

Sunday September 26, 2021 - 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

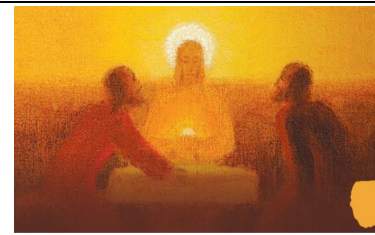
Our parish weekly bulletin continues to be available digitally on our parish website: www.stbenedicts.ca

WEEKLY BULLETIN



Deacons' Corner

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



4th ANNUAL PARISH MINISTRY CONFERENCE

WITH
BURNING
HEARTS

OCTOBER 26-30, 2021

If you've been serving in parish ministry and looking for an opportunity to connect with others serving in parish ministry, to pray together, to learn together, and to be re-energized, you won't want to miss the upcoming conference!

To learn more about the conference and to register, visit: www.archtoronto.org/conference.



2022 Leadership Program: Call for Participants

We are pleased to announce that we are accepting applications for the 2022 cohort of our Leadership Program, scheduled to begin in May 2022 at the Providence School of Transformative Leadership and Spirituality, Saint Paul University, Ottawa.

The program is open to all Canadian Catholic women, from all walks of life who have a genuine interest in making a difference in their communities and places of work.

A candidate must be a Catholic woman, at least 21 years of age, demonstrate oral and written English language competencies, have a genuine desire to cultivate her gifts of leadership, and have made a previous contribution to her community in some capacity.

The Program is a 11-month Certificate program with an ongoing mentorship once the course work is completed. Throughout the Program, participants will be guided by professional facilitators from Saint Paul University. The Program is specifically designed to integrate faith and life, personal and professional leadership development. Spirituality and a Catholic faith perspective are the foundation of all activities; prayer and reflective practice are core elements integrated throughout the program.

Application deadline November 20, 2021

To Inquire:

Catholic Women's Leadership Foundation
<https://www.cwlfcanada.ca/>

To apply:

<https://form.jotform.com/212525799791066>

**The Monsignor Percy Johnson Catholic School
Parent Council Elections
for the 2021-2022 school year
will take place on
Wednesday October 7th, 2021 / 6:30pm**

The Soul's Search for Joy and Meaning

Virtual Event with

Fr. Frederick Chung

Associate Professor of Biblical Theology/
(Old Testament), Director of Propaedeutic
Formation/Spiritual Year

**Saturday, October 2
9:30 am - 1:00 pm**

Register before Friday, October 1 at:

<https://staugustines.on.ca/events-listing/lay-spiritual-formation-october-2021>

ZOOM link to be sent to participants after registration.

In this workshop we will explore Qoheleth's search for lasting joy and meaning in life, and put into conversation other books of God's revelation, especially the Psalms and the Gospels.

Live online, small discussion groups, Q&A



CAMPAIGN LIFE COALITION PRESENTS:
LIFE CHAIN
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2021

join in at our parish location:

2:00 pm -3:00 pm

Corner of Kipling & Dixon

Invite family, friends, parishioners and neighbours to join you.

For more about Life Chain click here:

<https://www.campaignlifecoalition.com/life-chain>

Give Thanks

with a grateful heart

Mass of Thanksgiving

Monday October 11

10:00 am Mass

no 8:00 am Mass this day

Parish Office Closed



October 3
ShareLife Sunday

ShareLife Sunday is next weekend.

Today is also World Day of Refugees and Migrants. In 2009, Cardinal Collins established the Office for Refugees, an organization you support through ShareLife.

We are fortunate to live in a country where people can practice their faith without fear of persecution. It is not like this in every country. In some places, people are threatened with physical harm, even death, on the basis of their religious beliefs.

Your gift to ShareLife facilitated the arrival of 528 refugees through the Office of Refugees of the Archdiocese of Toronto last year. They are among the 150,000 people helped by generous donors like you.

As we emerge from the pandemic, let's not forget the plight of those facing hardship and persecution, and continue our efforts to welcome them to Canada.

**Next Sunday, October 3 is the next ShareLife Sunday.
Please give generously during the special collection.**

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/UCY8MWUNQLCqEILmb9kFtRA>

TO REQUEST A MASS INTENTION FOR THE REMAINDER OF THIS YEAR

Contact Susan: speresso@stbenedicts.ca /416-743-3830 XO

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 27

8:00am Thank you to those who donated to the St. Vincent de Paul Society by Josephine

Tuesday, September 28

8:00am Lidia Paties by Paties family
7:30pm Angelina Maieron by Giovanna Maieron

Wednesday, September 29

8:00am Lewis McLellan by Betty & family

Thursday, September 30

8:00am Living Intention for Patients and Staff at Etobicoke General Hospital by Ivan Canjar

Friday, October 1

8:00am Maria & Francesco Pinelli by Tony Pinelli
7:30pm Mary Luketic by family

Saturday, October 2

8:00am Living Intention for Students and Staff at Humber College by Ivan Canjar
5:00pm Jose Estrella Fernandez by Fernandez Gocotano & Clarke families

Sunday, October 3

8:00am Riccardo Sala by family
9:30am Mario & Ida Bartelli by Filippo family
9:30am For the People
11:00am Stefano Cancelli by Tammie Cancelli
12:45pm Concordio Pozon by Takaoka family



National Day
for Truth and
Reconciliation



On Thursday, September 30, across the country, Canadians will be observing the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. The ongoing journey to healing and reconciliation has a particular relevance for Catholics throughout Canada given the church's involvement in operating many residential schools and recognizing the suffering and intergenerational trauma that remains for many survivors to this day. This day provides an opportunity for all Canadians to recognize and commemorate the legacy of residential schools, and commit to working for truth and reconciliation in the relationship between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples in Canada.

All are welcome to join Cardinal Thomas Collins for a virtual prayer service on September 30, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. – you can access the prayer service through the St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica livestream at: <https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/>.

In addition, spiritual and educational resources relating to Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation can be accessed by visiting: www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation.



Our faith community welcomes
James Domenico Ciutat
Leo Antonio Cicero

I have called you by name, you are mine.



Public Rosary Rally Saturday October 16 12 noon

On the Northwest corner of Eglinton Avenue W. and Royal York Rd.

Radio Maria Canada invites everyone in the community to join them in a Public Rosary Rally to celebrate the Blessed Mother's 104th Anniversary Apparition. This coincides with Rosary Rallies happening all over North America to Honour the Blessed Mother. We will be praying in 5 languages: **English, Italian, Polish, Tagalog & Spanish. Look forward to seeing you there!**

Parking can be found at All Saints' Roman Catholic Church, one block North of Eglinton and Royal York at La Rose Avenue. Please contact Darrell at 416-931-7191 for more information or if you would like to volunteer praying.



Sunday Offering: \$ 4,146
St. Benedict Debt to the Archdiocese \$ 90,000

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!