# Caledon Catholic Community

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

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

**PASTOR:** Fr. Allyn Rose **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.

#### **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. - St. John's Church

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Contact office at 905-880-0080

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE Contact office at 905-880-0080 **BAPTISMS:** Please pick up a booklet from the back of the church.

**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 the office 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. Aug 16th, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional Lesa Grogan req. by the Parish Ron Kraft req. by Gen Kraft Bianca Bozzi-Simone - 16th Birthday req. by the Family Edward Derbyshire req. by the Holychuk & Camplin Families Sun. Aug 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:45 am Gabriella Battistel St. Cornelius Church req. by the Tuzi & Extended Family

Sun. Aug 17th, 9:00 am Cyril Bastiampillai

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. Aug 17th, 10:15 am The Intentions of the People St. John's Church

Sun. Aug 17th, 11:45 am Deceased White Family

req. by Patricia O'Hehir St. John's Church

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week All Souls . . . . . req. by the Parishioners Aug 20th. Wed. 8:30 am St. John's Church

Thurs. Aug 21st, 8:30 am St. John's Church Aug 22<sup>nd</sup>, 8:30 am St. John's Church

Sat. Aug 23<sup>rd</sup>, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional

**Audrey Tobin** req. by the Parish Ken & Ann Holychuk - Healing req. by the Family

Sun. Aug 24th, 7:45 am The Intentions of the People

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. Aug 24th, 9:00 am Albertina de Sousa

St. John's Church req. by Fil Filipe

Sun. Aug 24th, 10:15 am Deolinda Soares

St. John's Church req. by Katherin Soares

Sun. Aug 24<sup>th</sup>, 11:45 am Vittoria Nalli

req. by her Daughter St. John's Church

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls . . . . . 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... "...let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us..." 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

In Our Parish... As the parish grows so does our need for more volunteers. If you are interested in becoming a Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Altar Server, Knights of Columbus, Catholic Women's League, Bereavement Team, Garden Committee; pick up an application from the back of the church or contact the office 905-880-0080. Come and join us – have fun, learn more about our faith, serve our Parish, and make new friends.

Missing information: Env # 5124, 5471, 5237, 5131, Sousa family Please write your name and address on your envelope.



Please Pray for those who died this past week especially Eugenia Morawska, Fr. James Carruthers CSB 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 - Patricia Militello - Laura DelCardo - Pasquale Tuccirone - Aurora Alonzi - Lidia Chojnacka - Theresa Wolinski - Elizabeth Wolinski - John Surman - Sylwia Mrowca-Migiel - Vanessa - Rebecca - Hans - Julia Leone - Angela Cimini - Enzo - Brian Hutterer - Ela Wrzesniak - Roz - Janette Wallace - Maria Luz Alilian

Communion Reflection... Most of us spend a lot of time thinking about what we want. We dream of a new house, better car, career success, or a life of happiness. Some of our dreams are worthy goals for a life that is centred in God and rooted in faith. But often our wants stem from misplaced priorities, putting possessions or the desire for control before our relationship with Christ. Jesus invites us to let go of this want-driven life and instead embrace his way of self-giving love. How much do you want, and what do you really need? This is a question we face every day. When we cling to things, people, or self-reliance, we lose the beauty of God's vision for our lives and for all of creation. In holding tight to what we think we want, we lose the possibility of a greater, more profound, deeply meaningful way of life. As a person who is committed to God's way, separate your wants from your needs. The difference this makes is sure to have a lasting impact on you and all who are touched by your faithful life.



From the Paster So much of our journey through life involves putting faith in others: our spouse, our family, our friends, and the God Who made us all. Each of these has our trust and confidence as we go through life with the firm belief that

they will be there for us. While all of this is very admirable, we sometimes neglect to put a lot of faith in ourselves. God has entrusted us with the task of bringing His teachings to others by the way we carry out our life. He knows that we're the right person for the job or He wouldn't have placed us in the situations we find ourselves. So often we give thanks for the people God put in our life and fail to thank Him for the talents He bestowed on our own person. The Lord has great faith in our abilities. Don't belittle them. He doesn't.

