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**St. John's The Evangelist Church**

16066 The Gore Road, Caledon, ON L7C 3E6

**PASTOR:** Fr. Bob Glynn

**OFFICE HOURS:** Mon-Fri 9:00-5:00p.m.; Sat 1-6 p.m. & Sun 9-1:15 p.m.



**St. Cornelius, Silver Creek**

16631 Kennedy Road, Caledon, ON L7C 2H9

**Deacon** Silverio Fidalgo

*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



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

Please Pray for Our Sick;



- Sat. Jan 7th, 5:00 pm Multi-Intentional Ken Holychuk req. by the Holychuk Family
Sun. Jan 8th, 8:30 am Edward Doyle St. Cornelius Church req. by Susan Hughes
Sun. Jan 8th, 8:45 am Paolo DeRango St. John's Church req. by Family
Sun. Jan 8th, 10:15 am Available St. John's Church
Sun. Jan 8th, 11:45 am Available St. John's Church

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

- All Souls req. by the Parishioners
Coronavirus Victims req. by the Parishioners
Wed. January 11th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel
Thurs. January 12th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel
Fri. January 13th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel

- Sat. Jan 14th, 5:00 pm Multi-Intentional Michael Allan Stillwell req. by Shirley Thornton
Daniel Pettit req. by the Parish
Sun. Jan 15th, 8:30 am Available St. Cornelius Church
Sun. Jan 15th, 8:45 am Craig McLaren St. John's Church req. by Rita Ahmad
Sun. Jan 15th, 10:15 am Frank Prete St. John's Church req. by Tracy & Family
Sun. Jan 15th, 11:45 am Available St. John's Church

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... 'On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid Him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered Him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.' God asks us to give our lives. What treasures have been given to you to share with others in Christ's name? If God is calling you to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 vocations@archtoronto.org / www.vocationstoronto.ca

An Epiphany House Blessing

Lord God of heaven and earth, you revealed your only begotten Son to every nation by the guidance of a star. Bless this house and all who inhabit it. Fill them with the light of Christ, that their concern for others may reflect our love. We ask this through Christ our Lord. May Christ Jesus dwell with us, keep us from all harm and make us one in mind and heart, now and forever.



New Year's Message FROM THE PASTOR

At the message of the Angel, the Virgin Mary received the Word of

God in her heart and in her body, and gave Life to the world. Hence she is acknowledged and honoured as being truly the Mother of God and Mother of the Redeemer. Redeemed in an especially sublime manner by reason of the merits of Her Son, and united to Him by a close and indissoluble tie, she is endowed with the supreme office and dignity of being the Mother of the Son of God.

Confirmation Sponsor Meeting Wednesday January 11 at 7:00 pm at St. John's Church



First Communion Parent Meeting Wednesday January 18 at 7:00 pm at St. John's Church



Please pray for peace and especially the people of Ukraine; join us in saying a Hail Mary every day.

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## Have a wonderful week!!

EDGE is a catholic ministry for **GRADES 5, 6, 7 AND 8**. Join us **January 15 at 1 pm at St. John's Church**. For more info,



email [youthministrycaledoneast@gmail.com](mailto: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!!!

**Youth Ministry Collection** - I ask you to consider to making a donation to the Youth Ministry as we prepare for Christmas. I feel so strongly about the additional ministry in our parish, that I will personally match dollar for dollar up to \$ 5,000.00 Funds will be used for: snacks, drinks, games, set up materials, video projector, screen, smart TV, etc. Thank you for loving our kids.



**Thank you...** to the Christmas decorators, ushers, readers, Eucharistic ministers, parking helpers, all those who have helped to make this a very special Christmas here at St. John's and St. Cornelius. **A special thank you** to all the volunteers at St. Cornelius, for their work in

decorating the church for Christmas. We also thank all those who brought a Poinsettia in memory of their loved ones and all those who continue to help and support the church in many ways.

## Resolutions for the New Year...

Take time to think; it is the source of power.

Take time to study; it is the foundation of wisdom.

Take time to play; it is the secret of keeping young.

Take time to be quiet; it is the opportunity to seek God.

Take time to love and be loved; it is God's greatest gift.

Take time to laugh; it is the singing of the soul.

Take time to dream; it is where the hope for the future begins.

Take time to pray; it is the greatest power on earth.

## 2023 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 2023 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

**Today's Quote:** Take a leap of faith and begin this wondrous new year by believing.

**Provide A Meal...** It takes a community to make positive changes in the lives of people, and you are a large part of that change. Thank you for your compassion and support. Your gift is already hard at work. 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.



## From the Pastor's Desk



The world can be a dark place, but as followers of Christ, we believe that God is with us even in the darkness. God's light shines all around us in our family, our church and our world. In the Advent weeks leading up to Christmas we saw how God had shone that light from the first moment of creation, through the birth of Jesus and the early church right up to today and call to love as children of the light. I hope you continue to pause each day to spend a little time reflecting on God's light. If you are already attuned to what is bright and good this season, then I hope you continue to bask in the light of the Lord and reflect it back into the world. And if you are ever feeling overwhelmed by darkness—by grief, worry or stress— then I hope you will remember to turn towards the light of Christ. Jesus is the light of the world and a light to all nations. May this season of light be a blessing to all of us.

## Kindergarten Registration for the 2023/24 School Year

will take place **Jan. 9-13, 2023**. Parents/guardians can register online or in-person at their designated Catholic school. The online Application Form should be completed prior to in-person school meetings where documentation will be received. If you wish to register in-person, you may do so during school hours.



There will be an info session for parent(s)/guardian(s) of children with differing abilities who are transitioning to Kindergarten in September 2023. The information session will be held at the Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board - Catholic Education Centre on **Wed Jan 18**, from 7pm- 8:30pm. Register for the event at by Jan 16. Parent(s)/Guardian(s) are reminded to register their child at their school during the dates noted above.





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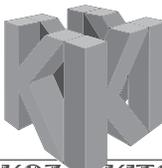
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