



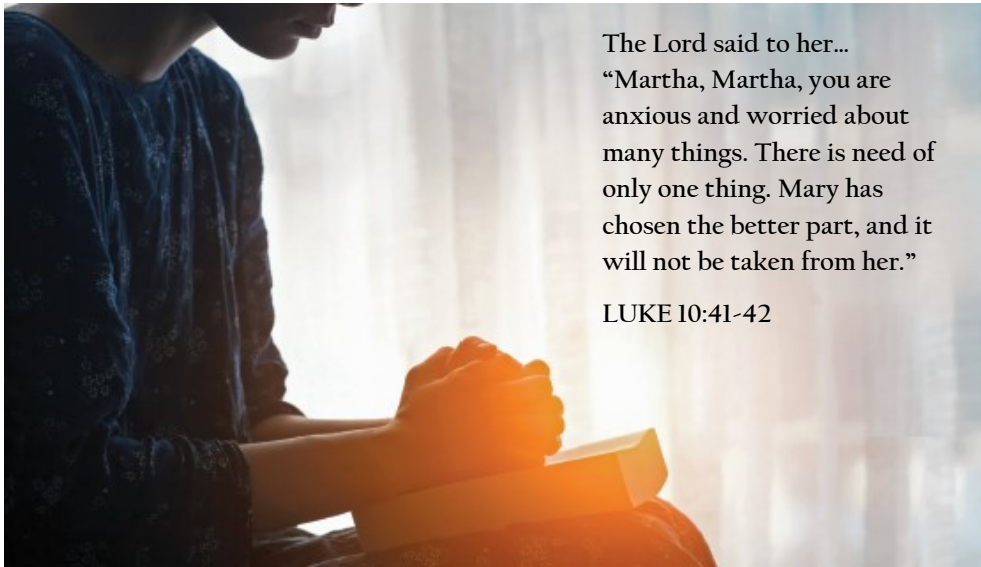
# Saint Vital

CATHOLIC CHURCH

*Mission— 1861*  
*Parish—1914*

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LORD'S DAY MASS TIMES: SATURDAY AT 4:00 PM & SUNDAY AT 9:00 AM, 11:30 AM & 8:00 PM



The Lord said to her...  
“Martha, Martha, you are  
anxious and worried about  
many things. There is need of  
only one thing. Mary has  
chosen the better part, and it  
will not be taken from her.”

LUKE 10:41-42

July 20  
2025

## 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Please contact Candace at 204-453-0933 ext. 281  
or [candace@stvitalparish.ca](mailto:candace@stvitalparish.ca) for more information.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Tuesdays from 6:00pm—6:45pm OR by appointment

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Please contact one of our priests at the parish office at least  
6 months in advance.

### FUNERALS:

Please contact one of our priests at the parish office prior to  
making arrangements with the funeral home.

#### PASTOR

Fr. Wayne Morrissey ext. 270

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Cindy Cordeiro ext.250

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Leo Fernandes ext.287



## MASS SCHEDULE

### SATURDAY, JULY 19TH

4PM † Sophie Horosko  
(Norma Padilla)

### SUNDAY, JULY 20TH

9AM Chanway & Elbourne families  
(Judy Nichol)

11:30AM † Adrianus Goos  
(Goos family)

8PM Missa Pro Populo

### TUESDAY, JULY 22ND

7PM † Joseph Roth  
(Roth family)

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 23RD

11:30AM † Ramon Roberto Godoy  
(Marietta Godoy)

### THURSDAY, JULY 24TH

11:30AM † Eutropia F. Gobenciong  
(Gregoria Parado)

### FRIDAY, JULY 25TH

11:30AM Thanksgiving  
(Benjamin Habon family)

Please join us for the rosary on Wednesdays, Thursdays, & Fridays  
starting at 11:00am before the daily

## Keeping Your Balance

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

**T**hese days, when people come to confession, they seldom list their sins by name and number. Quite often, it seems, they simply talk about their lives, about the chaos in which they seem to be living, about the relationships that are less than what they would hope, about the values they've let slide sometimes into the muck, about how they've turned in upon themselves, and about how caring for others has faded from their lives. After they've told their stories, I will usually ask if they take any time in the day to be quiet and if they pray in whatever way they find helpful and with some regularity. Invariably, they will say that they've let such prayer time slip away; that they have not been praying the way they once did. In such cases, I often suggest that as penance, they take some time—even just a

little time—in the next day or two to simply quiet themselves in the presence of God.

