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Mass Intentions



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



Sat. Mar 29th, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional

Maria Caringi

req. by Egan's

Nena Franzese

req. by Vito Rampino

Sun. Mar 30th, 7:45 am Available

St. Cornelius

Sun. Mar 30th, 9:00 am Cyril Alexandar - In Thanksgiving

St. John's Church

req. by the Family

Sun. Mar 30th, 10:15 am Vittoria Nalli

St. John's Church

req. by the Family

Sun. Mar 30th, 11:45 am Nancy Porto

St. John's Church

req. by Anna Vetro

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

All Souls req. by the Parishioners

Wed. **Apr 2nd** 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel

Thurs. **Apr 3rd** 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel

Fri. **Apr 4th** 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel

Sat. Apr 5th, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional

John Gatt

req. by Egan's

Marni Holychuk

req. by Ken & Ann Holychuk

Michelle Anders & Ron Kraft

req. by Gen Kraft

Sun. Apr 6th, 7:45 am Available

St. Cornelius

Sun. Apr 6th, 9:00 am Kamil Magdziarski

St. John's Church

req. by Teresa Gorzynska

Sun. Apr 6th, 10:15 am Jan & Janina Zarzycki

St. John's Church

req. by the Family

Sun. Apr 6th, 11:45 am Antonio & Maria Calvano

St. John's Church

req. by Liliana & 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... Like the forgiving father of Luke's Gospel, God welcomes us home in spite of our sinfulness, and calls us to a life of holiness.

Where are you at home? Are you being called to a life as an ordained or a consecrated person? If

God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997
vocations@archtoronto.org /www.vocationstoronto.ca

EDGE.'s is a catholic ministry for **Gr.'s 5, 6, 7 AND 8.** Join us **Apr 13 at 1 pm** at **St. John's Church.** Hope to see you there!!!



For more info, email youthministrycaledoneast@gmail.com.

Young and Restless Social ~ Spiritual ~ Service The young adult ministry (18-35) meets twice a month to spend time in discussion and fellowship through fun socials, movies, pub nights, hikes and more! **Apr 4 - 7 pm** First Friday Adoration & Confession followed by pizza social. **Apr 6 - 1 pm** Fr. Bob Speaking. **Apr 12** - Rosary Hike at Palgrave Forest and Wildlife Area. For more info follow us: **Instagram @youngandrestless_st.johns** or contact us by **email** at youngadultscaledon@gmail.com

Please Pray for Our Sick:

Dragica Farkas - Barbara Vrbos - Ivana Lucic - Luca Iannarella - Alfonso Marignani - Maria De Sousa - Odilia Carreiro - Leisa Cairns - LucyAnn Field - Enzo Cimini - Anna Leone - Lucy Fantini - Gino Michelucci - Katlyn Marchese - Emma Harper - Patricia Militello - Laura DelCardo - Pasquale Tuccirone - Aurora Alonzi - Lidia Chojnacka - Theresa Wolinski - Elizabeth Wolinski - John Surman - Sylwia Mrowca-Migiel - Vanessa - Rebecca

Communion Reflection...

You are created in God's image who is love, created you in love, for love. Jesus' great command to love one another is about living as you are created to be, to fulfill your mission, the very reason for your existence. As a person who is created in God's image and likeness, you are to reflect and share this image through your actions and interactions, in the ways in which you live your daily life, so that people may know God's love through you. The truth that each person is created in God's image is a reflection of the vast greatness of God. God is not contained in one experience or culture. God is beyond human comprehension. Yet in Jesus Christ, God shows us his desire to be one with us, to be close to us. It is this near, intimate, personal love of God that we are called to share with others. Each of us will do this differently, through the way we spend our time and attention, gifts and blessings, and the talents and skills we have been given.



Grace is a gift. Sometimes we need only reach for it, allowing God to respond. The Gospel account of the woman with the hemorrhage is an example of faith that reaches for God in a

moment of need. Swept forward in a crowd rushing after Jesus to watch him work another miracle, this woman thinks that if only she could touch his cloak, she would be healed. Scripture says Jesus feels his power go out from him. He identifies her and responds to her bold act with gentleness: "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease." Like the suffering woman in this Gospel, often it is simple enough that we reach towards Jesus, asking him for grace, seeking his healing touch. This Lent, think about the times you reached toward the Lord, and he responded.

