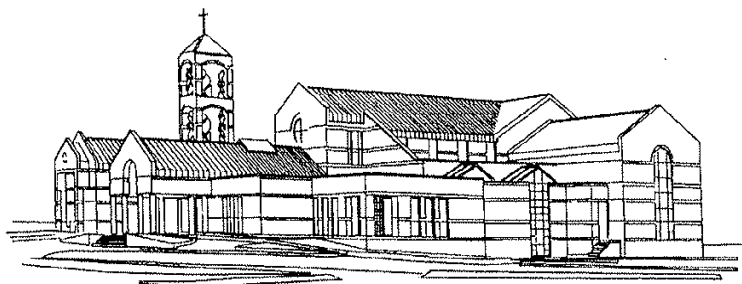


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## SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME July 23, 2023



AMOUNT RAISED: **\$61,963**

PARISH GOAL: **\$101,000**

**Support our seniors through  
ShareLife**

Society of Sharing is one of the agencies you support through your generous donations to ShareLife. They serve our isolated, housebound, and lonely seniors in Toronto. Society of Sharing does not charge for services and it provides our seniors with assistance through your donations to ShareLife. For our seniors, please give generously at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).

*La "Society of Sharing" è una delle agenzie che sostieni finanziariamente attraverso le tue generose donazioni a ShareLife. Essa opera nell'assistenza agli anziani di Toronto che vivono isolati e nella solitudine. "Society of Sharing" offre i suoi servizi gratuitamente ed assiste i nostri anziani grazie alle tue donazioni a ShareLife. Per favore, sii generoso con gli anziani presso la tua parrocchia, usando una busta di ShareLife, oppure via internet tramite il sito web della nostra parrocchia, o tramite [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).*

### Parish Feast of the Assumption

We will be celebrating our annual Parish Feast of the Assumption on **Sunday August 13, 2023** with a solemn bilingual Mass at 5pm followed by the procession. The evening's social will be filled with food, music, dancing and a raffle. *Mark this date on your calendars!*

*Celebreremo la Festa Parrocchiale dell'Assunta, **domenica 13 agosto, 2023** con una Messa solenne bilingue alle ore 17 seguita dalla processione. Seguirà il programma sociale con cibo, musica, ballo e la lotteria. Segnate questa data sul vostro calendario!*

### Feast of Saint Anne

We will be celebrating the feast of Saint Anne on **Wednesday July 26, 2023** with the following Masses: 8am in Italian and 7pm Bilingual.

*Celebreremo la festa di **Sant'Anna mercoledì 26 luglio 2023**, con le seguenti Messe: ore 8am in italiano e ore 19 bilingue.*

## Upcoming Baptisms

Our parish is delighted to welcome the following children to the Christian community through the Sacrament of Baptism:

*Gabriel Reign Umali*

*Melodie Messina*

*Samantha Nicole Dela Cruz*

*Vienna Rose Gray*

*Isabella Oluwatomike Balogun*

*Francesco Mazza*

*Gabriella Monroe Ciampa*



Congratulations to their parents and godparents.

## This Weekend's Marriages



*Elisa DeLuca & Anthony Salerno*

*Daniela DalColle & David Ferrone*

## Join the RCIA Program

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process through which interested unbaptized adults and older children (catechumens) are introduced to the Roman Catholic faith and become members of the Catholic Church. The RCIA program is a time of reflection, prayer, study, and discernment leading to the celebration of becoming full members at the Easter Vigil. During the Easter Vigil, catechumens are baptized, confirmed, and participate in the Eucharist for the first time. **If you are interested in the RCIA program, please contact the parish office.**

## Weekly Mass Intentions

### Monday July 24

7pm

8pm

Angela Commisso

### Tuesday July 25

#### St. James

7pm

8pm

Domenic DeLiso

Giuseppina DiMaria

### Wednesday July 26

#### St. Anne & St. Joachim

7pm

8pm

*Bilingual Mass – St. Anne*

### Thursday July 27

7pm

### Friday July 28

7pm

8pm

Lucia Tontodonati

Nino Falcone

## Stewardship Reflection

Just as in the parable both wheat and weeds grew together and were separated at the harvest, in the same way the world contains both good and evil, both often existing in some ways in the hearts of man. Although there are those that stray from the path of righteousness, God is merciful and gives them many opportunities to repent and make peace with the Lord. For us, the easiest way to receive the mercy of God is through the Sacrament of Reconciliation, in which the Lord seeks through the priest to shower us with His love and mercy.

HAVE A BLESSED  
*week ahead*