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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm & 8:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday 9:15 am
Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 pm

Liturgy of the Hours/Divine Mercy: 1 hour before Masses

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion: Wednesdays at 9:15 am

First Friday of the Month: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
9:15 am Mass till 7:30 pm; Devotions at 6:30 pm; evening prayer
with Benediction 7:00 pm, Mass at 7:30 pm

Reconciliation: Tuesday & Thursday 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 pm and by appointment.

PARISH SCHOOLS

Fr. Clair Tipping, 25 Mountainberry Rd.	905-789-1741
Good Shepherd, 28 Red River Dr.	905-791-1039
Our Lady of Providence, 35 Black Oak Dr.	905-458-7080
St. Isaac Jogues, 300 Great Lakes Dr.	905-799-2558
St. John Bosco, 1025 North Park Dr.	905-792-0890
Ven. Michael J. McGivney, 450 Fernforest Dr.	905-792-0630



*"Providence is wonderful, it has means
we cannot understand to relieve
those who put their trust in it,
it provides for everything, in it is my trust."*

PARISH MISSION

Marguerite d'Youville's belief in the guidance and loving involvement of God in her life has enabled her to become God's helping hands in the lives of others. In this same spirit, the parishioners of St. Marguerite d'Youville, nourished by the Word and Sacrament are called by God to foster a community of welcome and service. In union with Christ, we reach out through prayer and active participation within our parish, our schools, our community and beyond. We offer our gifts and talents to everyone in need and respond in faith to the challenges of our ever-changing world.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



MON, MAY 8 9:15 am	Manuel & Genoveva Barbosa †; In thanksgiving to Our Lady of the Rosary - Conti family
TUES, MAY 9 7:00 pm	Lloyd Lobo †; Joy Lawani †
WED, MAY 10 9:15 am	Filomeno Domingo †; Hildegard Villadolid †
THUR, MAY 11 7:00 pm	
FRI, MAY 12 9:15 am	Nada Naysum †; Manuel & Genoveva Barbosa †; Sibylla Peters †; Renato Bastasin †; Elena Maccani †; Victoria Robles Amaba †
SAT, MAY 13 9:15 am	
5:00 PM	William & Josephine Lambe & deceased Lambe family †; Roberta Hill †; Andrea Attardo †
SUN, MAY 14 9:00 am	Domenic Maida †; Pete Magboo †; Felix, Emerciana, Loreto, Neil Deus † Elizabeth McNaughton †; Ermelinda Correia †
10:30 am	Angela DeGasperis †; Maria Angelica & Maria Suna D'Souza †
12:30 pm	Juanito & John Elmer Go †; Marcos Martins †
8:00 pm	Xavier Vethanayagam †



You can still register for our Parish Youth Program Edge (Gr 5-8) Sign up after Mass and drop off the registration and payment at the parish office.

NEXT EDGE NIGHT
Friday, May 19th, 2023
from 7pm-830pm

If you are interested in volunteering or would like more information email Margaret at dyouvilleyouth@gmail.com

"We don't like to speak the truth about evil because we're going to hurt somebody. Let me tell you, you are going to hurt somebody, but that Somebody is God. If you would rather hurt God than your neighbor, there is something wrong with your spirituality. It's your obligation to speak the truth and everyone can either take it or leave it. But truth must be in us. We live in such poverty of truth today."

- Mother Angelica, (1923-2016)

Foundress of the Eternal Word Television Network

As her community of the Poor Clare's of Perpetual Adoration honours the marking of the centenary date of her birth, the lasting influence of this American nun from Canton, Ohio lives on in the impressive mission she initiated. Born into a broken marriage, the young Rita Rizzo knew all the difficulties of abandonment, childhood illness, struggles in education, poverty, and continual upheaval. Her extraordinary and providential steps from starting off with nothing to building a media empire broadcast into the homes of 150 million Americans and countless others worldwide is worth studying. Her EWTN webpage chronicles all the stumbling blocks and milestones that create a script almost too improbable for even the wildest of fiction narratives.

The legacy of Mother Angelica is of a faithful and resilient consecrated woman who sought to respond to the inspired promptings her Lord was placing upon her heart. She remains an intriguing mystery of blending the best of progressive methods of advancing the proclamation of the gospel while seeking to defend and explain the greatness of Churches' ancient traditions. She is most noted for upsetting countless Bishops and politicians along the way using her honed in skills of savvy street talk style of "telling it like it is". A no nonsense style that still was infused with reverence and deep piety.

On this Fifth Sunday of Easter, with Jesus' impassioned assurance that He alone is, "The Way, The Truth, and the Life," the cited quote typifies Mother Angelica's unyielding and uncompromising commitment to defending and announcing to the world the saving truth found in Him.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



By His death, Resurrection, and Ascension, Jesus has gone ahead to prepare a place for us in His Father's house.

His Father's house is no longer a temple made by human hands. It is the spiritual house of the Church, built on the living stone of Christ's body.

As Peter interprets the Scriptures in today's Epistle, Jesus is the "stone" destined to be rejected by men but made the precious cornerstone of God's dwelling on earth.

