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**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. 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. Feb. 27<sup>th</sup> Multi-intentional
Ingrid Salt req. by Paul & Elaine Egan
Mario Sepulveda req. by the Students & Staff at RF Hall
Sun. Feb. 28<sup>th</sup> Multi-intentional

Martino Family req. by the Family
Lina Barbosa req. by the Medeiros Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

All Souls ..... req. by the Parishioners

Coronavirus victims ..... req. by the Parishioners

Sat. Mar. 6<sup>th</sup> Multi-intentional Marv Holt

req. by Natalie Currah, Danielle Howlett & Greg Pickering Sun. Mar. 7<sup>th</sup> Multi-intentional

Fernando Ariganello req. by the Family Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . req. by the Parishioners Coronavirus Victims . . . . . . . req. by the Parishioners - 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 think God is calling you to a Church vocation, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 vocations@archtoronto.org / www.vocationstoronto.ca

**Attention Parents:** I have scoured the internet and found a great resource from the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Singapore of all places, who prepare a Sunday Mass for children, by children each week. It can be found by searching "Sunday Mass for Children Singapore."

Pope Francis @Pontifex... During the Season of Lent, the Holy Spirit drives us too, like Jesus, into the desert (Mk 1:12-15). It is not a physical place, but rather an existential dimension in which we can be silent and listen to the word of God, so that a true conversion might be effected in us.



**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 2020 year have been mailed out.

Please allow 3 weeks for delivery. If you do not receive your tax receipts by March 19, please call the office and let us know. Please note: Family of Faith tax receipts come from the Archdiocese. 2020 Financial report is included with the tax receipts. If anyone has any questions, please call the Fr. Bob at 905-880-0080.

**Today's Quote:** Start by doing what's necessary, then what's possible, and suddenly you are doing the impossible.



Please Pray for those who died this past week especially Gail Fearn, Fr. Amedeo Nardone, Jose Signorelli 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 - Nancy Porto - Robert Calleja - Marie Brown - Anderson Reyes - 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 - Grace Pelley -Susan Palmer - Maria De Sousa

Communion Reflection... There are some people we know so well, we can tell they are near without even hearing their name. You answer the phone and just by the voice you hear, you know it's your good friend or your grandmother. How do you know? Because of all the time you've spent together. You're in your room and you hear footsteps in the hall. Who's coming? A light, quick step? A heavy tread? You can probably tell who it is by the familiar step you've heard before. When we know someone, we recognize their voice. We sense their presence just from the signs we know so well. It's the same with the Lord. We want to become so close to him that we recognize his voice, speaking to us in love. How can this happen? By being with him, talking to him and, in the quiet, listening, every day.



"I've got your back," they say. "You can count on me!" But then, just when you need them, they're a no-show. Promises are broken. Trust is gone. The pain of betrayal runs deep. Loved ones are disloyal. Friends are dishonest. We often find ourselves

disconnecting emotionally from people as we hide behind walls we construct of mistrust. We stay in hiding, protecting our vulnerability. We close people out, allowing fear and anger to prevent us from reconnecting to people who genuinely do care about us. The bottom line: not everyone is out to hurt us. If you've been betrayed, give yourself a timeout to make sense of what happened. Then, when you're ready, talk it out with the person who hurt you. Share how you feel and ask, "Why did you do this to me?" Then tell them what you need from them in order to move on. The choice to tear down walls, rebuild, and repair trust is yours. Your relationship just might come out stronger and better as it grows deeper.

Stations of the cross are able to be viewed on our YouTube channel.



Unfortunately at this time, we are not able to hold in person Stations of the Cross.



### 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.

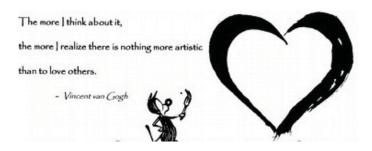
Fast from pessimism, Feast on optimism.

Fast from worry, Feast on gratitude.

### Search: Best Lent Ever - Lent 2021

Dynamic Catholic will email you short inspirational videos, and practical tips.





### **Serenity Prayer**

God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change; courage to change the things I can; and wisdom to know the difference. Living one day at a time; Enjoying one moment at a time;

Accepting hardships as the pathway to peace;

Taking, as Jesus did. this sinful world as it is. not as I would have it;

Trusting that He will make all things right, if I surrender to His Will:

That I may be reasonably happy in this life and supremely happy with Him Forever in the next.



**Sunday March 14 Spring forward 1 hour!**  **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.



Sometimes, you have to lose something to know what you had. Losing access to sacraments last year was a shock to the system. We quickly appreciated that losing community was even harder. Not just the Sunday assembly: the ability to gather with

anyone, anywhere. Since the original lockdown, we've reengaged as a society carefully. We mastered virtual means of gathering and sharing to keep a window open on community for the most vulnerable. Still, we've yet to venture far into territory of the Community. To become the Community, we have to agree that hunger, homelessness, prejudice, and violence are intolerable and inhuman. We have to chose to love and trust over fear and hate. This is a big agenda. But Lent isn't a season of small dreams. We're taking a journey from death into life. We can afford to think big.

### 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 - About Us - Ways to give. For Pre-authorized giving download an enrollment form from our parish website - About Us - Ways to give. 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

For women who are victims of violence, the Pope's prayer intention decries the various kinds of violence millions of women suffer daily: psychological violence, verbal violence, physical violence, sexual violence. "It's shocking how many women are beaten, insulted and raped," said the Pope in the February message. According to the UN 137 women are killed by members of their own family each day, 1 in 3 women have experienced physical or sexual violence at some point in their lives. Visit, www.thepopevideo.org for the Pope's special prayer intention.

### **!!Our Websites have a new look!!**

Direct links to our youtube page, Sacraments information, Parish Blog and more!! We are constantly adding new content and making improvements. Visit us at:

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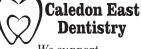
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