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Let us give thanks to the Lord

We thank thee, Lord,

For fields of grain

Gold and ripe from summer's rain,

For hillsides bright

With scarlet trees

That rustle in the autumn breeze,

For friends so dear,

For those we love,

For all things sent

From heaven above...

We thank thee, Lord



Mass Intentions

Mon. Oct. 9 th	9am	(SI) Louisa Ovadje
Tue. Oct. 10 th	8am	+ Maria Teresa Linderri
Wed. Oct. 11 th	8am	+ Cecile & Hubert Thauvette
Thu. Oct. 12 th	8am	+ Giuseppe & Maria Giannotti
Fri. Oct. 13 th	8am	+ Mario & Fatima Alberto & family
Sat. Oct. 14 th		+ Anna Maria & Luigi Pompilio, + Victor Kotlarewski, + Rosa Amore, + Emma Schuhmann
	5pm	(SI) Christine Catania
Sun. Oct. 15 th	8:15am	+ Cliff Gallant
	10am	+ Peter Perry
	7pm	+ Giuditta Diciaula



Mon. - Fri., after the 8am Mass, the Rosary will take place during the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 9am (Eucharistic Adoration also every first Friday of the month from 5pm - 7pm, followed by Benediction & Mass at 7pm).

Office closed

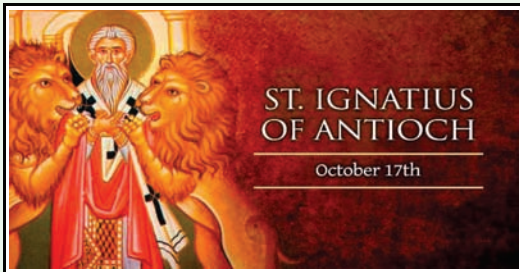
On Oct. 9th, the office will be closed for Thanksgiving Day. Morning Mass will be at 9 am.

New Missals

New missals will be available for sale on the weekend of Oct. 14 – 15, 2023 after the Saturday Vigil & each of the Sunday Masses in the narthex.

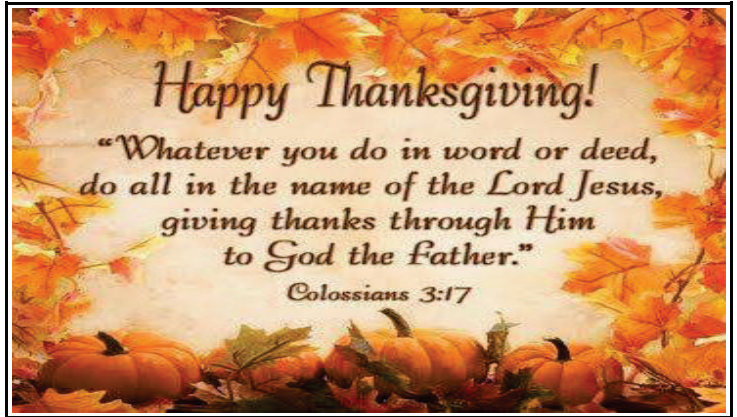


**Adult Missals – \$7 each
Children Missals – \$10 each**



“I no longer take pleasure in perishable food or in the delights of this world. I want only God's bread, which is the Flesh of Jesus Christ, formed of the seed of David, and for drink I crave His Blood, which is love that cannot perish.”

- St. Ignatius of Antioch



Registration for First Holy Communion (total of 6 sessions each)

Schedule as follows:



Parent Meeting	Oct. 25, 2023 at 7pm in the church
Prep. Classes (weekly)	Nov. 4, 2023 to Dec. 9, 2023 in the church (starts with Mass at 9am)
Reconciliation	Dec. 15, 2023: 6pm - 7:30pm Dec. 16, 2023: 2pm - 4pm
Mass Dates & Times - 2024	Feb. 24 - 5pm; Feb. 25 - 10am & 12pm; Mar. 2 - 5pm; Mar. 3 - 10am & 12pm; Mar. 9 - 5pm; Mar. 10 - 10am & 12pm; Mar. 16 - 5pm

REGISTRATION FORMS NOW AVAILABLE at the Church Office (in person only – NOT online)

Last day for registration: Oct. 20, 2023

Registration for Confirmation (total of 6 sessions each)

Schedule as follows:



Parent Meeting	Oct. 27, 2023 at 7pm in the church
Prep. Classes (weekly)	Nov. 5, 2023 - Dec. 10, 2023 in the church (starts with Mass at 12noon)
Reconciliation	Dec. 15: 6pm - 7:30pm Dec. 16: 2pm - 4pm
Rehearsal Dates - 2024	Jan. 15, 16, 17, 18 (all at 7pm)
Mass Dates & Times – 2024 (with Sponsors)	Jan. 22, 23, 24, 25 (all at 7pm)

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The following toiletries are needed for the weekend of
October 14 – 15, 2023:

Liquid soap	Shampoo
Dish soap	Conditioner
Paper towels	2-in-1 Shampoo/Conditioner
Toilet paper	Body wash
Kleenex	Feminine hygiene products

Please leave your donation on the upper narthex.

Thank you so much.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Welcoming Arms - Program Manager

Location: Aurora, ON

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welcomingarmsinfo@gmail.com.



Reminder: Our upcoming CWL meeting

will be on October 10th at 7:30 pm
in the Large Meeting Room.

If you are not yet a CWL member,
please come and check us out. We have exciting new
sub-committees and are planning our fundraising
events for the upcoming season. There is sure to be
something to pique your interest.

The 15th Annual Aurora Prayer Breakfast will take
place at the Aurora Royal Canadian Legion (105

Industrial Pkwy. N.) on Oct. 19, 2023 at 8am.

Cost is \$10 in advance or \$15 at the door.

Register at www.auroraprayerbreakfast.ca.

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To date, more than 100,000 men around the world
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For more information, please contact Rick Sobiesiak at
olgraceau.exodus@gmail.com.

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*Special note: The Sisters will be bringing copies of the
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Consecration). What better way to love Jesus, but
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booking with passport copy valid six months from day of
departure. Final payment due Nov. 10, 2023.*

COVID insurance required for Israel.

For information, contact: Nisreen Sampson at
(905) 510-1760 or nisreen@bainstravel.com.

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

When: Saturday, October 14, 2023

Time: 9am – 10am

Scan QR code to register →



SCAN ME

St. Andre Bessette Catholic Church 10th Anniversary Gala

When: Friday, November 3, 2023

Where: Venue Event Space

(2800 Highway 7 at Creditstone Rd.)

Cost: \$150 per person

Antipasto Bar @ 6:30 pm Dinner @ 7:30 pm

Silent Auction | Open Bar | Live Auction


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