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**Pastor**  
 Father A.S. Lourdu

**Parish Secretary**  
 Cheryl St. Jules

**Office Hours**  
 Tuesday to Thursday  
 9:00am - 12:00pm  
 1:00pm - 03:00pm

**Mass Schedules**  
 Sunday - 09:30 am

All weekday masses are cancelled

**1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday Monthly Mass**  
 Cancelled until further notice

**Reconciliation**  
 By appointment only

**Baptism**  
 Please call the office

**Wedding**  
 Please make marriage arrangements 6 months in advance by contacting the Parish office.

**Communion to the Housebound & Hospitalized**  
 Please notify the office

**Papal Blessing**  
 Please allow at least 3 months for Papal Blessing to arrive after the request has been made.

# St. James the Greater Parish

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**October 11th 2020**



*Give Thanks to the Lord,  
 for He is good.  
 Psalm 107:1*



**Happy Thanksgiving Day**



**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

## THANKSGIVING PRAYER

For each new morning with its light,  
 For rest and shelter of the night,  
 For health and food,  
 For love and friends  
 For everything Thy goodness sends.  
 For flowers that bloom about our feet;  
 For tender grass, so fresh, so sweet;  
 For song of bird, and hum of bee;  
 For all things fair we hear or see,  
 Father in heaven, we thank Thee:

World Food Day (WFD) was founded by the [United Nations' \(UN\) Food and Agriculture Organization \(FAO\)](#) in 1945, and has been observed annually, every October 16, since 1981. The event was established to increase awareness of world hunger and poverty and to inspire solutions for world change.



### St. Wilfrid—Saint of the Day

St. Wilfrid was born in Northumberland in 634 and was educated at Lindesfame and then spent some time in Lyons and Rome. Returning to England, he was elected abbot of Ripon in 658 and introduced the Roman rules and practices in opposition to the celtic ways of northern England. In 664 he was the architect of the definitive victory of the Roman party at the Conference of Whitby. He was appointed Bishop of York and after some difficulty finally to possession of his See in 669. He labored zealously and founded many

monasteries of the Benedictine Order, but he was obliged to appeal to Rome. In order to prevent the subdivision of his diocese by St. Theodore, Archbishop of Canterbury. While waiting for the case to be decided, he was forced to go into exile, and worked hard and long to evangelize the heathen south Saxons until his recall in 686. In 691, he had to retire again to the Midlands until Rome once again vindicated him. In 703 he resigned his post and retired to his monastery at Ripon where he spent his remaining time in prayer and penitential practices until his death in 709. St. Wilfrid was an outstanding personage of his day, extremely capable and possessed of unbounded courage, remaining firm in his convictions despite running afoul of civil and ecclesiastical authorities. He helped bring the discipline of the English Church into line with that of Rome. He was also a dedicated pastor and a zealous and skilled missionary; his brief time spent in Friesland in 678-679 was the starting point for the great English mission to the Germanic peoples of continental Europe. His feast day is October 12th.

**October 16, 2020**

## WORLD FOOD DAY



Dear pretensioners kindly continue to use the hand sanitizer as you enter and exit the church on Sunday celebrations.

**MASS INTENTIONS** We need Mass intentions for the Sunday celebration

### Saint Kateri

The regular mass will resume on Tuesday 13 October 2020 at 6pm at the Red Pine lodge

**OFFICE CLOSED**

On Tuesday 13, October 2020  
 and  
 On Thursday 15, October 2020

### PADP—SEPTEMBER 2020

Sunday Offering	\$ 1150.00
Building Fund	165.00
Needs of Canadian Church	185.00
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>	<b>\$ 1500.00</b>

### WEEKLY OFFERING

October 4, 2020

#### ATTENDANCE - 26

Sunday Offering	\$ 605.00
Loose Change	5.00
Needs of Canadian Church	10.00
Candles	10.00
Building Fund	75.00
Donations	45.00
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>	<b>\$ 750.00</b>

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The prices for the memorial candles at the back of the church have risen— the large ones are now \$5.00 instead of \$3.00 and the small ones are now \$3.00 instead of \$1.00.
- Samaritan's Purse for Operation Christmas Child boxes are now available at the entrance to the Church and should be returned no later than Sunday November 15th.

## MASS INTENTION

Sunday October 11th is for Tom St. Jules  
 Requested by Cheryl and Family

## READINGS OF THE WEEK

Mon Oct 12: Galatians 4.22-24 Ps 113.1-2  
 Luke 11.29-32

Tues Oct 13: Galatians 5.1-6 Ps 119.41  
 Luke 11.37-41

Wed Oct 14: Galatians 5.18-25 Ps 1.1-2  
 Luke 11.42-46

Thurs Oct. 15: Ephesians 1.1-10 Ps 98.1  
 Luke 11.47-54

Fri Oct 16: Ephesians 1.11-14 Ps 33.1-2  
 Luke 12.2-7

Sat. Oct. 17: Ephesians 1.15-23 Ps 8.1-2a  
 Luke 12.8-12