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St. John's The Evangelist Church

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PASTOR: Fr. Allyn Rose

OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Fri 9:00-5:00p.m.; Sat 1-6 p.m. & Sun 9-1:15 p.m.



St. Cornelius, Silver Creek

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Deacon Silverio Fidalgo

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 Thursdays
Wednesday-Friday 8:45 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: Please pick up a booklet from the back of the church.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday between 4:15 p.m. and 4:45 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



Please Pray for those who died this past week and especially 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 - Enzo Cimini - Anna Leone - Lucy Fantini - Gino Michelucci - Katlyn Marchese - Patricia Militello - Laura DelCardo - Aurora Alonzi - Lidia Chojnacka - Theresa Wolinski - John Surman - Vanessa - Rebecca - Hans - Julia Leone - Angela Cimini - Enzo - Brian Hutterer - Ela Wrzesniak - Roz Walton - Tommaso Pozzuoli - Vivian Mio - Tulia Hewlett - Arnold S. - Elvera Riveira - Manny Soares - Ken & Ann Holychuk - Henelita Dulguime - Vito Cosentino - Stephanie Chung - Qaiser Waheed - Brian MacDonald - Connie & Luciano T - Yessica De'Cu - Gurdeep Singh - Luisa Fiorini - Joseph D - Paul Farrugia - Antonio Samuel Fernandes Filipe

Communion Reflection... A father had three sons. One day he said to them, 'Go and work in the vineyard today.' The first said, 'Sure, Dad.' But he didn't go. The second said, 'I won't go.' However, later in the day he changed his mind and went grudgingly. The third said, 'Sure, Dad.' And he went immediately and willingly. Which of the sons will feel the closest to the father at the end of the day? The third of course. The more we do the will of God out of love, the more we will appreciate his love for us. Lord, save us from the darkness of broken promises, and help us to walk in the light of faithfulness.



Pastor's Message Make yourself at home. Do you remember the last time you extended that invitation? Or the last time you accepted it? When we "make ourselves at home," we relax in another person's presence. We often kick off our shoes. If we feel comfortable enough, we may even raid the refrigerator or pick up the TV remote. But what does it mean to have Christ make himself at home in our hearts? Strip away if you can, all the churchly notions that may pop to mind as you think about this. Push aside any disappointed hopes from the past that may hang on the edges of your awareness. See the promise God's word holds out to you. Taste his generosity anew, or taste it for the first time. God is passionate about nurturing this kind of relationship with you! He made that relationship possible through the cross of his Son, Jesus. Ask the Spirit of Christ to impress his love for you on your heart. God longs for a rich, full relationship with you that he has yearned to establish and nurture with you from all eternity.

Sat. Sept 26th, 5:00 pm Multi-intentional

Cosimo Crupi req. by the Crupi Family
Adrian Alexandar req. by the Family
Dagoberto Flores req. by the Rodas Family

Sun. Sept 27th, 7:45 am Intentions of the People

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. Sept 27th, 9:00 am In Thanksgiving - Cyril Alexandar

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. Sept 27th, 10:15 am Casey A. Haevenaars

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

Sun. Sept 27th, 11:45 am Pina & Domenico Petrolo

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

All Souls req. by the Parishioners

Wed. **Sept 30th**, 8:45 am RF Hall Chapel

Thurs. **Oct 1st**, 9 am RF Hall Chapel - Opening Mass

Fri. **Oct 2nd**, 8:45 am RF Hall Chapel

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

Eustus Upendra Perera req. by his Wife
Jan Bednarek req. by his Daughter & Family

Sun. Oct 4th, 7:45 am Amelia Ferreira

St. Cornelius Church req. by her Friends

Sun. Oct 4th, 9:00 am Emil Kolb

St. John's Church req. by Karen Davis

Sun. Oct 4th, 10:15 am Patti Weir

St. John's Church req. by Mallorie Lister

Sun. Oct 4th, 11:45 am Intentions of the People

St. John's Church

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls 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... The invitation to serve often comes more than once; are you prepared with your answer? Consider ministry as a priest, deacon or in consecrated life. Are you being invited?

