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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. - R. F. 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, Finance Council, Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors, Rosary Prayer Group, Catholic Women's League

Mass Intentions



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

Please Pray for Our Sick;



Justin Di Nino - Hannah Carlton - Shannon Frediani - Rose

Daniels - Ellena Sperini - Bradley Gualtieri - Filomena Chivaro - Chris Phillips - Peter Glynn - Balentina Pono - Maggie - Gennie Prophero - Livana Schwartz - Ellen & Jim Atwater - Armanda Rodrigues - Mary Muir - Anne Weeden - Judge Wilfred DuPont - Patricia Militello - Ashley Alvarez - Beata Krzecko-Symbor - Marti West - Marlene Hall - Fabiano Busca - Master Sergeant Denise Ryan - Ronny Smith - Luigi Facchini - Sister Alfonsa - Beverley Stacey - Natasha Minnella - Anthony Ranallo - Matt Gerrits - Bernice Theurer - Armando Mio - Peter Cicero - Emily Ribout - Carmelita Petierre - Randy Brewer - Donata Reale - Rosa Santos - Teresa Wolinski - Robert Calleja - Marie Brown - Anderson Reyes - Iva McDonell - Philip Weeden - Logan Filice - Frank & Mary Vite - Liana Francey - Ken Holychuk - Bill Szkotnicki - Christian Pileggi - Sara - David Wilson - Jessie Neals - Josephine Liau - Nidia Contente - Adrian Grice - Brenda Shard - Nazzareno Petrini - Margaret McConnel - Laurence Lussier - Kate Kirvan - Frank & Mary Mansley - Joe Clenbri - Mallory Bouillier - Linda Dixon - John Hawton - Richard - Helen - Vincezo Amtiello - Craig Ionson - Angela - Joe Lassaline - Linda Fraser - John Van Eeden - Jeff Kotarski - Emma Harper - Sheila Smith - Britney Smith - Jules Bergeret - David Hall - Maria De Sousa - Giuseppe Giannini - Alyssa - Larry Fawcett - Kiana Tran - SK Bruce McCallum - Paul Centis - Winifred Gray - Ida Cavallo - Georgina Busuttil - Ellen Hughes - Carmela Valvano - Guy Scipione - Paul Hoffmann - Lucy de Laat - Winifred Yaw Gray - Giuseppe D'Urzo - Fr. Tobin - Emilia Tilson - Malgorzata Krol - Alfonso Marignani - Trevor Rouncville - Vince Trama - Jae Egan - Katarina Vrbos - Fr. Jim Petrie - Bill Jonkman

Sat. Feb. 26th, 5:00 pm Multi-Intentional

Special Intention - Holychuk Family req. by Ken & Ann
Fr. Vito Marziliano req. by the Rutigliani Family
Adalgisa & Giuseppe LeDonne - 50th Wedding Anniversary
 req. by the Family

Sun. Feb. 27th, 8:30 am Available

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. Feb. 27th, 8:45 am Maria Rabar

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

Sun. Feb. 27th, 10:15 am Martino Family

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. Feb. 27th, 11:45 am

Lydia & Andrzej Chojnacki - 35th Wedding Anniversary

St. John's Church req. by their Daughters

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week

All Souls req. by the Parishioners

Coronavirus Victims req. by the Parishioners

Ginesio Campugiani. req. by the Marignani Family

Wed. **March 2nd**, 8:30 am St. John's Chapel

Thurs. **March 3rd**, 8:30 am St. John's Chapel

Fri. **March 4th**, 8:30 am St. John's Chapel

Sat. Mar. 5th, 5:00 pm Multi-Intentional

Fernando Ariganello req. by His Family

Sun. Mar. 6th, 8:30 am Available

St. Cornelius Church

Sun. Mar. 6th, 8:45 am Available

St. John's Church

Sun. Mar. 6th, 10:15 am Galloro Family

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sun. Mar. 6th, 11:45 am Anna Rita Quadrini

St. John's Church req. by the Family

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for next Week

All Souls req. by the Parishioners

Coronavirus Victims req. by the Parishioners

Ginesio Campugiani. req. by the Marignani 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... "In the Lord your labour is not in vain." Is the Lord calling you to work in His vineyard? Pray to hear God's call. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr.

