

Week Liturgy: Monday to Friday, 9:00 am
Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Saturday, 4:00 pm
Sunday Liturgy: Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm
Sunday, 8:30 am, 10:00 am
and 12 noon

Ministry Centre Hours
Monday to Thursday: 9 am to 4:30 pm
Friday: 9 am to 3 pm
Closed for lunch: 12:30 to 1:30 pm
Saturday: 2 pm to 6:30 pm
Sunday: 9:30 am to 1:30 pm

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A MESSENGER OF HOPE FROM PADUA, ITALY

Over seven hundred and fifty years ago, St. Bonaventure discovered the relics of St. Anthony. This month, one of these precious relics will be visiting Canada from the Saint's Basilica in Padua, Italy.

St. Anthony is often remembered as a help in times of loss. We invite you to come and ask for his intercession for more than the loss of material things, but also for those who have lost peace of mind or who have lost a sense of direction. We will pray for his help that we might truly build a just society where no one is left behind, forgotten or lost. **Services will be held at the times and locations listed below.**

Whitby, ON., Holy Family Parish, 91 Ribblesdale Drive

◇ Tuesday, June 11th ◇

Celebration of the Eucharist: 9:00 am
Veneration of the Relic throughout the day
Celebration of the Eucharist: 7:00 pm

Toronto, ON., Franciscan Church of St. Bonaventure

1300 Leslie Street

◇ Thursday, June 13th ◇

Celebration of the Eucharist: 9:00 am
Veneration of the Relic throughout the day
Celebration of the Eucharist: 7:00 pm

Etobicoke, ON., All Saints Parish, 1415 Royal York Road

◇ Saturday, June 15th ◇

Veneration of the Relic from 2:00 pm
Celebration of the Eucharist: 5:00 pm
Veneration of the Relic: 6:00 – 7:00 pm

◇ Sunday, June 16th ◇

Celebration of the Eucharist: 8:00 am in Italian,
9:30 and 11:30 am in English
Veneration of the Relic until 1:00 pm

For more information call Anna Marziliano at 416-690-9904



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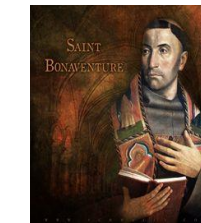
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YOU ARE ALWAYS WELCOME AT ST. BONAVENTURE

GROWING IN SPIRIT, COMMUNITY AND SERVICE
Inspired by St. Francis we seek to live and proclaim the gospel in our daily lives, responding to the spiritual hungers of the community and becoming an oasis of peace, prayer and service.



June 9, 2019
PENTECOST SUNDAY



Through Our Daily Lives

When the Spirit came upon the church on the day of Pentecost, the Christian community was endowed with different gifts so that there would be different ministries and different works.

All of us have been given to drink of the one Spirit, but that Spirit is manifested in different gifts, ministries, and works.

What matters is not the nature of the gift but that through the gift the Spirit is working to renew the face of the earth. We do not have to be heroes. Through our ordinary daily lives the Spirit of the Lord fills the whole world.

The laity, dedicated to Christ and anointed by the Holy Spirit, are marvellously called and equipped to produce in themselves ever more abundant fruits of the Spirit. For all their works, prayers, and apostolic endeavors, their ordinary married and family life, their daily labor, their mental and physical relaxation, if carried out in the Spirit, and even the hardships of life, if patiently borne – all of these become spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

Vatican II, Constitution on the Church, 1964:34. Published in book form, *To Love and Serve: Lectionary Based Meditations*, by Gerald Darring.

And Now, A Word from Our Patron Saint

When we pray, the voice of the heart must be heard more than the voice of the mouth.

St. Bonaventure

Join our Parish: Pick-up a registration form at the back of the church, Ministry Centre or download online.

Baptism of Infants: One Sunday every other month. Request forms are on the website, at the back of the church or at the Ministry Centre.

Becoming Catholic (RCIA): For those not baptized, those baptized in another Christian tradition and those baptized Catholic but have not completed their initiation, a process of becoming Catholic involving prayer, inquiry and study is available. Please contact **Greg**, our Lay Pastoral Associate.

School-aged Children: Preparation of children for the celebration of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation is provided through our Parish Program. Further information will be provided in the bulletin during the school year.

Marriage: Contact **Friar Dennis** or **Friar Peter** at least one year before the desired date. Couples need to participate in a Marriage Preparation Course.

Religious Life: Discerning a call to the consecrated religious life please see one of the friars.

