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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am; 9:00 am; 10:30 am; 12:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:45 pm to 4:30 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday: 8:30 am
Wednesday & Friday: 7:30 pm

DEVOTIONS

ROSARY

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday &
Saturday:
@ 8am before morning Mass

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesday: 7:00pm

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

First Friday: 8:00pm

ADORATION AND DIVINE MERCY

Every Friday at 6:15pm

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Registered parishioners are invited to
pick up a Baptism information package
from the Parish Office.

COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION

Please contact Parish Office for program
start dates.

MARRIAGE

Couples should contact the Parish Office
ONE year in advance. At least one
party must be a registered and
practicing member of St. Boniface.

PARISH SCHOOLS

ST. AGATHA - 416-393-5302

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Welcome Visitors and New Parishioners

A very warm welcome to all new parishioners and those who are visiting St. Boniface Parish this weekend.
New parishioners are asked to fill out registration form below and put it in the collection basket or drop-off at the office.

PARISHIONER INFORMATION SHEET

MR. & MRS. ☐ MR. ☐ MRS. ☐ MISS ☐ MS. ☐

Last Name

First Name(s)

STREET# AND NAME/APARTMENT# OR UNIT #

CITY

POSTAL CODE

TELEPHONE#

EMAIL ADDRESS

NAME(S) AND DATE(S) OF BIRTH OF CHILD/CHILDREN:

NAME(S)

DD/MM/YEAR

ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH? WOULD YOU LIKE ENVELOPES?
YES ☐ NO ☐ YES ☐ NO ☐

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE CONTACTED ABOUT PARISH INVOLVEMENT?
YES ☐ NO ☐

**ONCE REGISTERED, ENVELOPES WILL BE AVAILABLE BY
ENTRANCE OF CHURCH.**



AUGUST 23RD 2026 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CYCLE A (MATTHEW)

Oh, the Depths: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings:

Isaiah 22:15, 19–23

Psalms 138:1–3, 6, 8

Romans 11:33–36

Matthew 16:13–20

"Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!" Paul exclaims in today's Epistle. Today's Psalm, too, takes up the triumphant note of joy and thanksgiving. Why? Because in the Gospel, the heavenly Father reveals the mystery of His kingdom to Peter. With Peter, we rejoice that Jesus is the anointed Son promised to David, the one prophesied to build God's temple and reign over an everlasting kingdom (see 2 Samuel 7). What Jesus calls "my Church" is the kingdom promised to David's son (see Isaiah 9:1–7). As we hear in today's First Reading, Isaiah foretold that the keys to David's kingdom would be given to a new master, who would rule as father to God's people. Jesus, the root and offspring of David, alone holds the kingdom's keys (see Revelation 1:18; 3:7; 22:16). In giving those keys to Peter, Jesus fulfills that prophecy, establishing Peter—and all who succeed him—as holy father of His Church. His Church, too, is the new house of God, the spiritual temple founded on the "rock" of Peter and built up out of the living stones of individual believers (see 1 Peter 2:5). Abraham was called "the rock" from which the children of Israel were hewn (see Isaiah 51:1–2). And Peter becomes the rock from which God raises up new children of God (see Matthew 3:9). The word Jesus uses—"church" (*ekklesia* in Greek)—was used in the Greek translation of the Old Testament for the "assembly" of God's children after the Exodus (see Deuteronomy 18:16; 31:30). His Church is the "assembly of the firstborn" (see Hebrews 12:23; Exodus 4:23–24), established by Jesus' exodus (see Luke 9:31). Like the Israelites, we are baptized in water, led by the Rock, and fed with spiritual food (see 1 Corinthians 10:1–5). Gathered at His altar, in the presence of angels, we sing His praise and give thanks to His holy name.



Thank you to Dr. Scott Hahn and the St. Paul Center for the use of the weekly Mass reflections. More resources are available at www.stpaulcenter.com

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



AUGUST 22ND 2026 TO AUGUST 29TH 2026

Sat Aug 22nd	5:00pm	- Benjamin, Cecelia and Jeffrey Lugos †
Sun Aug 23rd	7:30am	- Jin Zhi Cheng †
	9:00am	- Thanksgiving for Helma Herbst-Moellhusen
	10:30am	- People of the Parish
	12:00pm	- Intention for the unborn
Mon Aug 24th	8:30am	- Birthday Blessings for Liore Escobedo and Inacia Rodrigues
Tue Aug 25th	8:30am	- 14th Ordination thanksgiving for Fr. Percy; Laura Dionisio †
Wed Aug 26th	7:30pm	- Violeta Casiba †; Thanksgiving for Lynne Lugos Jose
Thurs Aug 27th	8:30am	- 94th Birthday Blessings for Laida Lacorte
Fri Aug 28th	7:30pm	- Ludwig Schwab †
Sat Aug 29th	8:30am	- Virginia Algabia †



