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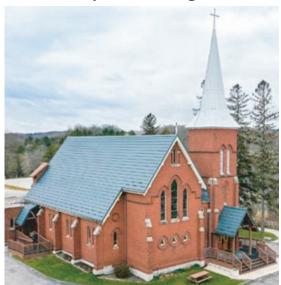
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OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Fri 9:00-5:00p.m.; Sat 1-6 p.m. & Sun 9-1:15 p.m.

All are welcome here at St. John and St. Cornelius in Caledon. We proclaim the Good News and celebrate the Eucharist. We rejoice with new members joining us through Baptism and conversion. We smile with our children, youth, and newly married couples. We sympathize and pray for our sick and remember and honour those called to eternal life in heaven. We nurture the gift of faith, serving those in need and build community through fellowship and sharing of our time, talent, and treasure. We celebrate the beauty of creation, from conception to natural death. We treasure our historical past and hope in the promise of tomorrow looking forward to a future full of hope and opportunities. We look forward to you being a part of our faith community. Join us and become part of our family. Fr. Bob

SUNDAY MASSES:

St. John's Albion - Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 8:45 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 11:45 a.m. **St. Cornelius Parish -** Sunday 8:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS: Rosary after Mass on Fridays Wednesday-Friday 8:30 a.m. - St. John's Church

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Contact office at 905-880-0080

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE Contact office at 905-880-0080 **BAPTISMS:** Pick up booklet from Fr. Bob after any weekend masses.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday between 4:00 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. or by appointment.

MARRIAGES: Couples must contact the Pastor one year in advance and a Marriage Preparation Course is required.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Please call Fr. Bob at 905-880-0080.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS:

Third & Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, Catholic Women's League, Finance Council, Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors, Edge Youth Ministry, Altar Servers, Rosary Group

Mass Intentions



Sat. Feb. 24th, 5:00pm Multi-intentional Mark Ducharme req. by the Parish Mary & Carmelina Carlucci req. by Palma Forte Ganna Dukhovna & Vasilie Hmil req. by the Family Sun. Feb. 25th, 8:30am Available

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. Feb. 25th, 8:45am Martino Family

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. Feb. 25th, 10:15am Franz Stadler

St. John's Church req. by his daughter, Katherin Soares

Sun. Feb. 25th, 11:45am Honorata Malinowska

St. John's Church reg. by the Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

All Souls req. by the Parishioners Franz Stadler req. by his daughter, Katherin Soares All Souls req. by Lucy Cardoso

Feb. 28th, Wed. 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel Thurs. Feb. 29th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel Fri. Mar. 1st, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel

Sat. Mar. 2nd, 5:00pm Multi-intentional

Confirmation Candidates - Mrs Zingaro's Class

Sun. Mar. 3rd, 8:30am Available

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. Mar. 3rd, 8:45am LucyAnn Field

St. John's Church reg. by Roz Walton

Sun. Mar. 3rd, 10:15am Fernando Ariganello

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. Mar. 3rd, 11:45am Reynal Family

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls req. by the Parishioners Fernando Ariganello req. by the Family - The Sanctuary Lamps next to the Tabernacle at St. John's Church may be sponsored as a memorial or intention. The Suggested offering is \$20.00. Please call the office.



Vocations... If you need examples of persons responding to God's call, look at Abraham and Sarah - called in old age to leave their country and have a child. Then Abraham was asked to sacrifice

that child. What faith! Answering God's call to be a priest, brother, sister or deacon is also taking a great risk. If you are willing, and think God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 vocations@archtoronto.org /www.vocationstoronto.ca

EDGE is a catholic ministry for Gr.'s 5, 6, 7 AND 8. Join us Mar 3rd at 1 pm at St. John's Church. For more info, email



youthministrycaledoneast@gmail.com. This is a great opportunity for our youth to have something for themselves in our parish family. Hope to see you there!!!

Env # 4104, 4105, 4084 - Please contact the office or write your full name and address on your envelope.



Please Pray for those who died this past week and especially those who rest in our cemeteries.

