# Caledon Catholic Community

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

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**St. John's The Evangelist Church** 16066 The Gore Road, Caledon, ON L7C 3E6



**St. Cornelius, Silver Creek** 16631 Kennedy Road, Caledon, ON L7C 2H9

**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 9:00 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 11:45 a.m. St. Cornelius Parish - Sunday 7:45 a.m.

**WEEKDAY MASS:** Rosary after Mass on Fridays Wednesday-Friday 8:30 a.m. - RF 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, Catholic Women's League, Finance Council, Garden Committee, Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors, Edge Youth Ministry, Altar Servers, Rosary Group, Young Adults Ministry

#### Mass Intentions



Sat. May 24th, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional Andreas Hermann req. by the Parish Bernardette Pereira req. by Egan's **Carmen Barrios** req. by the Rodas Family Ken Holychuk - 94th Birthday req. by the Family Sun. May 25th, 7:45 am Morton Mates

St. Cornelius Church

req. by his Friends

Sun. May 25th, 9:00 am Available

St. John's Church

Sun. May 25th, 10:15 am Michelina Costellano

St. John's Church req. by Susan Noris

Sun. May 25th, 11:45 am Robert Rocha

St. John's Church req. by Maria Rocha

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

All Souls . . . . req. by the Parishioners Ken Holychuk ..... req. by the Family

Wed. May 28th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel Thurs. May 29th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel May 30th, Fri. 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel

Sat. May 31st, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional

Louis Miceli req. by the Parish Miledys Fernandez req. by her Daughter, Marianna Libertella reg. by his Wife Patricia & Family Kevin Barry O'Hehir

Sun. June 1st, 7:45 am Mary Ann Matthews

St. Cornelius Church req. by Susan Hughes

Sun. June 1st, 9:00 am Arian Yoahan Alexander

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. June 1st, 10:15 am Maureen Cicinelli

req. by St. Cecilia School Staff St. John's Church

Sun. June 1st, 11:45 am Julio Abrantes

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls . . . . . req. by the Parishioners Biagio Mazza ..... req. by the Family Margherita Mazza ..... req. by the Family Antonio Spadavecchia ..... req. by the Family Rosa Zambri . . . . . req. by the 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...** Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him and we will come to Him. How will I respond to that love? Am I being called to the priesthood, diaconate or religious life? If God is calling you 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 May 18 at 1 pm at St. John's Church. Hope to see you there!!! For



more info, email youthministrycaledoneast@gmail.com.

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



#### 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...** Faith is a gift. You do not earn it, nor can you claim credit for having it. You steward faith well by growing in faith, allowing it to shape your life, and sharing it with others. Growing in faith is a process of placing your mind, heart, life, and spirit in the hands of God, trusting that God wants to be in deep relationship with you. God wants you to know and believe in him. When you grow strong in faith, you find that you naturally want it to shape your life, to direct your attitudes and actions, decisions and interactions, so that all you are and do is a reflection of God's love. Sharing faith is a way to acknowledge the place God has in your life. It is the natural response of one who is in love-when you love someone, you cannot help but want to share the impact of the love with the people around you. You say, in words or actions, that you cannot imagine what life would be like without the one you love in it.



Many people admire Jesus as a great teacher who inspired countless people with his ethical the Pastors Desk insights and selfless example. They are content to imitate him. They aren't willing to

become a full-fledged disciple. Once, shortly after being married, a groom brought his bride to an adult membership class. After the class where the cost of discipleship was discussed, the bride approached the pastor and asked quite seriously if they had social memberships in their church. When we accept Christ's call to discipleship, our life changes from being inward-focused to being other-focused, as the Holy Spirit constrains us to be the living hands and feet and voice of Jesus. Consequently, we no longer live for ourselves but for the selfless service of him who put aside the glories of heaven, and endured the horrors of hell, so that he might share with us the wonders of heaven.

Fr. Bob's Farewell - June 21/22 after all the Masses at St. John's Church. Join the CWL and Knights of Columbus as we host a farewell fete honouring Fr.



Bob and his many years of faithful service to the Parish. Cake and coffee will be served. Tissues will be provided.

# This Week's 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection Papal Charities

#### Prayer to Our Lady of Lourdes

O Immaculate Virgin Mary, Mother of Mercy, you are the refuge of sinners the health of the sick. and the comfort of the afflicted. You know my wants, my troubles, my sufferings. By your appearance at the Grotto of Lourdes you made it a privileged sanctuary where your favors are given to people streaming to it from the whole world. Over the years countless sufferers have obtained the cure for their infirmities whether of soul, mind, or body Therefore I come to you with limitless confidence to implore your motherly intercession. Obtain, O loving Mother, the grant of my requests Through gratitude for Your favors, I will endeavor to imitate Your virtues, that I may one day share in Your glory Amen. ww.CatholicPrayerCards.org 1-888-244-2788 ders@CatholicPrayerCards.org Card #184





#### **Confirmations**

Please pray for our young people who will be receiving their Confirmation during the months of May and June.

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! For any questions, please contact us by email at youngadultscaledon@gmail.com Follow us on *Instagram* @youngandrestless st.johns

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. Preparation meetings are held on the first Wednesday of every month. You must attend a meeting to secure a Baptism date. Next meeting: Wed. June 4 at 7:30 pm.



A special Thank you to Paul Berkers and the Knight's of Columbus for the donation of the Chocolate Easter Eggs.

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

*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.



There are some things angels can't comprehend: the incarnation, God's life among us, Jesus' death on the cross, Easter. They know the facts, but they

can't comprehend it all. Why is it we understand it then? Because they don't know what it's like to be separated from the Creator, never felt the crushing burden of sin, never had cool water poured over their heads, or drunk from the cup of blessing. Mostly the reason they scratch their heads is over this questions: "Why them?" We wonder about that too. Why me? In view of the real me, why would God do it? Why would he place himself on this very dangerous planet? Why would he do all that? John 3:16 in unambiguous: He did it out of his love. The Bible tells us again and again that we are loved and treasured by God, but never explains why. God does, however, tell us what he's done about it: He's sent his Son to save us forever.

Welcome new parishioners who have moved into our parish boundaries! To be a registered member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to a Community of Faith. Registration is necessary when seeking reference letters, eligibility for the sacraments and any other documentation; such as, tax receipts and so on!!! Please introduce yourself/family to the Pastor and register as soon as possible by picking up any set of 2025 envelopes at the entrance. Please fill in the front for the first month's donations so that the information may be registered.

- Fr. Bob



Pope Leo XIV @Pontifex With the light and the strength of the Holy Spirit, let us build a Church founded on God's love, a sign of unity, a missionary Church that opens its arms to the world, proclaims the word, allows itself to be made "restless" by history, and becomes a leaven of harmony for humanity.



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