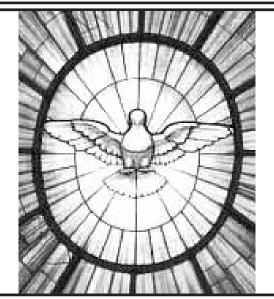
We welcome you to

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 Kazimierz BrzozowskiPriest Celebrant Spanish Mass: Rev. Father Juan TriviňoDeacons:Rev. Mr. David Langley
Rev. Mr. Pedro Guevara-Mann



St. Paul Miki and Companions—Pray for Us!

OFFICE STAFF Parish Administrator: Delia McEvenue Secretarial Assistant:

Lynn Lush

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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

When Philip "proclaimed the Christ" to the crowds, "with one accord" they "paid attention to what was said." Their full acceptance of the word of God provoked Peter and John to go to them and lay hands on them so that they would receive the Holy Spirit. This fulfills what Jesus promised us the night before he died: "The Father will give you the Spirit of truth. He will be in you." The "reason for our hope" is a Person we have met: Christ the Lord whom we sanctify in our hearts and whose commandments we keep. Just as the crowds today are transfixed by the attraction of Philip, so we are captivated by the One who has loved us and revealed Himself to us. It is the source of "great joy."

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EL SEMBRADOR NOTICE

The Help Center for the Migrant Agricultural Workers will be open every Friday from 5:00pm – 8:00pm in the Small Meeting Room.

CWL UPCOMING EVENTS



Mon. May 26 - Executive Meeting after 7:00pm Mass May 29/30 - Diocesan Convention

Sun. June 1 - Bake Sale after morning Masses

Mon. June 2 - General Meeting & Bingo after 7:00pm Mass

Registrations

Registrations are now being taken for Camp Ozanam, for boys ages 6-13 and Marygrove Camp for girls 5-13. Please call the Parish Office at 905 775-2065 if you wish to register your child.

St. Anthony of Padoua

The Italian community is proud to host a Mass in honor of St. Anthony of Padoua on June 13th at 7:00pm followed by dessert and coffee downstairs. All are welcome to bring any additional desserts should they wish. We thank you in advance for your anticipated participation in this event.

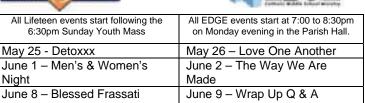
Adoration

Please note that Benediction will be at 6:00pm on June 3rd and June 10th to accommodate Confirmation at 7:00pm on these nights.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Vacation Bible School will be held again this year, Monday July 28 to Friday, August 1. Please mark these dates on your calendar. More information in the coming weeks.





<u>God's Gifts of Wisdom</u>

To help in our devotional life, Brenda Dainton, a parishioner, has set up a business, God's Gifts of Wisdom, selling Catholic Religious Books and More. She will be available Tuesdays, 9:30am – 11:30am, and 5:00pm – 7:00pm at the counter in the Gathering Space or you can reach her at 905 551-1685 or email: godsgiftsofwisdom@live.ca

Bradford Community Meal

The Bradford Community Meal is looking for volunteers including cooks and team leaders. We would love for you to join our Team! If you are interested please contact Johanne Wilson at 905 778-1841

SHARELIFE

Carolyn retired from nursing and social work before she started with Society of Sharing. She initially became involved in friendly visiting and then moved on to coordinate their volunteers. "There are so many isolated seniors on a fixed income who can't afford to move," says Carolyn, "We can make such a positive difference in their lives with friendly visits, shopping, transportation to medical appointments and social outings." Last year ShareLife supported agencies met the needs of over 3,400 seniors with outreach service programs.

Next Sunday is ShareLife Sunday - June 1, 2014 Our goal is \$43,000.00. To date we have raised \$29,600.00 Please give generously. You can work wonders!

<u>I BELIEVE IN LOVE – YOUNG WOMEN'S</u> <u>RETREAT – AGES 18-35</u>

June 13-15

6:30pm Friday – 2pm Sunday St. Francis Retreat Centre 208501 Highway #9, Caledon

A weekend retreat to spend some time reflecting on the Lord's love and growth in prayer! Not discernment based. Open to all women ages 18-35, married or single. Weekend includes prayer, confession, conferences by the Sisters of Life, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, optional meetings with sisters and more.

