

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Year "C" Acts 13.14,43-52; Revelation 7.9, 14b-17; John 10.27-30

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (Psalm 32.5-6)

The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the word of the Lord the heavens were made, alleluia.

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Monday, April 18 th	8:30 a.m.	† Paul & Benedicta D'Souza
Tuesday, April 19 th	8:30 a.m.	† Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday, April 20 th	7:30 p.m.	† Alex & Felicidade D'Souza
Thursday, April 21 st	8:30 a.m.	Intentions 60 th Anniversary Mike & Imelda Hogan
Friday, April 22 nd	8:30 a.m.	† Monica Pradhan
Saturday, April 23 rd	5:00 p.m.	† Agnes Puhalski
Sunday, April 24 th	9:00 a.m.	† Ken & Mary Cahill
	11:00 a.m.	M.P.P.
	5:00 p.m.	† Derrick D'Gama

Sunday April 17th – Saturday April 23rd

The Votive lamp beside "Our Lady of Fatima" is offered for the intentions of Sarah Hughes and Andrew Parkins

PAPAL INTENTIONS FOR APRIL

Universal: *Small Farmers* ~ That small farmers may receive a just reward for their precious labour.

Evangelization: *African Christians* ~ That Christians in Africa may give witness to love and faith in Jesus Christ amid political-religious conflicts.

WEEKLY PARISH EVENTS

- Monday, April 18th**
7:00 p.m. Catholic Women's Guild Evening of Recollection – Room B
- Tuesday, April 19th**
6:00 p.m. Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - Atrium
- Wednesday, April 20th**
7:00 p.m. RCIA – Room A
- Thursday, April 21st**
7:00 p.m. SVDP Meeting – Room C
7:30 p.m. Legion of Mary – Room A
- Saturday, April 23rd**
1:00 p.m. Parkins/Hughes Wedding

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HOLY DOORS OF MERCY PILGRIMAGE SATURDAY, JUNE 25TH



Pope Francis has announced an opportunity for Catholics to obtain a plenary indulgence during the Year of Mercy by passing through a designated Holy Door during the Year of Mercy, or performing one of the corporal or spiritual works of mercy; and fulfilling the usual conditions of having the interior disposition of complete detachment from sin, receiving sacramental Confession and the Holy Eucharist, and praying for the intentions of the Holy Father.

The Jubilee Year of Mercy commenced when Pope Francis opened the Holy Door of St. Peter's Basilica on December 8, 2015 and on December 13, 2015 all the Holy Doors in Cathedrals and designated churches throughout the world opened to pilgrims. Holy Redeemer Parish will go on a pilgrimage to one of these designated churches, St. Theresa's Shrine in Scarborough, on **Saturday, June 25th** followed by a reception here at Holy Redeemer in the parish hall.

WE PRAY FOR THE SOUL OF
Mary Knox



SACRAMENTAL DATES CONFIRMATION

CONFIRMATION REHEARSAL

St. Monica Grade 8 & Church Group
Thursday, April 28th 7:00 p.m. in the Church

Fr. Fénelon Grade 8 & Church Group
Saturday, April 30th 10:00 a.m. in the Church

Grade 7 All Schools
Thursday, May 19th 7:00 p.m. in the Church

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

St. Monica Grade 8 & Church Group
Saturday, May 7th 10:00 a.m.

Fr. Fénelon Grade 8 & Church Group
Saturday, May 7th 2:00 p.m.

Grade 7 All Schools
Saturday, May 21st 2:00 p.m.

SACRAMENTAL DATES FIRST COMMUNION



FIRST COMMUNION REHEARSAL
Saturday, May 14th 10:00 a.m. in the Hall and Church

FIRST RECONCILIATION
Tuesday, May 24th 7:00 p.m. in the Church

FIRST COMMUNION
Sunday, May 29th 1:00 p.m.



GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

John 10:27-30
Jesus describes his care for his sheep.

The fourth Sunday of Easter is also called Good Shepherd Sunday. In John's Gospel we learn about the familiarity and intimacy between Jesus and his disciples, expressed as recognizing and knowing another's voice. This week's Gospel also speaks to the relationship between Jesus and the Father. Jesus identifies so closely with the Father that he tells us that they are one—not just close, but actually one. To know Jesus is to know the Father. Jesus doesn't just bring us closer to the Father, Jesus puts us directly into contact with God the Father, removing all distance between us. Our relationship with Jesus is an invitation to share in the life of God.

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C.W.G. EVENING OF RECOLLECTION

On **Monday, April 18th** the Catholic Women's Guild will be having an evening of recollection, starting at **6:00 p.m.** with a light supper. All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend.



SECOND SHARELIFE SUNDAY

"The ShareLife campaign provides for the needs of our social service agencies, helps our brothers and sisters in Christ across the world, and supports the education of our clergy. It is important that we continue to support the ShareLife appeal to provide for the needs of the marginalized both here in our communities and around the world. **Regardless of their religious beliefs or personal background, ShareLife agencies meet people where they are, treating them with the dignity and respect we all deserve.**" – *Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto.*

Today is ShareLife Sunday is April 17, 2016
Thank you for your generosity. You can work wonders!



Knights Korner Council 11729

This weekend, members of our Council are distributing lapel roses on behalf of Rose of Durham. In addition to this effort, the charity is also presenting an exciting volunteer opportunity for a "Jack or Jill" of all trades, to assist with odd jobs around the office, such as drywall repair, plumbing and minor electrical work. In all, it is estimated that the commitment is one day per month.

If you are interested, I ask you to call Deneen Nolte, the office manager of Rose of Durham at 905-432-3622 ext. 300. It's all about giving the gift of time.

Walter Heeney
Grand Knight