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WEEKLY BULLETIN



Deacons' Corner

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



Listen with the ear of your heart.

St. Benedict

Greetings from
Fr. Jim Berning
our New Pastor

This week, I continue with another segment of my life; **part 2**, with the hoped for outcome that parishioners have a better understanding of their new pastor. I encourage that parishioners do the same --with each other!

By revealing more about your lives in the course of the last several months, together we develop an attitude of openness, such that, becoming acclimated to life beyond the pandemic. We proceed with renewed faith, energy and vigor to live St. Benedict's mission "as signs and bearers of God's love".

What preceded the Canadian experience?

I grew up in the states with my family of seven with me as the middle child, who early on was in the image of a beach ball, but eventually stretched out. Now I look at myself as being 'vertically gifted and horizontally opposed'! Having mom and dad, two older brothers, and two younger sisters made for a life filled with constant family company, where there was always someone to spend time with, or you could say, life was filled with abundance.

Given that my father worked in the oil industry, we were relocated many times: Illinois (2 times), Michigan, Indiana and then the long trek out West to the Rocky Mountains where Yellowstone National Park became our backyard. Mountaineering, fishing, hiking, and skiing were all the trimmings that provided for a wonderful and exhilarating way to grow up as well as a great setting to really get to know people. My parents did their part to make the best for us, such that even during economic downturns they absorbed such concerns and encouraged us to live life to the full. While the 1970's were faced with economic recessions, growing up I always saw life as the "roaring 70s".

Currently, my mom, Ann, and sister Ann live in Texas, with two brothers John and Joe in Colorado, and my sister Mary in Montana. They all visited here two years ago to celebrate my birthday and take in Niagara Falls, Niagara On-The-Lake, and the CN Tower. My dad passed away from a stroke in 2004 and has taken up residence in paradise with my little brother Michael, who passed away at birth.



SummerDaze Camp is back!

July 12 to August 6

Let's pray for a safe, healthy and fun season for campers, volunteers and staff



Over the past twenty years, Jason and Crystalina Evert have spoken to more than one million people on six continents about the virtue of chastity.

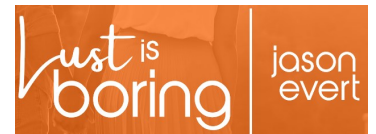


CHASTITY
PROJECT

Chastity Project believes that young people play a pivotal role in the new evangelization. As Pope Francis said, "Do you know what the best tool is for evangelizing the young? Another young person. This is the path to follow!" Chastity Project exists to promote the virtue of chastity so that individuals can see God, and be free to love (Matt. 5:8). The orange and green colors of the Chastity Project logo are from the tilma of Our Lady of Guadalupe, to whom the ministry is consecrated.

To learn more about what the Church teaches about sex, marriage, and children, check out the Chastity Project podcast, **Lust is Boring** as host,

Jason Evert interviews special guests and delivers straight answers to tough questions submitted by listeners. <https://chastity.com/podcast/>



Recent episodes of "Lust is Boring" include the following:

Episode 34: Catholicism & Birth Control

First comes love. Then comes marriage. Then what? If sex is natural, why are we so eager to make it artificial? Find out how God's plan for human sexuality is good for your body and good for your soul. Jason answers many questions surrounding kids, contraception, and NFP.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DDC5RwCSbc4>

Episode 28: Parents of the Saints: How did they do it?

Patrick O'Hearn shares how the parents of the Church's saints influenced their children's journey to heroic sanctity.

Jason interviews author Patrick O'Hearn about the three years of research he devoted to writing his new book "Parents of the Saints: The Hidden Heroes Behind Our Favorite Saints." Together, they discuss: • How did the parents of the saints guard their children's purity? • How did the parents of the wayward saints break through to them? • What did their prayer lives and family routines look like? • What about parents of saints who weren't on the same page spiritually? • How did the parents of the saints embrace suffering to the spiritual advantage of their family? And more!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yohAJ2opDuY>

Episode 47: Is the world overpopulated?

