July 6th & 13th, 2025

Harvest Time: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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First Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14 | Psalm 66:1-7, 16, 20 Second Reading: Galatians 6:14-18 | Gospel: Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

Jesus has a vision in this week's Gospel: Satan falling like lightning from the sky, the enemy vanquished by the missionary preaching of His Church.

Sent out by Jesus to begin gathering the nations into the harvest of divine judgment (see Isaiah 27:12–13; Joel 4:13), the seventy are a sign of the continuing mission of the Church.

Carrying out the work of the seventy, the Church proclaims the coming of God's kingdom. She offers His blessings of peace and mercy to every household on earth, "every town and place He intended to visit."

Our Lord's tone is solemn today, for in the preaching of the Church "the kingdom of God is at hand," the time of decision has come for every person. Those who do not receive His messengers will be doomed like Sodom.

But those who believe will find peace and mercy, protection and nourishment in the bosom of the Church, the Mother Zion we celebrate in this week's beautiful First Reading, the "Israel of God" Paul blesses in this week's Epistle.

The Church is a new family of faith (see Galatians 6:10) in which we receive a new name that will endure forever (see Isaiah 66:22), a name written in heaven.

In this week's Psalm, we sing of God's "tremendous deeds among men" throughout salvation history. But of all the works of God, none has been greater than what He has wrought by the Cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. Changing the sea into dry land was but an anticipation and preparation for our passing over, for what Paul calls the "new creation." And as the Exodus generation was protected in a wilderness of serpents and scorpions (see Deuteronomy 8:15), He has given His Church power now over "the full force of the enemy." Nothing will harm us as we make our way through the wilderness of this world, awaiting the Master of the harvest, awaiting the day when all on earth will shout joyfully to the Lord and sing praise to the glory of His name.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA ONLINE MINISTRIES The Rosary

Emil & Irah Tirona are hosting an <u>online interactive rosary</u>, <u>Mondays at 7:30pm</u>. For those interested, kindly send an email to Emil and Irah (irahtirona@gmail.com), so you may be added to the online invitation. Please call 514-617-4021 if you need any online technical assistance or have questions.

HOMILIES AND REFLECTIONS

During the current COVID restrictions, while the parish is either closed to the public or limited in the number of those who can gather for mass, from time to time Fr. Jason will post on the parish website a homily or reflection on various faith related subjects. You can find the homilies at the following link: http://www.olof.ca/homilies/

ADORATION

Come spend some time with Our Lord.

Tuesdays 6pm to 7pm (mass at 7pm)
Thursdays 8am to 9am (mass at 9am)
Fridays 9:30am to 10:30am (mass at 9am)
First Saturday of the Month 10:30am to 11:30am (mass at 10am)

SAINTLY WISDOM

"Truth suffers, but never dies."
- St. Teresa of Avila

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

July $5^{th} - 20^{th}$, 2025

Saturday 10:00 a.m.	July 5 th	Saint Anthony Zaccaria Gerald O'Donnell – RIP – by Joan O'Donnell
Saturday 4:30 p.m.	July 5 th	Sunday Vigil In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph and Brother Andre – by the Lynes family
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	July 6 th	14 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) Julia de Santos Ferreira - RIP – by Mario Ferreira
11:00 a.m.		Pro Populo
Monday	July 7 th	NO MASS
Tuesday 7:00 p.m.	July 8 th	Weekday Alberto Santos – RIP – by Emil & Irah
Wednesday 9:00 a.m.	July 9 th	St. Augustine Zhao Rong & Companions Patricia Ward – RIP – by Joan O'Donnell
Thursday 9:00 a.m.	July 10 th	Weekday Jonnell C. Labinghisa – RIP – by Jasmina Labagnao
Friday 9:00 a.m.	July 11 th	Saint Benedict Efren Timbol – RIP – by Leticia and family
Saturday 4:30 p.m.	July 12 th	Sunday Vigil Victor Glean & Nicolas Victor – RIP – by the family
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	July 13 th	15 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) Simeona and Damaso Azucar – RIP – by Josie & family
11:00 a.m.		Pro Populo
Monday	July 14 th	NO MASS
Tuesday 7:00 p.m.	July 15 th	Saint Bonaventure Vivenciola Estrada – RIP – by the family
Wednesday 9:00 a.m.	July 16 th	Our Lady of Mount Carmel Philomena Constantine & Pakiasothy Joseph - RIP – by Yvonne Joseph
Thursday 9:00 a.m	July 17 th	Weekday Ofelia Perea & Lester Atas - Thanksgiving
Friday 9:00 a.m.	July 18 th	Weekday Carmen Cabrera & Emily Boupard – Thanksgiving and Blessings
Saturday 4:30 p.m.	July 19 th	Sunday Vigil Beloved parents, Anna & Tadeusz Depa – RIP – by Irene Depa
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	July 20 th	16 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) Rose de Souza – RIP – by Rudy & Nora
11:00 a.m.		Pro Populo

The Fatima Prayer/Decade Prayer

(Mary told the children that people should add this prayer to the end of each decade of the Rosary.)

"O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell, lead all souls to Heaven, especially those most in need of Thy mercy. Amen."

The Sacrifice Prayer

(Mary gave the children this prayer, as well as the Fatima Prayer/Decade Prayer, on June 13th, 1917. The prayer is meant to be recited when you are offering up suffering to God.)

"O Jesus, it is for the love of Thee, in reparation for the offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and for the conversion of poor sinners [that I do this]."

The Pardon Prayer

(This prayer was given to the children by the angel that visited them in 1916, the year before Mary appeared to them.)

"My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love Thee! I beg pardon for all those that do not believe, do not adore, do not hope and do not love Thee."

The Angel's Prayer

(This is another prayer given to the children by the angel. There was a Eucharistic host and chalice suspended in the air, and the angel led them in kneeling before it and praying this prayer.)

"O Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, I adore Thee profoundly. I offer Thee the most precious Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ present in all the tabernacles of the world, in reparation for the outrages, sacrileges and indifferences by which He is offended. By the infinite merits of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary I beg the conversion of poor sinners."

The Eucharistic Prayer

(When Mary appeared to the children for the first time on May 13, 1917, she said, "You will have much to suffer, but the grace of God will be your comfort." According to Lucia, a bright light shone all around them, and without thinking about it, they all started reciting this prayer.)

"Most Holy Trinity, I adore Thee! My God, my God, I love Thee in the Most Blessed Sacrament."