

**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

**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: 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

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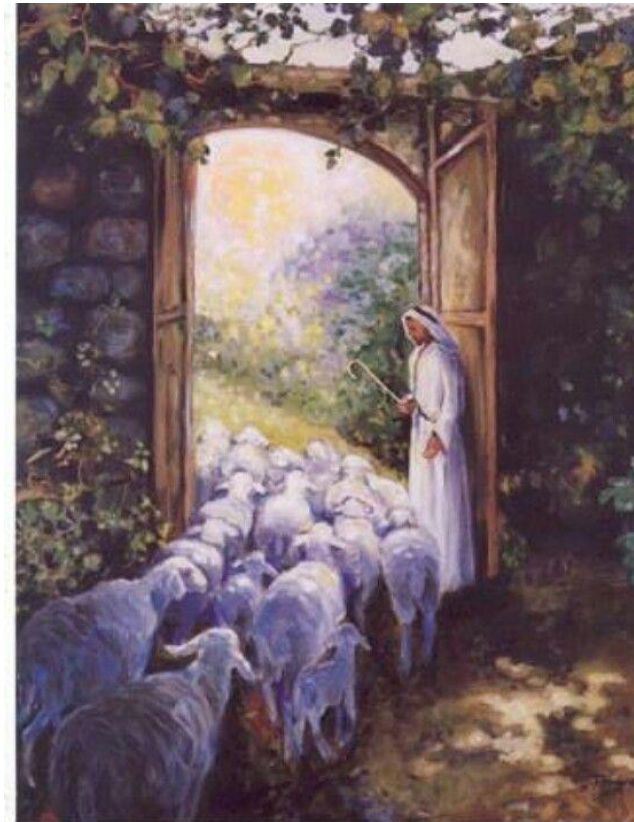
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May 7, 2017

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**



"VERY TRULY, I TELL YOU, I AM THE GATE FOR THE SHEEP. ALL WHO CAME BEFORE ME ARE THIEVES AND BANDITS; BUT THE SHEEP DID NOT LISTEN TO THEM. I AM THE GATE. WHOEVER ENTERS BY ME WILL BE SAVED, AND WILL COME IN AND GO OUT AND FIND PASTURE. THE THIEF COMES ONLY TO STEAL AND KILL AND DESTROY. I CAME THAT THEY MAY HAVE LIFE AND HAVE IT ABUNDANTLY." ~JOHN 10:7-10

IN THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES, PETER CALLED OUT TO THE "CORRUPT GENERATION" OF HIS DAY. "REPENT, AND BE BAPTIZED," HE URGED. DO WE HEAR THE VOICE OF JESUS, OUR GOOD SHEPHERD, CALLING TODAY?  
WHAT DOES JESUS TELL US OF HIS VOCATION? "I CAME THAT THEY MAY HAVE LIFE, AND HAVE IT ABUNDANTLY." GREEN PASTURES AWAIT US IF ONLY WE ENTER THROUGH HIS GATE.  
~ MICHAEL DOUGHERTY, WHITEHORSE, YT

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Mon. May 8 9:00 am †Rosario Gatchalian  
Tues. May 9 9:00 am †Robert Coles  
Wed. May 10 9:00 am †Julia Wheeler and  
†Inez Cameron  
Thurs. May 11 9:00 am †Con Hyde  
Fri. May 12 9:00 am †Eva Haigh  
Sat. May 13 9:00 am Brothers, Sisters and  
Benefactors of the OFM  
The Friars  
Bratty Family  
Special Intentions of  
H. Rodrigues  
Rosa Rivellino  
Matthew Perusco  
Clara O'Reilly  
Sat. May 13 5:00 pm Parishioners  
Sun. May 14 8:30 am †Hugh Canning  
(father & son)  
10:00 am †Antonietta Mora  
12:00 pm †Beatrice Csihas

**PRAYER INTENTIONS**

Sanctuary Lamp: Wes Ong

Vigil Lamp: †Mara Stoehr

For the Sick: Mary Rose Fernando, Gord  
Roberts, Kay Corner, Mabel Lim,  
Cesina Durante, Linda Nasturzio,  
Dorothy Lord, Klaus Stitz,  
Samson Gunawardena,  
Dora Morra, Lina Cornacchio and  
Geraldine Daly

For the Deceased: Salvatore Vella, Anna Olsen,  
Mary Szatmary, Keith Cheung,  
Doreen Spencer



Prayer Network: Members pray daily for intentions held in confidence. Contact Carol Molina at 647-200-4719

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

**This Week in Our Parish**

**Monday, May 8**

6:30 pm Sparks/ Bonaventure Room  
6:30 pm Brownies: Francis Room  
7:30 pm Adult Choir Practice/in the Church

**Tuesday, May 9**

9:30 am Spiritual Growth in the Second Half  
of Life-Final Gathering/Main Hall  
7:00 pm Bible Study Group/Oak Room  
7:00 pm CWL executive meeting/Bonaventure  
Room

**Wednesday, May 10**

1:00 pm Power of Forgiveness/Bonaventure Rm.  
6:30 pm GRASP Group/Oak Room  
7:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous/Francis Room  
7:30 pm Family Choir Practice/in the Church

**Saturday, May 13**

9:30 am Christian Meditation/Oak Room  
9:30 am Al Anon Group/Bonaventure Room

**Fourth Sunday of Easter**

(- Called to be shepherds -)

Reading I Acts 2:14, 36-41  
(Peter's discourse)

Reading II 1 Peter 2:20-25  
(for the slave)

Gospel John 10:1-10  
(the Good Shepherd)

The shepherd goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. (John 10:4)

Adult: How are you a shepherd to those in your care?  
Child: What will you do this week to show you love those around you?