Pastoral Care: Ministers of the Eucharist bring Communion to the homebound. Contact the Ministry Centre to make arrangements.

Private Prayer: Contact **Friar Boniface** at **416-447-5571 ext. 500**

Spiritual Direction: Contact **Friar Mark** at friarmsted2015@gmail.com

Prayer Network: Members pray daily for intentions held in confidence. Contact **Adelle Cantona** at **416-546-0253**

Funeral: Please contact the Ministry Centre and we will assist you in planning the liturgical services.

*Psalm 104~ Send forth your Spirit, O Lord,
and renew the face of the earth.*

This Week in Our Parish Hall

Community Life

Mass Intentions

June 10	Monday	9:00 am	†Carol Mahon-Kays
June 11	Tuesday	9:00 am	†Leander Taylor
June 12	Wednesday	9:00 am	†Hugh Canning (father & son)
June 13	Thursday	9:00 am	†Mary Shibley
June 14	Friday	9:00 am	Brothers, Sisters and Benefactors of the OFM †Maria Lopez Artiaga †Edward Gauci †Maria Panacci †Miguel Ilon †Edmund De Abreo †Bill Young
June 15	Saturday	5:00 pm	Ikenna and Tara
June 16	Sunday	8:30 am	Intentions of the Parishioners
		10:00 am	†Rita Nolan
		12:00 pm	†Patrick Bernard Matthews

Prayer Intentions:

Sanctuary Lamp: Crispina Lim

Vigil Lamp: Chua Family

For the Sick: Maria Gogela, Rosalita Prospero, Gerald Heffler, Christine Wojnicki, Deanna Andrew, Alfonz Pavli, Raymund Fung, Teresita Peiris, Kay Corner, Dorothy Lord, Mary DiGregorio, Liliana De Las Mercedes Vazquez, Elisabetta Schiavone, Michael Morra, Mabel Lim, Fernando DiBona, and Pina Aristodemo

For the Deceased: Yolande Lamerton and Janice Magi

Monday, June 10

6:30 pm Sparks/Bonaventure Room

6:30 pm Brownies/Francis Room

Tuesday, June 11

10:00 am Ministry with Maturing Adults -Advisory Board Meeting/Boardroom

7:00 pm Bible Study/ Oak Room

7:00 pm CWL Executive Meeting/Francis Room

Wednesday, June 12

1:30 pm Ministry with Maturing Adults-Writing Circle/Oak Room

7:00 pm Alcoholic Anonymous/Francis Room

7:00 pm GRASP/Oak Room

Thursday, June 13

7:00 am Al Anon-District 19 Meeting/Oak Room

7:00 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting/Bonaventure Room

Saturday, June 15

9:30 am Christian Meditation/Oak Room

9:30 am Al Anon Group/Bonaventure Room

News from the Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Today as we celebrate Pentecost, the Holy Spirit wants to make us advocates of God's presence to bring new life to others, especially those who do not know the love of God in their lives.

Your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box and your donations to our clothing drive will help the less fortunate to believe in the mystery of God's love for them. **Thank you!**

Secular Franciscan Meeting

The **Secular Franciscan meeting** will be **Monday, June 17th, 2019 at 7:00 pm, Francis Room.**

Casseroles for the Good Shepherd Centre

This month's deadline is **June 23, 2019**. Drop off your casseroles at the Ministry Centre. If you can spare some time to make a casserole each month, contact **Eva Trace at 416-447-3040. (to get your pan and recipe)**

Knights of Columbus 2019 Lottery Winner

There was one winning ticket sold by St. Francis Council 5080. **Congratulations** to ticket holder **135342** winner of a \$500.00 prize. Please do not call the Parish Office as you will be contacted by the Ontario State Office. Thank you to all that supported the annual charitable program.

Friar Mark is looking for used – broken – damaged laptop computers.

"I am looking for the batteries from them for a project I'm working on to save the planet."

~ Many Thanks ~

Friar Mark

St. Bonaventure's Ministry with Maturing Adults Upcoming Events



SUMMER FILM AND BOOK GATHERINGS

Tuesday, June 18th, 9:30 am to 12:00 pm
Bonaventure Room with coffee and treats

This is an invitation to all parishioners and your summer guests to attend the remarkable documentary film: **BEE NATION**. (Hot Docs, 2017, Opening Night Selection) "Bee Nation is a Canadian documentary produced and directed by Lana Šlezic. The film follows the inspirational stories of six students in the first-ever First Nations Provincial Spelling Bee in Canada. Through the eyes of students, parents and educators, we learn of the challenges and opportunities awaiting the First Nation students in Saskatchewan as they strive to make it to the National Championships in Toronto; the highs, the lows, and everything in between.

