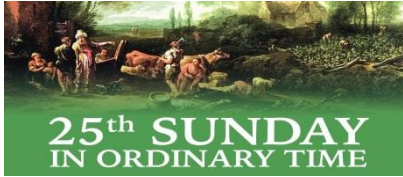


SEPTEMBER 21ST 2025



THIS WEEKEND

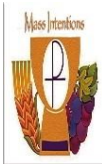
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH

4 pm ** People's Intention

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 21ST

9 am + Adrian Pitt

11 am + Jean Adams



SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading: Amos 8: 4~7

Psalms 113: Praise the Lord who lifts up the needy.

Second Reading: Timothy 2: 1~7

Gospel: Luke 16: 1~13



Today's readings illustrate both the centrality of justice and faithfulness as well as the danger of materialism.

They show that God's love, which is for all particularly notices the victims of injustice (**First Reading** from the prophet Amos). And the poor, who are lifted up by God (**Psalms**)

The **Second Reading** concerns prayer, and emphasises God's desire that all are to be saved. It encourages the young Timothy to continue in the way of truth through the one mediator, Jesus Christ.

The parable of the dishonest manager (who uses his master's resources for his own gain) allows Jesus to teach about

faithfulness (**Gospel**). But his main point is about the impossibility of serving two masters.

As **Pilgrims of Hope** in this Jubilee Year, we pray that we might be people of justice, lifting those we know who are bowed down; that we might be people of *faithfulness*, by our prayers of intercession for world leaders; and that we might be people of *hope*, by our trust in God's love for all.

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NEEDS OF THE CHURCH IN CANADA

NEXT weekend ~ Sept. 27th & 28th

There will be a second collection for the Needs of the Canadian Church, aka "Bishops' Collection". This annual initiative is an important opportunity for the faithful to actively support and assist the Bishops in their ministry of accompanying, teaching, guiding, sanctifying, and caring for the Church in Canada. There are envelopes available at the back of the churches. We thank you in advance for your generosity and continued commitment.

PARISH COMMUNITY

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

NOTICE ~ to all parents of students in Grades 2 & 3 AND Grades 7 & 8. Should you wish them to receive the Sacraments for **First Holy Communion** AND **Confirmation**, we are now accepting registration. Please contact the parish office ASAP to receive a form for your child.

Registration deadline is

Wednesday October 1, 2025.



A big heartfelt

Thank You to all the Ladies who helped organize, shop, cook, bake, serve and clean up as we worked in the

Curling Club serving lunch & breakfast at the Fall Fair. It was a banner weekend! Thank you for giving your time, we value each and every one of you! **Special thanks to Mrs. Lorna Kelly, our illustrious leader!** The income after expenses will be put towards the Promissory Note debt.

Thank you to our amazing volunteers ~ one and all!

UPDATE ON HALL

We are happy to report that the hall is up and running and able to be occupied. Sunday coffee will be served once again by our KOC. **Thank you for your patience!**

LADIES OF THE PARISH

The Ladies will meet on Monday September 22nd @ 1:00pm in the **HALL**. New members are encouraged to attend.

ENGRAVED BRICK WALL FUNDRAISER

Coming Soon: Progress is being made on this exciting fundraiser. The Parish Finance Council members met this past week and presented brick and plaque mock ups. Size and prices along with information posters and sign up forms will be shared within the next few weeks. This campaign initiative will support payment towards the parish Promissory Note debt.

Help preserve the legacy of your family in the parish AND receive a charitable tax receipt for your donation!

Let's pay off our debt, one brick at a time!

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, December 6th, 2025

Presented by the Knights of Columbus

At St. Joseph's Parish Hall

**PARISH CHRISTMAS
CATERED DINNER**

MASS INTENTIONS

**** living or + deceased.**

September	Time	Mass for
Tues. 23 rd	6:00 pm	** John T.
Wed. 24 th	6:00 pm	** Jennifer F.S.
Thursday 25 th	9:15 am	** Charisse G. & ** Shanne O.
Friday 26 th	9:15 am	** Good health of Mair Family
Saturday 27 th	4:00 pm	+ Ron Grisbrook
Sunday 28 th	9:00 am	** People's Intention
	11:00 am	+ Ivan Smith

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Bob Fowler, Helmut Krohmer, Jim Matt, Mary Porter and all those living in our local nursing homes, manors, in hospital and especially for all the sick of the parish. **Contact the parish office to have a name placed on the updated sick list.**

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Parish Promissory Note	\$ 36,560.00
(For the new hall)	
Building Fund	\$ 300.00
Ladies ~ Fall Fair	1,610.25
Promissory Note	100.00
Weekend Collection	1,586.90

Thank you for your donations!