Until the Soul Sings - A journey of healing and inner transformation in the footsteps of Saint Francis A one day retreat at the St. Francis Centre Sat Aug 30. Registration 8:30 am, lunch included. Concludes with Mass at 4 pm. Cost \$ 40. Please bring indoor shoes. Contact the Centre to reserve your seat at admin@stfranciscentre.org or call 519-941-1747



### CATHOLIC MISSIONS This Weeks 2nd Collection for Catholic Missions in Canada / Scarborough Foreign

**Missions** Commonly known as "the shared collection," funds are split equally between our 2 Canadian missionary societies for the promotion of the Gospel at home and throughout the world. Catholic Mission in Canada (www.cmic.info) fosters and extends the blessings of the Catholic faith by supporting mission in regions of our country where the population is too small, or the economic situation of the community is too fragile for the people themselves to support their local Church and its ministry. Scarborough Foreign Missions (www.scarboromissions.ca) is involved in mission work overseas. Priests and lay missionaries work all over the world as they seek to serve in areas where the Gospel has presence in the life, history, culture and faiths of those they meet, and to live in solidarity with the poor and marginalized people of the world.

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. Allyn

Jubilee 2025 - Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to Martyrs' **Shrine Sunday, August 24, 2025 (16163 Highway 12** West, Midland, Ontario) Join Cardinal Leo and the bishops, priests and deacons of the Archdiocese for a pilgrimage to the Martyrs' Shrine, a national holy and historic space honoring the lives of the Canadian Martyrs and a designated Archdiocesan Jubilee Site (for pilgrimage and plenary indulgence). Program includes 9-10:45 am arrival and personal time. 11:00 am Holy Mass with Cardinal Leo. Entrance Fee (payable on arrival) Adults: \$10; Youth (0-18): Free. Please bring your own lawn chair.

### Reconciliation/1st Communion & Confirmation

Applications for candidates wishing to celebrate the Sacraments of Reconciliation & First Communion and Confirmation will be available soon!! Keep watching the bulletin.



Provide A Meal... The last weekend of the month is our Chili Collection for The Good Shepherd. Pans and recipes are available at the house porch of St. John's Church. Providing essential services requires a collective effort, and Good Shepherd cannot do it alone. Chili's may be dropped off in the freezer, located in the porch of the house at St. John's Church.



Lord of peace, Jesus never promised us that

the life of a Christian disciple would be easy or peaceful. In fact, the Gospel tells us that Jesus comes not to bring peace, but division, to set the world on fire. This division comes from those who reject the teachings of Jesus and refers to the way in which the Gospel will divide those who accept or reject it. Jesus was aware that those who would follow him would face opposition from the people around them. Not everyone is keen to hear the message of the Gospel, and as a result, some push-back and resistance is expected. This happened throughout the entire history of Israel, and in the first reading, we observe how even the prophets were rejected and persecuted. Moreover, we read how certain men hated Jeremiah for his teachings and sought to put him to death. If the people rejected and persecuted the prophets, the disciples, and Jesus himself, then we too must be ready for similar treatment. Despite the challenges however, we can take heart in knowing that God does not abandon the faithful who are persecuted for his sake. In the second reading, St. Paul reminds us to consider how much opposition Jesus endured, and to keep our eyes fixed on him when we ourselves encounter similar challenges. As we live a life of stewardship, let us make sure to frequent the Lord in prayer to seek his help in our own struggles. If we aren't spending time with Jesus in prayer, let us make an earnest effort to spend a few minutes each day with the Lord, asking for his strength to courageously face every challenge that comes our way.

Mass on the Road this Summer For Mass schedules while traveling this summer, go to www.masstimes.org on the web. You will find Mass times by city and parish, information on the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, non-English services and more for many parishes.

Pope Leo XIV @Pontifex Jesus urges us not to keep the gifts God has given us for ourselves, but to use them generously for the good of others, especially those who need our help most.



St. Francis Centre Marriage Preparation Course Runs Oct 17-19 Course starts Friday 7 pm sharp. Arrival no later than 6 pm. Limit of 15 couples. Don't wait book now. To reserve your spot call 519-941-1747 or email: admin@stfranciscentre.org



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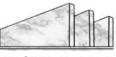
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