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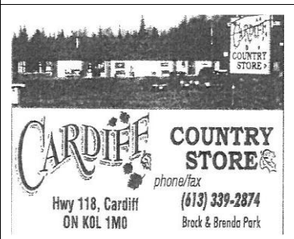

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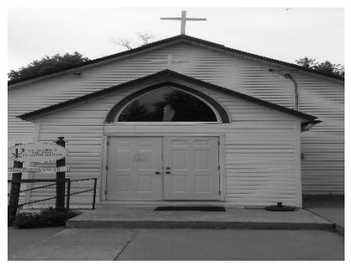


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St. John Vianney Mission Church
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Mass: Saturday 4:30 pm



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## Sacraments

**Weekday Masses**
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**Baptism**
by appointment
**Reconciliation**
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Please call the office 613-339-2852
**Marriages**
First appointment at least 6 months prior to wedding date
Couples are required to attend Marriage Preparation session
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*Mother of Perpetual Help Novena*
Wednesday 11:00 AM Cardiff
*Eucharistic Adoration / Rosary / Benediction*
First Fridays 11:30 AM Cardiff
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**FEAST OF ALL SAINTS. NOVEMBER 1, 2026**

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

| DAY | LOCATION | TIME | INTENTIONS | DONORS |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Sat. 31** | Highland Grove | 4:30PM | Repose of souls of all parishioners | |
| **Sun. 1** | Chandos | 9:00AM | Repose of soul of Lila Misium | Laura Danielak |
| | Cardiff | 11:00AM | Birthday wishes for Sean Hughes | Sandy Cole |
| **Mon. 2** | Highland Grove | 7:00PM | Repose of soul of Mary Ellen Fitzgerald | Catherine |
| **Wed. 4** | Cardiff | 11:00AM | | |
| **Thurs. 5** | Cardiff | 7:00PM | | |
| **Fri. 6** | Cardiff | 11:00AM | | |
| **Sat. 7** | Highland Grove | 4:30PM | | |
| **Sun. 8** | Chandos | 9:00AM | | |
| | Cardiff | 11:00AM | | |

| WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT | | |
|---|---|---|
| | **Oct. 18** | **Oct. 25** |
| Highland Grove | $335.00 | $180.00 |
| Chandos/Apsley | $265.00 | $495.00 |
| Cardiff | $145.00 | $200.00 |
| | | |
| Total | $745.00 | $875.00 |
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| E-Transfer | | $1300.00 |
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| POP Oct.15 | $1195.00 | |
| POP Oct. 30 | $1940.00 | |
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| LECTORS | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Date** | **H. Grove** | **Chandos** | **Cardiff** |
| | **Sat. 4:30PM** | **Sun. 9:00AM** | **Sun. 11:00AM** |
| **Oct. 25** | Gary | Sharon | Jerry |
| **Nov. 1** | Mac | Gene | Kelly Hughes |
| **Nov. 8** | Peggy | Joanne | Anne |
| **Nov. 15** | Katie | Sharon | Kelly |
| **Nov. 22** | Brenda | Gene | Jerry |

**Pray for those in need of healing and good health**:
Philip Hughes, Nick Novakowski, Rhys Telka, Jane Tsagrinos, Emilee Calzonetti, Eleanor Cadeau, Hermance Therrien, George Chennette, Megan Connelly, Dan, Claudette Wilkinson, Ely Wisniewski, Even Marshall, Danny Wanless, Fr. John Albao, Marilyn Grisdale, Francisca Poblete, Rosie Welsh, Frank Schumach, Lucy Haill-Riley, Marin Leighton and Martina Wright, Ruth Turner, Justin O'Brien, Pat O'Brien, Christine Stringer, Diana Gurley, Linda Raffin.

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**BIRTHDAYS FOR NOV. Happy Birthday to all our parishioners celebrating this month.**
Jerry Tissera (4), Lynn Waltenbury (4), Wren Colin (6), Beata Serwin (18), Charlie Colin (24), Katie Burroughs (27), Anne Tissera (27), Wren Wadsworth (27), Jim Whelan (28)
**MANY MORE FRUITFUL YEARS AND GOD'S BLESSINGS**

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES FOR NOV:**
John and Anna Chapman (19)
**Congratulations and many more fruitful years ahead.**

Background to the Gospel

Every year the Church recalls the example, witness, and prayer of the holy women and men who have been identified by the Church as Saints. These saints are more than just role models; they are family members with whom we continue to share relation, in a bond of prayer, called the Communion of Saints. Every year when we celebrate this day, the Gospel we proclaim recalls for us Jesus' teaching about happiness, the Beatitudes. We quickly note in this reading that none of those Jesus names as "blessed" or "happy" are expected . . . the poor in spirit, the meek, the persecuted. Jesus' blueprint for happiness reflects little of what the world might call happiness.

What does Jesus mean when he uses the word "blessed?" This word is sometimes translated as "happy" or "fortunate" or "favored." In other words, Jesus is saying that divine favor is upon those who are poor, who mourn, who are persecuted. This might have been welcome and surprising news to the crowds who heard Jesus that day.

The Beatitudes can be understood as a framework for Christian living. Because of this, it is natural that we proclaim this Gospel on the Feast of All Saints. Saints are people who lived the spirit of the Beatitudes as Jesus lived. On this day, we too are challenged to model our lives on the spirit and promises of the Beatitudes.

(Loyola Press)

**BIBLE STUDY- An 8-session parish bible study is being organized at Cardiff. This program is called "Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible". It will be held on alternate Mondays from 7-8:30 (on Mondays opposite Euchre night). Everyone is welcome.**

**SUNDAY NOV. 1 is ALL SAINTS DAY- mass times remain the same.**

**ALL SOULS DAY- Nov. 2 -Cardiff at 11 a.m. and Highland Grove at 7 p.m.**

**November masses are offered for all our deceased loved ones. We are all encouraged to write the names of our deceased parishioners and family members and place them at the foot of the altar.**

**All priests of the diocese will be away from Tuesday to Saturday this week.**

**READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY**

**First Reading**
*Wisdom* 6:12-16
Wisdom will come to those who seek it.

**Responsorial Psalm**
*Psalm* 63:2,3-4,5-6,7-8
Our souls are thirsting for God.

**Second Reading**
*1 Thessalonians* 4:13-18
(shorter form: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-14)
God will raise all those who have died.

**Gospel Reading**
*Matthew* 25:1-13
Jesus tells the parable of the wise and foolish virgins, teaching his disciples the importance of being prepared to receive the Kingdom of Heaven.

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**The diocese is requesting that all the volunteers in the diocese should be screened. To this effect, the screening committee will be contacting the volunteers in the parish for the different levels of screening exercise depending on their volunteer ministries.**

**TURKEY SUPPER**

**Highland Grove Community Centre- November 7, 2026 4 p.m.- 6:30p.m.**

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**This dinner is in aide of The Highland Grove Heritage Committee**

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**There will be coffee hour in Cardiff after the 11:00 a.m. mass on November 1. We appreciate everyone who has been supporting us and encourage more people to volunteer.**

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**After mass on Nov. 14 in Highland Grove there will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Exposition followed by a potluck dinner. Everyone is welcome. This is a change from last week's bulletin as the date had to be changed because of the Turkey Dinner for the Heritage Committee. Please try to support the Heritage Committee by going to the dinner.**