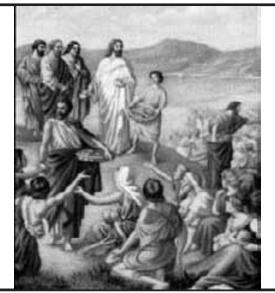
We welcome you to

Holy Martyrs of Japan Parish

P.O. Box 1180, 167 Essa Street, Bradford, Ont. L3Z 2B6 Telephone (905) 775-2065 Fax (905) 775-9241 holymartyrs@rogers.com www.holymartyrs.ca Parish Office Hours—Monday to Friday—9:00am to 12:30pm and 1:00pm to 4:30pm



SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00pm Sunday: 8:30am, 10:00am & 11:30am Life Teen Mass—6:30pm Spanish Mass—4:45pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays—7:00pm Tuesdays & Thursdays—8:30am Saturdays: 9:30am

CONFESSIONS

1/2 hour before each Sunday Mass or by appointment.

BAPTISMS

Please contact us one month or more in advance.

MARRIAGE

Please contact us one year in advance for adequate preparation.

HOLY COMMUNION for SHUT-INS and SICK

If you know of anyone who is sick and would like to have communion brought to them or would like the Sacrament of the Sick, or simply would like to be included in the Prayers of the Faithful, contact us.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Holy Trinity High School—905-775-4841 Marie of the Incarnation—905-775-3492 Mother Teresa—905-778-8653 St. Charles—905-775-6762 St. Jean de Brebeuf—905-775-8460 Pastor:Rev. Father Boniface PerriAssociate Pastor:Rev. Father Allyn RosePriest Celebrant Spanish Mass: Rev. Father Juan TriviñoDeacons:Rev. Mr. David Langley
Rev. Mr. Pedro Guevara-Mann



St. Paul Miki and Companions—Pray for Us!

OFFICE STAFF Parish Administrator:

MINISTERS

Parish Administrator Delia McEvenue Office Assistant: Lynn Lush Ministry to Housebound/Shut-ins: Sister Jean Doyle O.S.U. Youth Ministry: Ray Reitzel reitzel@hotmail.com Catechist: Christina Schrobback El Sembrador Co-ordinator: Nancy Mora elsembrador.hmoj@gmail.com

PARISH MINISTRIES and SOCIETIES

Consolation and Hope CWL (Catholic Women's League) EDGE Youth Ministry El Sembrador Knights of Columbus Life Teen Liturgical Ministers RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) Sacramental Preparation & Catechesis Seniors Club Social Club St. Vincent de Paul Society

CULTURAL GROUPS

Divino Espirito Santo Nossa Senhora De Fatima Santissima Trindade

<u>NEW PARISHIONERS:</u> WELCOME !

You are invited to register by completing the form at the Parish Office or in the gathering space at the back of the Church. Offering Envelopes are available.

SITTING WITH SCRIPTURE

How eloquent if the lament of Jesus when looking at the people, who for three days had followed Him and were anxious to hear His divine words, as He said: "My heart is moved with pity for this crowd. They have left their homes, have interrupted their work, and have even neglected to bring along some food - all on account of Me! I cannot send them home without giving them something to eat. We hear the disciples asking Jesus to send the crowd away so that they may go the villages and buy food. Jesus, however, will listen to none of this: "They need not go away; you give them something to eat" (Mt. 14:16). "Give them something to eat! We have only five loaves and a couple of fish" (cf. Mt. 14-17). This was all He wanted to hear. Jesus then ordered the crowd to sit down on the grass. He looked up to heaven, blessed and broke the food before Him, and told the disciples to start distributing it to the people. Wonder of wonders! Everyone ate their fill. And then they gathered up the fragments - twelve baskets full of fragments! Now then, those five loaves and two fishes make seven items in all. Some of the Fathers of the Church see in this number "seven" the seven sacraments which Jesus instituted and wants to give to you and me through the hands of His disciples, the priests of today. The twelve baskets of fragments can be figures of the sacramentals which are used in our Church to help us on our way towards heaven. Jesus felt compassion for the crowd that day. He has felt compassion for the crowd throughout the centuries. He feels compassion for all of us in this modern day and age. He did a marvelous thing in feeding that large number of persons. He does a most marvelous thing today, as He feeds millions with both material and spiritual food. His divine Providence provides all that we need. Our gratitude to the compassionate heart of Jesus should be expressed all the days of our life. We can thank Him with all our hearts by following Him faithfully, as did the crowd on that day, long ago.

