

NOVEMBER 15TH, 2026

SUNDAY READINGS
First Reading: Proverbs 31: 10~31
Psalm 128: Blessed is everyone who fears the Lord
Second Reading: Thessalonians 5: 1~6
Gospel: Matthew 25: 1~13



THIS WEEKEND

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 14TH

4 pm ** People's Intention

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 15TH

9 am + Patricia Colabria

11 am + Williams Family Souls



** living or + deceased.

November	Time	Mass For
Tuesday 17th	6:00 pm	+ For Family Souls
Wed. 18th	6:00 pm	** Of John T.
Thursday 19th	9:15 am	** Anthony T.
Friday 20th	9:15 am	+ Judith Besa
Saturday 21st	4:00 pm	** People's Intention
Sunday 22nd	9:00 am	+ Mary Lamanna
	11:00 am	+ Robert Landry



The readings in this final week of Ordinary Time, Year A, remind us again of the need to be always prepared for the coming of Christ by the way we live our lives.

In the **First Reading**, the writer extols the virtues of the perfect wife. Although using language which reflects the practice and culture of biblical times, the passage speaks powerfully of the value and dignity of manual work, the importance of charity, and respect for all, whatever their role in life.

St Paul reminds us in the **Second Reading** that if we live our lives in the light of Christ, we have no need to fear the coming of the reign of God.

In the **Gospel**, Jesus uses the parable of the talents to show the importance of making best use of what we have been given for the benefit of others.

This week, we pray for those who struggle to realise where their own talents lie, and those who lack the opportunity to be recognised, valued and celebrated. We also continue to pray for peace across the world.

ARCHDIOCESE

THE SHEPHERDS' TRUST

THIS WEEKEND ~ there will be a special collection today, for The Shepherds' Trust. The mission of the Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Thank you for your support of this important work! Envelopes are available at the back of the churches.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The Book of Remembrance is placed by the Ambo for you to list the names of the dearly departed for whom you wish prayers to be offered during the month of the Holy Souls throughout the month of November.

To conclude the month of November, there will be a **Solemn Holy Souls Mass** on Sunday November 29th at 9:00 am at St. Anthony's and 11:00 am at St. Joseph's.

PARISH NEWS

PRAY & PAINT NIGHT

All ladies of the parish are invited to a paint night on Tuesday November 24th. We begin with Mass at 6:00pm then downstairs to the hall for some fun! No experience required and a $5.00 donation is requested for supplies. If you would like to attend, please register ASAP to our hostess Diane Cooper@ JosiesJoys@gmail.com.

WALL OF REMEMBRANCE

If you have any questions about the wall, please speak with either a representative from the Knights or contact the parish office. Remember that *all* forms and payment go through the parish office. E Transfers are accepted, please specify for the plaques.

CATERED CHRISTMAS DINNER

DECEMBER 5, 2026
At St. Joseph's Parish Hall
Social ~ 6:00 pm
Dinner ~ 7:00 pm
Tickets $40.00 per plate
Roast Beef or Salmon
Tickets available from KOC Grand Knight Bro. Joe Doedens (289) 395-0736 or joedoedens613@gmail.com

LADIES OF THE PARISH SOCIAL

On Friday December 11th @ 3:30 pm, the Ladies will meet to enjoy an early supper at Stefano's Bistro in Beaverton. All Ladies in the church are welcomed to join in. Please RSVP to Anna at anna.it.ferreira@gmail.com or call her cell @ 416-522-3402.

PRAYING FOR OUR PEOPLE

IN NEED OF HEALING

Cheryl Barry, Ronald Blanchard, Edna Canning, Monica Doedens, Barry Giblin, Rhonda Grant, Sandra Hopkins, Pia Hunter, Jessica, Jean Landry, Eddie & Margarida Melo, Denise Minns, Owen Moreau, Luigi Morra, Mary Porter, Erika Rihel, June & Michael Scandiffio, Brydon Smith, Marcella Tanzola, May Van Mil and Glen Wade.

As the busy season approaches, please be mindful of those in and around the community that may need assistance. Please remember all sick, all those homebound, in the hospital or nursing facilities and especially those who care for them.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Parish Promissory Note (*For the new hall*)	$ 341,621.60
ShareLife	200.00
Shepherd's Trust	225.00
Weekly	2,160.45

Thank you for your faithful stewardship and generosity!

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