Life will always tend to be chaotic. These days, there is too much going on for life not to be. But, quiet and reflective prayer seems to bring a balance, a refocusing upon what is important and what is trivial. Without that, we can become overwhelmed and lose our way. It is what the Martha/Mary story is about. It's not that our own Martha-service is not worthwhile. It's crucially important in order to make life hum along in an orderly fashion. But without Mary's reflective part, our lives can become muddled drudgery. ●

### Reflect

***How would prayer help me keep myself grounded and centered?***

# Dear Padre,

***“Lead us not into temptation...” God does not lead us into temptation, so what is this saying?***

You are of the same mind as the pope! In 2019, Pope Francis approved changing the Lord’s Prayer, that is, changing the phrase “lead us not into temptation” to “do not let us fall into temptation.” Pope Francis said that the original appeared to suggest that God caused the temptation. However, most Scripture scholars agree that “lead us not into temptation” is the best translation from the Greek. It’s a subjunctive verb. It’s used in the second person, addressed directly to God. And it really does say “do not lead us into temptation.”

What did the pope hope to accomplish? Those who are most familiar with the pope say that what he was trying to clarify was not anchored in the intricacies of translation but rather anchored in pastoral life. He wanted to focus the attention of God’s people on their action, “falling into temptation,” and not on a misunderstanding of what Jesus was teaching. It was a point of focus and clarification to help us in our spiritual journey and our understanding of our relationship with God. Understood in this sense, the new translation would accomplish this pastoral purpose. ●

**Fr. Thomas M. Santa, CSsR / [DearPadre.org](http://DearPadre.org)**



*The Temptation of Christ by Otto Münch, relief on the door of Grossmünster Church in Zurich, Switzerland.*

## **Do you have a question for the Padre?**

Go to [DearPadre.org](http://DearPadre.org) to send your question and to learn more about *Dear Padre*.

| <b>Monday</b> | <b>Tuesday</b>   | <b>Wednesday</b> | <b>Thursday</b>  | <b>Friday</b> | <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>Sunday</b> |
|---------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|
| July 21       | July 22          | July 23          | July 24          | July 25       | July 26          | July 27       |
| Weekday       | St. Mary         | Weekday          | Weekday          | St. James,    | Sts. Joachim and | Seventeenth   |
| Ex 14:5–18    | Magdalene        | Ex 16:1–5, 9–15  | Ex 19:1–2, 9–11, | Apostle       | Anne, Parents    | Sunday in     |
| Mt 12:38–42   | Sg 3:1–4b or     | Mt 13:1–9        | 16–20b           | 2 Cor 4:7–15  | of the Blessed   | Ordinary Time |
|               | 2 Cor 5:14–17    |                  | Mt 13:10–17      | Mt 20:20–28   | Virgin Mary      | Gn 18:20–32   |
|               | Jn 20:1–2, 11–18 |                  |                  |               | Ex 24:3–8        | Col 2:12–14   |
|               |                  |                  |                  |               | Mt 13:24–30      | Lk 11:1–13    |

### **CALL TO SERVE:**

#### **BE A MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION**

We invite you to consider sharing in a beautiful and vital ministry—serving as a Eucharistic Minister during Mass. Your willingness to assist in distributing Holy Communion helps us all grow closer to Christ and strengthens our community. If you feel called to serve in this special way, please

contact Candace at the parish office 204-453-0933

email: [candace@stvitlaparish.ca](mailto:candace@stvitlaparish.ca) or speak with one of our priests.