Emmet Dooley debunks the myth that today's parents are having too many children. Is the world overpopulated?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MRELxm96MvU>

Daily and Sunday Mass Schedules

Daily Mass

8:00 am Monday through Saturday
7:30 pm Tuesdays (resumes July 13)

Sunday Mass

Saturdays 5:00 pm

Sundays 8:00 am, 9:30 am Italian in church,
9:30 am English in hall, 11:00 am,

12:45 pm (cancelled: July 11-Sept 5 inclusive, summer schedule)

REAL Women of Canada is a voice for women who support life and the traditional values of marriage, and family as the basic unit of society. Incorporated in 1983, we are a non-denominational, non-partisan national women's organization representing women from all walks of life, occupations, social and economic backgrounds.



Below are two recent posts from the Real Women website related to the Indigenous Residential Schools:

<https://realwomenofcanada.ca/press-room/>

Jumping to Conclusions Without the Facts in the Indigenous Residential Schools Question

REAL Women of Canada believes that our Members and contacts should be aware of the report by Dr. Scott Hamilton, Anthropologist, at Lakehead University in Thunder Bay. Dr. Hamilton was retained by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission to review the indigenous school cemeteries. He has extensively reviewed the problem of cemeteries including the former Kamloops residential school where 215 children were reportedly buried. The media has written numerous articles about this tragedy without investigating the facts which reveals another perspective on the situation. For the full post, go to:

<https://realwomenofcanada.ca/jumping-to-conclusions-without-the-facts-in-the-indigenous-residential-schools-question/>

The Blame for Residential Schools lies with the Federal Government

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Blessings on your Marriage

As a parish community,
we keep in prayer



Nick Spagnolo & Alexia Nancy Gallizzi

who will be married on July 17, 2021.

God grant them happiness, good health
and a long life together.

Sunday Offering \$ 4,646

St. Benedict Debt to the Archdiocese: \$116,445

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!



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

Monday, July 12

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

Tuesday, July 13

8:00am Deceased Sala Sisters by Sala family
 7:30pm Franco Giacometti & family by Aldo & Marisa D'Andrea

Wednesday, July 14

8:00am Maryann D'Souza by D'Souza family

Thursday, July 15

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

Friday, July 16

8:00am Edward Shmakov by Wife

Saturday July 17

8:00am Ercole Petrecca by Anna Petrecca
 5:00pm Giacomo Rocco De Francesca by Sandra & Claudio

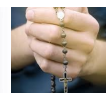
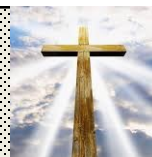
Sunday, July 18

8:00am Edward Shmakov by Adelaide & Carlos Sala
 9:30am It. Carlo & Maria Soscia by Benito & Pasqualina Soscia
 9:30am Eng. Elizabeth Mc Daid by family
 11:00am Peter Wilson by Doug & Pat Tarsay

Pray for the Dead

Michael Kerins, Renato Segantreddo
 Desmond O'Doherty, Mario Carniel
 Elizabeth Ann Dekum
 Alexander Campbell Jamieson

Eternal rest, grant unto them, O LORD and let perpetual light shine upon them.



Magnificat invites you to join in this month's Zoom

Rosary Blanket of Prayer

Monday July 12 / 2:00 pm

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3355996295?pwd=VGZOR3ISeiZuUERLa0VBSDZOUTIPZz09>

Meeting ID: 335 599 6295 / Passcode: MotherMary

OBJECTIONS TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH: How do you Respond?

How do you respond to "OBJECTIONS TO CATHOLIC FAITH" that you may receive from colleagues, friends or family members?

Most objections come from misinformation and misconceptions about the Catholic Church. The Bible and Catechism of the Catholic Church, (CCC), are excellent sources of information. Also, you may wish to email Deacon Diego: amdggloriam@gmail.com, subject "I HAVE A QUESTION". Our parish website "Deacons' Corner" KNOW YOUR FAITH series addresses questions of a general nature.



Our faith community welcomes
Josiah Xavier Balisi Matalang

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