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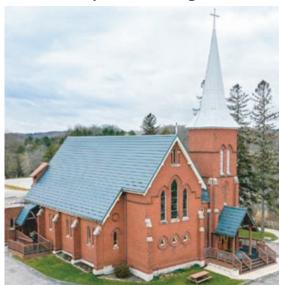
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PASTOR: Fr. Bob Glynn Deacon Silverio Fidalgo

**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. May 4th, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional Jean Grogan req. by the Parish Souls in Purgatory req. by the Holychuk Family Aldo Torresan reg. by his Brother Oddo Torresan

Sun. May 5th, 8:30 am John McEnaney

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. May 5th, 8:45 am Thiffany Alexandar

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. May 5th, 10:15 am Agnes Siokalo

St. John's Church req. by the Lister Family

Sun. May 5th, 11:45 am Robert Rocha

St. John's Church reg. by Maria Rocha

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

All Souls . . . . . reg. by the Parishioners Marni Holychuk . . . . . req. by the Holychuk Family Jaime de Sousa . . . . . . req. by Margaret Proctor Sr. Colette . . . . . . req. by the Surman Family

8:30 am RF Hall Chapel 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel May 8th, Wed. Thurs. May 9th, May 10th,

Sat. May 11th, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional

**Galloro Family** req. by the Family req. by the Holychuk Family Parishioners in Need

Sun. May 12th, 8:30 am Filomena Santopolo

St. Cornelius Church req. by the Di Marco Family

Sun. May 12th, 8:45 am Luigi Baldesarra

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. May 12th, 10:15 am Jean & Louis Grogan

St. John's Church req. by the Grogan Family

Sun. May 12th, 11:45 am Beatrice Glynn

St. John's Church req. by the Family

#### Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls . . . . req. by the Parishioners Teresa Wolinski . . . . . . . . . reg. by the Surman 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...** The greatest love story that ever happened: God's continuing love for His people. All God asks is "Love one another as I have loved you." The world really needs to see people who are trying to love others with all their hearts.

Priests, religious and deacons can be excellent examples of this love. If you are willing to answer God's call, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 vocations@archtoronto.org /www.vocationstoronto.ca

#### **First Holy Communions**

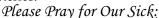
Please pray for our young people who will be receiving their First Holy Communion during April and May.

"Whomever eats this bread lives forever"





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





**Communion Reflection...** The present hour is a curious place to inhabit. Behind us is everything we remember and choose to forget. Ahead of us is everything we hope for, or perhaps dread. The book of Deuteronomy exists in that kind of already-and-not-yet space of the present. Moses has brought the nation through forty years of community formation. He's about to leave them as they go forward across the Jordan into the land of promise, while he stays behind to meet his Maker in ultimate ways. Not a lot actually happens in Deuteronomy, Moses tells the story of yesterday and dreams about tomorrow. Standing at the crossroads, he asks the nation to remember, before they move into what the future holds. Religion is a great deal about this sort of activity: standing still, telling stories, and remembering. At the crossroads of memory and hope, we recollect who we've been and who we mean to become. The past gives us context and identity. The future gives us room to grow and change.



If you've ever baked bread from scratch, which seems to the fad now-a-days, you know the yeast (or starter) is the key ingredient in the the Pastors Desk whole enterprise. The ability to "raise up" the mixture is what makes flour and water into

bread. We all seem to be adept at dragging things down with our criticism, judgements, negativity and even complaints about the weather. Yet it's more creative and challenging to be the leaven—to find the proverbial silver lining, the divine essence or the ray of hope that raises up a situation. It takes only a small amount of leaven to get good action going. It could merely be your smile, a friendly joke or a remark like, "Hey, you look great today!" The whole lump of this life needs us to be working like yeast to build the kingdom. Today's challenge—with a kind word, raise someone up.

This weekend's 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for Papal Charities -

Each year, Canadian Catholics are asked to give generously to support the Pope's Pastoral Works (Papal Charities). The monies collected will go directly to the Holy Father.

Young and Restless Social ~ Spiritual ~ Service Theology on Tap for Young Adults: May 5th 6-9pm -Flying Monkeys Brewery, 107 Dunlop Street East, Barrie

"Half an hour's meditation each day is essential, except when you are busy. Then a full hour is needed." - St. Frances de Sales. Join us for our next meeting on May 12th at 1pm in the church hall for fellowship and a talk by Fr. Bob on **Meditation**. Our 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! Join us on the second Sunday of the month at 1pm in the St. John's parish hall. Follow us on Instagram @youngandrestless st.johns or contact youngadultscaledon@gmail.com for more information!

Wednesday Women The Healing Health Ministry invites all women to a new support group, on Wed May 8th, 2024. Women coming together to encourage and inspire each other, to be a source of strength and support, with the presence of our loving Lord. There will be a prayer, discussion and refreshments. We will meet in the church basement at 1pm.

For those wanting more information or support for Grief and Loss, please email stjohnshealingministry@gmail.com

The Catholic Women League and The Healing Health Ministry Present's Effectively Coping with Stress and Achieving Emotional Wellness Thurs May 9th at 6:30 pm In the basement at St John's. Dinner and Refreshment to be provided RSVP to stjohnshealingministry@gmail.com



CWL High Tea - Wed May 15, 2024 R. F. Hall from 7-9 pm. Tickets available at the back of the church. Cost \$ 35 see any CWL member - deadline May 4/5. This CWL

fundraising event supports the church and outreach programs. For more info contact stjohntheevangelistcwl@gmail.com.

We invite all parishioners to join in celebrating Catholic Education Week 2024, which runs from May 5-10. For more than 165 years, Ontario's publicly funded Catholic schools have been integrating our faith into all aspects of school life, nurturing the gifts and talents of every student. We celebrate the distinctive contribution that Catholic schools provide, giving thanks and offering our prayers for all those who faithfully journey with our young people each day. For more



information about Catholic Education Week visit www.goodnewsforall.ca

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.



Mom provided a loving home for all 6 of us kids growing up. She was also Easter Message a great help to Dad. Together they made sure that each of us had a solid faith in Jesus as our Saviour. And her

dying concern was that "all the babies" grandchildren and great-grandchildren, know Jesus. Jesus had a mother who loved and cared for him. She was there with him on the day he died. From the agony of the cross, with some of his last words, Jesus entrusted the care of his loving mother, Mary, to his friend John. And John to her. Jesus shows how we who follow him become part of a new family-brothers and sisters in Christ. With Mother's day around the corner, let us say thank you to God for Mary, our mothers, and for our brothers and sisters in Christ. Help us to encourage each other in trusting your Son.

**EDGE** is a catholic ministry for Gr.'s 5, 6, 7 AND 8. Join us May 5<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm at St. John's Church. Youth Mass -



May 5 - 11:45 For more info, email youthministrycaledoneast@gmail.com.

Last week, Edge made 46 sandwiches for the Good Shepherd.



During the month of May special focus is placed on devotions, such as the Rosary. The Rosary will be prayed before all Masses and the crowning of Mary will take place at every Mass by the children. If your child would like to help crown Mary, please arrive a few minutes early and join us at the back of the church.

## A Prayer To The Holy Mother

Oh blessed Virgin, pray to God for us always, that He may pardon us and give us grace, pray to God for us always, that He may grant us peace in this life, pray to God for us always, that He may reward us with paradise at our death.



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