St. Joseph Parish

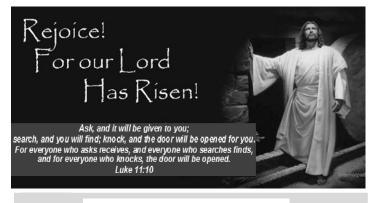
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Mass Intentions	
Monday, April 6	
8:30 am	† Mario Sframeli
Tuesday, April 7	
7:00 am	† Vincent Le Trung Van &
	Maria Tran Thi Phng Quong
8:30 am	† Lois Mulhern
Wednesday, April 8	
7:00 am	† Roy Michael Zakla
8:30 am	† Bernard Zardo
Thursday, April 9	
7:00 am	† Basil Smith
8:30 am	† Urbano da Costa Branco
Friday, April 10	
7:00 am	† Souls of Mendosa
	& Aranha families
8:30 am	† Dimas Pedro DaSilva
7:30 pm	† Antonio Ledo
_	† Giovani Cairo
8:00 pm	HOLY HOUR & BENEDICTION
Saturday, April 11	
9:00 am	In Thanksgiving
	† Antonio Pavao

The parish office will be closed Easter Monday - April 6



SL ShareLife www.sharelife.org

Working wonders for those entering the priesthood... Men who have responded to God's call to dedicate their lives to His service come from all walks of life. Those who enter the priesthood come from different ages and backgrounds, economic situations, skill sets, and ethnic communities. At ShareLife-funded agencies such as Serra House, Redemptor is Mater, and St. Augustine's Seminary, they undergo extensive theological education and practical field training. Through ShareLife, you are helping sustain the vocations for priesthood and inspire discernment for God's call. Last year ShareLife helped support 80 priests and seminarians in their formation studies.

Next ShareLife Sunday – April 12, 2015. Please give generously. You can work wonders! Dear Parishioners of St. Joseph,



St. Ignatius of Loyola now famous Spiritual Exercices contain several contemplations on the Resurrection. One of these deals with what St. Ignatius thought would have been Jesus' first

appearance following his Resurrection. It was an apparition to His mother, the Blessed Virgin Mary. Although not recorded in Scripture, the Saint considered it to be common sense.

In his reasoning this is why Our Lady does not accompany the other women to the tomb early on the morning of the first Easter. She had already encountered the Risen Lord- Her Son!

Mary's great virtue is faith. She believed that what was spoken to her by the Lord would be fulfilled. So when Jesus finally appeared we can imagine the joy of this encounter. A joy which was entirely different - the joy of the Resurrection, an everlasting joy that neither death nor suffering can tarnish.

May we be able to imitate Our Lady's faith so has to share alongside Her the joyful embrace of the Resurrection. Happy Easter to all!

~ Fr. Marc-André Campbell

WORKSHOP: CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING



St. Augustine's lay spiritual formation program presents ... Catholic Social Teaching by Rev. Tom Lynch, professor of theology, St. Augustine's seminary, national director for the Priests for Life Canada on

Saturday, April 11, 9:30 am. - 2:30 pm

PLEASE REGISTER BY E-MAILING: ioftsas@rogers.com OR BY CALLING: (416) 261-7207 ext. 235

"Is it not to divide your bread with the hungry and bring the homeless poor into the house; When you see the naked, to cover him..." (Isaiah, 58:7)

FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY



A special mass will be celebrated on Sunday April 12 at 2:30 pm by Fr. Marc-André Campbell. Immediately following the Eucharistic Celebration, there will be a reception in the Parish Hall. We will appreciate, if those who can, will bring Finger Food to share.

COFFEE HOUR



Coffee Hour will be on <u>Tuesday, April 7th</u> after the 8:30 a.m. Mass in the Parish Hall. All are invited

SUPPORT FOR RECENTLY SEPARATED OR DIVORCED CATHOLICS

Catholic Family Services of Toronto is offering a 10 week group program for adult men and women coping with the many struggles involved in the process of separation and divorce.

Group participants will receive support and guidance as they move through this difficult period of transition. The group will run on Tuesday evenings from 6.30 to 8.30 beginning April 9th to June 11th at our Central Office, 1155 Yonge Street (Summerhill Subway Station). For further information, please contact Ian Singer at 416-921-1163.

