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Altar Servers Deacon Rudy Ovcjak 647-970-4495 Children's Liturgy 905-837-2944 Doris Sweeney

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Youth Choir Vanessa Lowing

YOUTH MINISTRY Shelly Coish Ext. 223

EDGE Programme: Grade 6, 7 & 8

Please join us on the 2nd and 4th Friday of the month

Lifeteen Programme: High School Students

Please join us on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month

OTHER APOSTOLATES

Bereavement Please call the parish office Legion of Mary Fran Baduel Ext. 504 Rosary Apostolate Camille Jacques-Carr 647-294-5454 St Vincent de Paul Desmond D'Mello Ext. 502

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

| Catholic Women's League | Marie James | 905-839-8890 |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Knights of Columbus | Dennis Lacey | 905-839-7001 |
| Children's Play Group | Ramona Kelland | 905-831-5772 |
| Parish Finance Council | Bart Calderone | 905-839-9116 |
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| Refugee Committee | Please call the parish office. | |

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES 416-733-8544

| PARISH SCHOOLS | PRINCIPAL | |
|----------------------|---------------------|--------------|
| St. Elizabeth Seton | Sharon Bird | 905-839-0005 |
| St. Isaac Jogues | Valerie Cappuccitti | 905-839-1844 |
| St. Wilfrid | Mike Young | 905-427-6225 |
| Notre Dame Secondary | Joe D'Amico | 905-686-4300 |
| St. Mary Secondary | Susan Duane | 905-420-7166 |

SUNDAY MASSES

4:30pm Saturday Vigil

8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am, 7:00pm Sunday

(Rosary 15 minutes before each Mass)

DAILY MASSES

Monday to Friday 7:30am Wednesday 7:00pm Saturday 8:30am 7:30pm First Friday

11:00am Extraordinary Form of the First Saturday:

Roman Rite (Latin)

(Mass will be offered at 10:00am on Public Holidays)

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (CONFESSIONS)

Saturday 9:00 to 9:30am, 3:45 to 4:15pm. Sunday: 15 minutes prior to each Holy Mass (Any time by appointment)

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesday between the morning and evening Masses First Fridays after morning Mass until 6:30pm Holy Hour

DEVOTIONS

Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Every Wednesday at 7:00pm First Friday: Holy Hour at 6:30pm

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated at least once per month. Parents are to be registered parishioners. To register your child for baptism, pick-up a baptism package in the parish office.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married contact the parish office at least one year in advance. No wedding date is to be set before consultation with the Priests/Deacons. At least one of the parties must be a registered parishioner.

RITE OF INITIATION OF ADULTS INTO THE CATHOLIC FAITH (RCIA)

Interested in becoming Catholic? Please contact the office.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE ILL OR HOMEBOUND

Requests for the Sacrament of the Sick, prayers or visitations, please call the parish office.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

To be a registered member of our parish is to have a sense of belonging to the Catholic Church locally. Please introduce yourself to the Priests or Deacons and register in the office.

Mass Intentions & Parish Activities

MONDAY 29 APRIL

7:30am Mass: + Ernest Emil Lertola

3:30pm Youth Choir

TUESDAY 30 APRIL

7:30am Mass: + Marian Buote

8:30pm Gregorian Schola

WEDNESDAY 1 MAY

7:30am Mass: + Ludovico Mamaat

3:30pm Youth Choir 6:40pm Benediction

7:00pm Mass: Multiple Mass Intentions

8:00pm Parish Choir

THURSDAY 2 MAY

7:30pm Mass: + John Fernandes

FRIDAY 3 MAY

7:30am Mass: + Guiseppi & Maria Rosa Piacente 7:30pm Mass: Thanksgiving Mass - Malcolm Perera

SATURDAY 4 MAY

8:30am Mass: Multiple Mass Intentions 4:30pm Mass: + Diana Montbellier

SUNDAY 5 MAY

8:30am Mass: + Agnes Alves 10:00am Mass: Pro Populo

11:30am Mass: + Domingo Manangan 7:00pm Mass: + Jenny Caballero

THIS WEEK THE SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS IN MEMORY OF SISENANDO BANSIL

Please note the First Saturday Traditional Latin Mass scheduled in May is cancelled, due to the First Holy Communion retreats and Masses.

Archdiocesan Day of Prayer for Vocations

Cardinal Collins has designated Friday, May 3, 2019 as the Archdiocesan Day of Prayer for Vocations. We have three prayer intentions on this day: for the right discernment of vocations still unfolding; for endurance in committed vocations; and for an increase of priestly and religious vocations. Our parish prayer initiative is for an increase in Vocations. Check poster for details. If you are unable to attend this event, please take a moment to pray for vocations on Friday, May 3. Vocation resources can be found on the Office of Vocations' website: www.vocationstoronto.ca.

SL ShareLife

Living the Gospel by welcoming newcomers to Canada

Rashida endured years of domestic abuse while living in Egypt. Fearing her husband would abuse their children, she successfully applied for refugee status in Canada. Rashida arrived in Toronto, not knowing the language, what to do, or who could help. Fortunately, she met an Arabic speaker who told her about Catholic Crosscultural Services (CCS). CCS helped her navigate the immigration process and access the resources she needed. "CCS saved my life," Rashida says. "Today I have money of my own, an apartment, and my children are finally safe and happy."

Next Sunday, May 5 is ShareLife Sunday.

Please give generously.

