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St. John's, Albion/St. Cornelius, Silvercreek

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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





**Please Pray** for those who died this past week especially Kathleen Sehl, Herman Cornelson, Anthony Pallippattu and those who rest in our cemeteries.



Palm Sunday - Sat. Mar. 27th,

For the Parishioners' Families

Palm Sunday - Sun. Mar. 28th,

8:30am St. Cornelius Church
8:45am St. John's Church
10:15am St. John's Church
11:45am St. John's Church
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#### Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

All Souls . . . . . . . req. by the Parishioners Coronavirus victims . . . . . req. by the Parishioners

Holy Thursday April 1st, 7:30 pm St. John's Church

Adoration until 9 pm

### Good Friday - April 2nd

11:30 am Eucharist Service at St. Cornelius Church

- 2 pm Eucharist Service at St. John's Church
- 4 pm Eucharist Service at St. John's Church
- 7 pm Stations of the Cross at St. John's Church

# Holy Saturday April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 8:00 pm Vigil Easter Sunday April 4<sup>th</sup>,

8:30am St. Cornelius Church
8:45am St. John's Church
10:15am St. John's Church
11:45am St. John's Church
For the Parishioners' Families
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### Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week



Vocations... Blessed are those who come in the Name of the Lord! Blessed are they who live their lives in the Name of the Lord! If you feel God is giving you the blessing of a call to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Matt

McCarthy, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 vocations@archtoronto.org / www.vocationstoronto.ca

### Statue of St. Anthony repaired and refinished!!!

Paid for by Fr. Bob in memory of his mother. St. Anthony was her favourite Saint. As a mother of 5 boys, no wonder!! A big thank you to Alessandra for all her hard work and time dedicated to this refinishing project.



**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.

If you did not receive your tax receipt, please call the office. 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.

#### 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 Reves - 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 -Maria De Sousa - Giuseppe Giannini - Alyssa - Larry Fawcett - Alan Brown

Communion Reflection... There was a family flying a kite near the parish, I watched as the children were totally caught up in the moment, mesmerized by the gentle movements of this kite. There they were, with a few sticks, paper, strings, a little wonder, and a great stretch of sky–pure simplicity. When asked how he made his statue of David, Michelangelo responded, "It was easy. You just chip away that which doesn't look like David." What if we were to apply this philosophy to our lives? Downsize by eliminating the excess. Chip away, one step at a time, and clear out the clutter that overloads and stresses us. While there isn't a magical instant cure, you can start small with just ten minutes a day, adding another 10 minutes as you go along. Think tall by using the three-box method. Label the boxes: Toss it, Give it away, and Keep it. You'll soon discover that your enthusiasm to simplify will just keep growing and growing. Once that closet or room contains less stuff and fewer distractions, you'll experience a new world of freedom and peace. The possessions you accumulated and stuffed away will no longer possess you.



What enchanted us as children still has resonance for our adult selves, from the stories we read to the movies we watched. We love it when the good guys can do the impossible. In the Bible, doing the impossible is called a miracle, from the Latin word for wonder or marvel. Mary and

Elizabeth both conceive under circumstances that can only be described as marvellous. God is in the business of doing the impossible, so we're told. As original rule maker, God is the Rule-Breaker-In-Chief. So perhaps we ought to make a list of the impossible things that need doing—and add them to our prayer list, our advocacy list, even our to-do list. Let's give future generations something to wonder at.



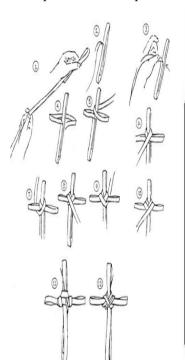
In **Holy Week** we are confronted with the primary Christian symbol – the cross – without which we cannot become his disciples. It affords us an opportunity to ponder as to what

is the cross that we are taking up daily or refusing to face? Where is our sharing in his passion? There is not much point in dwelling on the crucifixion of Christ during this solemn week if it is an isolated event and not linked with the drama of suffering that goes on in our lives for the rest of the year.

Holy Thursday On this day, Jesus offered the very first Mass, fed His followers for the first time with the Holy Eucharist and ordained the first priests. He showed the depth of His love by washing the feet (the act of a servant) of His apostles, and urged us to do the same. After Mass on this night, we take time to adore Jesus in the Eucharist and thank Him for His great love.

**Good Friday** Because of the wonderful act of love that Jesus performed, giving His life that we might all be able to live forever in His kingdom of love, peace and grace. We kiss the cross and try to understand why anyone would care so much about us.

Holy Saturday Also known as "Holy." Tonight, those who have been preparing to become Christian accept Baptism and Confirmation. On this night we keep watch for the Resurrection of Jesus from the dead and sing the first "Gloria" and "Alleluias" of the Easter Season. We ring the bells to announce the Resurrection and the promise of new life. We all renew the vows of our Baptisms. May each of these days be special to us. May we each be prepared through Penance to receive the new life promised us by Christ. And may the Good Shepherd bless our parish family with special love and peace.



### Easter Mass Schedule



Holy Thursday - April 1 7:30 pm at St. John's

Good Friday - April 2 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 3 NO 5:00pm Mass 8:00 pm Vigil at St. John's

Easter Sunday - April 4 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.



According to Shakespeare, betrayal is "the unkindest cut of all." Your spouse is having an affair, your friends are lying to you, secrets are shared-betrayals change us forever. The

trust is broken and the wounds won't heal. We're angry and bitter, and we want others to feel the pain and embarrassment they've caused us. So we jump onto the revenge treadmill, looking for ways to get even. Sometimes, it feels good to get back at people and inflict pain, doesn't it? But spending time on the revenge treadmill makes healing impossible. It prolongs the pain, drags it out, and magnifies it in our hearts. First, we rehash it by telling everyone we meet, "I was stabbed in the back." Then, we slash the person by casting a shadow over their character. Or, we trash it and let it go. How? Through forgiveness. We jump off the revenge treadmill and stop rehashing and slashing. By trashing it through forgiveness, we no longer allow the betrayer to keep hurting us. We can reclaim our lives, learn from the experience, and then move on.

### 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 <a href="mailto:stjohnalbion@bellnet.ca">stjohnalbion@bellnet.ca</a>

Due to Covid-19, Holy Week will have some changes. 15% indoor seating capacity, doors will only be open 15 minutes early so that we can sanitize the pews. 45 people at St. John's & 27 people at St. Cornelius. Decorations will be at a minimum this year.

**Palm Sunday** - Palms blessed and handed out after Mass. **Holy Thursday** - Mass of the Last Supper, no washing of feet, private adoration until 9 pm.

**Good Friday** - No veneration of Church crosses, we encourage you to bring your own family cross to the Good Friday service for private veneration.

**Holy Saturday** - No Easter Vigil fire or lighting of tapers. **Easter Sunday** - 15% indoor seating capacity, doors will only be open 15 minutes early so that we can sanitize the pews. 45 people at St. John's & 27 people at St. Cornelius.



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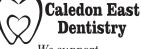
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