# 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

# <u>Mass Intentions</u>

Sat. Jan. 15th, 5:00 pm Multi-Intentional



**Please Pray** for those who died this past week especially Fr. Paul Cusack CB, Paul Egan and those who rest in our cemeteries. *Please Pray for Our Sick*:



Justin Di Nino - Hannah Carlton - Shannon Frediani - Rose Daniels - Ellena Sperini - Bradlev 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 - Marti West - 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 Calleja - Marie Brown - Anderson Reyes -Iva McDonell - Philip Weeden - Logan Filice - Frank & Mary Vite - Liana Francey - Ken Holychuk - Bill Szkotnicki - Christian Pileggi - Sara - David Wilson - 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 -Linda Dixon - John Hawton - Richard - Helen - Vincezo Amtiello - Craig Ionson - Angela - Joe Lassaline - Linda Fraser - John Van Eeden - Jeff Kotarski -Emma Harper - Sheila Smith - Britney Smith - Jules Bergeret - David Hall -Maria De Sousa - Giuseppe Giannini - Alyssa - Larry Fawcett - Kiana Tran -SK Bruce McCallum - Paul Centis - Winifred Gray - Ida Cavallo - Georgina Busuttil - Ellen Hughes - Carmela Valvano - Guy Scipione - Paul Hoffmann -Lucy de Laat - Winifred Yaw Gray - Giuseppe D'Urzo - Fr. Tobin - Emilia Tilson - Malgorzata Krol - Alfonso Marignani - Trevor Rouncville - Vince Trama - Jae Egan - Katarina Vrbos

**Communion Reflection...** Did you ever notice that the angel didn't stick around after sharing the hugely important news with Mary? There's no hovering or checking it to see how she's doing. It's like Gabriel knew Mary had a lot to do, trusted her to do it, and got out of the way. When we celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe in December, we remember how she appeared to a poor, middle-aged man, brought healing to his family, and helped convince a bishop to build a church. We remember how roses bloomed in the middle of winter, an image of Mary appeared on a cloak, and how 9 million people sought baptism afterwards. Mary works tirelessly to bring us to her son. Most of us have now returned to work after our Christmas break, whether in the office or remotely so I ask, what is your work today? How does Mary help you?



Can you imagine being on the receiving of one of Jesus' rebukes? Not fun. But Jesus never shuts a door on anyone.

Tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God before us, not *instead* of us. Jesus seems to be giving us more chances to follow him, even when we reject him. That's especially good news for those of us whose kids or spouses or other family members have turned away from their faith. We can remember that Jesus never ever gives up on us, no matter what we do. Let's pray today that God opens closed hearts, starting with ours. God of second and third chances, open up to the closed spaces of our hearts. Fill us with your love. Help us find joy in serving you and serving others. Lord Jesus, help us follow where you lead.

**Anthony Grogan** req. by Paul & Elaine Egan Sun. Jan. 16<sup>th</sup>. 8:30 am Available St. Cornelius Church Sun. Jan. 16<sup>th</sup>, 8:45 am Available St. John's Church Sun. Jan. 16<sup>th</sup>. 10:15 am Available St. John's Church Sun. Jan. 16<sup>th</sup>, 11:45 am Eduardo Medeiros St. John's Church req. by the Medeiros Family Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week All Souls ..... req. by the Parishioners Coronavirus Victims ..... req. by the Parishioners January 19<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 am St. John's Chapel Wed. Thurs. January 20th, 8:30 am St. John's Chapel January 21<sup>st</sup>, Fri. 8:30 am St. John's Chapel Sat. Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup>, 5:00 pm Multi-Intentional Available Sun. Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 8:30 am Available St. Cornelius Church Sun. Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 8:45 am Available St. John's Church Sun. Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 10:15 am Ken Hall St. John's Church req. by the Family Sun. Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 11:45 am Available St. John's Church Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week All Souls ..... req. by the Parishioners



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**Vocations...** Pray to know how God wants to use your talents and abilities. Could it be He is calling you to consider priesthood, diaconate, or religious life? If He is contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997

vocations@archtoronto.org / www.vocationstoronto.ca

**Pope Francis** @**Pontifex...** We belong to Christ, we are joined to him through Baptism; His presence is in us, His light is in us, His life is in us. Let us therefore walk joyfully in hope sustained by his Word: it is the Word of life.



