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

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St. John's The Evangelist Church

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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. - 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 Fr. Edwin D'Souza, Elizabeth Hatton and those who rest in our cemeteries.



- Sat. Mar. 5th, 5:00 pm Multi-Intentional Fernando Ariganello req. by His Family
Sun. Mar. 6th, 8:30 am End to Abortion St. Cornelius Church req. by Moira McGivern
Sun. Mar. 6th, 8:45 am Giuseppina Dattolico St. John's Church req. by Anna Scrivo
Sun. Mar. 6th, 10:15 am Galloro Family St. John's Church req. by the Family
Sun. Mar. 6th, 11:45 am Anna Rita Quadrini St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

- All Souls req. by the Parishioners
Coronavirus Victims req. by the Parishioners
Ginesio Campugiani req. by the Marignani Family
Giuseppina Dattolico req. by Anna Scrivo
Nancy Porto req. by Anna Scrivo
Wed. March 9th, 8:30 am St. John's Chapel
Thurs. March 10th, 8:30 am St. John's Chapel
Fri. March 11th, 8:30 am St. John's Chapel

- Sat. Mar. 12th, 5:00 pm Multi-Intentional Ken & Ann Holychuk req. by Ken & Ann Holychuk
Sun. Mar. 13th, 8:30 am Annie Ritchie St. Cornelius Church req. by Moira McGivern
Sun. Mar. 13th, 8:45 am Mauricio Castro & Family St. John's Church req. by Clover Fitzgerald
Sun. Mar. 13th, 10:15 am Leo Abraham St. John's Church req. by the Family
Sun. Mar. 13th, 11:45 am Eduardo Medeiros St. John's Church req. by the Medeiros Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

- All Souls req. by the Parishioners
Coronavirus Victims req. by the Parishioners
Marni Holychuk req. by Ken & Ann Holychuk
- 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... Jesus was led by the Holy Spirit into the desert for forty days of prayer and fasting. Are you open to being led by the Holy Spirit into the life-commitment God has prepared for you? If

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

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



Search: Best Lent Ever - Lent 2022 Dynamic Catholic will email you short inspirational videos, and practical tips.

Today's Quote: The season of Lent is about turning back to God when we have wandered away from him. It is a time for us to regroup and reengage with our Saviour.

- 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 - 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 - Peter Cicero - Emily Ribout - Carmelita Petierre - Randy Brewer - Donata Reale - Rosa Santos - Teresa Wolinski - 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 - Richard - Helen - Vincezo Amtiello - Craig Ionson - Angela - Joe Lassaline - Linda Fraser - John Van Eeden - Jeff Kotarski - Emma Harper - Sheila Smith - Britney Smith - Jules Bergeret - David Hall - Maria De Sousa - Giuseppe Giannini - Alyssa - Larry Fawcett - Kiana Tran - SK Bruce McCallum - Paul Centis - Winifred Gray - Ida Cavallo - Georgina Busuttill - Ellen Hughes - Carmela Valvano - Guy Scipione - Paul Hoffmann - Lucy de Laat - Winifred Yaw Gray - Giuseppe D'Urzo - Fr. Tobin - Emilia Tilson - Malgorzata Krol - Alfonso Marignani - Trevor Rouncville - Vince Trama - Jae Egan - Katarina Vrbos - Fr. Jim Petrie - Bill Jonkman

Communion Reflection... During Lent we set aside spiritual pretense. We start with ashes on our forehead to mark us "needy." We need a Saviour. We need forgiveness. We need mercy. We need grace. We need a right-hand God. And we have one! The right hand, or arm, was a biblical symbol of strength. Moses and Miriam sang, "Your right hand, O Lord, glorious in power—your right hand, O Lord, shattered the enemy." Even now, Jesus sits at the right hand of the Father in glory. God stands at our right hand! He is our strength! Lent shows us our neediness. Jesus journeying to Jerusalem is God on our right. Jesus betrayed; Jesus on trial; Jesus crucified; Jesus dead in the tomb. All of it is God on our right hand. I know there is one more big example, but it is still Lent! God is your strength.



