



## **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

Classes for children not attending Catholic schools to be held in the parish hall from 12:15 pm – 1:40 pm on the following Sundays:

March 31, April 7, April 14, May 5, May 12 and May 26.

## **CONFIRMATION**

Event # 1 at 7:30 pm on Thursday, November 15, 2018 in the Church/Hall. Candidates will receive their enrollment certificates, crosses and journals.



## **for CHRISTMAS CONCERT**

The Choirs of St. Mary's will be performing Christmas music in a concert at the church on SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9<sup>th</sup> at 3 pm. Kids, Grade 1 and up, are invited to join a Children's Choir to sing a few songs at the Christmas Concert. Last year's show was a great success! There will be only 5 rehearsals starting Sunday November 4<sup>th</sup>, 12:15-1:00 pm in the choir loft.

Contact: [catherine.badali@gmail.com](mailto:catherine.badali@gmail.com)



## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

### **JOHN PAUL II COUNCIL #11955**

November Brunch | NEXT SUNDAY Nov 18 at 12:00 pm

The Knights are pleased to bring you another brunch.

The menu for November will include:

- Pancakes, Sausages, Home Fries, Baked Beans, Toast
- Come out to enjoy a hot & delicious brunch with your fellow parishioners.

## **COMMUNITY MEAL**

Every Friday, beginning November 9, 2018. Doors open at 5 pm and dinner will be served at 6:45 pm. Everyone welcome.

## **PARISH DAY OF CONFESSIONS**

(Please note change in date and time)

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2018

10:00 AM – 12 NOON & 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

## **MORE GOVT CUTS EXPECTED ON SOCIAL ASSISTANCE (OW) & DISABILITY SUPPORTS (ODSB)**

Peel Poverty Action Group (PPAG ) invites all parishioners and their friends and contacts who have been and are recipients of public funding assistance such as social assistance (OW) Disability Supports (ODSB) to a meeting at the church hall from 6 pm to 8 pm on 27th Nov 2018 .

Join us to make sense of the proposed cuts to break the isolation and to talk about how we may develop a response strategy and what that could/ should look like. If you are unable to attend please communicate your thoughts /suggestions via email to [chair.ppag@gmail.com](mailto:chair.ppag@gmail.com) or contact Richard Antonio (PPAG- Chair) on (647) 237-5135

## **CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS DRAMATIZATION OF THE WORD**

We are looking for children to participate in the Christmas dramatization of the Word at the 5 pm Mass on Christmas Eve. If any children are interested in participating, parents please call Leandro Ibazeta at 647-774-3924 or email [soccerdad.8181@gmail.com](mailto:soccerdad.8181@gmail.com)



## **SSVP CHRISTMAS ENVELOPES**

Our Saint Vincent de Paul Conference is relying on your help again this Christmas season. Those of you who are envelope users have a Christmas envelope in your boxes. Your donations through the envelopes and by the gift tags Will help us to assist over 80 families. Thank you for sharing your gifts with our Neighbours in Need in Port Credit.



## **CWL CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**MONDAY NOV 19<sup>TH</sup>** - CWL General Meeting. We will be meeting in the Church at 6:30 pm for the Deceased Members Mass. The General Meeting will follow in the Church Hall. All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend.

## **BREAKFAST WITH SANTA**

Please join us on Saturday November 24<sup>th</sup> from 10 am - Noon for our Breakfast with Santa fundraising event. Tickets are on Sale after all Masses on November 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup>, November 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup> and November 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup>. No tickets will be sold at the door.



## **The women of the Craft Group and the CWL**

extend huge thanks to the following people, the table movers who saved us so much energy, the student volunteers who worked cheerfully and willingly, the Parishioners who donated items, gift cards to the Silent Auction, Deacon Mark and Deacon Steve for their sales techniques, Sal Badali for his help with clean-up, all those who came out to shop. We raised \$3595.00, most of which will be donated to local and international Catholic charities. The winner of the Apple Watch was Chanelle Saldanha.

## **ALL SOULS MASS INTENTIONS**

All Souls Mass Intention envelopes are available at all the Church exits. The intentions will be placed on the Altar and celebrated at Masses throughout the month of November.

## **BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE**

The Book of Remembrance is placed in the Church for parishioners to write the names of their deceased loved ones. Those souls will be prayed for at all Masses during the month of November. The book will then be brought out every November for further names to be added. Names of deceased need only be added once, NOT every year.



## **COMPASS OPEN HOUSE**

Sunday November 18<sup>th</sup>, 1 - 3 pm, 310 Lakeshore Road West. Our Compass renovation is complete! Our food bank market is almost double the size, and we have extra offices available so our partner agencies have more space to meet with clients. This will help us serve our clients better. Drop by for our Open house on Sunday November 18th from 1-3 pm.