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA



"O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fount of Mercy for us, I trust in You" - St. Faustina (Diary 187)

Saturday, April 27, 3:00pm, Church MERCY SUNDAY, April 28, 2:00pm, Church MERCY SUNDAY, April 28, 4:00 - 6:30pm, Parish Hall

Saturday, April 27th following the 4:30pm Mass



Come and enjoy a night of fun and fellowship hosted by the Knights of Columbus! Feast on a tasty pasta dinner followed by 10 regular games of Bingo. Children are welcome for dinner, however, due to ACGO regulations, anyone under 18 years of age cannot play. We offer supervised children's activities during Bingo.

CWL BAKE SALE NEXT WEEK

The Catholic Women's League will be hosting a Bake Sale **next Sunday**, **April 28th** after all the Sunday morning Masses in the Church Hall. We are always looking for donations



for the Bake Sale so if you have a "special baked good" you would like to contribute please bring it to the Church Hall on Sunday. All proceeds will go to our many charities.



Please return your Coins for Life boxes to the church **next weekend**, **April 27/28**. Thank you for your support.

First Saturday Rosary Devotion:

Please join us in praying all Mysteries of the Holy Rosary in the Chapel on **Saturday 4th May from 2:00 to 4:00pm**. We will pry the Mysteries along with dedications and Spiritual offerings. For more info please contact Teresa at 647-200-9315 or Adrian (after 5:00pm) at 905-839-1506.



NEOPHYTE MASS

Cardinal Collins invites all of the newly baptized and those who will be received into the Church this Easter to our annual Neophyte Mass. The Mass will take place on **Sunday**, **May 5**, **2019 at 2:00pm** at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Michael.



Thursday May 9, 2019

Please join the parish bus to Ottawa for the annual March for Life to Parliament

Hill and witness to the sanctity of life. **Schedule:** 6:30am: Holy Mass, 7:00am: bus departs for Ottawa. Bus tickets available at the parish office. \$40.00 per person (includes boxed lunch sponsored by the Knights of Columbus). For more information call Chris 416-561-5090 or email: sijProLife@gmail.com



NEW BEGINNINGS

presents a Bereavement Retreat

With keynote speakers Paul

Miki and Christine Rybka-Miki from the New Beginnings Ministry dedicated to those who have suffered a loss.

DATE: Saturday, May 25th, 2019 - 9:00am – 1:00pm LOCATION: St. Isaac Jogues Church Parish Hall 1148 Finch Ave. Pickering Light refreshments will be served.

You can register online at: sijc.cwl.events@gmail.com
or contact Rose James, 905-420-3264
or email: clayrose@sympatico.ca

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION SCHEDULE

| SCHOOL | REHEARSAL DATE | CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT |
|-------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
| St. Elizabeth | April 25th | April 27th |
| Seton | 7:00pm | 10:30am |
| St. Wilfrid | May 2nd | May 4th |
| | 7:00pm | 10:30am |
| St. Isaac Jogues | May 9th | May 11th |
| | 7:00pm | 10:30am |
| Other Catholic | April 30th | May 5th |
| Public or Private | 7:00pm | 11:30am |



The Knights of Columbus invite all parishioners and their families to participate in praying a Novena for Life starting Wednesday May 1st to May 9th in conjunction with the March for Life. More details available next week. Pray cards will be available after Mass



The Knights of Columbus will be hosting their annual Mother's Day Breakfast in the church hall on Sunday, May 13th

following the 10:00am Mass. This is a complimentary event!

SAVE THE DATE

"Knights Fore Charity"
St. Isaac Jogues of Columbus 11098
13th Annual memorial Golf Tournament
Saturday, May 25th, 2019

Deer Creek Golf & Banquet Facility
Remember to mark your calendar and visit our webpage:

www.knightsonthegreen.com

Smile of the Day:

Why did the cookie go to the hospital? *Because it felt crumby.*

The Knights of Columbus invite all parishioners and their families, to participate in praying a Novena for Life starting Tuesday, April 30th to Wednesday, May 8th in conjunction with the March for Life in Ottawa on Thursday, May 9th.

The novena will be prayed at the end of the morning Holy Mass during the week and at the 11;30am Mass on Sunday.

Prayer cards & further information are available at the Knights table at the back of the church. Please take one home.



PRAYER FOR LIFE

O God, eternal Majesty, who made us in Your image and likeness, with a mind and a heart to know and love all things, help us to respect the dignity and worth which You have endowed each human being. Enable us to treat everyone as brother and sister to whom You have given the same goal of eternal life.

Grant us the wisdom and courage to defend and protect the rights of all individuals. Help us to stand up to, and correct any abuse, in word and deed against innocent human life. Aid us in nurturing this gift of human life from conception until natural death. Open our eyes and ears to the wisdom and guidance of the Holy Catholic Church's Magisterium. Provide us with the resources to assist those whose lives are endangered by abortion, infanticide, euthanasia, and any other means of abuse and destruction.

Lord Jesus Christ, who was raised from the dead for all mankind, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever, Amen

Knights of Columbus Council 11098, Pickering, ON

CHOIR REHEARSALS

YOUTH -- Mondays & Wednesdays -- 4:00 to 5:30pm GREGORIAN - prior to 7:00pm Sunday Mass PARISH - Wednesdays 8:00pm NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.



Children's Liturgy is for those in Junior Kindergarten up to and including Grade 3 (ages 4 to 8 years). Children under the age of 4 years are welcomed, but MUST be accompanied by an adult.

Registration is open for our brand new summer day camp called Camp Veritas! It will run from July 8th - 12th and is for students going into grades 1-5. Registration is NOW OPEN, and you can find forms in the parish office,



on the table in the vestibule or on the parish website. Contact Camp Director, Emily Wardle at sijcampveritas@gmail.com or our Youth Minister, Shelly at the parish office, ext 223 or by email at SIJYM@hotmail.com for more information.

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