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Congratulations to our parish's children celebrating their First Holy Communion this weekend. May the Lord bless you and your families with an abundance of grace.

With gratitude for the support of the parents and the volunteer catechists who made this possible.



## STEWARDSHIP - A WAY OF LIVING

### April 30 Offertory Collection

Thank you for your generous donations.

Regular Collection: \$10,190.75

ShareLife: \$ 18,780.00

Maintenance Fund: \$50.00

Donate Now: \$328

Pre-Authorized Giving: \$2,906

### Second Collection

May 21 - The Pope's Pastoral Works Offering

## COMMUNITY LIFE

### News from the St. Vincent de Paul Society

*"Let us pray for the grace to never grow tired of drawing from the well of the father's mercy and bringing it to the world." -Pope Francis*

Your generous donations, both material and monetary, allow us to extend God's mercy to those in need. Thank you!

### Canadian Food for Children

This May 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> weekend we will be accepting donations of canned fish to support the work of Dr. Simone.

### Casseroles for the Good Shepherd Centre

The deadline for this month's casseroles is **Sunday, May 21, 2017**. If you can spare few hours to make a casserole each month, contact **Eva Trace at 416-447-3040**.

### Secular Franciscan Meeting

There will be a Secular Franciscan meeting **Monday, May 15, 2017 at 6:30 pm, Francis room**.

### Spiritual Growth in the Second Half of Life

#### Final Gathering

**Tuesday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 9:30-12:00 pm, Main Hall** Introducing "Visio Divina" a form of meditation with art and nature. Celebrate our journey together with lunch. Come and enjoy!

### Ministry with Maturing Adults

**Wednesdays, May 10, 17, 24 and 31**

**1:00 to 2:30 pm at Bonaventure Room**

**The Power of Forgiveness!** A new series facilitated by Ginny Doty, an experienced counsellor with a Diploma in Addiction Counselling. She is skilled at leading groups and individual therapy sessions. These sessions include presentations and small group interactions. For more information call Ginny at 416-447-5571 Ext. 560.

### 2017 ShareLife Parish Campaign

**Fourth Sunday of Easter-May 7, 2017**

**Second ShareLife Sunday**

**ShareLife Goal: \$110,000**

**Week 4: Received to date: \$ 83,470**

**Living the Gospel by providing for those in need...**

"One of the core components of our Pastoral Plan is Catholic Outreach in Justice and Love. As a Catholic community we are called to be the hands and face of Jesus in our communities. One of the ways that we do this is through our annual ShareLife appeal, which provides resources to agencies serving the poor and marginalized not only in our archdiocese, but also around the world. ShareLife is a tangible way that we can put the Gospel value to love one another as I have loved you into action, and I invite all parishioners to support the mission work of the Catholic Church by making a sacrificial gift to ShareLife..."

*-Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto.*

**Today is ShareLife Sunday-May 7, 2017**

**Thank you for your generosity.**

### Archdiocesan Day of Prayer

**Friday, May 12, 2017**

On this day, Cardinal Collins has asked that we all take the time, as a community, to pray for all vocations; priesthood, religious and consecrated life. During this time, we also ask that you pray for our five soon-to-be priests along with all those who are discerning or who are currently in formation. For more information, please contact your parish office, call the office of Vocations at 416-968-0997 or email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

### Catholic Family Services of Toronto

Catholic Family Services offers walk-in counselling services at two locations. The single-session consultation is aimed at helping individuals, couples, or family clients address their concerns. No appointment required. **Central office address: 1155 Yonge St., Ste. 100, Toronto.** Every Tuesday 9 am to 7 pm, phone: 416-921-1163. **North office address: 5799 Yonge St. Ste. 300, North York.** Every Thursday 9 am to 7 pm, phone: 416-222-0048. Email: [info@cfstoronto.com](mailto:info@cfstoronto.com)

Catholic Family Services offers as well a 6-8 week professional psycho-educational group for people who have faced relationship loss, separation & divorce. For more information contact **Alpana Das, MSW, RSW at 416-921-1163 x2232 or email [adas@cfstoronto.com](mailto:adas@cfstoronto.com)**

### Mother's Day Gifts!



St. Clare Inn will be selling Lothantique luxurious bath and home fragrance products at a reduced rate. Sales will take place after all Masses this weekend May 6 & 7, just in time for Mother's Day. Get them while you can, supply is limited.

### Sunday Coffee

Our Sunday Coffee provides us an excellent opportunity to build community through fellowship. We are fortunate to have attendance from the very young to our maturing adults. The combination of hot coffee, maturing adults, and active children under foot is a safety concern. For the safety of everyone in attendance, we'd like to remind parents to keep a watchful eye on their children. Please ensure that the children are not running in the corridors or into any of the other meeting rooms. Let's look out for one another! Thank you for your cooperation.

### Parking Lot Issues!

Please refrain from parking in the **Fire Route** in front of the church. **Emergency vehicles** need to have access to this area. Also, **Wheel-Trans** can refuse to drop people off or pick them up in fear of getting trapped in the traffic. **Please do not park in the accessible parking spots unless you have a proper permit.** Anyone parking illegally can be ticketed and the fines are severe. There is ample parking in the back of the property and in the school yard. **For the next month, we will put notices on vehicles that are improperly parked. After that, the police will be notified.** Thank you for your cooperation!

### St. Bonaventure's Ministry with Maturing Adults Summer Book and Movie Club

**Tuesday mornings, on May 30, June 13 & 27, July 11 & 25, August 8 & 22; 9:30 to 11:30 am; Francis Room**

Let us share our enjoyment of books and movies, building community spirit over a cup of coffee. All are welcome. Bring a friend. Contact Maureen McDonnell at 416-447-5571 ext. 550 or [maureen@st-bonaventure.ca](mailto:maureen@st-bonaventure.ca)



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