

Adorers Needed.

Why not You?

Will you sign up to spend one hour with Jesus in our Eucharistic Adoration Chapel?
Interested parishioners contact
Teresa: 416-743-5338



Farewell Fr. Sean Spiritual Bouquet

To express our gratitude to Fr. Sean and to assure him that we accompany him with our prayers, you are invited to offer a Spiritual Bouquet.

A Spiritual Bouquet is a collection of prayers, sacrifices and works of mercy offered to Our Lord on behalf of the recipient.

Fr. Sean will be presented a spiritual gift compiled from the form below.



Please complete and return this form to the parish office by Friday June 20: Attention: Fr. John

Personal or Family Spiritual Bouquet for Fr. Sean

Number of Holy Communions ____	Number of Holy Hours ____
Number of Holy Rosaries ____	Number of Works of Mercy ____ ie. Acts of kindness
Number of Divine Mercy Chaplets ____	

If you wish Fr. Sean to know that you've offered these prayers, sacrifices and acts of charity, please include your name here.

NO GIFTS PLEASE

As parishioners are inquiring about a gift for Fr. Sean, his charity of choice is St. Benedict Parish.

For a tax receipt, make cheques payable to St. Benedict Parish.

On the memo line, kindly add:
Donation, Fr. Sean's Farewell

Message from Cardinal Leo on the Month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

During this month of June, I would encourage you to take time to renew your consecration to the Sacred

Heart of Jesus. If you haven't already consecrated yourself, your family and household to the most Sacred Heart, please consider doing so. In addition, I recommend you take up Pope Francis' Encyclical, *Dilexit Nos*, which is dedicated to this wonderful devotion and spirituality.



For the full text: <https://www.archtoronto.org/en/outreach/news/archdiocesan/message-on-the-month-of-the-sacred-heart-of-jesus/>

June 7-8

After the Saturday Mass and all Sunday Masses

Handicraft Holy Land Christians

will be selling unique hand-carved olive wood religious art pieces made by Christian families living in Bethlehem.

We are pleased to announce that on June 7-8, Jonelly from "Handicraft Holy Land Christians" will be visiting our parish.

Sir Sebastian Cardinal, Knight of the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem and his team will briefly address the issues and concerns regarding the Christian presence in the Holy Land. In addition, she will convey the urgent need for our prayers, as well as our tangible support.

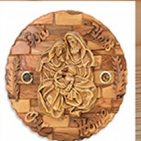
Available for purchase will be many unique hand carved religious art pieces, crafted from olive wood, and made by Christian families living in Bethlehem. The purchase of these items is a beautiful way to connect with the Holy Land, express our faith through giving meaningful gifts, and support to a local economy that helps keep a Christian presence in the Holy Land.

May God Bless you for your generosity, for your help and for your prayers.

Proceeds of the sales generate much needed employment for our Christian brothers and sisters in Bethlehem.

Cash, debit, credit card and cheque accepted.

You can visit and support at : HolylandChristians.ca



Unique hand carved olive wood religious art pieces made by Christian families in Bethlehem

SPECIAL EVENT

discover the joys, challenges, love and changes of becoming a mom



Learn what to expect in the early stages of motherhood

Embrace MOTHERHOOD

A WORKSHOP FOR EXPECTANT MOMS
MOMS WHO RECENTLY BAPTIZED THEIR CHILD
OR MOMS WHO HAVE YOUNG CHILDREN



DATE: WEDNESDAY JUNE 11, 2025 (Child care available)

LOCATION: ST. BENEDICT PARISH

2194 Kipling Ave, Etobicoke, ON M9W 4K9

TIME: 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

REGISTRATION IS FREE: this is a potluck event

I love my
Catholic Moms Group
LOVE, LAUGHTER, MOMENTS OF GRACE



WORKSHOP FACILITATOR:
RITA MASTROGIOVANNI

Rita is a Catholic wife and mother of two. She is pediatric nurse at The Hospital for Sick Children and educator at Seneca College. She is a passionate Catholic Moms Group co-leader, and volunteers at her parish in the Children Liturgy program at St. Benedict's in Etobicoke.

