

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year "A" Isaiah 49.3, 5-6; 1 Corinthians 1.1-3
John 1.29-34

Entrance Antiphon (Psalm 65.4)

All the earth shall bow down before you, O God, and shall sing to you, shall sing to your name, O Most High!

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 16th
8:30 a.m. Intentions for Colleen Rumball
Tuesday, January 17th <i>Memorial – St. Anthony</i>
8:30 a.m. † Unannounced
Wednesday, January 18th
7:30 p.m. † Ilda Vaz
Thursday, January 19th
8:30 a.m. † Deceased Members of the Bridgeman & Knox Families
Friday, January 20th
8:30 a.m. † Ron & Travis Robertson
Saturday, January 21st
5:00 p.m. † Father Jack Culnan
Sunday, January 22nd
9:00 a.m. † Vincent Fernandez
11:00 a.m. Mass Pro Populo
5:00 p.m. † Pedro Gorospe

Papal Intentions for January

Evangelization: *Christian Unity* ~ That all Christians may be faithful to the Lord's teaching by striving with prayer and fraternal charity to restore ecclesial communion and by collaborating to meet the challenges facing humanity.



Holy Redeemer Youth Ministry

Holy Redeemer Youth Ministry has some very exciting announcements for 2017!

1. We have a new LIFE TEEN Launch Date! Our LIFE TEEN LAUNCH will be **Monday February 6th, 2017** from 7:00pm-9:00pm.
2. We plan to attend the Steubenville T.O Youth Conference, Toronto's Largest Catholic Youth Conference. It is a weekend filled with wonderful speakers, praise and worship and reflection. This year it will be held at the University Of Ontario Institute Of Technology (UOIT) in Oshawa from **July 28th, 2017-July 30th, 2017**. Registration forms as well as a \$75.00 deposit are due on February 5th, 2017. Please see Youth Minister Bianca Hutchinson for more information.

Bulletin Board

Tuesday, January 17th	
6:00 p.m.	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
7:00 p.m.	First Communion & Confirmation Reconciliation Catechesis Meeting
7:00 p.m.	Senior Choir Practice
Wednesday, January 18th	
7:00 p.m.	Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
7:15 p.m.	Confirmation Classes
Thursday, January 19th	
7:00 p.m.	S.V.D.P. Meeting
7:30 p.m.	Legion of Mary
Friday, January 20th	
7:00 p.m.	Youth Edge Night
Saturday, January 21st	
9:00 a.m.	C.P.R. & AED Training
Sunday, January 22nd	
12:00 p.m.	Muffin Sunday

Mark Your Calendar!

- Tuesday, **February 7th** 10-week Bible Study
- Sunday, **February 12th** C.W.L. Ladies Brunch
- Saturday, **March 4th** World Day of Prayer
- Sunday, **March 19th** St. Patrick's Day Pot

Bible Study - Catholicism

"A Journey to the Heart of Our Faith"

With the DVD host, Bishop Robert Barron, you will learn what Catholics believe and why. You will see the art, architecture, literature, beliefs and practices of the Catholic tradition from all around the world. The Catholicism Faith Formation Program brings the beauty, goodness and truth of the Church to life so that you can better understand and share your faith. Welcome to a 10 week series, every Tuesday night from 7-8:30pm starting Tuesday, February 7th, 2017.(with the exception of Monday, March 13th due to the Blood Donor Clinic on the 14th) For more information, please contact Rachelle at (647)961-5880.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

The 2017 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity among the different Christian denominations begins on **Wednesday 18th until Wednesday 25th January**. The theme chosen for this year is "Reconciliation-The Love of Christ Compels Us" from *2 Cor. 5:14-20*. Prayer inspires oneness with God and with one another and Reconciliation disarms division. May the week bring us closer to one another.

Retrouvaille

Retrouvaille is a world-leading programme designed to provide help and support to married couples who are undergoing stress and difficulties in their relationship. It has also lead to reconciliation for couples who are separated or divorced but who wish to restore and rebuild their marriage.

Retrouvaille programmes are presented numerous times every year in the Toronto area. The next programme will begin with a weekend on Jan. 27-29, 2017. For more information or to register, please call 416-281-6007 or visit www.torontoretrouvaille.com All contact is kept in strict confidence.

25th Annual Lift Jesus Higher Rally

"The light shines in the darkness" John 1:5

Saturday, March 4, 2017 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Metro Toronto Convention Centre

Join us for the largest single-day Catholic event in Canada! Hear inspired testimonies and talks by Sr. Ann Shields, Peter Herbeck and keynote guest speaker Bishop Scott McCaig. There will be a Eucharistic Adoration procession and Holy Mass with Cardinal Thomas Collins. There will also be a separate youth event (13-18 years) with great music, dynamic talks, inspirational skits, Eucharistic Adoration and Holy Mass with Bishop Scott.

Adults \$25; Youth \$15 For more or tickets:

416-251-4255 or 905-833-0360 www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca or info@lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca

C.W.G. Annual Brunch

All ladies of our parish are invited to the Catholic Women's Guild annual Sunday brunch in the parish hall on Sunday, February 12th following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Brunch will be prepared for the ladies by the Knights of Columbus.

Tickets are \$16.00 each, be sure to get yours as they sell out quickly. Please call Maggie for tickets or more information at 905-839-3289.

Toronto Serra Clubs

St. Paul tells us that we have been sanctified in Christ Jesus and called to be a holy people. Could it be that you or someone in your family is being called to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationstoronto.ca

First Communion & Confirmation Reconciliation Catechesis Meeting

All parents/guardians and Confirmation Candidates for the Sacrament of First Communion and Confirmation are required to attend one of these meetings. **Sunday, January 15, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.** or **Tuesday, January 17 at 7:00 p.m.**

The meeting will be held in the parish hall

Sacramental Dates

First Communion Rehearsal

St. Monica School

Tuesday, April 25th at 7:00 p.m.

Fr. Fénelon School

Saturday, April 29th at 10:00 .m.

First Reconciliation

Tuesday, May 2nd at 7:00 p.m.

First Communion

St. Monica School

Saturday, May 6th at 1:00 p.m.

Fr. Fénelon School

Sunday, May 7th at 1:00 p.m.

Confirmation Rehearsal

Fr. Fénelon School

Thursday, June 1st at 7:00 p.m.

St. Monica School & Church Group

Thursday, June 8th at 7:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Confirmation

Fr. Fénelon School

Sunday, June 4th at 1:00 p.m.

St. Monica School & Church Group

Sunday, June 11th at 1:00 p.m.



Knights Korner Council 11729

Our breakfast this weekend is a chance to say thank you to everyone in our parish for your generosity and support during this past year.

While our brother Knights are on site "volunteering", we are enjoying a pleasant surprise as several young men and women from St. Mary High School are also "volunteering" as part of the high school community hour's requirement program. We are grateful for this support and invite you to say "thank you" to our group of young helpers assisting with our presentation. Enjoy your breakfast.

Walter Heeney
Grand Knight