### 2022 Offertory Envelopes Available!!!

Welcome new parishioners, to be a registered member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to a Community of Faith. Please introduce yourself/family to the pastor and register as soon as possible by picking up any set of 2022 envelopes at the entrance. **Please fill in the front for the first month's donations so that the information may be registered.** Parishioners are invited to pick up a new set of envelopes (with a new number) and are kindly asked to **fill in the front of the first month's donations as well.**  When things are tough and I want to give up, I found this poem to help me through the darker time. I thought I'd share it with you as well.

#### Don't Quit

When things go wrong, as they sometimes will, When the road you're trudging seems all uphill, When the funds are low and the debts are high, And instead of a smile you have to sigh,

When care is pressing you down a bit, Rest, in God's love - and never quit.

Life is strange with its twists and turns, As every one of us sometimes learns, And many a failed person has turned away, When with God's help he'd have won the day. Don't give up though the pace seems slow,

For you may succeed with another go.

Success is failure turned inside out, The silver tint of the clouds of doubt, You never can tell how close you are, The goal may be near when it seems so far, So turn to the Lord when you're hardest hit– Put your trust in the Lord and never quit.



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

# Have a Blessed Week!!

#### **Kindergarten Registration for the 2022/2023 School Year** will take place January 10-14, 2022. The DPCDSB offers the Kindergarten program in 125 Catholic



elementary schools in Mississauga, Brampton, Caledon, Bolton and Orangeville. Parents/guardians can register online at dpcdsb.org. Registration is open to Catholic children and children of Catholic parents. Kindergarten students must be at least four (4) years of age by December 31, 2022. **Provide A Meal...** The last weekend of the month is our Chili Collection for The Good Shepherd. Pans and recipes are available at the house porch of St. John's Church. Hungry



people count on Good Shepherd's meals—and thanks to community support, we keep faith with them. Chili's may be dropped off in the freezer, located in the porch of the house at St. John's Church.



From the astor "Pray for us now" promises we can do God's work now, even as sinners. We were not conceived without sin or preserved from sin all our life, as Mary was. We are what we are. So

we do that we can now, while we keep growing into more surrender, letting Jesus act with us, in us, and through us as his still-imperfect body on earth. But God's promise that, in the "graduation ceremony" of death, we will surrender ourselves totally, as Jesus did, saying "Father, into your hands I commend my spirit." Now we offer our lives daily, so that, at the hour of our death, all of God's promises will be fulfilled. Then our waiting will be over. The Word will be made flesh throughout creation. "Every valley shall be filled, every mountain and hill made low, the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough ways made smooth; and all flesh shall see the salvation of God." (Luke 3:5). Whatever you do, see it as a moment of building up to the total gift of yourself at the hour of final surrender, loving God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength."

# **Prayer for Christian Unity**

O God, holy and eternal Trinity, we pray for your church in the world. Sanctify its life; renew its worship; empower its witness; heal its divisions; make visible its unity. Lead us, with all our brothers and sisters, towards communion in faith, life and witness so that, united in one body by the one Spirit, we may together witness to the perfect unit of your love. Amen

## Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Jan 18-25

Marks the annual celebration of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. Each year a host country prepares resources for the Vatican and World Council of Churches. The theme for 2022 is, **"We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him"** (Mt.2:2). Join Cardinal Collins and Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of the full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church. A service will take place at Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Orthodox Church 920 Progress Ave, Scarborough, Sun. Jan 23, 2022 at 4 p.m. All are welcome to attend in person or watch the livestream on Facebook: www.facebook.com/TorontoArmenianChurch.

**RF Hall** Catholic Secondary School is looking for **Hall Monitors**!! Are you interested in a few hours work each day helping out at our school?? For more info call 905-584-1670



