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WEEKLY BULLETIN



Novena of Masses

in anticipation of the Feast of

Mary Help of Christians

Monday May 15 -Tuesday May 23

7:00 pm Rosary & daily Novena Prayer

7:30 pm Mass

A novena is a nine day period of private or public prayer to obtain special graces, to implore special favors, or make special petitions.

Mary Help of Christians, pray for us.



Come,
magnify the Lord
with us!

Free transportation provided

Magnificat 25th Anniversary Celebration Praise & Worship Workshop & Magnificat Lunch

Saturday May 20, 2023 9:30 am - 3:00 pm

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre 1617 Blythe Rd, Mississauga



For full details and registration: https://www.stbenedicts.ca/magnificat25th



NEXT GENERAL MEETING



St. Benedict Church Hall
7 PM - Wednesday, May 17th

reaturing the ELECTION of next year's officers!

Knights, hope to see you there

SAVE THE DATE!!!



Featuring a current live auction by Autograph Authentic that you can participate in now by clicking HERE

In Support of:





Living Rosary 6:45 pm Solemn Mass 7:30 pm Presided by Archbishop Francis Leo



Mary Help of Christians is one of the numerous names by which Catholics have come to know and love Mary. It refers specifically to the aid that Mary gives as one who prays with and for us to God.

From a young age, Don Bosco's parents instilled in him a strong devotion to Mary.

Growing up, the primary devotion was to Mary Immaculate.

When he was in Turin, Don Bosco prayed to

Our Lady of Consolation since there was an ancient devotion to her in that city and a church by that name was very close to his Oratory.

When the revolution escalated in Italy,

Don Bosco turned to the devotion to Mary Help of Christians

and became its great promoter.

Don Bosco's devotion to Mary Help of Christians embodies his love for Mary, a woman of great strength and courage who defeats the Devil, who defends her children mightily, and who keeps her Son's Church safe in the midst of great trials and attacks.

For more on Don Bosco's devotion to Mary Help of Christians, click this link:

https://donboscosalesianportal.org/wp-content/uploads/Don-Bosco-and-Mary-Help-of-Christians.pdf

We are grateful to
Archbishop Francis Leo
for accepting the invitation
to celebrate this solemn feast
with our Salesian parish family.

A reception follows the mass.



Come pray with and welcome Grchbishop Francis Leo

SL ShareLife

June 4th is the 3rd ShareLife Sunday

Our parish goal for this year's campaign is \$52,600.

Share your love on Mother's Day

On Mother's Day, all moms deserve to be celebrated and supported. Did you know that our parish's support of ShareLife is helping young women with an unexpected pregnancy? One such mother is Nikki, who was able to continue her education and receive practice assistance through an agency called Rose of Sharon.

She says, "If it wasn't for you and for ShareLife, I don't know where we would be today. We will always and forever be grateful for your support!"

Our parishioners' support of ShareLife is making a difference in the lives of those in need.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate. We thank you for giving generously to ShareLife.

Monthly Pre-Authorized Giving is a convenient way to spread your ShareLife contribution throughout the year.

You can learn more about PAG by visiting our website at https://www.stbenedicts.ca/_files/ugd/ eb5354 d06702cab52745d1af7024732ca445cf.pdf

Thank you for supporting ShareLife!

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre



905 278 5229 Office 905 278 7513 Fax Email: office@qoa.ca



\$5,519

A Day Retreat for Cancer Patients and Caregivers Thursday May 18,2023 9:00am to 3:00pm

A Relic of St. Peregrine will be in the chapel Facilitated by Anne Hales and Betty Dotzko Mass by Father Daniel Cost: \$45.00 lunch included

Contact: Jean 905-278-5229 or office@qoa.ca

A Day of Retreat for Seniors Wednesday, May 24, 2023 9:00am to 3:00pm

Facilitated by Father Daniel and Anne hales

Cost: \$45.00 lunch included

Contact: Jean 905-278-5229 or office@goa.ca

Sunday Offering (envelopes & loose only):

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

To request a mass intention, contact Susan: speresso@archtoronto.org /416-743-3830 X0

Monday, May 15

8:00am Susan Almonte D'Andrea by Marisa & Aldo D'Andrea

7:30pm Mary Help of Christians Novena Mass

Tuesday, May 16

8:00am Maria , Michael & Romana Lopez by Christina Lopez & family

7:30pm Mary Help of Christians Novena Mass

Elena D'Andrea by Aldo & Marisa D'Andrea

Wednesday, May 17

8:00am Bernadette Hartley & Rosemary McDonald

by Roberto & De Melo families

7:30pm Mary Help of Christians Novena Mass

Thursday, May 18

8:00am Mely Gargoles by family

7:30pm Mary Help of Christians Novena Mass

Friday, May 19

8:00am Deceased members of the De Vuono family by Giovanni & family

7:30pm Mary Help of Christians Novena Mass

Saturday, May 20

8:00am Shanta Ann Persaud by Husband & Daughter

5:00pm Living Intention for Maryanne & Francis Joseph by Children

7:30pm Mary Help of Christians Novena Mass

Sunday, May 21

8:00am For the People

9:30am Giovanni Di Marino by Concetta & family (Ital/Ch) 9:30am Rodney Chicorli by Karl Kromar & family (Eng/Hall) 11:00am Stefano Cancelli by Anna, Pasquale & Susy Cancelli

12:45pm Felicia & Silvestro Pietrangelo

by Cristina & Salvatore Bancheri & family



Blessings on your Marriage As a parish community, we keep in prayer

Mary-Ann Smith & Corey Trevor Biot who will be married on Friday, May 19, 2023.

Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Ephesians 4:2



In Catholic tradition, the month of May is dedicated to Mary. Chosen by God above all other women, Mary's faith and obedience paved the way for the Incarnation. Her example teaches us faith, obedience, humility and most of all, how to love.

Happy Mother's Day

Bless all Mothers today with God's love.

Fr. Jim, Antoniette, Annette, Jack, Mariel, Susan, Stefania, Rita & Helene