Caledon Catholic Community St. John's, Albion/St. Cornelius, Silvercreek

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St. Cornelius, Silver Creek

PASTOR: Fr. Bob Glynn **Deacon** Bruce Stewart **Deacon** Silverio Fidalgo 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. 8:30 a.m. St. Cornelius Parish - Sunday

WEEKDAY MASS: Rosary after Mass on Fridays Wednesday-Friday 8:30 a.m. - R. F. Hall Chapel

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, Finance Council, Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors, Rosary Prayer Group, Catholic Women's League

Mass Intentions

Sat. Apr. 24 th , Multi-inte	ntional
Patrick Karasiuk	req. by the Parish
Allan Cancian	req. by the Family
Lucy Chiste (Healing)	req. by Ken & Ann Holychuk
Sun. Apr. 25th, Multi-inte	entional
Roman Zagol	req. by his Daughter & Family
Lina Barbosa	req. by the Medeiros Family
<u>Sanctuary Lan</u>	np Intention for this Week
All Souls	req. by the Parishioners
Coronavirus Victims	
Sat. May 1st, Multi-intent	tional
Giovanni Corazza	req. by the Parish
Vince Vargas	req. by the Vargas & Wilks Family
Sun. May 2 nd , Multi-inter	ntional
Filomena Santopolo	req. by the Di Marco Family
Lino Pezzot	req. by his Daughter
Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week	
All Souls	req. by the Parishioners
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	t to the Tabernacle at St. John's Church
may be sponsored as a mem	orial or intention. The Suggested

offering is \$20.00. Please call the office.



Vocations... This is World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The world needs leaders with courage and integrity. The Church needs good leaders as well, leaders who will unselfishly care for the needs of God's people and minister to them. If

you feel God is calling you to priesthood, religious life or deaconate, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 vocations@archtoronto.org / www.vocationstoronto.ca

Archdiocesan Week of Prayer for Vocations Apr 19-24

During this week, Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, has asked that we all take some time, as a community, to pray for vocations to the priesthood, religious and consecrated life.



At this time, we also ask that you pray for our 6 soon-to-be priests along with all those who are discerning and who are currently in formation. For more information, please email the Office of Vocations at vocations@archtoronto.org



Pope Francis @Pontifex... Being Christian is not first of all a doctrine or a moral ideal; it is a living relationship with the Risen Lord.

Bundle Up for St. Vincent de Paul!

Unfortunately due to the current COVID regulations and restrictions, our St. Vincent de Paul bin will now be available from **July 3-11** We will keep you updated, should this change.



Envelope # 1099 Please contact the office



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



Please Pray for Our Sick: Justin Di Nino - Hannah Carlton - Shannon Frediani - Rose

Daniels - Ellena Sperini - Bradley Gualtieri - Filomena Chivaro - Chris Phillips -Peter Glynn - 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 -Margaret Krol - Marti West - Ariana Buttigieg - Marlene Hall - Fabiano Busca -Master Sergeant Denise Ryan - Ronny Smith - Luigi Facchini - Sister Alfonsa -Beverley Stacey - Natasha Minnella - Anthony Ranallo - Matt Gerrits - Bernice Theurer - Armando Mio - Peter Cicero - Emily Ribout - Carmelita Petierre -Randy Brewer - Donata Reale - Rosa Santos - Teresa Wolinski - Robert Calleia - Marie Brown - Anderson Reves - Iva McDonell - Philip Weeden -Logan Filice - Frank & Mary Vite - Liana Francey - Ken Holychuk - Bill Szkotnicki - Baby Aria Fife - Christian Pileggi - Sara - David Wilson - Maria Gesteiro - Jessie Neals - Josephine Liau - Nidia Contente - Adrian Grice -Helen Oldham - Brenda Shard - Nazzareno Petrini - Margaret McConnel -Laurence Lussier - Kate Kirvan - Frank & Mary Mansley - Joe Clenbri - Mallory Boutiller - Elizabeth Fargione - Linda Dixon - John Hawton - Richard - Helen -Vincezo Amtiello - Craig Ionson - Angela - Joe Lassaline - Linda Fraser - John Van Eeden - Henry Nielsen - Jeff Kotarski - Emma Harper - Sheila Smith -Britney Smith - Danny Frlan - Jules Bergeret - David Hall - Maria De Sousa -Giuseppe Giannini - Alyssa - Larry Fawcett - Alan Brown

Communion Reflection... Whether we realize it or not, we spend our lives "drawing near to thrones." We draw near the throne of money seeking security and find that we never have enough. We draw near the throne of success and discover we have lost relationships with God and family along the way. The "game of thrones" goes ever on. But today, as the Incarnate Word of God hangs on a cross, we remember we have been given access to something deeper and more eternal. Gazing on our crucified Lord, we "draw near the throne of grace" and receive the ultimate gift–mercy that sustains, fills and comforts without fail.



