## Sunday June 5th, 2022 - Pentecost Sunday

Our parish weekly bulletin continues to be available digitally on our parish website: www.stbenedicts.ca

**WEEKLY BULLETIN** 



### Deacons' Corner

Check out the Deacons' Corner on our parish website: www.stbenedicts.ca/deacons-corner





### **Become an Altar Server**

St. Benedict's Altar Server Ministry invites boys and girls, youth, and young adults, ages 10-24, to serve at the Altar of the Lord.

For more information and registration details, email Elijah, Shona and Team:

Stbenedictsaltarservers1@gmail.com

## **Sunday Mass Obligation**

Important Update from the Archdiocese of Toronto

On March 13, 2020, Cardinal Collins issued a communication to the faithful of this archdiocese indicating that it was necessary to cancel public celebrations of the Eucharist on the coming Sunday, stating: "For this weekend and any other which may be required, I grant the faithful dispensation from their Sunday obligation".

Given that most of the health and safety restrictions in our parishes are no longer in place and the faithful are able to attend the celebration of the Eucharist once again, the basis for the dispensation from the Sunday obligation has dissipated and is no longer in effect.

The Church does not obligate people to do the impossible. If individuals, based on their conscience, cannot attend Mass for a grave reason, including a great vulnerability to COVID-19 or because they are self-isolating to limit the spread of illness, then they are excused from their Sunday obligation, as the law of the Church allows.

After two years of COVID-19 restrictions, many have been deprived of the opportunity to attend Mass and to receive the most Holy Eucharist and all of us have missed the opportunity to experience community, including members of our parishes. As we celebrate Pentecost this weekend, we invite and encourage the faithful to return to the practice of attending Mass in-person.



Thursday, June 9 / 7:30 p.m.
Red Room, St. Benedict RECTORY
To access red room go to the house attached to the church and ring at the SIDE DOOR.

Invite a friend and join us in person:

yes the first face-to-face meeting in over two years!

Guest Speaker: Rosella Lucchitti on The Catechesis of the Good

Shepherd, followed by a tour of The Atrium.

For those who are not familiar with this program, please view: <a href="https://www.archtoronto.org/en/offices-and-ministries/pastoral-ministries/catechesis-of-the-good-shepherd/catechesis-of-the-good-shepherd/CGS-formation-courses/level-1-formation/">https://www.archtoronto.org/en/offices-and-ministries/pastoral-ministries/catechesis-of-the-good-shepherd/CGS-formation-courses/level-1-formation/</a>

### Please RSVP your attendance:

<u>StBenedictMG@CatholicMomsGroup.com.</u>
Rema, Rita, and Bernadette



CCBR

My name is Shana Abraham and I am currently in Grade 12 at Father Henry Carr C.S.S. I'm writing to let you know about an exciting endeavour that I hope to be a part of this summer! I am required to fundraise a portion of my salary and am hoping that through sharing what it's all about, you will be willing to support me financially.

In Canada, abortion kills 100,000 children every year and is legal up to 9 months of pregnancy. Recently, I felt called to think deeply about the pro-life movement and to become a part of it and started working with an organization called Toronto Right to Life and was encouraged to do more to change hearts and minds about abortion by exposing the reality of it.

This summer I will be joining the Canadian Centre for Bioethical Reform as a part of their summer internship program. CCBR is a pro-life organization whose focus is to educate the public about the tragedy of abortion, its physical and emotional consequences, and how it violates human rights. I will be working with the team in Toronto and will receive training in pro-life apologetics, strategy, and leadership and how to apply these things by engaging the public with the truth about abortion through CCBR's outreach projects.

Dear parishioners, I am appealing for your help. As a summer intern, I am required to raise \$4,000 by July 4<sup>th</sup> for my needs throughout the summer. Any amount is most appreciated, and will certainly go a long way. As I transition from high school to university, I hope you will partner with me to make this summer one that is impactful and share in the value of life that God has placed on every human from the womb and beyond. If you are not able to donate at this time, your prayers are greatly appreciated.

### **Ways to Donate**

- 1. Certified cheque payable to the Canadian Centre for Bio-Ethical Reform for Shana Abraham.
- 2. Cash donations brought to the church entrance at weekend masses this weekend and next.
- 3. Online via the link below: mention Shana Abraham in the comments before submitting the donation

https://www.endthekilling.ca/civicrm/contribute/transact/?reset=1&id=1

4. E-transfer the donation to <a href="mail@endthekilling.ca">email@endthekilling.ca</a> with a note that it is for Shana Abraham.

