



Each liturgical year the Gospel passage for the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time is from John. This Gospel is very different from the other three. John focuses exclusively on Jesus' identity: the purpose of everything that Jesus says and does is to reveal that God has sent him as savior of the world. The reading for today transitions us from the Christmas season, with its feast days that highlight Jesus' divinity, back to Ordinary Time, when we hear about Jesus' public ministry. As we continue through the liturgical year, we remember that the one who is proclaiming and bringing about God's kingdom is God's own Son!

2023 CATHOLIC CHARITY FUND APPEAL

*Every gift matters.
Every gift makes a difference.*



*"It is in giving that we receive..."
Prayer of Saint Francis*

*If We Pray
If we pray, we will believe,
If we believe, we will love,
If we love, we will serve.
Saint Teresa of Calcutta*

St. Bartholomew Ladies Guild



CAVATI & POLENTA DINNER

Monday, February 20th at 6:30 pm
at

*Santa Maria Di Prata Hall
29 Walnut Grove Ave., Cranston*

Everyone is welcome to attend!
Tickets available from Ladies' Guild members, at the Parish Office, & after all weekend Masses.

No Tickets Sold at the Door - No Take-Out Orders

LOOKING AHEAD

- February 20 – Polenta/Cavati Dinner at Santa Maria Di Prata Hall
- February 22 – Ash Wednesday
- March 12 – Daylight Savings Time
- April 2 – Palm Sunday
- April 9 – Easter Sunday
- April 16 – Divine Mercy Sunday
- April 23 – Confirmation at Cathedral of Ss. Peter & Paul

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**MASSES FOR
JANUARY 16 - 22**

*Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead,
however the following are specifically remembered this week.*

Monday, January 16 – Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr - Holiday

7:30 am – Intentions of Parishioners
No Mass in Spanish this Evening

Tuesday, January 17

7:30 am – Peter Gallo, Jr. by family

Wednesday, January 18 – Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

7:30 am – Intentions of Parishioners
5:30 pm – Eucharistic Adoration
7:00 pm – Mass in Spanish

Thursday, January 19

7:30 am – Intentions of Christmas Flower Donors

Friday, January 20

7:30 am – Intention of Priest Celebrant
3:00 pm – Divine Mercy Chaplet
7:00 pm – Mass in Spanish

Saturday, January 21 – St. Agnes

8:00 am – Intentions of Parishioners

LORD’S DAY MASSES

Saturday, January 21

5:00 pm

Stephen Hathaway, Sr. and Matthew & Angie Arrico
by Gloria & family
Cecile Souza

6:30 pm

Mass in Spanish

Sunday, January 22

**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Word of God Sunday**

8:00 am

Giuseppina Acciardo by daughters

9:30 am

Mass in Spanish

11:30 am

Wayne Rand and Angelina & Amadio Bianco by Virginia
Deceased of Anthony DiPetrillo Family
Deceased of Pio A.Romano, Sr. Family



**Sanctuary Candle &
Altar Bread & Wine:**

*Frank J. DiMaio
by wife & family*

Baptized in Christ
Magdalena Castro Pablo

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What Our Lord Asks Is Not Equal Gifts - But Equal Sacrifice.
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Weekend of

January 7 & 8, 2023

1st Collection \$3,827.00

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Frank J. DiMaio