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St. John's, Albion/St. Cornelius, Silvercreek

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PASTOR: Fr. Bob Glynn 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 9:00 a.m.,10:15 a.m., 11:45 a.m. St. Cornelius Parish - Sunday 7:45 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, Healing Health Ministry, Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors, Edge Youth Ministry, Altar Servers, Rosary Group, Young Adults Ministry

### Mass Intentions



Sat. Aug 24th, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional Norma Meehan

req. by the Parish req. by the Family

Sun. Aug 25th, 7:45 am Margaret Wright

St. Cornelius Church req. by Egan's

Sun. Aug 25th, 9:00 am Available

St. John's Church

Rosalba Frattaroli

Sun. Aug 25th, 10:15 am Souls in Purgatory

St. John's Church req. by Maria De Sousa Sun. Aug 25th, 11:45 am Wladyslawa & Edward Chojnacki St. John's Church req. by Their Son & Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

All Souls . . . . . req. by the Parishioners Marni Holychuk . . . . . . req. by Ken & Ann Holychuk Wladyslawa & Edward Chojnacki. . . . req. by Their Son & Family Eulalia & Roman Zagol. . . . . . req. by Their Daughter & Family

Aug 28th, Wed. 8:30 am St. John's Church Thurs. Aug 29th, 8:30 am St. John's Church Aug 30th, Fri. 8:30 am St. John's Church

Sat. Aug 31st, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional

Jaime de Sousa req. by Margaret Proctor

Sun. Sept 1<sup>st</sup>, 7:45 am Available

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. Sept 1st, 9:00 am Available

St. John's Church

Sun. Sept 1<sup>st</sup>, 10:15 am Bob Semple

St. John's Church req. by the Lister Family

Sun. Sept 1st, 11:45 am Rosa & Vincenzo Di Leo

St. John's Church reg. by the Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls . . . . . req. by the Parishioners Jaime de Sousa . . . . . req. by Margaret Proctor - 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... Jesus has given us His Body to eat and His Blood to drink so as to nourish us on our journey towards the Kingdom. May we be faithful to Him on our journey as married, single, ordained or consecrated persons. If God is calling

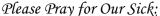
you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 vocations@archtoronto.org /www.vocationstoronto.ca

Welcome new parishioners who have moved into our parish boundaries! To be a registered member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to a Community of Faith. Registration is necessary when seeking reference letters, eligibility for the sacraments and any other documentation; such as, tax receipts and so on!!! Please introduce yourself/family to the Pastor and register as soon as possible by picking up any set of 2024 envelopes at the entrance. Please fill in the front for the first month's donations so that the information may be registered. - Fr. Bob

Env # 4105, 4084, 4168, 4378 - Call the office or write your name on the envelope.



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





#### **Communion Reflection...** When many of his

disciples were leaving him, Jesus turned to the apostles and said, "Will you also leave me?" These words are addressed to us too. It's not the Lord who leaves us, but we who leave him. But why would we want to leave the Lord, who alone has the words of eternal life? We need to make our own Peter's profession of faith. Every Sunday we get a chance to do so. We need the Lord to strengthen our faith. We also need to confirm one another. Lord, confirm our decision to stay with you. Draw us closer to you in bonds of trust, so that we may follow you in love and freedom.



Luca Iannarella

From the Pastor's Desk In days gone by, carnival barkers and travelling salesmen shouted to audiences the attractions and merits of

their respective enterprises. Carnival barkers promised a view of something that little resembled the brightly coloured posters which hung outside the side show tent. "Let the buyer beware" applied well to such situations. Each word we speak is an indication to others of the person to be found within us. Empty flattery of others and exaggerated descriptions of our own accomplishments only betray a spirit of deception and lack of respect for others. Jesus said, "You shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." To be a truthful person frees you from the obligation of having to apologize later when your deceptions are revealed.

#### Welcome Back Sunday BBQ

As school begins again, the Knight's of Columbus extend a warm welcome to all those who have just moved into the area or



are new to our parish family and welcome back all our returning families. We certainly hope that you will feel at home with us. We hope and pray that it has been a restful and joyous summer for all. Please join us **September 7/8** after all the Masses at St. John's.

Young and Restless Social ~ Spiritual ~ Service The young adult ministry (18-35) meets twice a month to spend time in discussion and fellowship through fun socials, movies, pub nights, hikes and more! Join us on the second Sunday of the month at 1pm in the St. John's parish hall. Follow us on Instagram @youngandrestless\_st.johns or contact youngadultscaledon@gmail.com for more information!

#### Reconciliation/1<sup>st</sup> Communion & Confirmation



Applications for candidates wishing to celebrate the Sacraments of Reconciliation & First Communion and Confirmation will be made available in September. Please note that students who were baptized in a Parish other than St. John's & St.

Cornelius will need to include a copy of their Baptismal Certificate with the application. Watch the bulletin for updates.

### Baptism Preparation... The Baptism of your



child is an important event in the life of St. John's and St. Cornelius Parish. It is the beginning of a life-long relationship with Christ and with His Church. If you are new to the parish or have perhaps not registered yet please do so

by using parish envelopes. Preparation booklets and application forms are available at the back of the church. Preparation meetings are held on the first Wednesday of every month. Next meeting: Wed. Sept 4 at 7:30 pm.

Pope Francis @Pontifex... As misery, injustice, and violence deprive humanity of our daily bread, Jesus takes care of our greatest need. He always saves us, nourishing our lives with His own. It is thanks to Him that we can live in communion with God and each other.







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.



#### Feast of the Black Madonna

Our Lady of Czestochowa, the "Black Madonna" dates back to the time of the Twelve Apostles, painted by the hand of St. Luke the Evangelist, who used a tabletop from a table built by Jesus during his time as a carpenter. While Luke was painting Mary, she recounted to him the events in the life of Jesus that would eventually be used in his Gospel \*

326 AD St. Helen finds the image of Our Lady and gifts it to her son Constantine, who builds a shrine to venerate it. \* The image eventually falls to the care of Charlemagne, who presents it to Prince Leo of Ruthenia (northwest Hungary). \* 14th century the image is transferred to Jasna Gora in Poland as an answer to a request made in a dream of Prince Ladislaus of Opola. \* 1382 Tartars invaded the Prince's fortress. During the attack an arrow strikes the painting and gets lodged in the neck. The prince flees with the painting during the night stopping in the town of Czestochowa. The painting is placed in a small church, where the prince builds a Pauline monastery and church to ensure its safety. \* 1430 Hussites overrun the monastery, attempting to take the image. One of the looters takes the painting, puts it in a wagon and tries to drive away. The horses refuse to move, he strikes the painting twice with his sword, on his third attempt to strike it, he suddenly falls over writhing in pain and dies. \* 1655 Poland is almost overrun by King Charles X of Sweden, only the area surrounding the monastery remains unconquered. The monks who live there are somehow able to defend the portrait throughout a 40 day siege. Poland is eventually able to drive out the invaders. King John II Casimir Vasa crowns the image of Our Lady of Czestochowa as Queen of Poland, placing the entire country under her care and protection. \* 1920, Russia attempts to invade Poland, with the Russian army gathering on the banks of the Vistula and threatening Warsaw, they see an image of Our Lady in the clouds over the city, and withdraw. \* Since the fall of Communism, many people from all over the world flock to Czestochowa on pilgrimages. \* July 2016 Pope Francis visits Poland, venerates the image and says Mass. \* The nickname "Black Madonna" comes from the soot residue which discolors the painting as a result of centuries of votive lights and candles burned in front of it.



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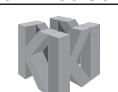
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