

# St. Stanislaus & St. Pius X & St. Christopher

**Parish Priest :**  
**Rev. Father Arulkumar**

**Parish Secretary :**  
**Faye Wafer**

**Office Hours :**  
**Tuesday to Thursday**  
**10 AM to 2 PM**

**Sunday Masses :**  
**St. Pius X - Lively**  
Saturday : 4:30 PM  
**St. Christopher - Whitefish**  
Sunday : 9:00 AM  
**St. Stanislaus - Copper Cliff**  
Sunday : 11:00 AM

**Sacrament of Reconciliation :**  
**St. Stanislaus - Copper Cliff**  
Sunday : 10:30 AM to 10:45 AM  
**St. Pius X - Lively**  
Saturday : 4:00 PM to 4:15 PM  
**St. Christopher - Whitefish**  
Sunday : 8:30 AM to 8:45 AM

**Baptism :**  
Usually on the 3rd Sunday of the month.  
Please make arrangements one month in  
advance by contacting the Parish Office.

**Marriages :**  
Please make marriage arrangements  
9 months in advance by contacting the  
Parish office. Saturday weddings are  
scheduled at 1:00 PM.

**Other Sacraments :**  
**Contact Parish Office**

**Bulletin Announcements :**  
**Email yours to**  
ststans@eastlink.ca  
**Before 12 PM Wednesday**

**Prayer line :**  
**St. Stanislaus :** Faye Wafer 705-682-3207  
or Ellen Austin 705-682-4596  
**St. Pius X :** Eleanor Williams 705-692-4061  
or Denise Stewart 705-692-4883  
**St. Christopher :** Adrienne McIntyre  
705-866-2235

**Mission Statement :**  
By our Baptism, we are committed to  
celebrate the presence of Christ in Word  
and Sacrament and are continually  
called to build our lives in the image of  
Christ. Through liturgy and ministry, we  
strive to bring ourselves closer to God  
and to each other, by building a strong  
community of believers and a joyous  
family of God.

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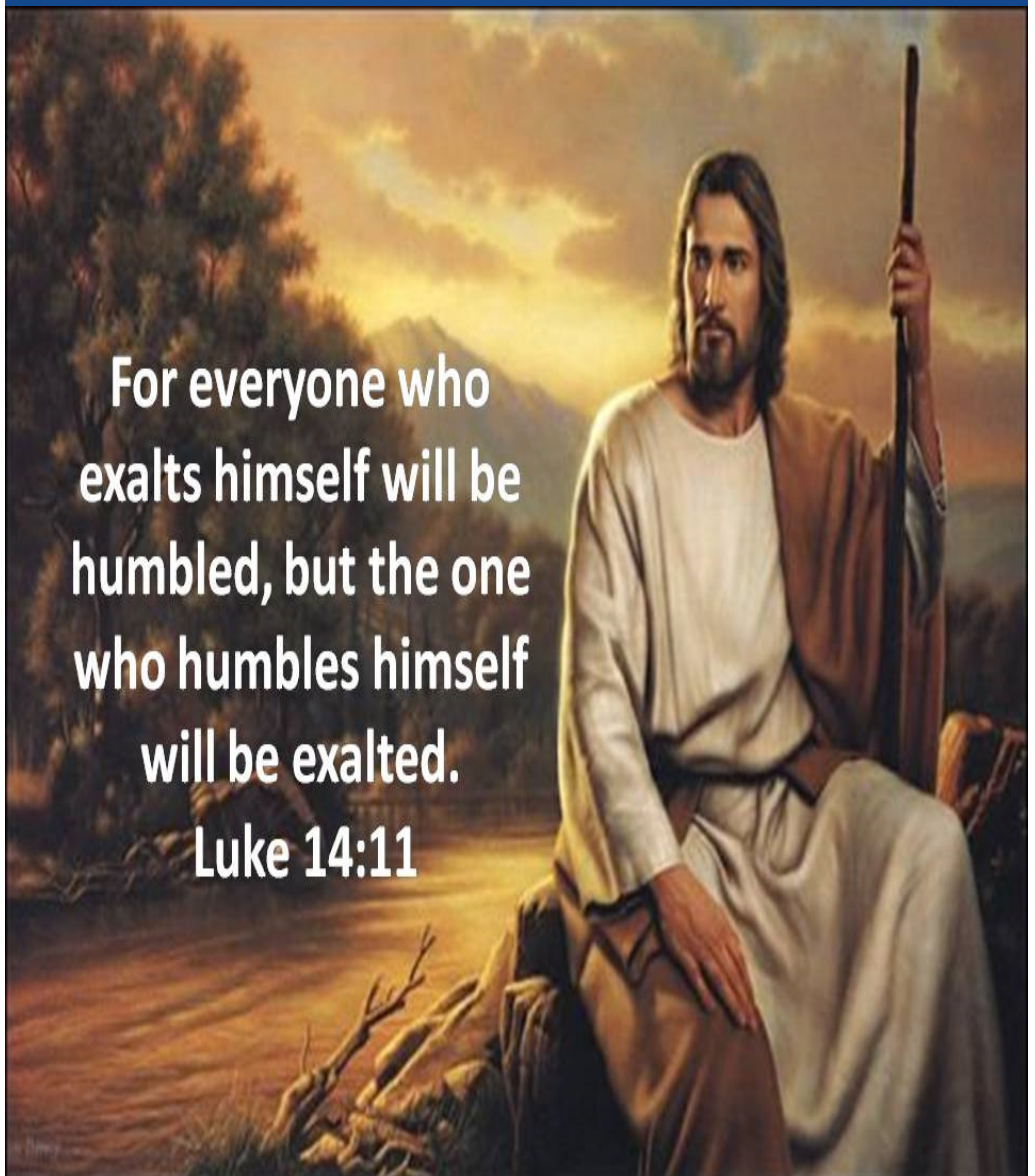
**Email: ststans@eastlink.ca**  
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**22nd Ordinary Sunday - August 28, 2022**