OUR SICK:

Robert Atkinson, Joan Sheahan, Arnold Uy Cruz, Maria Simbajon, Patricia Guerrieri, Fiore Tomasi, Marites Andron, Nida Carandang, Rodante Imperial, James Patrick Stephens, Rosemarie Atkinson, Andre Hastings, Rodrigo Garcia, Frank Franco, Normelito Ramirez, Fausto Tomasi, Margaret Horvath, Daniel D'Alimonte, Magdalene Trotman, Holly Macinnis, Inacia Rodrigues, Carol Morra, Edna Zetazate, Tonya Medelkowski, Ray Acayan, Romeo Florentino, Anne Dyer, Joan Fitzgibbon, Virginia Johnson, Derek John Taylor, Oliver Malinowski, Anunciacion Chang, Maria Theresa, Maria Johanna Tizon, Linda Morgan, Sally Benadetto, Maverick Valle, Richard Stockman, Don O'Shaughnessy, Alana Maurica Gerardine, Bette McDermott, Josephine Lavecchia, Romeo Dimalanta, Fredrick Martyn, John Rodriguez, Sabrina Achaibar, Cheryl Garisto, Elizabeth Singh, Richard Rodriguez, Kenny Gonsalves, Kris Gonsalves, Carlo Tomasi, Evelyn Gatila, Judith Ritch, Rita Clemenz, Steve McAuley, George Paramby Varghese, Emmanuel Carpio, Ligaya Carpio, Dionne Hastings, Sonia Miranda, Kevin Andrey Morales, Rhaquel Elizabeth Jojan, Ruth Claire Alinas, Andre Baksh, Alicia Alvares, Anna Ardurini, Lolita Ramos, Rose Marie Sorbera, Alice Rego, Jean Griffin Davis, Shirley Eccleton, Ursula Solomon, Kathleen Copeland, Giacomina Genova, Rosa Lim, Vera Conway, Joe D'Souza, Claudio Borgono, Jennifer Young, Liam Matthews, Benigno Jose Jr., Irene Bituin, Leonisa G. Albaran, Innes Potgieter, Rebecca C. Baltazar, Dina Sorbera, Monica Bouchard, Antonio Sorbera, Julia Genova, Ronaldo Maravilla, Lucas Sorbera, Sheryl Watson, Stanley de Freitas, Peter Pinto, Isabel Grosvenor, Marie Herrera, John Germain, Stephanie Solomon, Ofelia Magat.

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

SACRAMENTS OF FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Parents of children who have not received the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion are reminded to register their child for this sacrament.



Parent Meeting and Registration Dates for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion are as follows:

Thursday, September 24th 7:00pm to 8:00pm or

Saturday, September 26th 9:00am to 10:00am

You are required to attend one of the above dates to register your child. Please bring a copy of your child's Baptism Certificate and the registration fee of \$60.00.

CONFIRMATION

Parents of children who have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation are reminded to register their child for this sacrament.

Parent Meeting and Registration Dates for Confirmation are as follows:

Thursday, September 24th 7:00pm to 8:00pm or

Saturday, September 26th 9:00am to 10:00am

You are required to attend one of the above dates to register your child. Please bring a copy of your child's Baptism Certificate and the registration fee of \$70.00.

Looking forward to seeing you!

The Society of "The Home of the Welcoming Heart and of the Holy Face of Jesus Christ" in the Archdiocese of Douala, Cameroon, is collecting school supplies and clothing for children and adults in need.



If you are able to help, please drop off your donations at the office.

Thank you for your generosity and kindness.

Volunteer Recruitment Campaign

On the weekend of **September 12 & 13**, St. Boniface Parish will be conducting a Volunteer Recruitment campaign.



Some of these Volunteer Ministries occur during the Mass you attend, for example: Altar Servers, Ushers & Greeters, Lectors, and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion.

There will be some of our current Volunteers in the Parish Hall after all Masses that weekend to answer any questions on the various opportunities available. You can make a decision that weekend or wait awhile to discuss it with your family first.

Please consider Volunteering what you can, when you can, as often as you can... no contribution is too small. Training and support will be provided for all new Volunteers.

"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace." 1 Peter 4:10

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Have you, or someone you know, been thinking about becoming Catholic or completing the Sacraments of Initiation? Our **RCIA** program is for adults (18 years and older).

Session begins on September 8th.

For more information, please contact the Parish

Office at **416-261-598/st.boniface@rogers.com**



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