Each of us is called to be a living stone in God's building. In this edifice of the Spirit, we are to be "holy priests" offering up "spiritual sacrifices"—all our prayer, work and intentions—to God.

This is our lofty calling as Christians. This is why Christ led us out of the darkness of sin and death as Moses led the Israelites from bondage in Egypt.

In today's First Reading, we see the spiritual house of the Church being built up as the Apostles consecrate seven deacons so they can devote themselves more fully to the "ministry of the Word." The Lord's Word is upright and all His works trustworthy, we sing in today's Psalm. So we can trust Jesus when He tells us never to be troubled but to believe that His Word and works come from the Father.

His Word continues its work in the world through the Church. We see its beginnings today in Jerusalem. It is destined to spread with influence and power and to become the imperishable seed by which every heart is born anew.

Fr. Roger



SHARELIFE

“Your sacrificial gift will truly make a difference in the life of someone turning to a ShareLife agency in their moment of need.” – Cardinal Thomas Collins. The third ShareLife Sunday of the year is June 4. We ask you to share your blessings and give generously through the parish or at sharelife.org. Thank you for living the Gospel! Thus far we have raised **\$21,249.05** toward our goal of **\$62,000**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate. Thank you for “living the Gospel” through our parish ShareLife campaign.

STEUBENVILLE CONFERENCE

St. Marguerite d’Youville Parish will be hosting a coach bus trip for this three-day conference held at the Franciscan University in Steubenville, Ohio. Come join the Parish group lead by Fr. Roger Pascall and experience the Holy Spirit’s power and healing as you participate in the talks presented by today’s foremost Catholic presenters of the faith, listen to uplifting worship music and heavenly liturgies. Allow the Holy Spirit to reveal the purpose of your life: to live in true freedom and joy of the Spirit. Be uplifted by the witness and fellowship of disciples like you. Cost –\$303 USD (Ages up to 30 Years) , \$388 USD (Ages 31 and up) includes meals, shared accommodations and registration fee, with free coach transportation from the church. Coach departs church parking lot at 7am Friday, June 9 and will return by 11pm on Sunday, June 11. Space is limited, save your spot with a \$50 deposit, with final payment due by May 19. For more information or to book please email : Paul – alphasmdy@gmail.com or call 416 –464 7198.



BIRTHRIGHT BRAMPTON BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

It has been 3 years since Birthright Brampton has held its main fundraiser. Our funds are critically low as the number of clients has greatly increased as well as the cost of assisting them. Please take a few moments to sign out a bottle this weekend after mass and take it home so you can fill your bottle with loose change, bills or a cheque and return it the weekend of June 10/11. Tax receipts will be issued for bottles and cheques totalling \$20 or more. Credit card donations can be made through. <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/birthright-brampton> Thank you for your generosity!!!



2,000 HAIL MARYS

All are welcome to join us in this day-long prayer/devotion which is a very powerful intercessory prayer. It is praying 2,000 Hail Marys with our Mother Mary to our Lord Jesus Christ. Combined with our faith and sincerity of heart, our Blessed Mother will intercede for us to the Lord to grant our petitions. This devotion includes praying the 20 decades of the Holy Rosary, petitions for many causes (including peace in the world, prevention of abortion, aiding vocations, personal sanctity, etc.), the Regina Coeli, and the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Many graces have been granted to those who have finished this devotion around the world. We also believe that graces are granted to all those who participate in this devotion. Join us for part, or all of these prayers, and listen to our Lady’s call to “Pray, Pray, Pray”.



SERRA’S VOCATION SEEDS

“The one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these...” Are you willing to do the work of the Lord as a priest, deacon, sister or brother? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, , Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 Email: vocations@archtoronto.org or www.vocationstoronto.ca

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CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE

The CWL will be selling SPECIAL EDITION MOTHER’S DAY CAKESICLES for the day masses only on Mother’s Day Sunday, May 14, 2023. Get ready to purchase your favorite cakesicle right after the service as these items are limited! It will definitely complement your Mother’s Day flowers as a unique gift to the woman you hold close to your heart!



THE 55+ CLUB

Meets weekly on Tuesdays from 1:00 pm - 4:00pm.

The 55+ club will be selling a pictorial cookbook as a fundraiser this weekend after all Masses. There are limited copies so get yours before they are gone!



For more information contact Sandy at 905-791-7315 or email: sandyrobin22@gmail.com

STITCHES FROM THE HEART

Meets every Monday at 10 am, everyone is welcome to join us whether you knit or would like to learn. For further information, please contact Mary Abela at 905-915-8765. *Any donation of yarn would be greatly appreciated*

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary, a world-wide apostolic organization of Catholics, meets every Tuesday: Adults: 6pm. Our Lady of Fatima statue will visit your home. For more information, please leave message for Lina Go or Annette Fernando at the parish office.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

We now have a prayer binder in the chapel area where you can write your particular prayer intentions. Our morning prayer devotee’s will pray for these intentions. You are welcome to join these prayer warriors Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8:15am. Prayer books to follow along are available for sale for \$30. “*And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have obtained the requests made of him.*” 1 John 5:15”

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