**Be Humble**  
Luke 14:7-14:24

For everyone who  
exalts himself will be  
humbled, but the one  
who humbles himself  
will be exalted.

**Luke 14:11**



# Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



**Tuesday, August 30**

**09:30 AM - St. Christopher, Whitefish**

† Angelle Gervais by Marcotte Family

**Wednesday, August 31**

**10:30 AM - St. Pius X, Lively**

† Nancy Brogden by St. Pius X CWL

**Friday, September 02**

**09:30 AM - St. Stanislaus, Copper Cliff**

† Gloria Kavanagh by Allan & Brenda Tessaro

**23rd Ordinary Sunday**

**Saturday, September 03**

**04:30 PM St. Pius X, Lively**

**For the People entrusted to the Pastor**

**Sunday, September 04**

**09:00 AM St. Christopher, Whitefish**

† Ron Denomme by Brenda Alemany

**11:00 AM St. Stanislaus, Copper Cliff**

† Anne O'Reilly by Dina Paolin

**The Rosary** is recited before  
**Saturday and Sunday Mass.**

**The Cenacle of the Marian Movement** of priests  
is held each **Tuesday at 10:15 AM**  
at **St. Christopher's Church, Whitefish.**

A **Prayer Line** is available for parishioners.  
Anyone wishing to pray for a  
**special Intention**, for someone who is **ill**,  
having **surgery**, for the **deceased**, or  
**any other intention** may contact  
the **Prayer Line** or the **Parish Office.**

## Mass Intentions

**Offering Masses** is a long standing  
tradition in the Catholic Church.

**An Individual may ask a priest to offer a  
Mass for several reasons.**

**For example, in Thanksgiving**, for the  
intentions of another person (such as on a  
**Birthday** or an **Anniversary**), for someone  
who is **sick** or for the **repose of the soul** of  
someone who has died.

**Call the Parish Office: 705-682-4683**

**22nd Ordinary Sunday**

**Responsorial Psalm - Psalm 68**

**In your goodness, O God,  
You provided for the needy.**

**Weekdays Scripture Readings: August 29 to September 04, 2022**

| Day       | Reading                                | Gospel        |
|-----------|--|---------------|
| Monday    | Jeremiah 1:17-19                       | Mark 6:17-29  |
| Tuesday   | 1 Corinthians 2:10b-16                 | Luke 4:31-37  |
| Wednesday | 1 Corinthians 3:1-9                    | Luke 4:38-44  |
| Thursday  | 1 Corinthians 3:18-23                  | Luke 5:1-11   |
| Friday    | 1 Corinthians 4:1-5                    | Luke 5:33-39  |
| Saturday  | 1 Corinthians 4:6-15                   | Luke 6:1-5    |
| Sunday    | Wisdom 9:13-18 / Philemon 9b-10, 12-17 | Luke 14:25-33 |

