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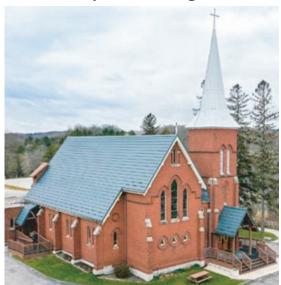
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PASTOR: Fr. Bob Glynn Deacon Silverio Fidalgo

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. November 26th, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional

Rutigliani Family req. by the Rutigliani Family **Kazimiera Kubatov** req. by Egan's Funeral Home

Sun. November 20th, 8:30 am Dee McEnaney

St. Cornelius Church req. by the Family

Sun. November 20th, 8:45 am Available

St. John's Church

Sun. November 20th, 10:15 am Martino Family

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. November 20th, 11:45 am Available

St. John's Church

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

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

Wed. November 30th, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel Thurs. December 1st, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel Fri. December 2nd, 8:30 am RF Hall Chapel

Sat. December 3rd, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional

Anthony Cianfarani req. by the Parish Michelle Anders & Ron Kraft req. by Gen Kraft

Sun. December 4th, 8:30 am Jacqueline McEnaney

St. Cornelius Church reg. by the Family

Sun. December 4th, 8:45 am Available

St. John's Church

Sun. December 4th, 10:15 am Ted Lister

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

Sun. December 4th, 11:45 am Available

St. John's Church

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls req. by the Parishioners Coronavirus Victims 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... "They shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks." 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 is a catholic ministry for GRADES 5, 6, 7 AND 8. Join us November 27 at 1 pm at St. John's



Church. For more information, please email youthministrycaledoneast@gmail.com. This is a great opportunity for our youth to have something for themselves in our parish family. Hope to see you there!!!



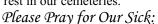
ADVENT is a time of waiting. During the Sundays of Advent our presiders and ministers take their positions five minutes early to symbolize our wait for the Lord and the church moves from darkness to

light during the readings.

During each Mass one family will be invited to come up in procession to light the wreath.



Please Pray for those who died this past week, especially Gerald Tobin, Msgr. Edmond Putrimas and those who rest in our cemeteries.





Communion Reflection... "Once" is a very popular adverb with which to start a story. It helps to set the scene. It takes us back to when our story begins. Let's use it to begin our Advent journey this year. Once, God created the heavens and the earth, God said, "Let there be light," and at once it happened. Once, in a garden, God made a man and God made a woman. God created them by hand, and God made them perfectly. Once, Adam and Eve walked and talked with God. Once, God's world was a perfect paradise. We look forward this Advent to God's promise of paradise once again. Heavenly Father, we light one candle today and thank you for your gifts of light and life.



The season of Advent begins today. This season of preparation not only looks forward to the celebration of Christmas but is also a reminder of the whole story of

salvation effected by the Incarnation, culminating in the fullness of the kingdom of God at the consummation of history. Advent gives us an occasion to reflect on what God has done for us but also invited us to see what he is doing in our own lives right now. The story of Jesus' coming is a story of great love played out through remarkably mundane circumstances. So it is with the divine mystery in our lives. God will surprise us! Let's take time this season to pay special attention to what he has to share with us. Heavenly Father, give me the eyes to see your plan for my life in this new Advent season.



Please pray for peace and especially the people of Ukraine; join us in saying a Hail Mary every day.

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 stjohntheevangelistca@archtoronto.org

Have a wonderful week!!

CWL Coat Drive Runs until Nov 28. Do you have a gently worn or new coat that you do not wear or need anymore?? Child & Adult sizes welcome. If you have any questions please contact the CWL at stjohntheevangelistCWL@gmail.com





During the month of November, we take the time to pause and remember those who have died and await the resurrection of the body at the end of time, especially those in our parish

cemeteries. "May the Lord grant eternal rest to them and send his comfort and strength to us, the living, as we look forward to our reunion, one day, in the glory of God's eternal kingdom in heaven." Envelopes for All Souls are available at the back of the Church and may be placed in front of the Altar for the month of November. The names will be remembered at the Masses during the year, along with candles at the altar. All donations will be used for Masses, Memorial Candles, and Sanctuary improvements.

Prayer for the First Sunday of Advent

Jesus, bright morning Star, it's time for me to wake from the slumber of my ordinary life and find you in the holiness of this



season. I pray today that the next four weeks will be a special time of returning for me-of rising each morning with a prayer and a desire to look for and find you in the details of my life. December is a month that requires so much of my time, treasure and talent. I will be pulled in many directions. Help me to focus on you, on that pinpoint of light that is sometimes hard to see unless I pause to seek and find it. Guide me to thy perfect light.



BEST Search: Best Advent Ever - Dynamic Catholic will email you short inspirational videos, practical tips, & free Christmas music that will help you slow

down during the busy Christmas season to focus and transform your life, relationships, work, and ability to genuinely embrace and experience all of life.

2023 Missals are now available for purchase at \$5 each. Lectors may pick up their copies from the Sacristy.

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.



Welcome to the season of waiting. Okay, okay, okay, in actuality it's the season of Advent. But I like to call things what they are. And let's face the facts, this season is all about waiting. And it's not waiting-in-addition-to-something-else. Just waiting, sweet and simple. Might as well speak plainly, folks-name it and claim it, you know? We aren't a people accustomed to waiting. We have instant messaging, after all. INSTANT. A century ago "instant messaging" was carried by a

guy on a pony and took two weeks to get to Winnipeg from Toronto. If a package can't be delivered by Amazon withing two days, I cancel my order. I have to wait a whole minute for a video to load? What...do I look like I'm made of time? Waiting is uncomfortable for us. And Advent hits us right in the discomfort zone... with waiting. What uncomfortable things have you had to endure lately?

Light Up for Christ - Tues. Dec. 6th at 7:30 pm The Knights of Columbus will be hosting their Annual Light Up for Christ evening. Please join us for carolling and lighting the Christmas tree. Come into the hall after and enjoy coffee, hot chocolate, TimBits and fellowship.

The Knights will have **Keep Christ in Christmas** signs lawn signs as well as lapel pins available at the back of the church Nov 26/27 and Dec 3/4. Sign are \$20; Pins available for a small donation.

Knights of Columbus KEEP CHRIST in CHRISTMAS POSTER CONTEST returns this year!! Open to children aged 5 through 14. Please pick up an entry form from one of the ushers after Mass, or through the week at the Church office. Deadline for poster submission is Dec 18th. Posters will be used to help decorate the Church for Christmas.



Christmas Food Drive - Dec 10/11 and Dec 17/18 All donations will be **Christmas Food Drive - Dec 10/11** in support of "The Exchange" at

Caledon Community Services in Bolton. Donations can be dropped off in Father Bob's van at the Church before Mass, or at the office through the week

The Giving Tree... Make Christmas special for a child. Donate a new, unwrapped toy for Safe Centre of Peel or Catholic Family Services that helps those impacted by family

violence and abuse. Donations can be placed under the tree or dropped off at the church until December 18th. Thank you for your generosity.



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