♥ enjoy a good cup of coffee ♥ meet like minded moms ♥ get inspired ♥ learn about the five phases of motherhood ♥ pray together ♥ identify the changes motherhood brings ♥ strategies to deal with your growing family ♥ learn new prayers specifically for mothers ♥ make new friends ♥ have fun

REGISTER by CONTACTING Rita at sbmj.lead@gmail.com
Let us know what you will bring for the potluck here at [this link](https://www.catholicmoms.ca):



Visit www.CatholicMomsGroup.com

Sunday June 8, 2025 - Pentecost Sunday

Today is ShareLife Sunday



Our parish goal for this year's campaign is \$66,000

You are the light of hope this ShareLife Sunday

On the third ShareLife Sunday of the year, you can extend God's compassion and solidarity to our brothers and sisters. Together with your support, let us illuminate His light in the darkest of places, providing strength to those enduring unimaginable hardships. Because of you, people who feel the weight of the world on their shoulders can experience some relief. Like young mother Sarah, and her 4-week-old baby, who fled a life-threatening situation. She went from being alone, homeless and afraid, to supported, secure and safe through programs at Catholic Family Services of Durham.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

MASS INTENTIONS

INTENZIONI PER LE MESSE

Now Booking Masses for 2026

FOR INDIVIDUAL AND MULTIPLE MASSES, THE OFFERING IS REQUIRED
IN FULL AT THE TIME THE INTENTION IS REQUESTED.

SI PREGA DI FARE L'OFFERTA AL MOMENTO IN CUI SI RICHIEDE L'INTENZIONE PER LA MESSA.

WHAT ARE MASS INTENTIONS?

As part of our Catholic tradition, we offer Masses for various intentions, including intentions for loved ones both living and deceased. Indicated below is an explanation of how a Mass intention is offered as well as the process for requesting an intention.

TYPES OF MASS INTENTIONS

ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTION

\$20 OFFERING

Daily Mass

ONE intention per Mass

No limit on number of Masses requested

Sunday Mass

ONE intention per Mass

You may request up to 5 Masses in a given year

1st Tuesday of the month - 7:30 pm Mass

Multiple mass intentions; up to 10 intentions

2nd, 3rd & 4th Tuesday of the month - 7:30 pm Mass

ONE intention per Mass

You may request up to 5 Masses in a given year

Unannounced Mass Intention

\$10 OFFERING

For the Living and Deceased

Mass intention is recorded and that intention is offered at a privately celebrated Mass. Card included on request.

Perpetual Mass Enrolment

\$20 OFFERING

For all occasions: Birthdays, Anniversaries, Get Well, First Communion, Confirmation, Thinking of You, etc. Enrolment folder included.

HOW TO OFFER A MASS INTENTION

Select the type of mass intention you wish to offer. Prepare a list of mass intention requests and drop it off at the parish office or email the list to office@stbenedicts.ca

COME RICHIEDERE UNA MESSA CON INTENZIONI

Seleziona il tipo di intenzione che desideri offrire. Prepara un elenco con le intenzioni e portalo all'ufficio parrocchiale o invialo tramite e-mail a office@stbenedicts.ca

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

To request a mass intention, contact Susan:

speresso@stbenedicts.ca/416-743-3830 X0

Monday, June 9

8:00am Kenneth MacNeil by Betty Seymour

7:30 Memorial Mass for Frank Lossigio

Tuesday, June 10

8:00am Deceased members of the Galluzzo family by Wife & family

7:30pm Leonila Maglian by family

Wednesday, June 11

8:00am Frank Lossigio by Janet Huitema & David Ruth

Thursday, June 12

8:00am Derek Hutyr by Marcelli family

Friday, June 13

8:00am St. Anthony by Bianca

Saturday, June 14

8:00am Maximo Bolido by Wife & Children

5:00pm Deceased members of the Tarsay family by Doug & Pat Tarsay

Sunday, June 15

8:00am For the People

9:30am Salvatore & Vittoria Galluzzi by Garito family (Ital/Ch)

9:30am Felix Giulitto by Wife & family (Eng/Hall)

11:00am Maximo Bolido by Wife & family

12:45pm Thomas McGlynn by Nellie McGlynn



June 15

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.



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

Peter Di Tommaso & Linda Martinez-Alvarado
who will be married on June 14, 2025

&

Arnold Lagundi & Judith Palattao

who will have their marriage blessed on June 14, 2025

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

Last Week's Collection

Sunday Offering (envs & loose only):

\$7,094

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!