We use that one word love to mean such different things: "I love sunsets." "I love pizza." "I love my kids to the moon." Or simply "I love you." Much of the love people express tends to be superficial, shallow, or self-serving. God is love.

There is no comparison with even the loftiest human love. Our best efforts to reflect his giving and forgiving love to others are only a shadow of God's all-embracing love, which led him to offer his Son as the atoning sacrifice for our sins and the sins of the whole world. And yet the more we experience the incredible love of God in our lives, the more we are moved to love others as he has loved us—with a love that keeps on giving and forgiving, long after others have given up. Thankfully, God never gives up on us. And we must not give up on others.

Dear Lord Jesus,

During this season of Lent, help us take good care of your creation, the gift you have freely given.

May we cultivate and protect it for future generations.

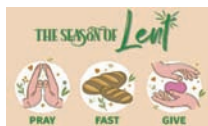
We also pray for persecuted Christians throughout the world.

May all Christians who, on account of their faith, are discriminated against or are being persecuted, remain strong and faithful to the Gospel, thanks to the unceasing prayer of the Church.

What Should I do for Lent?

Keep it Simple... Prayer is a recognition that we need help to turn back to God.

From daily Mass, to the Rosary, to Centering Prayer, to the Stations of the Cross, to Eucharistic Adoration, the Church encourages a wealth of prayerful practices. A very simple way to pray is to sit quietly for a moment before taking up one of the Gospels and slowly reading a passage that you like. Simply sit with the passage for a bit, savouring the Word and allowing it to touch you, read it again slowly, and then respond to God.



EDGE IS A CATHOLIC MINISTRY FOR GRADES 6, 7 AND 8. It provides a safe fun place for youth to find solid

Catholic community, to get answers to their questions about faith and, most importantly, to experience Jesus in a profound and personal way. EDGE resources speak to the physical, psychological, cognitive, relational, and spiritual maturation of our youth. We present Catholic teaching in a way that young people can understand. Our EDGE sessions meet **Sundays after the 11:45 Mass at St. John's Church starting March 20th** and continuing twice a month. For more information, please email stjohnalbion@bellnet.ca

Please pray for peace and especially the people of the Ukraine. Humanitarian Relief envelopes will be out for those who wish to make a donation. Funds will be sent to Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA) who is currently in the Ukraine providing food, shelter, medicine and transportation to safe locations.



Bundle Up for St. Vincent de Paul! Oct 16-17

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.

Daylight Saving Time Begins Sun. Mar. 13 at 2 am !!Turn Clocks Forward 1 Hour!!



Provide A Meal... Last weekend was our Chili Collection for The Good Shepherd. With your gift, you are helping to provide hot, nutritious meals for individuals who are struggling with homelessness and poverty. Thank you for keeping warmth and hospitality alive and well. 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.



A professor gives a lecture. One student hears something he doesn't like. He confronts the professor. The professor says, "yes, but later I clarified what I'd said. Next time, give it five minutes, so you can listen again." Things were going so well: Jesus was healing, teaching and confounding the experts; thousands were coming out to hear the Teacher. Peter, this nobody, seemed to be chosen for the inner ring. Then Jesus went dark, said he was going to suffer and die. The disciples didn't like that, so they shut down and didn't hear the good part: "... and after three days rise again." The disciples didn't grasp it, through it was right there in Isaiah 53, that God's mercy wouldn't go active until the Son of man died upon the cross. "Out of his anguish he shall see light," Isaiah said. They shut down, yes, but they held on because, as Peter said later, "Hard words, Jesus. But where are we supposed to go? You have the words of eternal life." Jesus help me listen when you speak hard words. Only you have the words of mercy and life eternal.

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 - Our Community - Donate. For Pre-authorized giving download an enrollment form from our parish website - Our Community - Donate. 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 stjohnalbion@bellnet.ca

Have a Blessed Week!!

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 2021 year will be mailed out by the end of the month. Please allow 2 weeks for delivery. If you do not receive your tax receipts by March 12, please call the office and let us know. **Please note: Family of Faith tax receipts come from the Archdiocese. 2021 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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