Also, we will present some contemporary Indigenous authors and their recent books.

Let's share our enjoyment of more films and books like the film and some books that will be presented on **June 18th**, Connecting with others and enjoying community spirit. **Tuesdays, July 9 & 23; and August 6 & 20**, from 9:30 am to 12:00 pm, mark you calendar! All are welcome – bring a friend. Contact Maureen McDonnell, 416-4475571 ext. 550 or maureen@st-bonaventure.ca

Theology and Tea

The next **T & T** will be on **Thursday, June 20th** after the 9:00 am Mass. Come and join **Friar Mark** for some time to ponder and enjoy our relationship with God. The sessions are open to all parishioners and their friends.

Spring into Summer with the Seraphim and Cherubim Chorus' Pure Imagination concert series

Join us June 21st at St. Bonaventure Church at 7:30 pm for an evening full of harmonic music and imagination, with a great mix of Broadway, classical gems, pop songs both old and new, and Disney favourites! Advanced tickets are **NOW ON SALE** at www.seraphimandcherubim.ca and at St. Bonaventure's Ministry Centre or after Sunday masses.

CWL Potluck Lunch

All women of the parish are invited to the CWL Potluck Lunch on Sunday, June 23 at 1:00 pm in the Parish Hall. Come and enjoy a luncheon with entertainment, in the company of other parish members and the CWL.

And Now, A Word from Our Pastor

"Dear St. Anthony, come around; something is lost and can't be found." We've all said it – usually when we can't find the car keys. But there are other things, much more important, that we sometimes lose – like hope, a relationship, a dream, faith in God. St. Anthony has always been a companion and a support to those who know loss. In other words, to all of us. Again, this year we will be privileged to welcome the Relic of St. Anthony to our Parish on Thursday, June 13. Details about activities during the day are on the back page of the bulletin. Please, stop in. Offer a prayer. Bring your need, bring your heart. St. Anthony is always a gentle listener and compassionate friend to those who turn to him.

Prayer for the Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit

God grant me:

The Spirit of Wisdom that I may despise the perishable things of this world and aspire only after the things that are eternal

The Spirit of Understanding to enlighten my mind with the light of Your divine truth

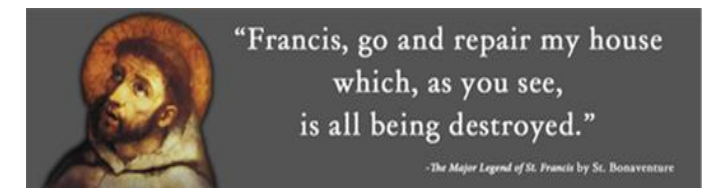
The Spirit of Right Judgement, or Counsel that I may ever choose the surest way of pleasing God and gaining heaven

The Spirit of Courage, or Fortitude that I may bear my cross with You and that I may overcome with courage all the obstacles that oppose my salvation

The Spirit of Knowledge that I may know God and know myself and grow perfect in the science of the Saints

The Spirit of Reverence, or Piety that I may find the service of God sweet and amiable

and **The Spirit of Wonder and Awe or Fear of the Lord** that I may be filled with a loving reverence towards God and may dread in any way to displease Him. Amen.



Vocation Seeds ~ Pentecost Sunday – June 9, 2019

"Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love." Send forth workers into your vineyard. May some of our parishioners choose to serve you by becoming priests, brothers and sisters. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, visit the website: www.vocationtoronto.ca; www.franciscans.org or speak with one of the friars.

Stewardship: A Way of Living

June 2nd, 2019 Offertory Collections

Thank you for your generous donations.

Regular Collection	\$ 8,274.00
ShareLife	\$ 1,300.00
Pope's Pastoral Works	\$ 225.00
Maintenance Fund	\$ 268.00
Marygrove Camp	\$ 104.70
Pre-Authorized Giving	\$ 2,926.00
Donate Now	\$ 328.00

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Living the Gospel by maximizing the impact of your donation

Administered by SE Health, the Shared Services Initiative is supporting ShareLife-funded agencies in the areas of human resources, financial services and information technology. Participating agencies are able to improve the quality, competency and accuracy of their work. Through this initiative, ShareLife agencies are reducing their administrative expenses and ensuring that the maximum amount received is directed to the front-line services they provide.

Please make a sacrificial gift to ShareLife through your parish or sharelife.org