Training and support are provided, and your service is a meaningful way to live out your faith.

Thank you for your prayerful consideration.

Together, let us continue to be Christ’s hands and heart in our parish.

Weekly Stewardship Report  
Thank you for your donations - July 13, 2025

| Sunday Collection<br>July 13, 2025 | Budgeted per<br>week | Weekly Collection<br>+/- | Year to Date<br>+/- |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| \$ 6953.13                         | \$ 7307.69           | - \$ 354.56              | \$ 3245.63          |

| Parish Debt<br>collected-July 13'25 | Budgeted per<br>week | Weekly Collection<br>+/- | Sharing God's Gifts<br>collected-July 13'25 | Budgeted per<br>week | Weekly Collection<br>+/- |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| \$ 337.75                           | \$ 1052.55           | - \$ 714.80              | \$ 178.75                                   | \$1106.67            | - \$ 927.92              |



**JOIN US!**

**Faith  
Formation  
Open House**

**Saturday, Sept. 13**  
**Sunday, Sept. 14**

Before & After Every Mass  
in the Vianney Room

Meet the Catechists,  
Ask Questions about the Program,  
Register & Pay for  
Catechism & Sacramental Prep,  
Purchase Items for Home



**FAITH FORMATION**

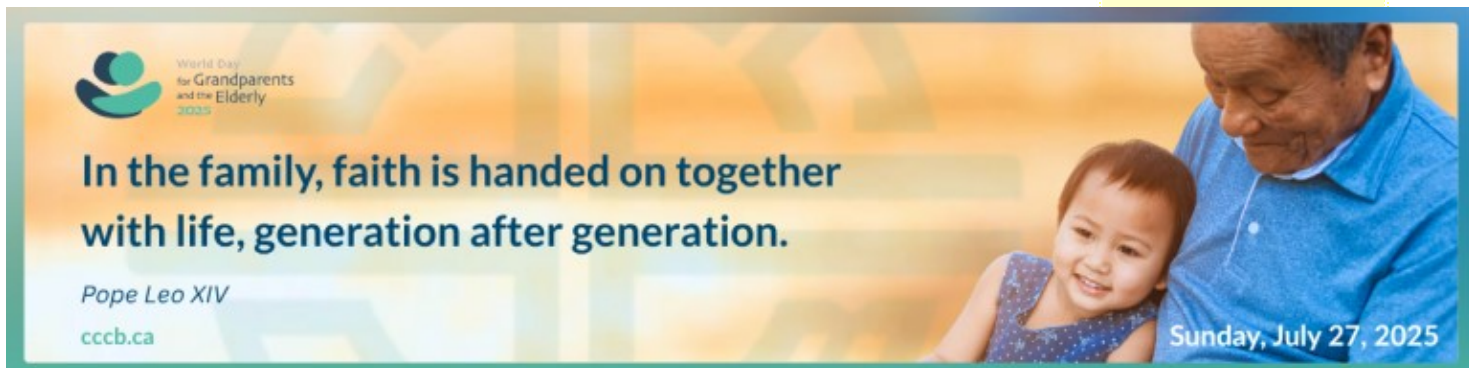
IMPORTANT PARENT EVENTS

**Sept. 13/14, 2025**  
REGISTRATION WEEKEND  
Vianney Room

**Sept. 17th, 2025 @ 7pm**  
Confirmation Info Evening

**Sept. 24th, 2025 @ 7pm**  
Reconciliation & Holy Communion  
Info Evening

*Draw near to God,  
& God will draw near to YOU.  
~ James 4:8*

World Day  
for Grandparents  
and the Elderly  
2025

**In the family, faith is handed on together  
with life, generation after generation.**

Pope Leo XIV  
ccc.ca

Sunday, July 27, 2025

A parish to call home! If you are new - WELCOME!  
If you have been away - WELCOME HOME!