Please Pray for Our Sick:

Justin Di Nino - Hannah Carlton - Šhannon Frediani - Rose Daniels - Ellena Sperini - Bradley Gualtieri - Filomena Chivaro - Chris Phillips - Balentina Pono - Maggie - Gennie Prophero - Livana Schwartz - Ellen & Jim Atwater -Armanda Rodrigues - Mary Muir - Anne Weeden - Judge Wilfred DuPont -Patricia Militello - Ashley Alvarez - Beata Krzecko-Symbor - Marti West -Fabiano Busca - Master Sergeant Denise Ryan - Ronny Smith - Luigi Facchini - Natasha Minnella - Anthony Ranallo - Matt Gerrits - Bernice Theurer - Emily Ribout - Carmelita Petierre - Robert Calleja - Marie Brown - Anderson Reyes -Iva McDonell - Philip Weeden - Logan Filice - Frank & Mary Vite - Liana Francey - Ken & Ann Holychuk - Christian Pileggi - David Wilson - Jessie Neals - Josephine Liau - Nidia Contente - Adrian Grice - Brenda Shard -Nazzareno Petrini - Margaret McConnel - Laurence Lussier - Kate Kirvan -Frank & Mary Mansley - Joe Clenbri - Mallory Boutiller - Linda Dixon - John Hawton - Vincezo Amtiello - Craig Ionson - Joe Lassaline - Linda Fraser - Jeff Kotarski - Emma Harper - Sheila Smith - Britney Smith - Jules Bergeret -Marlene & David Hall - Rosa Santos - Teresa Wolinski - Maria De Sousa -Giuseppe Giannini - Larry Fawcett - Kiana Tran - SK Bruce McCallum - Paul Centis - Winifred Gray - Georgina Busuttil - Carmela Valvano - Winifred Yaw Gray - Christina Granzotto - Peter Cicero - Alfonso Marignani - Trevor Rouncville - Vince Trama - Thomas Gray - Ornella Vitale - Brenda Matthews -Beverly Stacey - Paul Stacey - Biagio Mazza - Nina Colomba - Tina laboni -Olga Kostihova - Stephania Zambrano - Harold Smith - Albertina de Sousa -Filomena Filipe - Anne & Bob Weeden - Nancy Lister - Julijana Sterpin - Tina Michelucci - Joe Caradonna - Sylwia Mrowca Migiel - Malgorzata Krol - Aurora Alonzi - Catarina Lourenco - Biagio Mazza - Maria Mazza - Pat McFarland -Aintzane Mio - Gina & Isabella Bonetti - Vanessa - Colleen Glynn - Elio Pippo - David Gibbins - Vivian Mio - Julie Dunoo - Lidia Chojnacka - LucyAnn Field

If you want to add or remove someone to our sick list or prayers for the deceased - call 905-880-0080.

Communion Reflection... Do you like to play hide and seek? Some people can squeeze into the smallest, most surprising places. On the other hand, some very young children try to hide by covering their eyes. They think that if they can't see you, you can't see them either. Sometimes we act like God can't see us. We might get busy and forget that God is with us. We might even try not to think about him, like when we're tempted to do something we know is wrong. We're at the beginning of our Lenten journey now. We want to welcome Easter with our eyes and our hearts open. So let's keep looking for God in the usual places—in our church and through the stories in the Bible, in the world He made and in the people who love us. Let's also look for God in surprising places, like in sadness and suffering. After all, God is always with us. Even when we feel as though we are covered in darkness, God is there, shining like a beacon. We may just need to open our eyes.



We often complain about not having enough ime or that we are too busy. Most likely, this is accurate. But have you ever stopped and LENT asked yourself, "What am I doing for others?" with our various activities, do we ever offer

ourselves to help those less fortunate? Jesus had plenty of outside activities but he was never too busy to feel the pain of others. This Lent, stop and ask yourself "In what way can I alleviate the pain of someone else?" Perhaps in some small way you can make a difference in the lives of other people.



