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*We saw his star in the East
and have come to worship Him*



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

JANUARY 6TH 2019

Year "C" Isaiah 60.1-6; Ephesians 3.2-3a, 5-6; Matthew 2.1-12

Entrance Antiphon (Malachi 3.1; 1 Chronicles 29.12): Behold, the Lord, the Mighty One, has come; and kingship is in his grasp, and power and dominion.



Mass Intentions THIS WEEK



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Saturday, January 5th

5 p.m. + ALU LOBO

Sunday, January 6th

9 a.m. + RON MANDARELLO

11 a.m. MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

5 p.m. + NOREEN O'LEARY

Monday, January 7th

Memorial of St. Andre Bessette, Religious

8:30 a.m. + UNANNOUNCED

Tuesday, January 8th

8:30 a.m. + RITA BRETT

Wednesday, January 9th

7:30 p.m. + EVA MARY & EDWARD AUSTIN

Thursday, January 10th

8:30 a.m. + UNANNOUNCED

Friday, January 11th

8:30 a.m. + FR. BUD QUENELLE

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Saturday, January 12th

5 p.m. + LUBICA & ALBERTO GOLUBIC

Sunday, January 13th

9 a.m. INT. MARGUERIDA & ROGERIO GALANTE

11 a.m. MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

5 p.m. + UNANNOUNCED

P.A.M. (PROVIDE-A-MEAL)

The next casserole pick-up date is **Tuesday, January 8th**

from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the parish hall. If you are unable to come during this time you may drop the casserole on **Wednesday, January 9th** from 8 am to 9 am.



We thank you for your commitment each month to feed the homeless at the Good Shepherd Centre.

May God bless you for your generosity!



FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION RECONCILIATION CATECHESIS MEETING



All parents/guardians and Confirmation Candidates are required to attend one of these meetings:

Either Sunday, January 13 at 2 p.m. or Tuesday, January 15 at 7 p.m.

The meeting will be held in the Church

PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY



LIFE TEEN
Leading Teens Closer to Christ



EDGE

EVENT I: LIFETEEN

DATE: Sunday, January 6th
TIME: 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.
FOR: Grade 9 to 12 Students

EVENT II: EDGE NIGHT

DATE: Friday, January 11th
TIME: 7 pm - 9 pm.
FOR: Grade 6, 7 and 8 Students

2019 ENVELOPES: The envelopes for 2019 are available in the parish hall. If you do not see your name please contact the office. Please check that your name and address are correct.



There will be a second collection for the building fund on **January 12/13**.
Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

OFFERTORY OF THE 7 DAY CANDLE

Would you like to light the Sanctuary Lamp or the **Our Lady of Fatima Lamp** for your intention?

Contact the parish office for more information.





**WEEK OF PRAYER FOR
CHRISTIAN UNITY: January 18-25, 2019**

The theme of this year's celebration is :
Justice, Only Justice, You shall pursue. (Deuteronomy 16:20)
Join us as we celebrate a Special Mass for the commencing of the week of Prayer for Christian Unity on **Friday, January 18 at 8:30 a.m.**
In our parish, we will have a special prayer for Christian Unity recited after the Mass during the week.

RETRouvaille

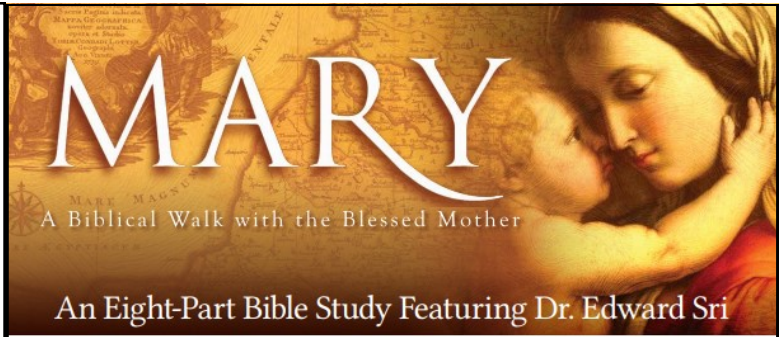
Retrouvaille is a world-leading programme designed to provide help and support to married couples who are undergoing stress and difficulties in their relationship. It has also lead to reconciliation for couples who are separated or divorced but who wish to restore and rebuild their marriage.

Retrouvaille programmes are presented numerous times every year in the Toronto area.

**UPCOMING RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND IN TORONTO:
JANUARY 25 TO 27, 2019**

LOCATION: Retrouvaille weekends are held at a hotel located in Mississauga, Ontario, close to Highway 401.

For more information or to register, please call 416-281-6007 or visit www.torontoretrouvaille.com
All contact is kept in strict confidence.



Dates, Times, Location

Join us for:
Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother at St. Bernadette Parish Hall
21 Bayly St. E. Ajax, ON
beginning Wednesday January 9, from 9:30 am to 11:30 am
or Friday January 11, from 7pm to 9 pm

Cost/Registration

\$35 for Study Guide (Optional)
To register for the study, call Renate at 905-686-0745 or Michelle at 905-686-3259 or e-mail: gsmlministry@gmail.com

For More Information

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Filed on location in the Holy Land, this study will place you in the midst of the powerful drama of Mary's earthly life, taking you through her joys ... and her sorrows.

You will learn how she works in our lives today, drawing us ever closer to her Divine Son. Seeing Mary in this way will change you forever.

In Mary you will:

- Visit the grotto of Mary's home, the cave where Christ was born, and other rarely seen places in the Holy Land.
- See the significance of Mary as you explore the Biblical roots of our beliefs about her.
- Deepen your devotion to Mary as you discover our Blessed Mother in a uniquely personal way.



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—John W.



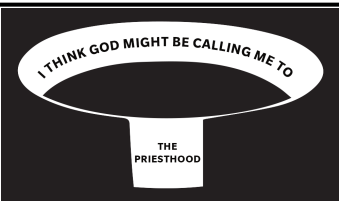
Visit BibleStudyForCatholics.com to learn more!



Sincere thanks to all who are participating in the toiletry drive.

In 2018 you have filled the equivalent of 20 large garbage bags.

In gratitude of the recipients
a *Heartfelt Thank You*
... and please keep them coming!



As John the Baptist introduced the people of his time to Jesus a voice from heaven said, "You are my Son, the Beloved, with you I am well pleased."

Perhaps God is calling you to do the same in our time as a priest, deacon or religious. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, **contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto**
Phone: 416-968-0997 Email: vocations@archtoronto.org
Website: www.vocationstoronto.ca



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REGISTER FOR GRADE 1 FRENCH IMMERSION

You are invited to enrol your child into the French Immersion program at schools across the Durham Catholic District School Board. Online registration opens **December 10, 2018 to January 18, 2019.** Students entering Grade 1 in September 2019 are eligible to register.

Visit dcdsb.ca and click on the French Immersion banner to register.

Opening Doors to Opportunities!

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

You are invited to register your child for Kindergarten at one of the Durham Catholic schools across the region. Your child must be turning 4 years of age by December 31, 2019 in order to enrol. Online registration will take place from **January 14-19, 2019.**

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For questions, email admissions@dcdsb.ca.

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