# Caledon Catholic Community

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 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. Mar 25th, 5:00 pm Multi-Intentional Leighton, Helen, Paul Horan reg. by Victor Horan Anna Maria Durante req. by Egan's Special Intention for the Holychuk Family Members

reg. by Ken & Ann Holychuk

req. by the Family Honorata Malinowska Ida & Battista Dametto, Gerry Acchione reg. by the Family Sun. Mar 26<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 am Available

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. Mar 26th, 8:45 am Paolo De Rango

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. Mar 26th, 10:15 am Nancy Porto

St. John's Church req. by Her Sisters

Sun. Mar 26th, 11:45 am Robert Kearney & Stephen Boyd St. John's Church req. by the Boyd & Palmer Families

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week All Souls . . . . . . . . . req. by the Parishioners Coronavirus Victims . . . . . . . . . req. by the Parishioners

March 29th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel Wed. Thurs. March 30th 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel Fri. March 31st, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel

Sat. Apr 1st, 5:00 pm Multi-Intentional

req. by the Parish Doreen Marie Kilfoil Caterina Abate reg. by the Sanders Family

Sun. Apr 2<sup>nd</sup>, Palm Sunday

8:30am St. Cornelius Church For the Parishioners' Families **8:45am** St. John's Church For the Parishioners' Families 10:15am St. John's Church For the Parishioners' Families 11:45am St. John's Church For the Parishioners' Families

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls . . . . . . . . . req. by the Parishioners Coronavirus Victims . . . . . . . . . req. by the Parishioners Caterina Abate..... req. by the Sanders Family Blake Sanders . . . . . req. by the Sanders Family - 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... "Did I not tell you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?" Do you believe that your plan is God's plan? If God is calling you to serve him as 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

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection this weekend for ShareLife. This weekend is ShareLife Sunday

ShareLife Sunday marks the first collection for our parish's annual campaign. In the words of Cardinal Collins: "Vulnerable members of our



community are relying on you and me to ensure ongoing access to the care they so desperately need. This is why it's crucial we meet our parish campaign goal. Our goal can be met, but only if we each do our part." Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

> Our Goal for 2023: \$ 45,500



Please Pray for those who died this past week, especially Richard Garnett 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 - 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 - Emily Ribout -Carmelita Petierre - Randy Brewer - Donata Reale - 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 - Brenda Shard - Nazzareno Petrini - Margaret McConnel - Laurence Lussier - Kate Kirvan - Frank & Mary Mansley - Joe Clenbri - Mallory Boutiller -Linda Dixon - John Hawton - Helen - Vincezo Amtiello - Craig Ionson - Angela - Joe Lassaline - Linda Fraser - Jeff Kotarski - Emma Harper - Sheila Smith -Britney Smith - Jules Bergeret - David Hall - Rosa Santos - Teresa Wolinski -Maria De Sousa - Giuseppe Giannini - Alyssa - Larry Fawcett - Kiana Tran -SK Bruce McCallum - Paul Centis - Winifred Gray - Georgina Busuttil -Carmela Valvano - Guy Scipione - Lucy de Laat - Winifred Yaw Gray -Giuseppe D'Urzo - Peter Cicero - Richard - Fr. Tobin - Malgorzata Krol -Alfonso Marignani - Trevor Rouncville - Vince Trama - Fr. Jim Petrie - Thomas Gray - Fr. Darrin Corkun - James - Ornella Vitale - Brenda Matthews - Luke Selvaggi - Annette Guerizzio - Don Stacey - Biagio Mazza - Nina Colomba -Rose Marie Lombardi - Paul Stacey - Pasquale T - Tina laboni - Olga Kostihova - Stephania Zambrano - Nancy Rooney - Pat O'Reilly - Bruna -Harold Smith - Albertina de Sousa - Filomena Filipe

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

Communion Reflection... In a matter of days, Jesus would be lifted up on the cross. He would have to suffer and die before he would be lifted up in glory. But the people in the crowd didn't understand. To them the cross was a sign of desolation. They were ready for glory now. The crowds of the curious don't want to hear about sin or suffering. They want to hear about peace and prosperity for the faithful. They flock to the churches that promise a prosperous road to glory. The cross is the ultimate sign of hope. But for Jesus, the way to glory led through a minefield of temptation and torture, ending in a seemingly tragic death. However, his suffering and death were the true way to glory. Three days after being lifted up on the cross, Jesus was lifted from the grave, forty days later, he was lifted up to heavenly glory, assuring us that one day we will be lifted up to live with him in glory everlasting.



