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MINISTRY CENTRE HOURS

Monday to Thursday: 9 am to 4:30 pm
Friday: 9 am to 3 pm
Closed 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm
Saturday: 2 pm - 6:30 pm
Sunday: 9 am - 1:30 pm

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FIFTH SUNDAY, ORDINARY TIME
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2015



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*“Preach the gospel...
if necessary use words.”*

St. Francis of Assisi

TODAY...

- The church celebrates Marriage Sunday. Read Cardinal Collins letter at www.archtoront.org
- The second collection will support the ongoing care and maintenance of our spiritual home.



YOU ARE
ALWAYS WELCOME AT
ST. BONAVENTURE

WEEKDAY LITURGY: Monday to Friday, 9 am
SATURDAY: 9 am
PUBLIC HOLIDAYS: 9 am
RECONCILIATION: Saturday, 4 pm
SUNDAY LITURGY
Saturday Vigil: 5 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am, 10 am, 12 noon, and 7:30 pm

GLUTEN FREE HOSTS — come to the sacristy before mass to arrange.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY — 10 am Sunday, for children in pre-school to grade 6.

YOUTH MASS — young members of our community assume leadership for the 10 am Mass the first Sunday of each month.

WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE WASHROOM — at the back of the church on the south side.

JOIN OUR PARISH — pick-up a registration form at the church, Ministry Centre or download online.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA) — for adults considering becoming a Catholic, and those who were baptized but did not receive any other sacraments.

BAPTISM — one Sunday every other month. Request forms are on the website and at the Ministry Centre.

MARRIAGE — the bride or groom must be a registered member of our parish. Contact the Ministry Centre at least one year before the date you would like to be married.

ANointing OF THE SICK — the sacrament can be received after any Mass or by appointment.

PASTORAL CARE — ministers of the Eucharist bring Communion to the homebound.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT — Contact: Nimfa Chua, 416.447.5047, nimfa@sympatico.ca

PRIVATE PRAYER — Friar Boniface, 416.447.5571, ext. 500

PRAYER NETWORK — Members pray daily for intentions held in confidence. Contact: Sharon West, 416.445.7841

ST. VINCENT-DE-PAUL SOCIETY — assistance with food vouchers and clothing. Call the Ministry Centre or contact ssvp-stbonnie@hotmail.com

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 9 † Catherine Wieczoreik
Tuesday, February 10 † Bernard Holmes
Wednesday, February 11 † Lina Luzana-Lim
Thursday, February 12 † C.A. Boreham
Friday, February 13 † Joanne McGarry
Saturday, February 14 † Lily Chiu, Vocations, Personal Intention, Parishioners

Saturday, February 15
5:00 pm Personal Intention
Sunday, February 16
8:30 am † Hugh Canning/father & son
10:00 am † Lou Lupo
12:00 pm † Art Acord Gindap
7:30 pm † Catherine Dabu

PRAYER INTENTIONS

SANCTUARY LAMPS: † Bott Family, † Marjorie & Len Beverley
VIGIL LAMP: † Lou Lupo
PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Joanne Daly, Jose Layno, Ted Wren, Manon Hernandez

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Monday, February 9
6:30 pm Sparks/BR, Brownies/FR
Tuesday, February 10
9:30 am Maturing Adults/FR
7:30 pm Scripture Sharing/BR
Wednesday, February 11
8:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous/FR
Saturday, February 14
9:30 am Pastoral Council/FR
9:30 am Christian Meditation/OR
9:30 am Secular Franciscan Council/MC
9:30 am Al-Anon/BR
Sunday, February 15
2:00 pm Hula Classes
• BR — Bonaventure Room • FR — Francis Room
• MH — Main Hall • OR — Oak Room
• MC — Ministry Centre

YOUTH MINISTRY

Contact: jonathan@st-bonaventure.ca
facebook.com/bonaventure.youth

Third Annual Virtual Bowling Tournament

Thursday, February 19, 6:30 pm

Join our Youth Leadership team for snacks and fantastic prizes as we continue the tradition of discovering who the greatest (or luckiest) virtual bowler is! If bowling is not your thing, there will be a consolation round of table tennis.

Youth Toward Assisi – A Franciscan Pilgrimage

August 2 to 9, 2015, for adults, age 18 to 28, €180

Registration deadline: May 31. Join young people from all over the globe to experience the impact St. Francis and St. Clare have on the world.

LITURGY

Change to Mass Schedule Starts February 22

We will no longer celebrate mass at 7:30 pm on Sunday beginning February 22. This decision has been made after careful consideration of the following.

- We began to celebrate the 7:30 pm Mass with the hopes that it would attract the youth of our parish but this has not been the case.
- The majority of people who have been attending are not members of our parish. This places an additional burden on our Lectors, Ministers of the Eucharist and Ministers of Hospitality who have already been to mass but generously give of their time to attend again to fulfill these necessary ministries.
- Most Dioceses have established the norm of a church being at least half full as a requirement for the scheduling of a weekend mass as it is difficult to celebrate a vibrant expression of our faith if there are too few people.
- We must consider the fact that the collection barely covers the cost of the musicians. For those who prefer a Sunday evening mass St. Timothy Church celebrates mass at 5:30 pm and Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin at 7 pm.

Lent Starts Wednesday, February 18

Ash Wednesday: Mass at 9 am & 7 pm.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Fridays of Lent following the 9 am Mass, concluding at 10:30 am with Benediction.

Stations of the Cross: Fridays of Lent at 7 pm

STEWARDSHIP—A WAY OF LIVING

February 1 Offertory Collection

Thank you for your generous donations.

Regular Collection: \$8,810

Pre-Authorized Giving: \$3,200

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SOCIAL MINISTRY

St. Vincent de Paul Society News & Events

"Even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the old, the unborn and the poor, are masterpieces of God's creation, made in his own image, destined to live forever, and deserving of the utmost reverence and respect." - Pope Francis
Thank you for helping us serve the less fortunate.

COMMUNITY LIFE

Income Tax Receipts Will Be Mailed Next Week

For security reasons, a single protected copy of your receipt will be mailed to you.

- Donations for the weekly offering, second collections and ShareLife – made through the parish— are on one receipt.
- Receipts for the Caring for Our Future Campaign will be on a separate receipt.

Receipts will be mailed together.

Maturing Adults Program

Tuesday, February 10 & 17, 9:30 am

Join Sister Mary Rose Marrin, CSJ. Donations are welcome to cover refreshments. Please bring your own coffee mug.

St. Bonaventure Baseball – JK to Grade Eight

Register now. There are also volunteer opportunities for high school students. Forms and details are on the website.

St. Clare Inn Oscar Party Saturday, February 21

Tickets at stclareinn.org.

CWL News & Events

- **General Meeting:** Sunday, February 22, 1:15 pm
Highlights: vote on the 2014 financial statement and guest speaker on mental health issues.
- **\$3000 Scholarship to St. Michael's College**
Application deadline is March 31, 2015. Contact: Waveney Duarte, waveneyduarte@rogers.com, 416.444. 6719

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