BUNDLE UP SUNDAY



The St. Vincent de Paul Society truck will be in the church parking lot after the Saturday evening and Sunday morning masses the weekend of April 11/12. They are collecting gently used clothing and household items such as: Coats, Boots, Shoes, Household Goods, Baby clothes and items, Children's wear, Toys, Drapes, Lady's & Men's clothing and Accessories.

They DO NOT accept baby furniture, books or mattresses.

HOLY NAME OF MARY COLLEGE SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Holy Name of Mary College School educates, inspires & empowers the girls of today to become the next generation of confident female leaders of character. Come and talk to current students, faculty members, school administrators and parents and get a true sense of student life at HNMCS. April 11, 10 am - 2 pm. More info at www.hnmcs.ca or call Giselle 905-891-1890 ext. 103.

LINE DANCING CLASSES

Great exercise for brain & body, good fun & social outing! 10 classes held at St. Joseph's Parish Hall, Thursdays, 1:15 - 2:15.



Prepay \$40 or drop-in fee of \$4.50. NO PARTNER REQUIRED. Next session starts April 9. Please call Denice to register (905)826.6052.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY – Sunday April 12 – 2.30 p.m (followed by reception in the Parish Hall - finger food will be appreciated).



The message of Mercy is a call to holiness. The Lord wants to gather us in and form our hearts. So, please join in the daily Novena and the celebration of the Feast.

IMPORTANT upcoming Special Program: LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR - April 22 TO June 24, 2015 Service every Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the Parish Hall. "Come near to God, and He will draw near to you." (James 4:8) This is an invitation from the Lord himself who says: Come, just as you are! "Incline your ear and come to Me. Listen that you may have LIFE!" (Isa.55:3) Opportunity for life-changing experience through Word of God, shared by well-known Catholic Renewal speakers. Register yourself by completing the application and drop it in the boxes at both entrances of the Church.

FIRST COMMUNION / CONFIRMATION 2015

Confirmation:	First Holy Communion:
<u>Confirmandi only</u>	Make-up session
Tuesday April 14	regarding Communion
7:00 pm- 8:30pm <u>OR</u>	and Holy Mass
Saturday, April 18:	Thursday April 16 at 7pm
10am-11:30am	

MERCY AND THE KINGDOM

Be inspired by world renowned Biblical Scholar and professor at Steubenville University and Mundelein Seminary, Dr. Scott Hahn and Catholic Lay Evangelist Patrick Sullivan as they make plain God's plan of mercy through the Scriptures. *Meet hundreds of other amazing* Catholics while being nourished and educated in the faith. Doors Open 7:45AM on Saturday May 2, at Canada Christian College, 50 Gervais Drive, Toronto Parking is FREE on site (first come first served). info and register at serviamministries.com/events/kingdom

COINS FOR LIFE 2015



Please remember to take a Coins for Life Box. Every coin helps us to create a Culture of Life in Canada. These small donations help us to support the Canadian March for Life in Ottawa

on May 14th as well as other projects in support of life. We will be collecting the coins for life on the weekend of April 11/12, 2015. Please leave your boxes in the front main lobby or with the office. "The Coins for Life Project is a most appropriate way to support the important pro-life efforts of Campaign Life Coalition" & Cardinal Collins

CULTURE CHANGERS TO BUILD A CIVILIZATION OF LIFE AND LOVE



Mississauga Right To Life is hosting a special talk by Amanda Achtman entitled "Culture Changers to Build a Civilization of Life and *Love*". Amanda will discuss the ten reasons we need to be involved and participate actively in promoting a Culture of Life in the confused

and destructive times we live in. This free presentation will be held Tuesday, April 21st 7:00pm at St. Francis Xavier Parish, 5650 Mavis Road. For info - Genevieve at 416-888-0251.

BUS TRIP TO OTTAWA NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE RALLY



You are invited to be part of the National rally to support life in Ottawa on Thursday May 14, 2015.

It is an amazing day and very worthwhile experience to stand for a Culture of Life in these troubled times. A bus will leave from our parish parking lot at 6:30 am and



head right to Parliament Hill. MARCH We then join 20,000 others to rally for the protection of all life. Don't miss



this! You can register for the bus at the parish office. The bus is \$50 per person. For further details please call the parish office at 905-826-2766.

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