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*Our Lady of Lourdes (Cardiff) St. John Vianney (Highland Grove)  
St. Mary (Chandos)*



## **SACRAMENTS**

### **Holy Eucharist**

Saturday: 4:30 PM (Highland Grove)  
Sunday: 9:00 AM (Chandos)  
11:00 AM (Cardiff)

Weekdays: Please refer to the schedule in the Bulletin

**Reconciliation:** 30 minutes before weekend Masses

**Baptism:** by appointment

**Marriage:** first appointment at least 6 months prior to wedding date.  
All couples are required to attend Marriage Preparation Sessions

### **Anointing of the Sick and Communion for Shut-Ins**

Please call the office at 613--339-2852

### **Devotions:**

**Rosary:** before weekend Masses in all churches.

**Adoration/Benediction:** First Fridays 11:00 AM (Cardiff)  
First Saturdays 5:30 PM (Highland Grove)

**Mother of Perpetual Help Novena:** Wednesdays 11:00AM (Cardiff)

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**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (cycle C)**

**JULY 21, 2019**

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK**

Day	Location	Time	Intentions	Donors
Sat. 20	Highland Grove	4:30 PM	Souls in purgatory	
Sun. 21	Chandos	9:00 AM	Pro populo	
		11:00 AM	+ Douglas Carr	Eileen Anne Carr
Mon. 22		No Mass	Fr vic day off	
Tue. 23	Highland Grove	7:30PM	Mass without intention	
Wed. 24	Cardiff	11:00 AM	Mass without intention	
Thur. 25	Chandos	11:00 AM	Mass without intention	
Fri. 26	Cardiff	12:10 PM	Mass without Intention	
Sat. 27	Highland Grove	4:30 PM	Souls in purgatory	
Sun. 28	Chandos	9:00 AM	Pro populo	
	Cardiff	11:00 AM	+Gordon Carr	Eileen Anne Carr

<b>Weekly Financial Report</b>	
<b>JULY 14, 2019</b>	
Cardiff	\$565.00
Highland Grove	\$695.00
Chandos	\$745.00
Total	\$2005.00
Heating Furnace	\$944.95
PAP June 15	\$385.00

<b>Lectors</b>			
Date	H. Grove	Chandos	Cardiff
	Sat. 4:30 PM	Sun. 9:00AM	Sun. 11:00 AM
July 20/21	Stan	Frances	Kim
July 27/28	Gary	Carm	Theresa
Aug. 3/4	Katie	Gene	Diane M.
Aug. 10/11	Dave	Sharon	Gary.
Aug.17/18	Stan	Frances	Kim

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!!**

Give a gift of a Mass for someone's birthday, wedding or death anniversaries, to someone who is ill or undergoing surgery. What better way to show your gratitude to Him than offering a Holy Mass for such intention. Kindly approach and talk to Fr. Vic after Mass. Suggested offering is \$20.00 only.

	April	May	June
<b>Offertery:</b>	<b>\$6268.60</b>	<b>5320.35</b>	<b>7350.00</b>
<b>Income:</b>	<b>9470.00</b>	<b>6946.87</b>	<b>9033.35</b>
<b>Expenses:</b>	<b>7244.37</b>	<b>20,229.30</b>	<b>9513.97</b>
<b>Profit:</b>	<b>2225.63</b>	<b>-13,282.43</b>	<b>-480.62</b>
<b>Heat/Gas</b>	<b>931.58</b>	<b>nil</b>	<b>539.83</b>

**Readings Next week (July 28, 2019) 17th Sunday**  
**Genesis 18:20-32; Colossians 2:12-14; Luke 11:1-13**  
**.Background on the Gospel Reading**

Luke gives more attention to Jesus' teachings on prayer than any other Gospel writer. He also mentions Jesus at prayer more than the others. In today's reading, from the beginning of Chapter 11 of his Gospel, Luke presents the core of Jesus' teaching on prayer. It consists of Jesus teaching a prayer to his disciples, a parable on the persistent neighbor, and assurances that God hears our prayers.

The disciples notice Jesus praying "in a certain place." They ask him to teach them to pray just as John the Baptist had taught his disciples. Jesus teaches them a simple version of the most famous Christian prayer, the Our Father, or the Lord's Prayer. Matthew's version shows signs of being shaped by public prayer. Luke's version is probably closer to the original form that Jesus taught. Stripped of much of the language we are used to, Luke's version seems simple and direct. We pray that God's name will be recognized as holy and that his rule over all will be established. This is followed by petitions for our needs for bread, for forgiveness, and for deliverance. Luke uses the more theological language of "sins" rather than "debts," which is used in Matthew's version. Having taught his disciples a simple, daily prayer, Jesus goes on to reassure them that God answers prayers. First he tells a parable about a persistent neighbor who asks a friend for bread at midnight. The friend is already in bed and has no desire to disturb his family by opening the door. But because the neighbor is persistent, the sleeping man gets up and gives him all that he needs. If a neighbor is willing to

help us if we are persistent enough, how could God not respond to our requests? This teaching concludes with the reminder that if we seek, we will get a response. If a human father, with all his faults, knows how to give good gifts to his children, how much more will our heavenly Father give us? Instead of good gifts, however, Luke substitutes the word *Holy Spirit*. This foreshadows the gift of the Holy Spirit, who is central to Luke's theology and who will play an important role in the growth of the early Church after Pentecost. The parable and the concluding teaching in this section should not lead us to think of prayer as a series of requests presented to God. Rather, as Jesus teaches in his model prayer, prayer consists in recognizing God's holiness and his rule over all things.