Young Adult Ministry Does Science Eliminate God? Join us on Feb 25 at 1pm in the church hall for fellowship and a presentation on science and faith.

Knight's of Columbus Membership Drive
Feb 24/25 Join the Knights of Columbus in the church basement following Mass Sunday Feb
25. It's a wonderful opportunity to connect with the local Knights to learn more about the organization and enjoy some coffee!



Grieving with Great Hope is a 6 week program which provides us with a sacred space to do just that. A welcoming confidential setting to provide support and

help and an awareness of how to navigate our grieving process. Final meeting: **Sat Mar 2**nd **at 10 am**, here at St. John's email Yasmin at stjohnshealingministry@gmail.com for more info.

The CWL presents **Soup for the Soul**. Join us in the church basement on **Mar 2 at 6 pm** (after Mass). Warm up your hearts and tummies and



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sample the soups lovingly prepared by our members. This is a free event that is open to all.

CWL Easter Lily Fundraiser Order forms are available at the back of the church. Place completed order form in the collection baskets

during Mass or drop off at the office (Mon-Fri 9am-5pm). All orders must be in by **Mar 17.** For more info about CWL activities email **stjohntheevangelistCWL@gmail.com.**

Bundle Up for St. Vincent de Paul! Mar 2 - Mar 17



Acceptable items: all clothing, all footwear, bedding, drapery, towels, and toys (new or nearly new).

Items not accepted: books, construction material, dishes, furniture, and video/audio cassettes.



Thank You!!! For your generosity and commitment to St. John's & St. Cornelius as we serve the Caledon Community together. All tax receipts for the 2023 year

will be mailed out by the end of February. If you do not receive your tax receipts, please call the office and let us know. 2023 Financial report is included with the tax receipts. If anyone has any questions, please call the Fr. Bob at 905-880-0080.

Mrs. Bayley (Feb 29) and Fr. Leo Ramsperger (Feb 25) will be celebrating their 100th Birthday in a few days. Please join me in saying a prayer for and wishing them both a wonderful 100th Birthday.



Provide A Meal... This weekend is our Chili Collection for The Good Shepherd. Chili's may be dropped off in the freezer, located in the porch of the house at St. John's Church. Pans and recipes are available. Over

1300 meals and snacks are served every day. Your care, compassion, and hospitality give renewed hope to vulnerable and marginalized individuals who walk through the doors of Good Shepherd.



Sometimes it feels good to do the right thing. We see how our actions make other people happy, and we are proud to help. Other times, we can't tell if our actions make any difference. Maybe we help someone who doesn't say "thank you,"

smile at someone who scowls back or share with someone who takes more than we offered. If you're ever tempted to stop trying—to cover your light or keep it to yourself—remember that we don't follow Jesus to be praised and appreciated. We serve because that's who we are. We shine because that's what light does. Small actions can make big changes over time. A steady drip can eventually drill a hole through solid rock. One shovel full of dirt after another can uproot a tree. Everyday acts of kindness can soften even the hardest hearts. God is great, after all. He can use our actions for his purpose, even when we know nothing about it. He can draw together our little sparks of love into roaring flames that light up the world.

Fasting and Feasting... Lent is more than a time of fasting, it can also be a joyous season of feasting. Lent is a time to fast from certain things, and to feast on others



Fast from judging others, Feast on the Christ dwelling in them. Fast from emphasis on differences, Feast on the unity of life. Fast from darkness, Feast on the light. Fast from thoughts of illness, Feast on the healing power of God. Fast from words that pollute, Feast on words that purify. Fast from discontent, Feast on gratitude. Fast from anger, Feast on patience. Fast from pessimism, Feast on optimism. Fast from worry, Feast on gratitude.



Stations of the Cross A great Lenten devotion every Friday during Lent, 7 pm at St. John's Church.

Search: Best Lent Ever - Lent 2024 Dynamic Catholic will email you short inspirational videos, and practical tips.

Confirmation classes for those who are <u>not</u> attending St. Cornelius School will begin Mar 26. Deadline for registration is Mar 12. Applications available at the back of the church.



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