



THIS WEEKEND, IS OUR TIME TO GIVE THANKS

OCTOBER 9TH, 2022 **28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
and THANKSGIVING DAY WEEKEND

Sun., Oct. 9 th	2:00 pm	8:30 am	Mass Choir Rehearsal
Mon., Oct. 10 th	12:10 pm		ANNUAL PARISH THANKSGIVING DAY MASS
Tues., Oct. 11 th	9:00 am		Weekday Mass (<i>Pope St. John XXIII</i>)
Wed., Oct. 12 th	9:00 am		Weekday Mass
Thurs., Oct. 13 th	9:00 am		Weekday Mass
Fri., Oct. 14 th	9:00 am		Weekday Mass (<i>Pope St. Calistus I, Martyr</i>)
Sat., Oct. 15 th	9:00 am		C.W.L. Mass for Faith Devel. Day (<i>St. Peter's</i>)
	5:00 pm		Vigil Mass: 29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time ♦ St. Teresa of Avila. Doctor of the Church
Sun., Oct. 16 th			Masses: 29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time

WHY GIVE THANKS?

Some may ask, why they should give thanks if there seems little to be thankful about in our day. The often forgotten things are:
 Life Itself, whether strong or sometimes, all too fragile;
 Faith, to cherish and nourish;
 Human Reason, given to us, who bear God's Image.
 Our Talents, few or many;
 Family and Friends, and for their love and support;
 Freedom and Peace, in a society that protects them;
 Earth's Bounty, food, fresh air and all of creation around us!



KNIGHTS' INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS



BISHOP'S SCHEDULE
OCTOBER 8/9
MASSSES AT
OUR LADY OF LORETTO

LAST WEEKEND'S PARISH DONATIONS

Last Sunday's Collection	\$ 4, 543.75
Online Donations (<i>last week</i>).....	450.00
Special Collection (<i>more</i>).....	15.00
Donations for Sacraments	105.00
Votive Candles	160.00
St. Anthony's Poor Fund	60.80

THANKS TO YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

"ST. PAT'S NEEDS A HAT" DONATIONS LAST WEEK

Special "Roof" Donation	\$ 25, 000.00
Special "Roof" Donation	1, 000.00
Monthly Renovations Collection	1, 770.00
In Memory of Roddy Medwick	100.00
Other "Roof" Donations	45.00



Total this week \$ 27, 915.00

*** **TOTAL TO DATE** ***
\$ 134, 720.00

All donations are Income Tax Deductible

YOU WERE ASKING . . . by Msgr. P. Stilla

Q. It seems that many Kings, Queens and Emperors in history have tried to hinder or destroy the Faith and divide the Church. Were there any Sainly Sovereigns?

A. Yes, in fact, on September 28th we celebrated the Feast of one of the best known ones, St. Wenceslaus. He was the real Ruler of Bohemia (now the Czech Republic), in 935 A.D., and he really did go out to help the poor of his realm "on the Feast of Stephen", just as the Christmas carol reminds us each year!

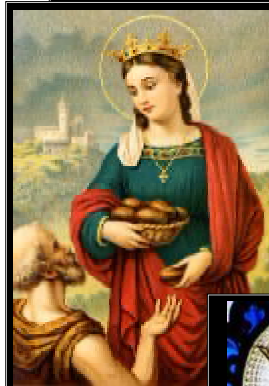
Three Diocesan Churches

Three churches in our Diocese are named after well known "Royal" Saints: Elizabeth of Hungary, Margaret of Scotland and Louis of France.

.. Hungary's Queen Elizabeth was born to the Royal family of Hungary in 1207. During her lifetime, St. Francis was founding his Franciscan Order in Assisi and, the devout Elizabeth was determined to use her position as queen to advance the mission and charity of the Franciscans in her own nation. Her husband, King Ludwig, agreed with her resolution, and the powerful couple both embraced a life of generosity toward the poor, to the point of giving away their own clothes and goods. She had two hospitals built in her short 24 year lifetime and personally attended to the sick. After



St. Wenceslaus



St. Elizabeth



St. Margaret



St. Louis IX

her husband's death, she herself joined the 3rd Order of St. Francis, to emulate the example of its founder. Her Feastday is on November 17th.

.. Margaret of Scotland This great English princess was born in 1054. After being forced to flee England with her family, Margaret settled in Scotland and, in 1070, married Scotland's King Malcolm III. Her ascent to the throne did not negatively affect this faith-filled queen. Instead, she used her position and wealth to personally fund many charitable works in her Realm and influenced King Malcolm to do the same. Margaret died at Edinburgh, only days after hearing of her husband's death in battle. Her Feastday is on November 16th.

.. Louis of France The Parish in Keewatin is named after the only canonized King of France, Louis IX, who was born in 1214. Though he never achieved the pretentious title of 'Sun King', like his descendant Louis XIV, this Louis will be more widely remembered and loved because he was a charitable King who was determined to rule by Gospel values. He built the now famous Sainte Chapelle in the heart of Paris. We celebrate his Feastday on August 25th.



Catholic Women's League

DIOCESAN FAITH DEVELOPMENT DAY

DATE: Sat., October 15, 2022
PLACE: St. Peter's Church Hall (Thunder Bay East End)
TIMES: Opening Mass: 9 am
 Registration: 9:30 am
 Sessions: 10 am to 2 pm
COST: \$10.00 (lunch cost)

Our members who plan to attend are asked to please let JoAnn Floen know by Wednesday, October 12th. She will register you and our League Council will cover the cost for your lunch.

JoAnn can be reached at: 623-6388 or floj3@shaw.ca

ATTENTION C.W.L. MEMBERS

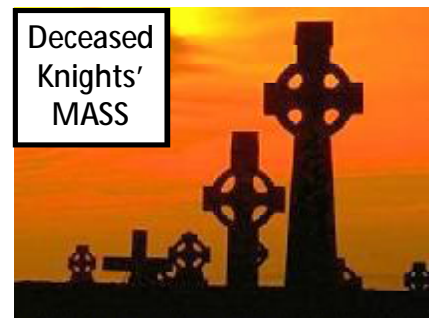
As announced last weekend, C.W.L. membership fees, as of 2023 will be \$35. annually.



Knights of Columbus



Deceased Knights' MASS



Mass for our Deceased Knights of Columbus will be celebrated during the month of November Date to be announced in next week's bulletin.

COFFEE AND CONVERSATION
 Every Friday: 8:30 to 10 am