

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Year "A" Acts 8.5-8, 14-17; 1 Peter 3.15-18
John 14.15-21

Entrance Antiphon (Isaiah 48.20)

Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard; proclaim to the ends of the earth: The Lord has freed his people, alleluia.

"Pray without ceasing."

1 Thessalonians 5:17



	Monday, May 22nd <i>Acts 16.11-15; John 15.26-16.4a</i>
9:00 a.m.	† Alban Berlie
	Tuesday, May 23rd <i>Acts 16.22-34; John 16.5-11</i>
8:30 a.m.	† Unannounced
	Wednesday, May 24th <i>Acts 17.15,22-18.1; John 16.12-15</i>
7:30 p.m.	† Unannounced
	Thursday, May 25th <i>Acts 18.1-8; John 16.16-20</i>
8:30 a.m.	Thanksgiving Intentions Liz Nero
	Friday, May 26th <i>Memorial St. Philip Neri</i> <i>Acts 18.9-18; John 16.20-23a</i>
8:30 a.m.	† Roshan Anandappa
	Saturday, May 27th
5:00 p.m.	† Agnes & Peter Puhalski
	Sunday, May 28th
9:00 a.m.	† Maria Rose & Ernesto Diodati
11:00 a.m.	Mass Pro Populo
5:00 p.m.	† Luis & Maria Borges

Papal Intentions – May

Evangelization: *Christians in Africa* ~ That Christians in Africa, in imitation of the Merciful Jesus, may give prophetic witness to reconciliation, justice, and peace.



Confirmation Rehearsal's:

Thurs, June 1st @ 7:00 p.m.

Fr. Fénelon School

Thurs, June 8th @ 7:00 p.m.

St. Monica School & Church Group

Sacrament of Confirmation:

Sunday, June 4th @ 1:00 p.m. Fr. Fénelon School

Sunday, June 11th @ 1:00 p.m. St. Monica School & Church Group

Reminder: The office will be closed on Monday, May 22nd for Victoria Day.

What's
Happening

This Week

Tuesday, May 23rd

7:00 p.m. Senior Choir Practice

Thursday, May 25th

7:30 p.m. Legion of Mary

Saturday, May 27th

9:30 a.m. K.O.C. Executive Meeting

12:30 p.m. C.F.C.F.F.L.

CWG Evening of Recollection

Monday, May 29th, the CWG will host an evening of recollection, starting with a light supper in the parish hall at 6:30 p.m. Supper is followed by a talk and mass by our celebrant Monsignor Sam Bianco. After mass, dessert, coffee and tea will be served in hall. All women of the parish are welcome.



LIVING ROSARY

As we come to the end of the month of May, the Legion of Mary is inviting us all to a living Rosary on Sunday, May 28th following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Join us in this wonderful spiritual exercise. Followed by light refreshments and fellowship in the hall.

Rose of Durham

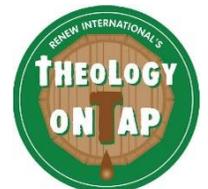
Calling on all knitters, friends and ladies of the Parish. The members of the C.W.G. are one again hosting our annual Rose of Durham Baby Shower and Pot-Luck Supper, **Monday, June 12th at 6:30 p.m.**

We are asking for donations of clothes, diapers (ranging from preemie to 2 years), blankets and toiletries. This is a very worthy cause as it helps support mothers to keep their babies. For further information please contact Maggie at 905-839-3289.



Plan to attend Theology on Tap this **Tuesday, May 23rd 2017** at Bobby C's. Diagnosed with MS (Multiple Sclerosis) in 1996 our guest, Angela Kirby, decided to celebrate her 70th birthday in 2015 by walking 31 five-kilometer

walks in 13 countries 'around' the world. Angela is an active member of Holy Redeemer Parish in Pickering and a former employee of CUPE Ontario, and prior to that, she worked for 14 years with the Archdiocese of Toronto. Come and hear this remarkable woman! Dinner after 6:00 pm – Talk at 7:00 pm.



Office of Vocations

The Lord said, "I will not leave you orphaned." Pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. email: vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationstoronto.ca



The Pope's Pastoral Works May 21st, 2017

A disastrous flood or earthquake strikes a nation at the other end of the world. Immediately many countries rush in food, medicine, blankets, money, and trained people. Prominent among such aid is the financial help offered by the Holy Father to people in need. In the name of Catholics everywhere, he displays Christ's love and compassion for those who suffer.

Each year at this time, Canadian Catholics are asked to give generously to this papal collection, which is passed on to the Holy Father for his use among those stricken by natural disasters.

This weekend is the annual Papal Charities collection. If you need special collection envelopes they are available at the back of the church.



FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR

Saturday, June 10th, 2017 at 9:00 AM

Catholic Cemeteries and the Archdiocese estate planning team will share:

- How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will
- How to ensure your wishes are legally protected
- About Powers of Attorney
- Estate Trustee selection
- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors
- Our Catholic traditions around wills, burial and funerals

An estate planning kit will be provided at no cost.

Location: Resurrection Cemetery (355 Taunton Rd E, Whitby)

Refreshments will be provided.

RSVP: Frank Jannetta, Catholic Cemeteries

416.733-8544 ext. 2023 or fjannetta@cc-fs.ca

Celebration of Memory and Hope

You are invited to join members of St. John the Evangelist parish at it's annual "Celebration of Memory and Hope" being held on **Wednesday May 24th starting at 7:30 p.m.** in the church's parish centre located at 903 Giffard St., Whitby, following the 7:00 p.m. mass held in the church. This celebration is an opportunity for members of our faith community to come together for an hour of gentle prayer, in remembrance of loved ones that we have lost through death. The celebration includes a prayer service and the lighting of candles in memory of loved ones. For additional information please call St. John the Evangelist's parish office at (905) 668-3676.

ShareLife Living the Gospel

Living the Gospel by caring for the elderly...

"Words cannot convey our gratitude to Elizabeth and to the Society of Sharing for giving our mother a new meaning to her life. Before the friendly visit program started, our mother was very depressed and unmotivated. However, her life changed when Elizabeth started to visit her. Elizabeth is a very kind, energetic and enthusiastic volunteer and her hobby is artwork. She decided to share her talent with our mother and has been giving her art lessons in acrylic painting. The intellectual stimulation has been tremendous and, as a result, has enhanced her health and her quality of life as she relaxes and focuses on her art projects. Thank you again, for all your support." Last year ShareLife-supported agencies provided outreach programs that met the needs of over 2,200 seniors.

Next ShareLife Sunday is June 4, 2017

Please give generously.



Knights Corner Council 11729

A new leadership is in place. Following our meeting on May 4th they are: Errol Jennings (Grand Knight), Richard Hemingway (Deputy Grand Knight), Mark De Souza (Chancellor), Cyril Beasley (Warden), John Bernard (Treasurer), Hugh Fulton (Three Year Trustee), Steve McGill (Two Year Trustee), Jim Harold (One Year Trustee), Vilim Spinoti (Advocate) and Hans Pennock and Paul Locke (Inside/Outside Guards). Carl Balestreri remains as our appointed Financial Secretary. The position of Recorder remains vacant and will be filled at our next meeting. May God bless these gentlemen as they serve our council in the coming year. Walter Heeney - Grand Knight