No fear plagues our hearts more than the fear of death. Rather than fear it, befriend it. Live the lessons it's teaching. Yesterday is over and done. Tomorrow may never come. We

can either waste the 1440 minutes we're given each day, or use them wisely. We're not guaranteed even the next breath. This could be someone's last day. Keep life in perspective. Many people live with their finger on the panic button, making mountains out of mole hills. Perspective. Step back and see the bigger picture. Keep people close. In the end, it's never about what we drive or our financial worth–it's about people. It's saying, "I love you," or "I'm sorry." Treasure the people around you while you can. Every day is a new beginning. It's an opportunity to change the direction of our lives so, in the end, we don't leave this world with a pile of regrets.

Church Bulletin Advertising Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin June 2021 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

Thank you for last weekend's 2nd collection for ShareLife.

May the Month of Mary

One sign of the Christian spirit is that our thoughts turn to the spiritual side of each season of the year. The month of December brings thoughts of Christmas; March is linked in our thoughts with Lent and Easter; October is the month of the rosary. And the month of May brings us memories of Mary and reminds us of our devotion to her. The union of the month of May



and Mary is quite natural. The very names are interchangeable. The mood of May is the mood of hope and joy; Mary is the mother of hope and the cause of our joy. Ancient traditions have embedded themselves in the language and customs of every Christian nation. We gather flowers and lay them before our Lady and Mother. Red roses remind us of the wounds of Christ and of the faithfulness of his Mother as she stood beneath the cross. Sometimes we might wonder if we have lost our spiritual joy. In our country we have few, if any, religious fiestas or festivals or processions with music and banners. But the month of May reminds us that joy is for the taking. As we honor Mary, may our devotion to her lead us to love and serve God joyfully. We can let go of grudging, reluctant duty, remembering instead our loving God and Mary our Mother. Then there will be springtime in our souls and Mary's own Maytime in our hearts.

During the month of May special focus is placed on devotions, such as the Rosary. Visit our youtube channel to pray along with the Rosary at both churches, St. Cornelius & St. John's.

www.youtube.com/channel/UCh_u31Hv4u-8vvHHcY0LSKA

Baptism Preparation... The Baptism of your child is an important event in the life of St. John's and St. Cornelius Parish. Preparation booklets and application forms are available on the parish websites. While we continue to accept applications, you must attend a Baptism Prep meeting to secure a



Baptism date. Unfortunately due to the current lockdown, we do not know when the next Prep meeting will take place. Please watch the bulletin for more updates.



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 generous donations are making a difference.



When our lives have gone off track and nothing seems to be going right, it's time to reboot and starts again. We can ignore the opportunity to change, or we can

reboot by looking and letting go. Take a step back and look at your life. Are you happy with the direction it's going? If not, change it. Sift through the healthy and unhealthy habits. Are your relationships intact? Is an addiction squeezing the life out of you? Do you come home from your job stressed out every night? If you're stuck, not growing, and unhappy, it's time to make a change. Decision time! Either continue on with the bad habits, behaviours, or issues, or let them go. What's holding you back? Are you afraid of moving out of your comfort zone? Or is it the past? Are you unable to shake loose the grudges you're carrying? Set yourself free! Let go and don't look back. It's not about quitting or giving up, it's about backing away from what's contributing to your potential growth as a person, harming your relationships, and preventing you from living a full life. It's choosing to open up more space in your life to welcome new opportunities and see what God has waiting for you.

Have a Blessed Week!!

Please consider helping us to pay the bills during these troubling times. Drop off or mail your contributions to the parish office. By credit card please visit our parish website - Our Community - Donate. For Pre-authorized giving download an enrollment form from our parish website - Our Community - Donate. For Online banking e-mail campaign@archtoronto.org with Your name, Address, Parish name, Municipality. Thank you for your generosity!! If you have someone you would like me to pray for please email stjohnalbion@bellnet.ca



We invite all parishioners to join in celebrating **Catholic Education Week 2021**, which runs from May 2-7. For more than 165

years, Ontario's publicly funded Catholic schools have been integrating our faith into all aspects of school life, nurturing the gifts and talents of every student. We celebrate the distinctive contribution that Catholic schools provide, giving thanks and offering our prayers for all those who faithfully

journey with our young people each day. For more information about Catholic Education Week visit www.goodnewsforall.ca