Excerpted from God's Message by Rev. Msgr. Vito C. Mazzone

Catholic Missions in Canada

On August 3rd, our second collection will be for Catholic Missions in Canada. Established in 1908, as The Catholic Church Extension Society, this organization provides financial support to Catholic missionaries - priests, sisters, brothers and lay people - whose lives are dedicated to proclaiming the blessings of the Catholic faith throughout the poorest regions in Canada. In 2014, we will need over \$3 million in funds for more than 600 projects in 23 Mission Dioceses affecting the lives of an estimated 606,000 Catholics across Canada. To find out more about Catholic Missions In Canada call 416 934-3424 or toll-free 1 866 937-2642 or visit our website at www.cmic.info. Envelopes can be obtained in the Gathering Space.

Marriage Preparation Course

Mount Alverno Retreat Centre, 20704 Heart Lake Road, Caledon, Ontario is offering Marriage Preparation courses on a number of weekends for 2014, 2015, and 2016. The courses run from 7:00pm Friday to 7:00pm Saturday. The cost is \$375 per couple and includes lodging, meals and materials. For more information or to register contact Mary at 519 941-7059 or email

Mount-Alverno@an.aibn.com

OFFICE CLOSURE

Just a reminder that this being the weekend of the Civic Holiday, the Parish Office will be closed Monday, August 4, 2014 and Mass will be celebrated at 9:30am. The

office will reopen on Tuesday, August 5, 2014.

ShareLife

Our goal this year was to raise \$40,000. We are very happy to report that we raised \$42,338. Thank you for your continued generosity on behalf of

the many in need in the Archdiocese.

LIFETEEN CANOE TRIP

Inviting all High School Teens



to join us for a canoe trip into Algonquin Park August 11, 12,

and 13. If you are interested you may contact Ray Reitzel at 905 251-8151. Space is limited!

<u>Cemetery Prayers</u>

On Sunday, August 17th everyone is invited to come together at the cemetery at 3:00pm to pray for our deceased relatives and friends. The Knights of Columbus will be providing light refreshments after the rosary.

Catholic Cemeteries - Archdiocese of Toronto

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services. Archdiocese of Toronto wishes to invite all families within the Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful

Departed on Wednesday, August 13, 2014 at 7:00pm

Cemetery locations and Celebrants for this year's Annual Mass are as follows.

| <u>Cemetery</u> | <u>Celebrant</u> |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Assumption, Mississauga | Most Rev. John A. Boissoneau |
| Christ the King, Markham | Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen |
| Holy Cross, Thornhill | His Eminence Thomas Cardinal |
| | Collins |
| Mount Hope, Toronto | Rev. Edward Murphy |
| Queen of Heaven, Woodbridge | Rev. Msgr. Thomas Kalarathil |
| Resurrection, Whitby | Rev. Msgr. John Pikauskas |
| St. Mary's, Barrie | Most Rev. Wayne Kirkpatrick |
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In the event of Rain:

Mass will be held in the mausoleum at Assumption, Holy Cross, Resurrection and Queen of Heaven Cemeteries. Christ the King Cemetery will celebrate Mass on site in the Reception Centre. Mount Hope Cemetery to St. Monica's Parish, 44 Broadway Avenue, St. Mary's Cemetery to St. Mary's Parish, 65 Amelia Street, Barrie.

