

#### THE JUST SHALL LIVE BY FAITH.

One of the basic things that makes our Christian life strong is the faith and trust we have in God. But sometimes our faith is tested in different ways and situations. Those who are able to stand strong like Job and Abraham are celebrated as people of faith. We must always be Christians of faith, with deep trust in God.

The first reading today explains that faith is patience. Allowing God to control and rule in your life.

In the second reading today St Paul encourages Timothy to stand strong in the faith and become a testimony to the gifts he has received through the Holy spirit, the spirit of power, love and self discipline.

Christ Jesus in the gospel explains that our faith may not be appreciated now but later when every war has been fought and won.

Remember, our faith must always shine out not only in good time but also in bad times. We must always stand strong and never give up on God. It is a good treasure, guard your faith jealously. Fada Sebastian.

Oct 4	Sat	5:00 p.m.	+Mike Bouvier
Oct 5	Sun	10:30 a.m.	Wingate Family
Oct 6	Mon		
Oct 7	Tues	7:00 p.m.	Parishioners
Oct 8	Wed	9:30 a.m.	Patricia & Harry Miller
Oct 9	Thurs	9:30 a.m.	+Alice Chevrefils
Oct 10	Fri	9:30 a.m.	+Lillian Malo
Oct 11	Sat	5:00 p.m.	+Henri Desautels
Oct 12	Sun	10:30 a.m.	Parishioners

Pastoral:

Children Catechism: Volunteers needed

**RCIA & Sacrament of Initiation**:

Katherine Wingate 204-830-1162

**Weddings**: Andrew & Cassie Nault

**Ladies Auxiliary**: Mary

Anne Lougheed 204-367-2960

Financial:

Chair: VOLUNTEER NEEDED

Financial Assistant: Margie Bonekamp

Parish Cemetery: Paul Desrosier 204-891-7216

**Building Maintenance:** 

Richard Lavoie 204-367-8648

Knights of Columbus:

**Charles Wingate** 

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# Notre Dame du Laus

### REFUGE OF SINNERS

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MASS TIMES: Tuesday 7:00 p.m. | Wednesday - Friday 9:30 a.m. | Saturday 5:00 p.m. | Sunday 10:30 a.m.

# October 5, 2025 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>Catechism:</u> begins fall of 2025 if Volunteer/s come forward

<u>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</u> – Tuesday 6:00 pm. Friday 8:30 a.m.

<u>Reconciliation</u> – Tuesday 6:00 pm & Saturday 4:00 pm

<u>RCIA</u> – As Scheduled Weekly

NEW CHURCH WEBSITE https://ndlaus.ca \*\*\*\*\*\*New website\*\*\*\*\*

#### **IMPORTANT NOTICES:**

Sharp Clean up and Disposal in Our Community
We, as a parish, have an opportunity to help clean up our community as
well as raise some much needed funds.

We are looking for volunteers to help clean up discarded needles in our parks. There is an amount of \$7,500 that can be raised doing this community service. All supplies are available through IERHA and Margie will be picking them up.

There are also instruction for safe pick up and disposal.

Three clean ups are required in order to receive the monies available to us. If you are willing to volunteer for this fundraiser activity, please see Margie. We are hoping to clean the parks on October 8, at 10:30 a.m.

November 5 and again in the Spring of 2026.

Margie: 204-340-7009 (call or text)

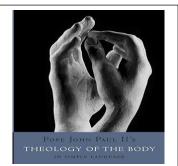
# Parish Finance update scheduled for October 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>, as a brief presentation after mass.

Handouts will be provided for taking home for further review. Comments and/or suggestions following the presentation would be appreciated and can be left in the suggestion box for the 2 week period following the presentation. The finance committee will read and review all comments and provide further updates to the parishioners.

Volunteers needed for the Parish Pastoral Council, Finance Committee and Catechists. Please come forward and help your Parish thrive.

	SUNDAY MINISTRIES					
DA	ΛTE	LECTORS	COLLECTION			
Oct	5	Margie Bonekamp	Eli & Christian			
Oct	12	Ron Pachkowsky	Yvette & Doris			
Oct	19	Corinne Pachkowsky	Hayden & Eli			

Sunday Collections				
DATE	Regular	Other		



### **Faith That Grows Strong**

The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C reminds us to trust God, even when life feels unfair or unclear. The readings speak of faith that waits with hope, worship that listens, and service that does what is needed. Each passage points to a life that relies on God, not on our own strength.

Habakkuk cries out over the violence he sees, but God tells him to wait for His plan. The psalm invites us to worship with open hearts and to listen to the Lord, unlike those who doubted in the desert. Paul encourages Timothy to stay strong in his mission. Jesus teaches that even the smallest faith can do great things.

This Sunday calls us to keep faith alive and active. It is a reminder that faith grows when we trust God and serve Him with simple obedience. The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C invites us to live each day in hope, love, and quiet faithfulness.

Excerpt from Young Catholics online

Theology of the Body Crash course With Fr. Mike Schmitz Open to teens and adults Wednesdays at 7pm October 1-22, 2025 **NDL Parish basement** Week 1 was well attended and very interesting and informative! You may not want to miss the rest of this course! Please come and check it out! There are handouts so you can read up on week 1. This is a crash course in this beautiful teaching by Saint John Paul II Each week we will begin with a short greeting and refreshments, followed by a one-hour video by Fr. Mike Schmitz, then a Q&A session and reflection on what we learned. Drop-ins welcome but registration preferred for planning purposes. For more information or to

register please contact

204-898-6778

Michelle via call or text at

## Pope's prayer intention October 2025:

For collaboration between different religious traditions. Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice and human fraternity.

**Marriage Tip:** "Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord, whose hope is the Lord." Jer 17:7 Do you trust the Lord with your family? Or is your hope in your spouse, yourself, or in your possessions?

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"For God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather of power and love and selfcontrol." 2 TIMOTHY 1:7

Many of us compartmentalize our Faith, we bring it out only when we attend Mass or when we attend a parish event. Being a good steward requires discipline and striving to put God first in everything - all the time. The next time you are at a neighborhood party or at work or out shopping, would your words and actions signal to others that you are a good and faithful servant of our Lord?

Each time we pray the rosary we focus on the Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious, or Luminous mysteries. These are not only drawing us closer to Mary, but to the life of Christ as each set of mysteries is grounded in the Gospel. When we pray the rosary we do not just repeat prayers over and over again, but rather we are given the opportunity to live out a different aspect of the life of Christ with each decade. Repetition is an important aspect of the rosary, but is it actually repetition? Archbishop Fulton Sheen in his book "The World's First Love" tells us that it is not repetition for each time we say the rosary, "we are saying to God, the Trinity, to the Incarnate Saviour, to the Blessed Mother: "I love you, I love you, I love you." Each time it means something different, because, at each decade, our mind is moving to a new demonstration of the Saviour's love." Who better to remind us of the Christ's love than Mary, the Mother of God, our mother, who raised Jesus, formed him, and followed him. Who better to emulate than Mary, who watched her son suffer and die on the cross for our salvation. Each time we say the rosary we are embraced by our mother, we are renewed in our faith, and we are reminded of God's love.

Our Lady of the Rosary Feast Day October 7