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



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St. Francis Centre is looking for part time cooks and cleaners. Contact the centre at admin@stfranciscentre.org

This Week's 2nd Collection - ShareLife

ShareLife Sunday marks the first collection for our parish's annual campaign. But ShareLife is more than a parish collection. It is how we, as Catholics in the Archdiocese of Toronto, bring the hands of Christ to those in need. From children to seniors, and everyone in between, more than 40 ShareLife agencies are there each step of the way. As a family of faith, we lift each other up from our lowest moments. Nick's life had an easy start – he came from a good home, where he was raised with a strong work ethic, and he welcomed a son. But living with a mental illness, he struggled more than some. Deep inside, he felt like something was missing, and he devastatingly fell into addiction. With your helping hand, he rose up through the DARE Program at Good Shepherd. "By the grace of God, I am still alive," he proclaims. "I'd love to be able to give back what was so freely given to me. I am taking roles of service, giving back as much as I can. I was afraid I'd never be able to feel the way I feel. I am very grateful that I have been given this opportunity to be sober." Thanks to your support, he is no longer just surviving—he is thriving, with a heart full of hope and a future filled with promise.



Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Our Goal is \$ 41,500 - Please be Generous!!



CWL Easter Lily Fundraiser Order forms are available at the back of the church. Place completed order form in the collection baskets during Mass or drop off at the office (Mon-Fri 9am-5pm). All orders must be in by **Apr 3**. For more info about CWL activities email

stjohntheevangelistCWL@gmail.com.

Bundle Up for St. Vincent de Paul!
April 5 -13

Acceptable items: all clothing, all footwear, bedding, drapery, towels, and toys (new or nearly new).

Items not accepted: books, construction material, dishes, furniture, and video/audio cassettes.



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. Apr 2 at 7:30 pm.

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in June 2025 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

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. In 2023, Good Shepherd served 330,020 meals. Your care, compassion, and hospitality give renewed hope to vulnerable and marginalized individuals who walk through the doors of Good Shepherd.



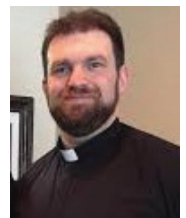
So many people are haunted by their past. They live with the constant fear of being found out—discovered—exposed. Our inability to leave our past behind can be as paralyzing as having both of our legs crippled. We experience life as heavy because we are carrying not only present worries and concerns, but past failures. These past failures sneak into our minds when we least expect them to. They can drive us into depression and moodiness, or even immobilize us, preventing us from going forward in our lives. We then don't do the good we want to because we consider ourselves unworthy. You see, even after many months or years, we still see ourselves as basically unworthy people. And being unworthy, we feel we have no right to reach out in love to others. It is a strange way of thinking, but it does afflict many of us.

Lenten Reconciliation Services

- St. John's Church - Mar 31** 6:30pm-8pm; **Apr 3** 6:30pm-8pm
- St. Patricks's Wildfield - Apr 10**, 9am-11am; 5pm-9pm;
- Fridays in Lent** 8pm-8:30pm
- Holy Family (Bolton) - Apr 9** 7pm-9pm
- Brampton Parishes:**
- Guardian Angels - Apr 3**, 6-8 pm
- St. Anthony of Padua - Mar 29**, 10am-12pm
- St. Mary's - Apr 1, 2, 15, 16**, 6pm-8pm **Apr 4** 6pm-7:30pm



About Fr. Allyn Rose was born and raised in Orangeville. He is the middle child of three. He studied accounting at Sheridan College and then at the University of Windsor. Allyn began volunteering in various capacities, including youth ministry, at his home parish of St. Timothy's in Orangeville. It was then that he began to realize that he found more fulfilment in his voluntary ministry than he did working full-time and decided to answer the call to priesthood that he had been denying for years. Allyn worked in an accounting office for two years before leaving to enter the seminary in 2005 and was ordained May 14, 2011. He spent his first 3 years at St Isaac Jogues, 2 years at Holy Martyrs, presently serving for the past 9 years as Pastor at St Thomas the Apostle Parish in Markham. I hope and pray that you welcome and love Fr. Allyn as you freely welcomed and loved me.



~ Fr. Bob

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