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### WHAT IS CCBR?

The Canadian Centre for Bio-ethical reform (CCBR) is a pro-life organization whose focus is to educate the public about the tragedy of abortion, its physical and emotional consequences, and how it violates human rights.

"CCBR believes that it is self-evident that human beings, by virtue of their humanity, are objectively valuable and deserving of human rights."

# SL ShareLife This weekend is ShareLife Sunday

### Let's show we care on ShareLife Sunday

This weekend is the final ShareLife Sunday of the year. But ShareLife is more than a collection. It's how we as a community say "we care." In solidarity with Catholics throughout the Archdiocese, we provide a witness of God's love by actively supporting those in need locally and the greater world.

The COVID-19 pandemic has taught us so much about the needs of our community and our brothers and sisters. We each have a role to play, be it through financial support, prayer or both.

Our goal this year is \$50,000. To date we have achieved \$19,602. If you have not done so, please give generously during the special collection or you can contribute to ShareLife online via the parish website or at

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 very much for supporting our parish's ShareLife campaign.

## BBO & GAMES NIGH



Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Proceeds to Sylvenie Lindor Foundation To assist the youth of Etobicoke North



>>> WHEN: SATURDAY, JUNE 11 WHERE: ST. BENEDICT CHURCH

2194 KIPLING AVE. ETOBICOKE, ON

START TIME - 6 PM

COST FOR BBO

(INCLUDES 1 HAMBURGER AND

1 SAUSAGE/HOTDOG)

\$10/ADULT & TEEN

\$5/CHILD 12 & UNDER

**WATER & POP - \$1** 



### ALL AGES ARE WELCOME!

BOARD GAMES INCLUDED PLUS CHANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN 50/50 CASH PRIZE GAMES!!!

RESERVE TICKETS at stjohnbosco14327@gmail.com or BUY AT THE DOOR

### June 11 / 12 **Annual Diocesan Collection** MARYGROVE CAMP

MARYGROVE CAMP is a residential camp situated on Georgian Bay, near Penetang, Ontario. Open to eligible girls ages **5–13**; Marygrove provides an 8 day camping experience for children who may not otherwise have the opportunity to enjoy a camping adventure.

Campers participate in a full range of activities, including swimming, canoeing, crafts, drama, sports, co-operative games, cook-outs, sleepovers, hikes, star gazing and camp fires. The location on Georgian Bay provides excellent opportunities for swimming in a shallow, supervised swimming area. Each session celebrates a special theme recognizing our favorite seasons and events throughout the year.

Please give generously! Thank you for your support!

Sunday Offering (envelopes & loose only): St. Benedict Debt to the Archdiocese

5,861 \$ 100,105

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!

### MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Parishioners wishing to participate in mass from home are encouraged to view the mass of the day at home on TV: (Salt & Light, EWTN or Vision TV) or online: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UChY8MWUNQLcqElLmb9kFtRA

### MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 6 8:00am Peter Tai Nguyen by Phuong Thieph Nguyen

<u>Tuesday, June 7</u>

Onofrio Di Franco by Deacon Diego Maria Pereira by Clarisse & Tony Teves 8:00am

<u>Wednesday, June 8</u>

8:00am Frank Aquino by Quaglietta Family

<u>Thursday, June 9</u>

8:00am Layla & Philippe Bedros by Natalie & Andy D'Andrea

Friday, June 10

8:00am Hector & Teresa De Grace by Deacon Diego

<u>Saturday, June 11</u>

Susan Almonte by D'Andrea Family

5:00pm Angiolina Jannetta by Lina & Stevé Bilardo & family

<u>Sunday, June 12</u>

For the People

9:30am Darek Huttra by Marcelli family (Ital/Ch) Eleno Bulatao by Estella Leolila (Eng/Hall)

11:00am Caroline Giugliano by Children

12:45pm Felice Giulitto by Maria Giulitto



### Pray for the Dead

Mercier Bernard Benoit, Boni Aljon Anthony Bestsudio Remot, Angel Quetua Calalang, Michael O'Niell & Costanza Nobili



Prize: \$1,600.00 Weber Smoke Fire Grill with hardwood pellets

Draw to take place:

Lottery Licence #: M824206

Following the Etobicoke North Golf Classic

Price: \$10.00 per ticket - 750 tickets printed

Info: All proceeds go to St. Benedict's Parish

SALE OF RAFFLE TICKETS **BEGINNING WEEKEND OF JUNE 4/5 CONTINUING EVERY OTHER WEEKEND** UNTIL THE END OF JULY.