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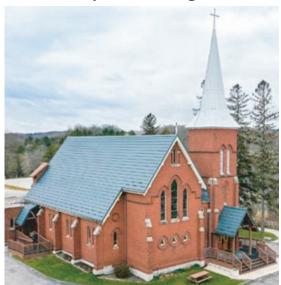
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All are welcome here at St. John and St. Cornelius in Caledon. We proclaim the Good News and celebrate the Eucharist. We rejoice with new members joining us through Baptism and conversion. We smile with our children, youth, and newly married couples. 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. Jan. 20th, 5:00pm Multi-intentional

George Meehan req. by the Parish

Confirmation Candidates of Mrs. Moretta's Class

Sun. Jan. 21st, 8:30am Available

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. Jan. 21st, 8:45am Barbara MacDonald

St. John's Church reg. by Emil Balestin

Sun. Jan. 21st, 10:15am Carmela Rocco-Mayol

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. Jan. 21st, 11:45am Antonio & Maria Calvano

St. John's Church req. by Liliana Corvinelli & Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

All Souls req. by the Parishioners

Wed. Jan. 24th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel Thurs. Jan. 25th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel Fri. Jan. 26th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel

Sat. Jan. 27th, 5:00pm Multi-intentional

Available

Sun. Jan. 28th, 8:30am Available

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. Jan. 28th, 8:45am Available

St. John's Church

Sun. Jan. 28th, 10:15am Ken Hall

St. John's Church req. by Marlene & Family

Sun. Jan. 28th, 11:45am Eduardo Medeiros

St. John's Church reg. by the Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls 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... The call of the disciples is so familiar to us that we tend to miss the wonder of the disciples' response, which was immediate and complete; they leave everything and follow Jesus.

Can we do less if we feel that God is calling us to the priesthood, religious life or deaconate? If you 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

2024 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 2024 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.

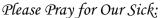
- Fr. Bob

If you lost any items in the church, please check the **lost and found** basket, under the choir loft stairs at St. John's Church. Any items that remain unclaimed by Feb 4th will be donated.





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





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

Communion Reflection... Sometimes we are selfish. We think that what we want matters more than what other people want. We fight to go first or to have the most. We demand that people pay attention to us. John the Baptist wanted people to pay attention to him too, but he didn't want it for himself. He wanted it for Jesus. He wanted to make sure everyone knew that Jesus was coming. John was humble. God wants us to be humble too. After all, everything good in us comes from God. Our job is to let the light of Christ shine through us—not to show everyone how great we are but to let them know how great Jesus is.



Have you every had a "lightbulb moment"? That's when something suddenly seems clear to you. Maybe it was the perfect idea that came to you

all at once or you finally understood how to solve a problem you had. Other times, things become clear to us more slowly. Our conscience can work in both ways. Sometimes we know right away that we've done something wrong. Other times, we get a sinking, uneasy feeling later. We might try to ignore it, but it's like turning away from the sun. You can still feel the heat on your back and see the long shadows it casts in front of you. The start of a new year is a perfect time to turn the light back on. Listen to your conscience and ask Jesus to open the eyes of your heart.

This week we will be saying goodbye to Phil and Sharon, as they leave Caledon and move to the city. They have been an important and integral



part of St. John's Church, so we thank them for their many years of service leading our 10:15 choir and dedication to this Parish, and we wish them peace and blessings in their new home.



The CWL would like to bring back the High Tea this year, but we can't do it without your help. Min. 12 volunteers needed. We



are looking for volunteers to help with planning, set up and clean up. If you are interested in helping please email the CWL at stjohntheevangelistcwl@gmail.com and attend our next planning meeting on Feb 12 at 7 pm at St. John's Church.



EDGE is a catholic ministry for Gr.'s 5, 6, 7 AND 8. Join us January 21st 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!!!

January 18 to 25 marks the annual celebration of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (WPCU). This year's message of Isaiah 1:17, "You shall love the Lord your God ... and your neighbour as yourself." Join Archbishop Francis Leo and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church. This event is jointly organized by the Office for Promoting Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area Council of Christian Churches. Sun, Jan 21 at 4 p.m. at St. Mark Coptic Orthodox Cathedral (455 Ferrier St., Markham, ON L3R 5Z2)

Grief is a journey that we will all encounter at some time in our life, it is very personal but universal and has no time limit. A



support group is a proven way to bring comfort, consolation and healing to ourselves and each other. 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. Next meeting: Sat Jan 27 at 10 am, here at St. John's email Yasmin at stjohnshealingministry@gmail.com for more info.



This past week Kathleen Bayley stopped by to say hello. Mrs. Bayley will be celebrating her 100th Birthday in a few weeks, but true to her character, she wanted to check in on us and make sure

we are doing well. Please join me in saying a prayer for and wishing Mrs. Bayley a wonderful 100th Birthday.

Provide A Meal... The last weekend of the month is our Chili Collection for The Good Shepherd. Pans and recipes are available on the porch of the house at St.



John's Church. Over 1300 meals and snacks are served every day. Your generosity is giving suffering people the gift of presence – a place where their voices can be heard, where their human dignity is acknowledged. Thank you for giving the joy of renewed life to those in need.



A young man was visiting his brother and sister-inlaw and was surprised to find his young nephew, helping them bake the cupcakes. After they were done, his sister-in-law allowed the young boy to put the icing on. When he had finished, he brought them to the table. "The cupcakes look beautiful,"

his uncle said. "How did you get them iced so evenly?" His nephew replied, "I licked them." – I suppose that is one way of getting the job done, even if it may not be the best way! God has revealed that the way for us to get our job-which is to follow God's will for us-done is to have a childlike confidence in our Father's care. We appreciate the innocence and spontaneity of children, for we were once that way too. But now, as adults, we have apparently learned a better way. We now admire the streetwise, the shrewd, and the clever, for they are the ones who get ahead in life. And in the process, faith in God becomes belittled and forgotten. We certainly cannot go back to our childhood; but we can retain our childlike trust in God. No matter how old we may be, we are always a child in God's sight.

Kindergarten Registration for the 2024/25 School Year is now open. Parents/guardians can register online at dpcdsb.org For more information



including what documentation is required, please visit the Dufferin Peel Catholic District School Board website at dpcdsb.org

There will be an info session for parent(s)/guardian(s) of children with differing abilities who are transitioning to Kindergarten in September 2024. The information session will be held at the St. Marcellinus Secondary School (730 Courtneypark Dr. W) on Wed Jan 24, from 7pm-8:30pm. Snow date: Thurs Jan 25. Parent(s)/Guardian(s) are reminded to register their child at their school during the dates noted above.



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.

Next meeting: Wed. Feb 7 at 7:30 pm.



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