MASS JNTENTJONS

5:00pm Saturday, May 24th + Ignazio Polizzi by Wife + Jose Barroso by Children + Joseph Wismayer by Mom & Dad + Mark Oliveira by Parents & Family + Paul Taucar by Wife, Children & Grandchildren + Antonio Martins by Wife Celeste & Children + Jack & Jean Russell by Delia McEvenue + Nello & Clara del bel Belluz by Daughter Sunday, May 25th 8:30am + Jose Romerio & Maria Encarnacao Romeiro by Emidio Romeiro & Family 10:00am * 40th Anniversary Josephine & Stanley Mother & Family 11:30am + Rudolf Petrus Picavet by Vilma LaRoche & Family Spanish Mass 4:45pm 6:30pm **Pro Populo** 7:00pm Monday, May 26th + Antonio Mirassol & Luis Sequeira by Ondina Mirassol & Children + Antonio Janeiro by Wife, Children & Grandchildren + Augusto Balugas by Idalina's Co-Workers + Lurdes Dinis & Family by Dinis Family + Jowell Panganiban by Family + All Souls by Angelino Marques & Family + Paulito Martins by Virginia Correia & Family + Nuno Azevedo by Virginia Copa 8:30am Tuesday, May 27th + Ann Moreland by Vilma LaRoche & Family 7:00pm Wednesday, May 28th + Greg MacIntyre by Margaret Lukacz 8:30am Thursday May 29th + Maria Faria & Deceased Family Members by Faria Family 7:00pm Friday, May 30th + Maria Oliveira & Manuel Marques by Dinis Family 9:30am Saturday May 31st + All Souls by David & Rosa Oliveira 5:00pm Saturday, May 31st + Mary Gres by Ed Gres & Family + Teresa Silva & Venancio Silva by Family + John Ferreira by Bernardette Ferreira + Augusto Balugas & Antonio Janeiro by Julia & Isabel + Nello & Clara del bel Belluz by Daughter + Garcia Miguelo by M. Miguelo & Family + Clarinda B. Caires by E. Henriques + Joao Fernandes Barrades by Joao Rodrigues & Family Sunday, June 1st 8:30am + All Souls & Sp. Int. by Dave & Laura Macdonell 10:00am + Louis & Laura Andrade by Joe & Lucy Andrade 11:30am + Joao Laranjeiro & Joao Clemente by Family 4:45pm Spanish Mass 6:30pm **Pro Populo** "May God Grant Them Eternal Peace"

The Lord said, "I will not leave you orphaned." Pray for an increase of vocations to the ordained and consecrated live. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Hansoo Park 416 968-0997 or

Email vocations@vocations.ca or www.vocationstoronto.ca

Solemn Eucharistic Adoration with Cardinal Collins June 28 7-8:30pm

The Office of Catholic Youth invites you to join His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins for Solemn Eucharistic Adoration on Saturday, June 28. The location is St. Paul's Basilica at 83 Power Street, Toronto. See Poster in Gathering Space.

ST. AUGUSTINES SEMINARY CENTENARY OPEN HOUSE

St. Augustine's opens its doors to the public. Tour this historic Catholic landmark including the chapel, library, seminarian floors, dining hall and seminary grounds. Meet members of the faculty, seminarians and representatives from ShareLife and Catholic Charities. Come and see the place where so many vocations began as we celebrate the 100th anniversary of St. Augustine's Seminary. June 1, 2014 1-5pm St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto, 2661 Kingston Road, Scarborough

It's Breakfast time!

You are invited to a breakfast sponsored by Magnificat – a ministry to Catholic women - A morning of song, prayer, good food, testimony, friendship and ministry. Saturday May 31 9:30am to 12:30pm Julius Banquet Centre 220xc1 Finch Ave. W. #32 North York, ON Guest Speaker: Elizabeth Belen For women of all ages. For tickets (\$20) contact Inez 416 745-4268. Tickets will not be sold at the door. All our past meals have served capacity groups of 300 guests. Avoid disappointment: buy your tickets early.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesdays from 11am to 1pm (until June 24) St. Thomas More/Sacre-Coeur Catholic Church 381 Sherbourne Street, Toronto The Sacred Heart of Jesus at the heart of the city – a midday time for silent prayer and reflection. A priest is available for counsel or confession. For more information, contact 647 200-8981

PROJECT RACHEL

Hurting as a result of an abortion? Healing is possible. Project Rachel is a sensitive, private and confidential experience. You are not alone. We can help. Together we can make a new beginning. Take the first step: call us (416) 629-8264 or email <u>projectrachel@stmarysrefuge.org</u> Next retreat dates for women:

June 6-8, 2014 and October 17-19, 2014

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic School – Elmvale

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic School opened its doors in September 1963. As this is our 50th year providing Catholic education to the Elmvale area, we will be having a celebration to mark this event on Sunday, June 1, 2014 beginning with Mass at 1:00am at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church followed by a reception at the school. We hope that all members of our school community, both past and present will be able to join us to celebrate. Please share this information with anyone you feel would like to attend this special event.