Celebrations for the Month of May, June & July 2014 We welcome into our parish those who have been Baptized **Emily Anne DeBaeremaeker**

MASS JNTENTJONS

5:00pm Saturday, August 2nd + Sidonio Marques by Augusto & Laura Marques + Antonietta & Pasquale Baccilieri by Family + Augusto Balugas by Idalina's Co-Workers + Sante Caniparoli by Giovanna Brunati + Antonio Janeiro by Wife, Children & Grandchildren + Wasvl & Stephania Czarnecki by Fik Family + Bonnie & Teresa Best by Patrick Moore & Family + Salvatore Cipponeri by Wife & Daughter Sunday, August 3rd 8:30am + Craig Hofland by Patty, Tara & Caden 10:00am * Sp. Int. Patrick Moore by Toni Moore & Children 11:30am + Joao Laranjeiro & Victoria Miranda by Family 4.45pm **Spanish Mass** 6:30pm **Pro Populo** 9:30am Monday, August 4th + Manuel & Carlos Santos by Wife & Mother + Liona Powell by Maria Gregato & Family + Susan Bassetti by Carmen & Bill Noble + Jose Raposo & Parents in Law by Maria Raposo & Family + Barbara O'Neill Roy by Roy & Margaret Emoff + Manuel & Tina Neto by Joaquim Neto + Jose Ribeiro by Isaura Da Silva & Family * Sp. Int. Marco Fernandes by Lurdes & Angelino Marques 8:30am Tuesday, August 5th + All Souls in Purgatory by Maria da Silva 7:00pm Wednesday, August 6th * Sp. Int. Florence Szabo by Deacon David, Fr. Boniface & Vilma LaRoche 8:30am Thursday August 7th + Antonio & Michael Palermo by Concetta Palermo & Family 7:00pm Friday, August 8th + Irma de Cruz Maltez & Rosa Maria Pereira by Donzilia Melo 9:30am Saturday August 9th + Adam Koch by Wife & Children 5:00pm Saturday, August 9th + Giuseppe Beninati by Wife Francesca + Gioacchino Cristina & Pietro Asaro by Wife & Family + Joao Gomes Faria & Maria Jesus Bias by Augusta Barros + John Ferreira by Bernardette Ferreira + Antonio Martins by Wife & Children + Augusto Balugas by Idalina's Co-Workers + Jose & Maria Ferreira by Fernandes Family + Francisco & Jose Francisco Rodrigues by Wife & Mother Ester Sunday, August 10th 8:30am + Maria Emilia de Jesus & Beatrize Diogo by Portuguese Choir 10:00am + Romolo Cellitti by Family 11:30am + Mike Brinkos by Vilma LaRoche **Spanish Mass** 4:45pm 6:30pm **Pro Populo** "May God Grant Them Eternal Peace"

"And all ate and were filled." Are you fulfilled? If God is calling you to a church vocation, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux 416 968-0997 Email <u>vocations@vocations.ca</u> <u>www.vocationstoronto.ca</u>

PASTORAL PLAN IN ACTION

Where would like to be involved?

The insert in the June 1, 2014 bulletin gives insight into the various ministries. It can also be seen on the bulletin board in the Gathering Space.

□ LITURGICAL

□ Linen Society

□ CATECHESIS

□ **FAMILY LIFE** (encouraging the Church at home)

□ **SOCIAL ACTION** (helping the less fortunate)

□ **HOSPITALITY** (helping with social events

□ Usher & Greeter

□ Parish Group ____

(CWL, K of C, St. Vincent de Paul)

Or call the office for other ministries

Name:

Tel. No. _____

All Ministries will commence in September. Thank you for your anticipated participation.

"Run With It"

(An ongoing process of Adult Catechesis)

Are there questions about the Catholic Faith that you would like answered?

Is there a topic that you would like to explore?

Please print your question and/or topic in the space below:

The Clergy will be happy to answer your questions and explore your topics. Please do this now while it is fresh in your mind. We want to work on it during the summer, so we may start this series in the fall.



