

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd



Let the children come to Me
Matthew 19:14

Planting the Seeds of Faith

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd offers to the youngest children the most essential truths of our faith, knowing that these truths will nurture their need to love and be loved and their capacity to enjoy God's presence in their life.

Come learn more about this Montessori-based catechesis

offered here at St. Benedict's Atrium.

Come and visit our Atrium

Tuesday May 5

6:30 pm -8:00 pm

A door bell labelled "Atrium" is located at the side rectory entrance.

In-Kind Donations Welcome for Newcomer Family

Thanks to everyone who provided in-kind donations for our Newcomer Family. The list below has been refreshed.

If you are able to provide any of the below-mentioned items, new or gently used, your donation is greatly appreciated.

If you have an item to donate, kindly send an email to: apace@stbenedicts.ca.

- 4 Regular Bed Pillows
- Kitchen Table & 4 Chairs
- TV with Wall Mount
- Small Coffee Table
- Tall Shoe Rack
- Tall Laundry Basket with Lid
- Clear Plastic Storage Bins
- Food Storage Containers
- Mop and Bucket
- Shower Curtain with Rod and Rings



Join us for our 52nd
Magnificat Breakfast
hosted by Mary, Cause of our Joy Toronto Chapter
Saturday May 30, 2026

9:30 am – 12:30 pm
St. Benedict Parish Hall
Speaker: Rachel Martinez

Doors open at 9:00 am
SEATS NOT SOLD AT THE DOOR

Registration \$35

Register Online

until May 19

CREDIT and DEBIT cards accepted:
Added service fee applies

<https://www.stbenedicts.ca/magnificat-breakfast>

Register by Mail

Send cheque, payable to Magnificat to:
Magnificat, c/o 11 Watercliffe Rd M9W 4E5
include with your cheque, your:
name, address, phone number, email
and full name of other guests you are registering

Inquiries: Kathy: 647-969-9352 / magnificat.toronto.chapter@gmail.com



Celebrate the feast of
Mary Help of Christians

with

Living Rosary & Mass

followed by

Fun Food & Family Fun Outdoors

Saturday May 23

Begins at 4:00 pm

with

Living Rosary Outdoors at front of church in
Mary Help of Christians Courtyard

Bring food to share and a lawn chair

Fun Food by Last Name

A-D: Desserts (cookies, cake, squares, fruit, etc.)

E-G: Sandwiches (deli, cheese, tuna, egg, etc.)

H-L: Samosas, Perogies, Pizza

M-P: Appetizers (samosas, spring rolls, pizza, etc.)

Q-T: Drinks (pop, juice boxes, etc.)

U-Z: Ice Cream Bars, Munchies

Bring your food to parish hall 3:45 pm—4:00 pm.
Label your platter with your name and phone number
if you want it back.

Help Needed:

Got musical talent?

Can you sing, play an instrument: a song or two?

**We also need help with games and tattoos,
set up and clean up.**

Contact Rosina:

rosinadiflice@hotmail.com / 416-994-1140

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St Benedict Parish



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ShareLife Today is ShareLife Sunday

Our parish goal for this year's campaign is \$74,500

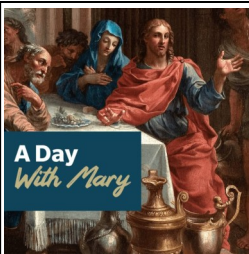
ShareLife Sunday is celebrating 50 years

Since 1976, ShareLife has been rooted in our Catholic values of charity and in living the Gospel by caring for those in need. Over the decades, thousands of people across our archdiocese have come together through parish campaigns, school drives, workplace giving, and personal acts of kindness to make a difference in the lives of countless individuals and families.

ShareLife recognizes that all humans are created in the image of God, with a commitment to the dignity of the individual and the right to life, working on behalf of the poor and vulnerable. As we celebrate this milestone anniversary in 2026, we invite you to join us in honouring this legacy of serving the marginalized in our parish community and around the world.

With your support, ShareLife-funded agencies can continue to provide vital services—like counselling for families, support for isolated seniors, and care for those facing mental health challenges—for years to come. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

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A Day With Mary

May 30, 2026

Join us for Mass with Frank Cardinal Leo, grow deeper in our devotion to Our Lady through a keynote address with Dr. Josephine Lombardi for the adults and Catechesis of the Good Shepherd activities for the children, and draw closer to Mother Mary in praying the rosary together. Enjoy music, food and fellowship with families from across the Archdiocese of Toronto. All are welcome!

Register by May 15.

More details at www.archtoronto.org/mary

Last Week's Collection

Sunday Offering (envs & loose only): **\$6,910.00**
 PAG (MONTHLY Pre Authorized Giving) April 20: **\$7,626.02**
Thank you for your ongoing generous support!

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

To request a mass intention, contact the parish office:
office@stbenedicts.ca / 416-743-3830 X0

Monday, April 27

8:00am Ewa Shumay Misztal by Marcelli family
 7:30pm Memorial Mass - Silvano & Luigi Tatangelo

Tuesday, April 28

8:00am Basil Fernando by Hilda Fernando
 7:30pm Celebration of Life Mass

Wednesday, April 29

8:00am Aldo & Mirvana Filippozzi by Adriana Cocco

Thursday, April 30

8:00am Antonio Tramontozzi by family

Friday, May 1

8:00am Fr. John Basso, SDB by Salesians of Don Bosco
 7:30pm Vlado & Slaven Penil by family

Saturday, May 2

8:00am Martha Arancillo by daughters Mariza, Yen & families
 5:00pm Julius D'Souza by Michelle D'Souza

Sunday, May 3

8:00am Living Intention for Michela Eliza Jelvin by Jelvin Deepa
 9:30am Deceased members of the Di Francesco & De Luca families by Santina & family (Ital/Ch)
 9:30am Silvano Tatangelo by Janet Huitema & David Ruth (Eng/Hall)
 11:00am Francis Joseph by Maryanne Joseph & family
 12:45pm For the People

Pray for the Dead

Mato Bilic

May the souls of the departed rest in peace!



Our faith community welcomes

**Noah Winkler
 Kristan Abubo
 Maximus Bernadas Kelly
 Adam James Bernadas Kelly**

I have called you by name, you are mine. Is 43:1

Securities as a Charitable Gift Option

One of the most financially sound ways to support the Archdiocese of Toronto is a gift of securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds). When you donate stocks, mutual funds and other publicly traded securities to a registered charity, you pay no capital gains tax and receive a tax receipt for the full amount of the gift. It means a great tax break for you and more significant support of your Parish and various archdiocesan charities such as ShareLife, St. Augustine's Seminary, The Shepherds' Trust, and many others.

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Archdiocese of Toronto - Gift of Securities

For more information, contact our office at
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