**ST. MARY STAR OF THE SEA CHOIR  
SALVATION ARMY BAND ENSEMBLE**

**JOHN SCERRI**

**ST. GREGORY ENSEMBLE  
THE CHILDREN'S CHOIR**

present

**"NOEL WE SING"**

**A Concert of Carols and Christmas Music**

Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 – 3.00 pm at  
St. Mary Star of the Sea Church  
11 Peter Street South, Port Credit

Tickets: \$10.00 Adults \$5.00 Students/Seniors

*A can of food for the Food Bank brought  
to the Concert would be greatly appreciated*

**COFFEE TIME**

This Sunday, November 11, 2018 join us after the morning Masses in the parish hall for friendship and refreshments.

**THIS WEEK  
AT ST. MARY'S**

**SATURDAY 10TH**

10:00 am Mass – †Deceased members of the Menezes and Rodrigues families  
Requested by the family  
Followed by Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
10:30 am Confessions  
5:00 pm Mass – †Deceased members of the Torralba and Tan families  
Requested by Wilson H. Tan and family

**SUNDAY 11TH**

9:00 am Mass – †Alan del Puerto Jr.  
Requested by the family  
11:00 am Mass – For the People  
1:30 pm Baptism (Church)  
Coffee after the morning Masses (Hall)

**MONDAY 12TH**

9:00 am Mass – †Renato Binotto  
Requested by E. Binotto and family  
7:30 pm Knights of Columbus Executive Meeting (SJR)

**TUESDAY 13TH**

NO MASS  
7:00 pm Choir Practice (Church)

**WEDNESDAY 14TH**

10:00 am Craft Group Meeting (SJR)  
7:00 pm Mass – †Deceased members of the Legion of Mary  
Requested by the Legion of Mary  
7:45 pm Legion of Mary Meeting (SJR)

**THURSDAY 15TH**

9:00 am Mass – †Joachim Tran  
7:30 pm Confirmation Event # 1 (Church/Hall)

**FRIDAY 16TH**

9:00 am Mass – †Anna & Pardo Perrotta  
Requested by the family  
5:00 pm Community Meal (Hall)

**SATURDAY 17TH**

10:00 am Mass – †Deceased members of the Fernandes and D'Costa families  
Requested by the family  
Followed by Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
10:30 am Confessions  
5:00 pm Mass – For the People

**SUNDAY 18TH**

9:00 am Mass – †Silla Pellizzer, Valentino Bertolo and Giovanni Gasola  
Requested by Luigi Barbisan and family  
11:00 am Mass – †Alberto D'Orazio  
Requested by his wife and family  
2:00 pm Bible Study (SJR)  
Knights of Columbus brunch after the 11 am Mass

**LINKS TO FAITH – NOVEMBER 11, 2018**

**WEEK 45 – POPE: SMALL ACTS OF KINDNESS**  
**– BY CAROL GLATZ, NATIONAL CATHOLIC REGISTER**

"God shows his love, not with great speeches, but with simple, tender acts of charity, Pope Francis said. "When Jesus wants to teach us how a Christian should be, he tells us very little," the pope said, but he shows people by feeding the hungry and welcoming the stranger." Google 'small acts of kindness' and find all kinds of examples!

To read this article from the National Catholic Register, click on Links to Faith at the bottom of the parish homepage: [www.stmarystarofthesea.ca](http://www.stmarystarofthesea.ca) and select [Week 45 – Pope: Small Acts of Kindness – by Carol Glatz, National Catholic Register](#)

**FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE  
PLANNING SEMINAR**

Catholic Cremation Services at Assumption Catholic Cemetery,  
6933 Tomken Road, Mississauga  
Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 9:00 am

Come and learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney & Estate Planning as well as Catholic Teaching and traditions around Cremation. The Archdiocese of Toronto estate planning team & Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services will share:

- How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will
- How to ensure your wishes are legally protected
- About Powers of Attorney
- Estate Trustee selection
- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors
- Our Catholic traditions around wills, cremation, burial and Funerals

*An estate planning kit will be provided at no cost. Refreshments will be provided.* RSVP: Frank Jannetta, Catholic Cemeteries 416.733-8544 ext. 2023 or [fjannetta@cc-fs.ca](mailto:fjannetta@cc-fs.ca)

**MISSALS**

Missals are available for \$5 each from the table at the East side exit of the Church (Parking lot side). Get your copy today.

Senior lady, non-smoker, parishioner, needs room for one month until renovations in home completed. Please call 905-278-2058