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MESE DOMENICALI

9:00am: Italiano
10:30am: Inglese
12:00noon: Ge'ez Rite

MESE FERIALI

8:00am: da lunedì a Sabato
7:30pm: Mercoledì & Venerdì:
Messe memoriali (prenotare prima)

BATTESIMI

Chiamate in Ufficio quanto prima

CONFESSIONI

Tutti i giorni prima della Messa
Sabato dalle 4 alle 5pm
Altri giorni su appuntamento

MATRIMONI

Prenotarsi 1 anno prima

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SUNDAY MASSES

9:00am: Italian
10:30am: English (with Children's Liturgy)
12:00noon: Ge'ez Rite

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:00am: Monday to Saturday
7:30pm: Wednesday & Friday Memorial
mass (upon request)

BAPTISM

By appointment and after instruction.
Parents must be registered members of our
parish community

CONFESSIONS

Every day before Mass and after mass and
upon request

MARRIAGES

One year notice and marriage course
mandatory

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Please call the Office

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Please call Rectory anytime

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THIS YEAR’S PARISH GOAL IS \$9,800.

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For information on how to donate, please see our website (<https://stnicholasofbarito.archtoronto.org/About-Us/donate>).

Thank you for your generosity!

THIS WEEK’S READINGS

1st Reading: 1 Kings 19:9, 11-13.
Psalm: Psalm 85:8ab+9, 10-11, 12-13.
2nd Reading: Romans 9:1-5.
Gospel: Matthew 14:22-33.

**At once [Jesus] spoke to them,
“Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid.” —Matt. 14:27**

Have you heard the slogan, “Seeing is believing”? It means that you will not believe something unless you see it for yourself. That’s generally a good way to measure if something is real, but not necessarily if something is true. For instance, in today’s Gospel, we read about Jesus walking on water. We can understand why his disciples have a hard time believing their eyes. Jesus invited Peter to try walking on water and to Peter’s surprise—so long as he kept his eyes on Jesus—he succeeded. To us, this seems unreal. But it is revealing a truth that cannot be denied: Jesus is God and with God all things are possible. Even if we can’t understand how or why God does things, we can trust that he has our best interest in mind. His plans for us are always good; if we keep our sights set on Jesus, we will eventually see God’s plans revealed.

Lord, help me to trust you. There are so many ways you have shown me that you are Almighty God. Remind me again, Jesus, so my faith will grow strong enough to believe even what seems impossible.

19° DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO – 9 AGOSTO 2020



Mass
Intentions

Because of COVID-19, by decree of His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, Masses in the church of St Nicholas of Bari are limited to 100 participants, until further notice. Because of these restrictions, you are dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass.

Please know, Fr. Bruno will be saying Masses for the parishioners and their intentions.

August 9 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - Ippolito e Maria Bonofiglio

10:30am - MASS WILL ALSO BE LIVESTREAMED-

12:00pm - Catholic Ge'ez Rite

August 10 Monday/Lunedì

FEAST OF ST LAWRENCE / FESTA DI SAN LORENZO

8:00am - (CANCELLED)

August 11 Tuesday/Martedì

Memorial of St. Clare / Memoriale di Santa Chiara

8:00am - Nilo Shorekela, Nadeyepo Melchor Shorekela, Maria Antonia e Carmine Cutillo

11:00am - Catholic Ge'ez Rite

August 12 Wednesday/Mercoledì

8:00am - Angelina Bambabina Burselm

7:30pm - Carla Arnini, Armando Arnini, Anna Carletti e Gaetano Carletti

August 13 Thursday/Giovedì

8:00am - Giovanni D'Angelo

11:00am - Catholic Ge'ez Rite

August 14 Friday/Venerdì

Memorial of St Maximilian Kolbe / Memoriale di San Massimiliano Maria Kolbe

8:00am - In onore di San Rocco e defunti Marianna e Vincenzo Pietropaolo e Nello Grande

August 15 Saturday/Sabato

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY / SOLENNITÀ DELL'ASSUNZIONE DELLA BEATA VERGINE MARIA

8:00am - Melchor Shorekela

August 16 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - in onore a San Rocco dell'Assunta, Joe e Serafino Militello, Giovannina, Gaetana e Giovanni La Corte, Giuseppe Lodato, Ignazio Shambari, Francesco Martino

10:30 - MASS WILL ALSO BE LIVESTREAMED -

12:00pm - Catholic Ge'ez Rite

RIFLESSIONE SULLE LETTURE DI QUESTA SETTIMANA

Prima Lettura: 1 Re 19:9, 11-13.

Salmo: Salmo 85:8ab+9, 10-11, 12-13.

Seconda Lettura: Romani 9:1-5.

Vangelo: Matteo 14:22-33.

La paura e la mancanza di coraggio rappresentano un notevole ostacolo ad una vita di fede e d'amore.

Anche noi, proprio come gli apostoli sulla barca, possiamo lasciarci paralizzare dalla paura, che ci impedisce di vedere quanto Cristo ci sia vicino.

Egli è l'Emmanuele, il Dio-con-noi, ed è anche il Dio della natura, che comanda alle tempeste e a tutte le forze distruttrici: "Egli annunzia la pace... La sua salvezza è vicina a chi lo teme" (Sal 85,9-10); anche quando ci sembra di essere su una barca a "qualche miglio da terra e... agitata dalle onde, a causa del vento contrario", egli non è mai lontano da ognuno di noi.

Come san Pietro, dobbiamo essere pronti a rischiare la nostra sicurezza e l'eccessiva preoccupazione per noi stessi, se vogliamo che la nostra fede si rafforzi. Cristo dice ad ognuno di noi: "Vieni". Per rispondere e per andare a lui, a volte, dobbiamo attraversare le acque della sofferenza.

Che cosa succede, allora, quando, sentendo la forza del vento, cominciamo ad avere paura e ad affondare? Per superare la paura si deve seguire l'esempio di Gesù: "Salì sul monte, solo, a pregare". La fede si rafforza solo con una pratica regolare della preghiera.

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