Sunday May 9th 2021 - 6th Sunday of Easter

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

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Pastor's Page

Check out the Pastor's Page on our parish website: www.stbenedicts.ca/pastors-page



Deacons' Corner

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



Magnificat , A Ministry to Catholic Women



Magnificat invites you to join in this month's

Rosary Blanket of Prayer Tuesday May 11 / 2:00 pm

https://us04web.zoom.us/j/7322364717?pwd=OFR6T3M0dW1pQllWTWhvVSs4a2dkQT09

Meeting ID: 732 236 4717 / Passcode: 980948

Congratulations Etiosa!

During this Education Week, parishioner, **Etiosa Osakue,** and student at Monsignor Percy Johnson High School received the



that recognizes students who go above and beyond in their school and community contributions and volunteering.



Etiosa became a lector at our parish after celebrating the sacrament of Confirmation several years ago. She continues to be a committed lector at weekday and Sunday masses.

So proud of you Etiosa!

To view the TCDSB Awards Video, click here:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G_RSNwu3b_s

New Film by Dr. Josephine Lombardi

Film will premiere on http://www.josephinelombardi.com

Thursday, May 13, 2021 /7:00 pm





To view trailer, click: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GBgW_lbvtrc

Weekend Prayer Service with Holy Communion

Individuals and families wishing to participate in a prayer service are invited to enter the church from the **SIDE ENTRANCE**, near the chapel.

Do not use the front entrance of the church.

A short prayer service, approx. 10 minutes will be repeated several times in the hours listed below to allow as many families and individuals as possible to participate.

Saturdays: 5 pm - 6 pm Sundays: 8 am - 9 am, 12 pm - 1 pm



Mother's Group Meeting Zoom Mtg / Tuesday, May 11 / 7:30 pm

To receive the link, interested participants, contact Rema: remac5050@gmail.com



VIRTUAL DISCUSSION FORUM

All Knights are welcome

Wednesday, May 12th / 7 PM

A virtual link will be emailed a
few days prior to the date.

Have questions or comments? Please email us:

stjohnbosco14327@gmail.com



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June 2 is ShareLife Sunday

Your gift to ShareLife is helping!

"ShareLife-funded agencies have been helping thousands of people since the pandemic began. They quickly adapted their programs in light of safety and the changing needs of the people they serve.

During our ShareLife campaign, we are asked to live the Gospel. In today's Gospel according to John, Jesus says to his disciples: "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friend."

In the course of our own mortal lives, we may not be asked to lay down our life for a friend. However, we are asked, whenever we can, to help our brothers and sisters.

That's what ShareLife is all about. Its more than 40 agencies put your generous donations to work, in service of the Lord, to help those who are in need and less fortunate.

"We can help alleviate the suffering of those whose lives have been upended by the pandemic. Let us say yes to Jesus' call to live the Gospel by providing for those in need."

- Cardinal Thomas Collins

Our parish goal this year is \$65,000. If you have not yet made your donation this year, please do so.

Thank you for supporting ShareLife!



Our faith community welcomes

Dylan & Lucas Tarantino

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

FREE WEBINAR!!!

ESTATE PLANNING FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE Saturday, May 22, 2021 at 9:30 am

Join this webinar and learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney & Estate Planning as well as Catholic teachings and traditions around cremation. The Archdiocese of Toronto estate planning team will share:

- How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will
- How to ensure that your wishes are legally protected
- About Powers of Attorney
- Estate Trustee selection
- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors
- Our Catholic traditions around wills, cremation, burial and funeral

An estate planning guide will be mailed to all attendees at no cost.

To register, send us an email to: development@archtoronto.org Please include 'webinar May 22' in the subject line and provide your name and mailing address in the body of a message (otherwise we won't be able to send you your copy of the Estate Planning guide!). Also, we would be grateful if, for the sake of our statistics, you could let us know whether you are planning to watch this webinar alone or together with a family member.

You will receive a link to the webinar on May 17th, and a couple of reminders closer to the date of the presentation.

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

TO REQUEST A MASS INTENTION FOR THE REMAINDER OF THIS YEAR Contact Susan: speresso@stbenedicts.ca /416-743-3830 X0

Monday, May 10

Living intention for Fr. Mike Pace, SDB by The St. Benedict Mother's Group

Tuesday, May 11

Living Intention for Patients & Staff at Etobicoke General Hospital by Ivan Canjar; Edward Shmakov by Teresa & Jake

Wednesday, May 12

Renato Nivisi by Nivisi family

Thursday, May 13

Romana Lopez by Christina Lopez

Friday, May 14

Ken Sutton by Sutton family

Saturday May 15

Ken Sutton by Inez Savage; Rocco De Francesca by Sandra & Claudio

Sunday, May 16

Ken Sutton by Pastoral Team; Vittoria Galluzzi by Joe Galluzzi, Stefano Cancelli by Anna, Pasquale & Susy Cancelli; Neil Fernando by Sweeni & family



We wish all mothers a very Happy Mother's Day!

We hope your day is full of peace, love and joy.

Fr. Dave and all the Salesians, Antoniette, Annette, Susan, Jack, Mariel, Stefania, Rita and Helene

Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to your protection, implored your help or sought your intercession was left unaided.

Inspired with this confidence,
I fly unto you, O Virgin of Virgins,
my Mother; to you do I come,
before you I stand sinful and
sorrowful; O Mother of the Word
Incarnate, despise not my petitions,
but in your mercy hear and
answer me. Amen.



Sunday Offering

\$ 6,858

St. Benedict Debt to the Archdiocese: \$ 139,345

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!