Contact Fr. David Twaddle, director of

Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997
vocations@archtoronto.org /www.vocationstoronto.ca

2026 Offertory Envelopes Available!!! Welcome new parishioners, to be a registered member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to a Community of Faith. Please introduce yourself/family to the pastor and register as soon as possible by picking up any set of 2026 envelopes at the entrance. **Please fill in the front for the first month's donations so that the information may be registered.**

Parishioners are invited to pick up a new set of envelopes (with a new number) and are kindly asked to fill in the front of the first month's donations as well.

- Fr. Allyn

A Reminder That... On Sept 30
 weekday Masses will be returning
 to R.F. Hall Chapel.



Pet Blessing - Sun Oct 4

In honour of the Feast of St. Francis all St. John's & St. Cornelius families and their furry, feathery, fluffy, slimy and spikey friends of all shapes and sizes are welcome to join us for a special blessing. All animals must be safely secured or on leashes.



3:30 pm on the church steps at St. John's

4:00 pm on the church steps at St. Cornelius

Reconciliation/1st Communion & Confirmation



Applications for students wishing to celebrate the Sacraments of Reconciliation & First Communion and Confirmation are **available now at the back of the church.** **Return completed application forms to the church.** Please note

that students who were baptized in a Parish other than St. John's & St. Cornelius will need to include a copy of their Baptismal certificate with the application. **Deadline for application - Oct 11.**



Communion Parent Meeting
Wednesday October 14 at 7:00 pm
at St. John's Church

Confirmation Parent Meeting
Thursday October 22 at 7:00 pm
at St. John's Church

Have you received all of your Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, First Communion, Confirmations)?? Are you, or do you know someone who is, interested in becoming Catholic?? Beginning this fall, Fr. Allyn will be leading a Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) program. This will be a program that runs one day a week from November until Easter, with the candidates receiving their Sacraments at the Easter Vigil. If you are interested, or know someone who is, please see Fr. Allyn after Mass or contact the office to get a registration form.

We are also looking for volunteers to walk alongside our RCIA participants as they journey towards full initiation into the Catholic Church. Volunteers would be expected to attend the weekly meetings and participate in group discussions. No previous background in faith formation is necessary. In fact, this could be a good way to deepen in your own understanding of our Catholic faith. Contact the office if you are interested.



Help us Decorate for Thanksgiving! Flowers and vegetables for the Altar decorations may be dropped off on Oct 3/4. **Decorating will take place on Fri Oct 9 beginning at 10 am.** Thank you for helping beautify the altars.

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. We are grateful for your support and only together it is possible for us to provide needed services to those less fortunate in our community. Every chili donation is more than a food donation—it is a reminder that someone cares, that someone is willing to share, and that hope is always within reach.



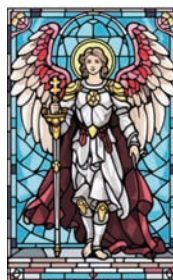
Is My Hand shortened that it cannot save? No! My power to save increases as your power to understand My Salvation increases. So from Strength to Strength, from Power to Power, we go in Union. Limitless is My Miracle-working Power in the Universe, though it has limitations in each individual life, but only to the extent of the lack of vision of that individual. There is no limit to My Power to save. Also there is no limit to My desire and longing to save. My hand is not shortened and it is "stretched out still," longing and waiting to be allowed to bless and help and save. Think how tenderly I respect the right of each individual soul. Never forcing upon it My Help, My Salvation. Perhaps in all My suffering for humanity that is the hardest, the restraint of the Divine Impatience and longing to help, until the call of the soul gives Me My right to act. Think of Love shown in this. Comfort My waiting, loving, longing Heart by claiming My Help, Guidances, and Miracle-working Power.

Oct 3/4 Special Collection - Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation The fund is part of a national effort announced by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. To date, the fund has raised more than 86% of its \$30 million target as pledged by the Canadian Bishops and diocese throughout Canada. The archdiocese has allocated \$4.5 million of its \$6 million pledge to charitable initiatives supporting healing and reconciliation.

CWL Membership Drive Oct 10/11 Be an **active member** - attend meetings, be part of planning and activities. Be a **spiritual member** - support the CWL from the comfort of your own home. If you would like to sign up and be part of the CWL, email stjohntheevangelistCWL@gmail.com



Feast of St. Michael - September 27



Saint Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle.

Be our protection against
the wickedness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;
and do Thou,

O Prince of the Heavenly Host
by the Divine Power of God - cast into hell,
satan and all the evil spirits, who roam
throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls.

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