Niagara
- Hotel Dieu Shaver Foundation
- Niagara Health Foundation
- Pathstone Mental Health
- * Raft
- Start Me Up Niagara
- Wellspring Niagara

Are You Being Called?

"She fell down before Jesus and told him the whole truth."

Let us lay down our lives before Jesus and share the whole truth with him. He may be calling you to follow Him as a priest, sister, or brother. Listen. Talk to your priest or reach out to Fr. Greg at the church office, 905 684 5603 or email, frgregoryschmidt@gmail.com.