Matt McCarthy, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 vocations@archtoronto.org / www.vocationstoronto.ca

2022 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 2022 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.**

Communion Reflection... An elderly couple in their 80s lived on a farm that had seen better days; the barn was falling down, the rusted machinery was falling apart. One day while visiting, their son took a picture of his weather worn parents, with the barn and rusted machinery in the background. The parents decided to display the photo in the entrance of their home. Below the picture, it said "God is with us in our mess." Often we feel in the midst of a mess: health challenges, disagreements, and a chaotic world. God does not only come to us when we and all our circumstances are perfect. God does not take a vacation from us when our lives or the world seem to be falling apart. God is there to comfort and to strengthen us to handle those moments. The message is not that we are insulated from life's messiness, but rather, in the mess, God is always with us, giving us strength, understanding, and wisdom to live in the messed-up world inside us and around us.



As a man strolled the beach, he noticed an earnest fellow picking up starfish that had been washed ashore during low tide and throwing them back into the ocean. The man said, "But there must be a

thousand starfish here. You can't possibly get all of them. And this is probably happening on hundreds of beaches along the coast. You can't possibly make a difference." The local man picked up another starfish, and as he threw it back into the sea, he replied, "Made a difference to that one!" As you let go of feelings of hopelessness because today's challenges might seem impossible, focus on the people near you. What seemingly insignificant thing could you do to make a difference for one person today?



Stuebenville Toronto will take place on **July 15-17, 2022** in the auditorium of Canada Christian College (300 Water Street in Whitby). This year's theme is: "Fearless (John 16:33)." **Registration opens Mar 1, at 10 a.m.** You can choose to attend the entire weekend or Sat. only. For more info visit: www.stuebenvilletoronto.com

Ash Wednesday - Wed. Mar. 2nd
Mass with Ashes 7 pm at St. John's Church



Stations of the Cross begin Fri. Mar. 4 A great Lenten devotion every Friday during Lent, 7 pm at St. John's Church.

Q: Why do we get ashes on our foreheads on Ash Wednesday? A: The ancient Jews, wearing sackcloth and covering themselves or sitting in ashes, showed repentance and humility. The early Church adopted the practice of wearing ashes at the start of Lent to show repentance too. As the priest places the ashes on our foreheads, he says, "Remember you are dust and unto dust you will return" to remind us that our time on earth will pass away, but our life in Heaven will last forever.

Fasting and Abstinence are practices of self-denial that help a person to focus on the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of others. They also clear the mind and body for deeper contemplation in prayer.

Days of fasting: **Ash Wednesday, March 2**
Good Friday, April 15

Fasting requirements: One full or two light meatless meals; no eating between meals, but liquids are permitted.

Age of fasting: All persons between **18** and **59**.

Days of abstinence: **Ash Wednesday** and
All Fridays during Lent

Abstinence requirements: No Meat.

Age of abstinence: All persons **over the age of 14**. No Catholic should fail to keep these days of required penance unless he or she has a serious reason for not observing them. The obligation on any individual day is not a question of serious sin. You may ask what penances we would suggest? The best idea during Lent is daily participation in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Try to be more patient with members of your own family and with persons working with you. Yes, abstaining from alcoholic beverages, smoking, candy, movies and TV programs gives so many opportunities for other penances. Above all, don't forget to say every morning as you open your eyes: "All for you, my Jesus, all for you!" Renew this intention often during the day. Try these few suggestions and we promise you that you will be a very different person at the end of the 40 day period which we call LENT.

Search: Best Lent Ever - Lent 2022
 Dynamic Catholic will email you short inspirational videos, and practical tips.



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. Your generous donations are making a difference.



From the Pastor

In an old fable, a girl named Mula encounters a frowning man walking into town "What's wrong?" Mula asked. Holding up a tattered bag, the man moaned, "All that I own in this world barely fills this miserable, wretched sack." "Too bad," said Mula, snatching the bag and running down the road. The man burst into tears, more miserable than before. Meanwhile, Mula ran around the bend, placing the sack in the middle of the road. When the man saw his bag sitting there, he laughed with joy, "My sack! I thought I'd lost you!" Watching through the bushes, Mula chuckled. "Well, that's one way to make someone happy!" In the midst of suffering, anxieties, and struggles we wonder how that is even possible. So often, we miss the reasons for joy that are already in our lives. As the story illustrates, appreciative joy is not a distant bird somewhere in some bush. It is often perched right on our own shoulder. Do we fail to recognize it unless it flies away, or as in the story, gets taken away?

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 stjohnalbion@bellnet.ca

Have a Blessed Week!!

Thank You!!! For your generosity and commitment to St. John's & St. Cornelius as we serve the Caledon Community together. All tax receipts for the 2021 year will be mailed out by the end of the month. Please allow 2 weeks for delivery. If you do not receive your tax receipts by March 12, please call the office and let us know. **Please note: Family of Faith tax receipts come from the Archdiocese. 2021 Financial report is included with the tax receipts. If anyone has any questions, please call the Fr. Bob at 905-880-0080.**



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