



# HOLY ANGELS CHURCH



TOGETHER IN PRAYER AND WORSHIP



Holy Angels Parish walks with you in your journey of faith. We are a community of believers, coming together to pray and give glory to God through liturgy and sacraments. Our Catholic community welcomes you. We pray that each parishioner will be blessed and strengthened by the power of Jesus Christ our Saviour and live a life of abundance in fellowship, joy and love. May God bless you always!

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**Saturday Vigil:**  
5:00 p.m. English

**Sunday:**  
9:30 a.m. Italian  
11:30 a.m. English

**Weekday Masses:**  
8:00 a.m. English  
(Mon/Wed/Thurs/Fri)  
NO Mass on Tuesdays

## CONFESSIONS/ CONFESSIONI:

4:00 – 4:45 p.m. Saturdays or by appointment

## OFFICE HOURS/ ORARIO DI UFFICIO:

**Monday**  
By Appointment Only

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**Wednesday to Friday**  
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

**Saturday/Sunday**  
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October 26, 2025

## Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sir 35:12-14, 16-18 | 2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18 | Lk 18:9-14

Written by  
THE  
FAITHFUL  
DISCIPLE**GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE**

Today's first reading says, "The Lord is a God of justice who knows no favorites." While we humans show deference to people we admire or give preferential treatment to those we like, God loves all his creatures with the same perfect love. But then the reading goes on to say something that seems to contradict that opening line, even suggesting that God has a soft spot in his heart for the poor: "Though not unduly partial toward the weak, yet he hears the cry of the oppressed." The text mentions that God hears the prayers of the widow and orphan, and that "the prayer of the lowly pierces the clouds." So what are we to make of all this? While God loves all perfectly, his heart is moved to mercy particularly toward the poor and lowly. And so the tax collector's humble prayer is heard, and he goes home justified, while the Pharisee does not.

**PRAY**

There is a short, ancient Christian prayer known as the Jesus Prayer that is derived, in part, from our Gospel reading today. The entire text of the prayer is one line: "Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me, a sinner" which is repeated over and over again. Consider praying this prayer throughout the week as a way of rooting yourself more deeply in humility and an awareness of our need for God's mercy.

**GO EVANGELIZE****PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT**

Jesus knew how to tell stories that acted as a mirror to reveal the state of peoples' hearts. Today's Gospel opens with the line: "Jesus addressed this parable to those who were convinced of their own righteousness." Because we cannot know what's going on in someone's heart the way Jesus knows, we have to be careful not to assume we know what another needs to hear. Yet, in our efforts to accompany others on the road to discipleship, there may be moments where we're called to speak a word that "afflicts the comfortable or comforts the afflicted." If we do, we must always do so from a place of love and humility, recognizing that sometimes we are sharing this word because God has convicted *us* of precisely the same thing we're sharing with another! In that way, our sharing becomes more *witness* to the ways God has humbled us.

## XXX Domenica Del Tempo Ordinario



*La preghiera del fariseo e del pubblicano manifestano che l'umilità e la fiducia nella misericordia di Dio sono la chiave per una relazione autentica con lui.*



*Thank you for supporting your church. Collection for October 19<sup>th</sup> was \$2,066.90.*

*Grazie della generosità per la vostra Chiesa. L'offerta della domenica 19 ottobre era \$2,066.90.*



**Sanctuary Lamp Prayer** for the week of October 26<sup>th</sup> is offered in memory of Nicola (Nick) Taccogna, Fausto & Maria Donata Ruggiero and Antonio Ruggiero requested by Carmela Taccogna.

*La lampada del SS. Sacramento della settimana di 26 ottobre viene offerta in memoria di Nicola (Nick) Taccogna, Fausto e Maria Donata Ruggiero ed Antonio Ruggiero su richiesto di Carmela Taccogna.*

**Holy Angels Building Repairs Fund:** Second collection for October 19<sup>th</sup> was \$295.00.

**La Seconda Raccolta per la Chiesa:** Seconda raccolta della settimana 19 ottobre era \$295.00.



**Dr. Simone:** We will be collecting sugar for the month of October.

*Questo mese accogliamo lo zucchero per la missione del Dr. Simone.*



During the month of November, we remember our loved ones who are not with us today. Since the early Church, Christians have prayed for the dead. By the 14<sup>th</sup> century, the commemoration had spread through Europe and was universally accepted in the Latin Church. "Happy are

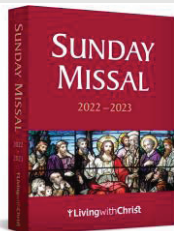
those who have died in the Lord. Let them rest from their labours for their good deeds go with them." *Revelation 14: 13* Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord. May they rest in peace. If you would like to remember your loved ones during this month, please complete the "All Souls" envelopes and remit in the box located on the side of the altar. The envelopes will be placed on the altar for the whole month of November as we offer our daily Masses for the faithful departed.

**Registration for the 2025-2026 HAY:** Holy Angels Youth Group is now open to all children in Grades 3 and up. If interested, please e-mail [holyangelsyouthomi@gmail.com](mailto:holyangelsyouthomi@gmail.com) for a registration form and more information. **HAY** night will return on Friday, November 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.



**Christmas Bazaar:** On Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup>, we will have our annual Christmas Bazaar and Spaghetti Dinner in our parish hall from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. We are in need of the following **gently used** items: dishes,

china, toys, crystal, new clothing, jewelry, knitted items, small appliances, decorative items. **We will not accept furniture, Christmas Trees or TVs.** Baked goods will also be appreciated. The hall will be open 10:00 am to 3:00 pm on Friday, December 5<sup>th</sup> for drop-off. *Please do not leave items in the foyer of the Church.* We are also looking for **vendors!** If you are interested in selling at our Bazaar, please call the office for more details on how to rent a table.



**Living with Christ Sunday Missal 2025- 2026:** Sunday Missals will be available for sale at \$7 each. They will be sold in the foyer of the church every weekend after the Masses.

**Holy Name of Mary College School** is hosting a **Grade 9 Information Evening** on **Wednesday, October 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm.** Register now at [www.hnmcs.ca](http://www.hnmcs.ca) or call Giselle Fernandes at 905-891-1890, ext. 103.

## Mass Intentions October 27<sup>th</sup> to November 2<sup>nd</sup>

### Monday, October 27th

8:00 am

† Pasquale & Maria Lucia Policelli by Sons and Family

### Tuesday, October 28th

St. Simon & St. Jude

8:00 am

*No Mass*

### Wednesday, October 29th

8:00 am

† Rev. Stan Bak by Anna Zeglinski

† Zofia & Wladyslaw Podstawka by Daughter Helen and family

† Andrzej Kut by Balik Family

† John & Mary Byrnes, John & Ellen Mahoney by Mary Ellen & Kathy Culkeen

† Maurice Delaney by Jackie Marcello and family

### Thursday, October 30th

8:00 am

† Maria Pescarino by Orlando

### Friday, October 31st

8:00 am

† Alfonso Caputo by Wife Bruna & Sam & Pino

### Saturday, November 1st

All Saints

5:00 pm

For All Our Parishioners (Pro Populo)

### Sunday, November 2nd

All Souls

9:30 am

† Per tutti i nostri parrocchiani defunti

11:30 am

† For All Our Parishioners who have passed away

*Please welcome our newest little parishioner... **Dante Sebastian Cadena Farmer***



Contact the office for more information on the *Baptismal Preparation process.* We require 3 months advance notice.





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