**Please pray for the sick:**

Philip Hughes, Anne McCarthy, Brian Dietrich, Tammy Willis, Charlene Ashmore, Nick Novakowski, Kevin Ralph, Robert Cadeau, Sr. Bernadette OSullivan, Maeve Moloney, Violete OBrien, Jill Wright, Rhys Telka, Scott McKenzie, Jane Tsagrinos, Fr. Bart Burke, Isabel York, Alice Telka, Anne Carr, Sandra Hickey, Noreen Howe, Fiory Sarueda, Sr. Bernadina Aguilon, Sr. Consolata Manding, Ella Richard, Emilee Callzonetti, Peter Malloy, Pierre Longevin, Fr. Bill Moloney, Amelia Vargas, Dennis Hendricks

**CATECHISM IN A YEAR 41. In what way is God the truth?** God is Truth itself and as such he can neither deceive nor be deceived. He is "light, and in him there is no darkness" (1 John 1:5). The eternal Son of God, the incarnation of wisdom, was sent into the world "to bear witness to the Truth" (John 18:37).

**42. In what way does God reveal that he is love?** God revealed himself to Israel as the One who has a stronger love than that of parents for their children or of husbands and wives for their spouses. God in himself "is love" (1 John 4:8.16), who gives himself completely and gratuitously, who "so loved the word that he gave his only Son so that the world might be saved through him" (John 3:16-17). By sending his Son and the Holy Spirit, God reveals that he himself is an eternal exchange of love.

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**THE NEW PROPANE GAS HEATING SYSTEM** for both the church and rectory has been finally installed a couple of weeks ago. You are welcome to go down the basement and see it for yourself anytime. The total cost is \$25,664.73 including taxes. The second collection which started since June 15th until August 24/25th has reached an initial amount of \$4439.15. It's still a long way to go but I trust and count on your generous support. You may consider doing pledges, a practical and less pressure way of supporting this project. Thank you.

**MANY THANKS** for your generous donations designated towards the purchase of the new propane furnace in Cardiff church. The second collection for this weekend ( july 13/14 ) amounted to \$944.95. You may consider using a special envelop marked "heating" found at the entrance of the church, so at the end of the year you will receive a charitable receipt for the purpose of personal tax deduction.

**THANKS TO Diana Gurley & Marty & Margo Reynard** for providing the rectory the needed electric fans. Deacon John, John Chapman & Marty volunteered their time and efforts in clearing the new parking area in Chandos. Thanks a lot gents.

**Bishop Miehm** has graciously allowed for a special collection for Vocations and Campus Ministry to be taken up in all parishes on the weekend of August 3/4. You will find an envelope in our offertory box set aside for that purpose. Please give generously to these worthwhile and going ministries.

**THANK YOU FROM THE " WELLS OF HOPE"** We didn't think that

*you could be more generous than last year, but of course you were!! With your help and generosity we were able to raise a little over \$16,500.00 at the "Wells of Hope" Charity Golf Tournament and Silent Auction on July 6th 2019. That's \$4000.00 more than was raised at last year's Tournament. Without too much effort we believe that we will be able to raise \$20,000.00 again this year. It is our plan to put \$15,000.00 into pipeline and \$5,000.00 into high efficiency smokeless wood cook stoves. Approximately 1,500 more people will have access to clean water and 29 more families won't have to worry about lung disease caused from smoke inhalation as a direct result of your generosity.. We think you will agree that there is no greater feeling on earth than knowing that you have helped save someone's life, that you have just helped to make someone's life better and that you are the answer to someone's prayers. On behalf of the people of the Jalapa Region of Guatemala and the Bancroft Wells of Hope Team, we Emma, Karen and I would like to thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your generosity and support and may God return your generosity to you one hundred over. Emma Kearns, Karen Cooper, Sandy Cole*

**TRUTHS TO REMEMBER:** 7. God wants spiritual fruit, not religious nuts. 8. Dear God: I have a problem. It's me (to be cont..)

**COUNTERS:**

July 21—Evelyn & Eleanor    July 28—Doug & Brenda  
Aug. 4—John & Sandra        Aug. 11—Joanne & Gary  
Aug. 18—Evelyn & Eleanor    Aug. 25—Doug & Brenda

**SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING!!!!**

**\*\*\*August 18 (Sun.) Vianney Fair @ 2097 Heritage Lane Pthoro from 1:00 PM till 7:00PM**

**August 25 (Sun) Pot Luck Lunch @ Cardiff—12Noon. All parishioners from the 3 faith communities are welcome**

**Sept. 14 (Sat) 10:am—4:00pm Open Doors—Cardiff R.C. Church & Highland Grove R.C. Church**

**Sept 15 (Sun.) 10:00AM—2:00PM "Open Doors" Cardiff R.C. Church**

**Sept. 2 –Oct 10—Fr Vic on vacation (home Philippines)**

**Nov. 2-6—Parish Mission in Cardiff@7:00PM —Fr. Eugene O'Reilly, Redemptorist**

**"The question to be asked is not what we should give to the poor but when we will stop taking from the poor." Jim Wallis**

**"We used to hate and destroy one another and refused to associate with people of another race o9r country. Now because of Christ, we live together with such people and pray for our enemies." St. Justin**

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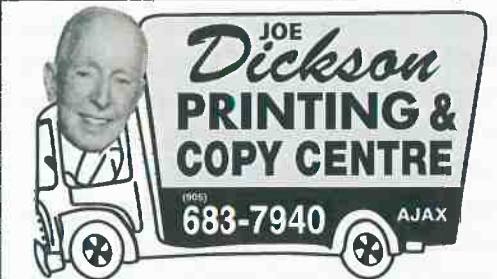
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