I can still remember being in the chapel when it came time for Holy Communion. While we were singing the communion hymn, the organist stopped playing. There was no carpeting on the

floor, so the sound of worshipers moving down the aisle seemed to echo off the walls and high ceiling. That memory still stands out in my mind today as a reminder that those who came to partake of Jesus' body and blood came, as if to say, "I share in his death." In that moment, I felt as if I was truly part of Jesus' body, the Church. But isn't that what the self-giving love of Jesus comes to do?



**Stations of the Cross** A great Lenten devotion every Friday during Lent 7 pm at St. John's Church

#### Search: Best Lent Ever - Lent 2023

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## Prayer for the Fifth Sunday of Lent

Father of mercy, bring us face to face with our own weakness when we are tempted to judge others. May we find peace and life in simply stepping back and allowing you to be the merciful Judge of us all. Amen.



**EDGE** is a catholic ministry for **Gr.'s 5**, **GE** 6, 7 AND 8. Join us April 2<sup>nd</sup> 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!!!

First Communion Colouring Contest The Colouring page was emailed to registered parents. Entires must be returned to the church by **April 9th.** For more info about CWL activities please email stjohntheevangelistCWL@gmail.com.



Food Drive for the Knight's Table Share the love this Easter with those in need. Donations of non-perishable food items can be dropped off at the Church Mar 26 to Apr 2

#### **Lenten Reconciliation Services**

**St. John's Church - Mar 29,** 7-8:30pm Holy Family, Bolton - Mar 30, 7 pm **Brampton Parishes:** 

**St. Jerome's - Mar 31,** 10am-3pm



### Garden of Lilies...

Easter is a time when we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus and remember our loved ones. If you would

like to bring an Easter Lily to Church in memory of a loved one. we will place it in the sanctuary and offer prayer intentions at every Mass for the 6 weeks of Easter. Please do not bring your lilies in until Apr 8, 10-11am St. John's. Volunteers needed to decorate St. John's Apr 8 10am-12pm St. Cornelius will decorate Good Friday after the 11:30am Eucharistic Service.

## Easter

## Mass Schedule

Holy Thursday - April 6 7:30 pm at St. John's

Good Friday - April 7 11:30 am Eucharist at St. Cornelius 2:00 pm Eucharist at St. John's 4:00 pm Eucharist at St. John's Stations 7:00 pm at St. John's

Holy Saturday - April 8 NO 5:00pm Mass 8:00 pm Vigil at St. John's

Easter Sunday - April 9 8:30 am at St. Cornelius 8:45 am at St. John's 10:15 am at St. John's 11:45 am at St. John's

**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.



Have you or a loved one endured the pain and anguish of abandonment, being forsaken by someone who was loved and trusted? The mystery of the cross is shrouded in Jesus' abandonment for those

three dreaded hours. He was forsaken not just by his closest friends, but even by his heavenly Father. That sounds unthinkable. But that's how God chose to share with us and all humanity the heart of his divine love and saving grace. It was as if the Father drew a curtain between heaven and earth. so when Jesus cried out in total weakness and powerlessness, "My God my God, why have you forsaken me?" there was no answer. Heaven was silent. The good news is that because Jesus endured the hell of separation from the Father, we never have to fear being forsaken by God. We can count on him to be with us always, through our times of darkness and distress, embracing us with a compassion that extinguishes the darkness. Liturgical

In Our Parish... As the parish grows so does our need for more volunteers. If you are interested in becoming a Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Altar Server, part of the Gardening team, Knights of Columbus, Catholic Women's League or Bereavement Team; pick up an application from the back of the church or contact the office 905-880-0080. Come and join us – have fun, learn more about our faith, help by being

a part of our Parish family, and make new friends.



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

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 2022 year have been mailed out. If you have not received your tax receipt please call the office. Please note: Family of Faith tax receipts come from the Archdiocese. 2022 Financial report is included with the tax receipts. If anyone has any questions, please call the Fr. Bob at 905-880-0080.

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