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WEEKLY BULLETIN

Pastor's Page

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



Deacons' Corner

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Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturdays 5:00 pm

Sundays 8:00 am, 9:30 am Italian, 11:00 am, 12:45 pm

Daily Mass: 8:00 am Monday through Saturday

**Thursday July 1
is Canada Day**
Mass 8:00 am
Office Closed

St. Joseph Holds Special Place in Canada

Excerpts from article by Fr. Yaw Acheampong,
Pastor, Our Lady of Peace Parish, Etobicoke

<https://www.catholicregister.org/faith/quest-faith-columns/item/31268-fr-yaw-acheampong-joseph-holds-special-place-in-canada>



Do you know that St. Joseph, the spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, is not only the patron saint of the universal Church but also the principal patron saint of Canada?

The history of the Church in Canada tells us that Fr. Joseph Le Caron, one of the first four missionaries to land in this country, chose St. Joseph as the patron saint of what was then New France on March 19, 1624. Almost 250 years later, in 1870, Pope Pius IX proclaimed St. Joseph the patron saint of the universal Church. And since 2013 his name has been included in all Eucharistic Prayers at Mass, emphasizing his importance in the life of the Church...

The life of St. Joseph represents a model for all Christians. He is our model of faithful discipleship. Our special devotion to St. Joseph ...can be a spiritual discipline for us. Our devotion to St. Joseph with sincere hearts may help us to strengthen our relationship with God and with our neighbour "for our good and the good of all the Church" and for our country.

As the patron saint of the Church and of Canada, we can all rejoice with hope in the protection and love of God that comes to us through the intercession of St. Joseph.

St. Joseph, pray for us.

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: amdgggloriam@gmail.com, subject "I HAVE A QUESTION". Our parish website "Deacons' Corner" KNOW YOUR FAITH series addresses questions of a general nature.

Heart Speaks to Heart

Pastoral Letter from Cardinal Thomas Collins
Visit www.archtoronto.org/sacredheart



Practical Suggestions for Devotion to the Sacred Heart

- ◆ **Personally, carry an image of the Sacred Heart**, and use it as a constant reminder of the generous love of Jesus which it symbolizes. Then put that love into practice throughout the day.
- ◆ **Read a portion of one of the Gospels every day.** It might perhaps be the Gospel reading for the Mass of the day, or it might simply be a chapter a day. The Gospel of Matthew has 28 chapters, the Gospel of Mark has 16, the Gospel of Luke has 24, and the Gospel of John has 21: a total of 89 chapters, so that, at a chapter a day, the whole Gospel can be read about four times a year. Each chapter takes only a few minutes to read prayerfully, so as to encounter Jesus, and to experience the love of his Sacred Heart.

Join us for a fun-filled day:

**Saturday
September 11**

Register to play or
support our charities

by sponsoring our event, or

by making a donation by e-transfer to

stjohnbosco14327@gmail.com



REGISTRATION AND SPONSORSHIP FORMS at

<https://www.stbenedicts.ca/kofc> under Upcoming Events!

CONTACT US:

etobicokenorthgolf@gmail.com

or follow us on Instagram: @etobicokenorthgolf

Farewell Fr. Dave

Parishioners wishing to greet

Fr. Dave in person

to offer thanks and farewell wishes
before he leaves for Chicago in July,
may do so this weekend.

At a time listed below,
meet Fr. Dave outdoors in front of the church
at the Mary, Help of Christians courtyard.



Saturday June 26

6:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Sunday June 27

8:45 am - 9:15 am

10:15 am - 10:45 am

11:45 am - 12:15 pm

1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Fr. Dave requests no gifts, please.

*If you wish to gift him, in spite of his request for no gifts,
his preference is that a donation may be made
to St. Benedict Church.*

For a tax receipt, include your envelope number.



October 2-3
ShareLife Sunday

PARISH GOAL: \$65,000

ShareLife agencies are there for you, too.

Please remember that ShareLife organizations are also there to help you. If you, your family or other loved ones are in need of support from the services of a ShareLife funded agency, visit sharelife.org and click on the "Need Help?" button.

For those who are able, please give to ShareLife through the parish office or sharelife.org.

When you support ShareLife, you help clients at more than 40 agencies, including Rosalie Hall, founded by the Misericordia Sisters in 1914.

The agency appreciates your support. Jane Kenny, the agency's Executive Director says, "ShareLife donors make a difference every day in helping meet the needs of the most vulnerable young moms and children utilizing our agency. Thank you. You are helping change young families' lives!"

Many thanks to all the generous supporters of our parish's ShareLife campaign.

Pray for the Dead

Audrey Jean Clune

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



Our faith community welcomes

Ariel Inioluwa Oguntona

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

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 X0

Monday, June 28

8:00am Grazia Galasso by Cathy Proietti & family

Tuesday, June 29

8:00am Lucian Jayasuriya by Sala family

Wednesday, June 30

8:00am Living Intention for Loredana Booth by Cathy Proietti & family

Thursday, July 1

8:00am Gerard Wujek by Wujek family

Friday, July 2

8:00am Living Intention for Carmela Gagiardi by Cathy Proietti & family

Saturday July 3

8:00am Maria Fung by Clara

5:00pm Palma Masini by Jackie Halge

Sunday, July 4

8:00am Riccardo Sala by family

9:30am Carmelo & Filomena Maratta by Deacon Diego & Diane

11:00am Stefano Cancelli by Anna Cancelli & family

12:45pm Living Intention for Fr. David Sajdak by Cathy Proietti & family



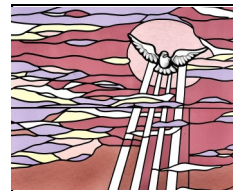
Sunday
Offering

\$5,186

St. Benedict Debt
to the Archdiocese:

\$119,345

Thank you for your
ongoing generous
support!



**Hope, Love and
Compassion:
Torah of
Possibility for an
Uncertain Future**

**Monday, July 5 -Thursday, July 15
Online**

**SCHEDULE: [http://bit.ly/
TorahOfPossibilitySchedule](http://bit.ly/TorahOfPossibilitySchedule)**

A Virtual Event Recommended by
The Office for Promoting Christian
Unity and Religious Relations
with Judaism

The Shalom Hartman Institute is a leading centre of Jewish thought and education. The institute has planned a free virtual public symposium that will feature lectures, conversation, study seminars and learning opportunities.

Participants will interact with many leading Jewish scholars who will explore the meaning of hope, love, compassion, the dynamics of power and privilege, Jewish identity, understanding antisemitism and the role of the community during uncertain times, such as the COVID-19 pandemic.

**REGISTER: [http://bit.ly/
TorahOfPossibility](http://bit.ly/TorahOfPossibility)**

Bundle Up

For the

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

We are collecting your donations at

St Benedict

On

July 10 - 11, 2021



We DO NOT ACCEPT
appliances, baby or regular furniture,
books, mattresses, dishes,
construction material or video tapes
For more information visit
www.ssvptoronto.ca

