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FEDERATION OF NORTH-AMERICAN	Saturday: 3:00 p.m 5:30 p.m.	12:15 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
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Monday, April 18 8:00 am

Special Intention

8:00 am

Tuesday, April 19
Denis & Jeanne Carr (Deceased)
Requested by Bernadette Lacey

Wednesday, April 20 8:00 am

Deceased Members of the Connell family Requested by Pat & Norm Mc Millan

EASTER TRIDUUM

Thursday, April 21

Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper

Mass (only one Mass today) 7:30 pm Celebration of the Eucharist, Washing of feet Reposition of Blessed Sacrament in the Church Adoration until 12 midnight

Friday, April 22

Good Friday

(No Mass today) Liturgical Service 3:00 pm

Veneration of the Cross, Communion

Stations of the Cross 7:00 pm

(Divine Mercy Novena begins)

Saturday, April 23

Holy Saturday Easter Vigil

8:00 pm

(Only one Mass and fulfils Sunday obligation) Easter celebration in Parish Hall

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday, April 24

Resurrection of the Lord

Masses 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:15 noon (No 7:00 pm)

Easter Monday

Monday, April 25

Mass 9:00 am

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Sunday, May 1st — This inspired devotion of St. Faustina will begin after the Stations of the Cross on Good Friday evening. Each day during Easter week the novena will be prayed at the end of daily Mass. On Divine Mercy Sunday we will have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, homily, prayers and Benediction from 1:15 pm — 3:00 pm.

PALM SUNDAY April 17, 2011

"The services provided by ShareLife agencies are critical to those who rely on

them – they are lifesaving and life-restoring. Families are working through crises and are healing. Refugees and new Canadians are guided toward a stable, productive livelihood in their newfound home. Seniors are living independently, with access to the care and services they need. People with developmental challenges are supported as they experience a sense of self-worth and fulfillment in their daily activities. Sometimes the results are obvious and sometimes they're invisible but, always, they're tangible. "

- Most Rev. Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto

2nd ShareLife collection – May 1, 2011 Please give generously. You can work WONDERS!



We welcome to our Parish through the Sacrament of Baptism

Cayleb Fernandes and Taylor Davenport



First Communion

The students from our schools will be receiving their First Communion with their parents at the 10:30 am and 12:15 pm Masses on the following dates:

St. Agnes School - Sunday, May 1st

Blessed Trinity School, Saturday Class, Community and Private schools, Sunday - May 8th

We pray that they may always be close to Our Lord.



Catholic Women's League Annual Geranium Sale

Spring is here – time to garden and just in time for Mothers' Day!

4" pots – red, pink, salmon, fuchsia, white and violet \$2.75 or \$40/flat of 15.

Hanging baskets – red, lavender, fuchsia and pink - \$15. Pre-order in person in the church foyer after Mass or phone Louise Tonelli at 416-733-3946 or Marie Dale at 905-883-5954 (deadline for orders is May 1). Orders must be picked up in the parish hall on Friday, May 6, 9:00 am – 7:00 pm or Sat, May 7, 9:00 am – 5:30 pm.

The Theresians and West Enders - Present 'Let's Go to Broadway' on the evening of Saturday, April 30. There will be a Variety Show, Refreshments, Dancing and a Cash Bar. Come and join us for an enjoyable evening of amazing entertainment. Proceeds will be donated to the St. Bernard's Retirement Residence. Tickets are \$10 and will be on sale after weekend Masses during April or contact Camila 905-763-7670 or George 416-225-5377.



April 30 – May 1 Bundle Up Week-End

Society of St. Vancemi de Paul Bring your gently used clothing and household linens on the week-end of

April 30 and May 1. A St. Vincent de Paul truck will be in the church parking lot; please share what you can with those less fortunate. The truck will be open Saturday 4:00 – 6:00 pm and all day Sunday until 7:00 pm. Volunteers will assist with the loading before and after each Saturday and Sunday Mass.

Project Rachel – Are you waiting for the Lord to relieve your burden? Please call **416-629-8264** for information on a week-end retreat (**May 13-15**) for women whose hearts have been broken by abortion - private and confidential. Matthew 21 "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord".

<u>Pilgrimage to Canadian Shrines</u> – Thursday, June 30 – Sunday, July 3 - St. Joseph's Oratory in Montreal; First Marian Shrine in Canada at Cap-de-La Madeleine; St. Anne de Beaupre in Quebec. Spiritual Director – Rev. Fr. Terry McKenna.

Three nights accommodation (rooms with private w/r); cafeteria service available at all three locations; round trip bus fare (HST taxes included) — three per room \$280/person, 2 per room \$295/person. Non refundable deposit of \$50. For further information contact Mary Salvador at 416-497-7059.

New Beginnings - (For those who are separated, divorced or widowed). Come and join in on an informative evening with Fr. Brian Clough, J.C.D. Fr. Clough has a doctors degree in Cannon Law and was director of the Marriage Tribunal for the Archdioceses of Toronto for many years. He has an in depth knowledge of marriage and the annulment process. His topic is Annulment: Healing the wounds of Divorce. It will take place *Tuesday, May 3 at 8:00 - 9:30 pm* at Saint Bonaventure's Church (1300 Leslie Street, Toronto). For more information please call 416-921-1163.

Good Friday Collection Needs of the Church in the Holy Land

This annual Good Friday appeal dates back to 1421 and the pontificate of Pope Martin V, to recognize the grave responsibility Catholics throughout the world have to support Christians in the Holy Land, the birthplace of Christianity, with prayers and material help. Funds are used for the upkeep of the sanctuaries and to help with Pastoral work, Catholic Schools and social assistance in the Holy Land. Please support those that live this challenge on our behalf. For more information please visit www.commissariat.ca.



PALM SUNDAY REFLECTION

Jesus submits to being borne in triumph, but with what meekness and humility! He knows that His enemies are hiding among the people who are singing the hosanna, and that they will succeed in changing that hosanna into crucify Him! He knows it, and He could impose Himself upon them in all the power of His divinity; He could unmask them publicly and disclose their However, Jesus does not wish to plans. conquer or to rule by force; His kingdom is founded on love and meekness. The Evangelist says this very aptly: "Tell ye the daughter of Sion: Behold, thy King cometh to thee, meek, and sitting upon an ass" Mt 21,5). With the same meekness, He, the Innocent One, the only true King and Conqueror, will consent to appear as a criminal, a condemned and conquered man, a mock king. In this way, however, from the throne of the Cross He will draw all things to Himself.

As the joyful procession advances, Jesus sees the panorama of Jerusalem spread out at His feet. St. Luke says (19, 41-44): "When He drew near, seeing the city, He wept over it, saying, "If thou also hadst known, and that in this thy day, the things that are to thy peace!...Thy enemies...shall not leave in thee a stone upon a stone because thou hast not known the time of thy visitation." Jesus weeps at the obstinacy the holy city which, because it has not recognized him as the Messiah and has not accepted His Gospel, will be destroyed to its foundations.

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