Sunday Collection - August 20 / 21, 2022

Thank You for Your Continued Generosity!

| Church                       | Envelopes | Loose  | PADP |
|------------------------------|-----------|--------|------|
| St. Stanislaus, Copper Cliff | \$ 350    | \$     | \$   |
| St. Pius X, Lively           | \$ 605    | \$ 30  | \$   |
| St. Christopher, Whitefish   | \$ 470    | \$ 180 | \$   |

## 22nd Week of Ordinary Time

**Sunday is the Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time.** We are encouraged to embrace humility. The first reading from the **Book of Sirach** says it simply: 'Humble yourself the more, the greater you are, and you will find favor with God'. In **Luke's gospel** is a beloved story of Jesus saying, 'do not recline at table in the place of honor' at a banquet. 'For every one who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted'.

Monday is the **Memorial of the Passion of Saint John the Baptist**, with its own special readings. Saturday is the **Memorial of Saint Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church**.

Our first weekday reading for the next several weeks will be from **Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians**, offering a look at the struggles and joys of the early life of the Church in Corinth. Paul admits, 'I came to you in weakness and fear and much trembling, and my message and my proclamation were not with persuasive words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of spirit and power, so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God'.

This week we begin reading from **Luke's Gospel**, which brings us the vivid stories of Jesus' early public ministry. We will continue with Luke until Advent. Jesus teaches in the synagogue in his hometown of Nazareth. 'The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor', he reads from Isaiah, but his listeners wanted only to see the miracles they had heard about him. He cleanses a man of an unclean spirit - a spirit who recognizes Jesus as the 'Holy One of God' when those around Jesus did not. He cures Simon's mother-in-law and then tells the crowds he must leave to spread the good news to other towns. As Jesus comes upon Peter, James and John, he invites the weary fishermen to lower their empty nets one more time. When they bring up nets overflowing with fish, Peter says, 'Depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man' but Jesus reassures him not to be afraid and says Peter will be catching people now. He tells them, 'No one pours new wine into old wineskins'. Otherwise, the new wine will burst the skins, and it will be spilled, and the skins will be ruined. When he is criticized for allowing his disciples to pick grain to eat on the sabbath, Jesus is compassionate toward their hunger and defends them saying, 'The Son of Man is lord of the sabbath'.

On the **Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time** we hear Wisdom marvel at God's ways. Paul writes to his friend, Philemon, about Philemon's slave, Onesimus, who is now a convert and in prison with Paul. Paul asks that he be taken back as a son or a brother. In **Luke's Gospel**, Jesus tells the crowd that following him will involve radical conversion and requires that each us discern if we can prepare for the self-denial required.

### Daily Prayer This Week

Among the many healing stories in this week's gospels is the story of the call of Peter. It is powerful for us because we see the very human moment of Peter's self-doubt: he realizes the power of Jesus, falls down in an awareness of his own sinfulness and wants Jesus to turn away from him because he is too sinful.

All of us can have moments of feeling we are unworthy - and the truth is that we can never be worthy of the unending love Jesus offers us. But how blessed we are if we realize that we are loved without limits even though we have done nothing to deserve that kind of love.

*Dearest Jesus, be with me in this day. I can feel how much I long for a deeper connection with you, and yet I am ashamed of my weaknesses. Touch my heart so that I might be open to your healing love.*

*Let me be open to all of those you put in my life today and let me be aware of their needs and care for them before I worry about my own. Give me an awareness of the love that is already there for me and a generosity of heart that allows me to share it with others.*





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**Information regarding the Sacrament of Confirmation**

**Dear Parishioners,**

**The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on  
Wednesday, November 23, 2022 at St. Stanislaus Church.**

**Candidates must be in grade 7, 8 or in high school.**

**Complete information regarding Confirmation will be available  
in September 2022. Contact the Office for more details.**

**From Office of Christian Unity**

**'We will Stand with you'**

**A Sudbury Service of Christian Prayer for peace in Ukraine  
Wednesday, September 14, 2022 at 7:00 PM.**

**St. Mary Ukranian-Greek Catholic Church 40 Notre Dame Ave. across from  
City Centre Mall**