

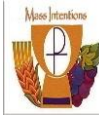


THIS WEEKEND

Sunday January 19th

9 am + James Langdon

11 am + Vito Lamanna



SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading: Isaiah 62: 1-5

Psalms 96: Declare the marvellous works of the Lord among all the peoples.

Second Reading: Corinthians 12: 4-11

Gospel: John 2: 1-12



'They have no wine'

After his Baptism, Jesus now starts his public ministry by giving us a first 'sign' of his transformative love. At the wedding feast of Cana, he changes water into wine at the suggestion of his mother. Here we see Mary already interceding for others. **(Gospel)**

The **First Reading** also uses the image of a wedding to show that the Lord rejoices in his people *'as the bridegroom rejoices over his bride'*.

St Paul **(Second Reading)** teaches the people of Corinth about the various gifts given to each one of them ~ and to each one of us ~ which can be used for the good of

all in a variety of ways. These gifts all witness to the same Spirit, the same God.

As Pilgrims of Hope in this **Jubilee year**, the joyful image of wedding festivities might inspire us to think of all who suffer from food poverty. We pray that each one of us might use our different gifts generously to help those in need, so that all have sustenance. In this way, may we appreciate the transforming love that God has for everyone.

**ARCHDIOCESE
JUBILEE MASS**

Pope Francis has solemnly proclaimed 2025 as the Year of Jubilee. Archbishop Cardinal Frank Leo has chosen among a few churches, St. Gregory the Great (Oshawa) to serve as a pilgrimage church in the Eastern Region for the Jubilee of the Year 2025. Accordingly, Bishop Vincent Nguyen will be there to celebrate at a Jubilee Mass on Wednesday, January 29, 2025 @ 7:00 pm.

All are cordially invited to join. Confessions begin at 5:30 pm. Pertinent information on the Jubilee in the Archdiocese of Toronto is available at the back of the churches.

**PARISH COMMUNITY
LADIES OF THE PARISH**

The January meeting for the Ladies is scheduled for Monday January 20th at 1:00 pm in the Hall. New members are always welcome.

LADIES SOCIAL PAINT NIGHT

The Ladies had a fun first paint night! We hope to see you out for the 2nd evening which will be on Tuesday February 18th @ 6:30 pm (weather permitting) in the Hall. All Ladies of the parish are invited. No experience required and a \$5.00 donation is requested for supplies. If you would like to attend, please register & **RSVP** to our hostess Diane Cooper@ JosiesJoys@gmail.com. Limited seating so please reserve your spot early.



360°KIDS

Kirk Schuller (KOC) hopes to raise \$10,000 again for 360°kids, who provide services for youth at risk of becoming homeless in York Region. If you would like to support his 360°Experience campaign, please donate at <http://tinyurl.com/360Exp2025> or speak to Kirk after mass for more information.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Boxed envelopes are available for 2025 at the back of the church. Some 2024 numbers have been duplicated in error by our printer, so be sure to **CAREFULLY PRINT** your name, address and telephone number on your envelopes for the month of January. Should you not wish to receive a

receipt ~ simply opt for "no receipt", on your envelope. Thank you for your support.

Envelope #5425 ~ Who are you?

**FR. OSWIN IS AWAY ON HOLIDAY
WEEKDAY MASSES ARE
SUSPENDED ~ THERE WILL ONLY
BE SUNDAY MASSES.**

In Fr.'s absence, **Fr. Ravi is celebrating Mass this morning** ~ please make him feel welcomed!

Fr. Oswin will be returning back home for 6:00pm Mass on Friday February 21st, 2025.

MASS INTENTIONS

** living or + deceased.

Jan. ~ Feb.	Time	Mass for
Sunday 26 th	9:00 am	+ Cynthia Berchule
	11:00 am	+ Family Souls
Sunday 2 nd	9:00 am	+ Burns Family Souls
	11:00 am	+ John Mangan

**PRAY FOR THE SICK,
HOMEBOUND, HOSPITALIZED &
FOR THOSE IN NEED**

Jean Adams, Lt. (N) Anthony Adams, Ana Figueiredo, Angela Hoffbauer, Louise Kozolowski, Brock MacDonald, Mary Porter, Joanne & Rick Scrannage, Ralph Slaney.

DONATIONS TO YOUR PARISH

Building \$ 50.00
Sunday Envelopes/Loose 1,105.75

Thanks to all who are donating online or electronically and Thank you for your kind & generous donation!