



Spiritual Adoption

What is happening
to our spiritually adopted child
this month...

MONTH 6

I'm 6 months old now. I just opened my eyes – before today they were sealed shut for protection. I wonder what you look like. I can hear sounds too! It's great to have someone praying for me.

WALK - IN LEGAL CLINIC

Jean Carberry, a lawyer and member of our parish will offer a free Legal Clinic for advice and help with legal issues. We are grateful to Jean for taking on this initiative as a personal response to the call to stewardship.

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 8

9:00 a.m. - 11 a.m.

St. Benedict parish Youth Room
(enter at north side & go downstairs)

The clinic operates as "walk -in":

NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY

All consultations will be private and confidential.

AVAILABLE SERVICES:

COMMISSIONING AND NOTARIZING DOCUMENTS

Communion Information Meeting

For parents only.
Kindly plan for child care.

Plan to attend one meeting.

Each meeting is in the parish hall and is 1 1/2 hr.

Tuesday September 14 7:30 pm **or**
Wednesday September 15 7:30 pm

Confirmation Information Meeting

For parent and candidate.
Kindly plan child care for younger children.

Plan to attend one meeting.

Each meeting is in the parish hall and is 1 1/2 hr.

Tuesday September 21 7:30 pm **or**
Wednesday September 22 7:30 pm

Labour Day Mass Time

Monday September 6

- no 8:00 am Mass this day
- 9:30 am Morning Prayer in Chapel
- 10:00 am Mass

PREPARING FOR... DON BOSCO AMONG US

SUNDAY OCTOBER 3

Don Bosco became well known in Turin as a zealous young priest who, every autumn, took his young people on long, long walks, playing music as they crossed farmers' fields or traversed the Po on make-shift rafts, trumpets blaring and drums a beating.

In the spirit of these autumn *passeggiate* (that's Italian for a *good walk*), you are invited to a mini walking pilgrimage in honour of St. John Bosco. A fun way to prepare for the arrival of his relic. Healthy for body, mind and spirit.

Here's the plan for Sunday, October 3:

- **MASS:** Join us at 12:45 mass. Enjoy the insights of our special guest homilist, Fr. Patrick Angelucci, an outstanding Salesian from New York and gifted orator who will speak about Don Bosco
- **POLENTA PARTY:** After mass, join us for a delicious, home-cooked lunch in the church hall. The menu is inspired by the meals Mamma Margaret cooked for Don Bosco himself: polenta, sausage, cheese & salad. \$10 each. \$40 for a family of 4 or more. Buy your tickets early. Don't be disappointed. Tickets available later in September.
- **HIKE:** Since blessing yourself with holy water will not burn away the calories, join us for a mini walking pilgrimage from St. Benedict Church to Don Bosco Secondary School (2 St. Andrew's Blvd, about a 1 hour workout)
- **MOVIE:** At Don Bosco Secondary School, you can relax in a comfortable theatre, enjoying the movie *St. John Bosco: Mission of Love*, an inspiring portrayal of the life and work of the great apostle to the young. Can't join us for the walk? You can still come to the movie.

*A great way to spend Sunday.
Pray, play and dine with friends and family.
Hope to see you there.*

ALTAR SERVERS MEETING - First Altar Servers meeting of the new school year to be held on Saturday, September 18th from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

The **Squires First meeting** on Sunday September 12th. Executive meeting at 6:00 pm followed by the meeting and Installation of new executive officers from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the Parish hall.

St. Vincent de Paul Sunday - September 18th & 19th
A truck will be parked in the back parking lot from early Saturday morning to late Sunday evening. Clothing, footwear, textiles, accessories, toys, household goods, bedding and books will be accepted. **PLEASE NOTE: NO MATTRESSES OR APPLIANCES ACCEPTED.** For more information: www.svdptoronto.org.

St. John Bosco Knights of Columbus

Welcome you back from Summer with a
HALF CHICKEN BARBECUE DINNER DANCE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2010
6:15 PM TIL 11PM



Half chicken, sausage, corn on the cob, potatoes, salad, coffee, tea, dessert

COST: \$ 20.00

TICKETS AVAILABLE AFTER EACH MASS THIS WEEKEND

OR CALL: Wolf Hartmann 416-745-7983 Ray Gallant 416-748-3344

See are website for further details at stbenedictssjbkofc.com

FAITH & FAMILY PROGRAM

The program serves children and youth, ages 5-18 who:

- are parishioners of St. Benedict Church,
- are baptized or not yet baptized with at least one Catholic parent,
- attend public school, private school or school other than a Catholic school,
- require ongoing faith formation and preparation for the sacrament of Reconciliation and/or the initiation sacraments: Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation

The 2010/11 program runs from Oct 18 - Dec 6, 2010; Jan 10 - May 2, 2011 for a total of 20 weeks held Monday evenings at St. Benedict Church hall from 6:45-8:30 p.m. REGISTRATION continues until **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th**. A registration fee of \$50/child provides the required books and materials. Contact Patricia for further information and/or registration @ 416-741-6556.

Blessings on your Marriage

*As a parish community,
we keep in prayer*

Bruno Severinski & Donna Salvaggio
who will be married on **September 11th, 2010**

God grant them happiness, good health and a long life together.



LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

Sunday Offering \$6,727
Average Env. Donation \$13.27

Thank you for your generous support!

Pray for the Dead



Benjamin B. Esta Sr.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 6

10:00am Bill McDowell, by Lois

Tuesday, September 7

7:30pm Daughters of Mary
both living & deceased members & CWL
by Daughters of Mary
- Rosalinda Ocampo, by Ocampo family
- Fran Durliat, by Helen Brunning

Wednesday, September 8

8:00am no intention

Thursday, September 9

8:00am no intention

Friday, September 10

8:00am Leo Marineau, by Gertrude Marineau
7:30pm Memorial Mass – Rosie Rupolo

Saturday, September 11

8:00am Bernard & Marie Demers
55th Wedding Anniversary, by family
5:00pm Nicola Setacci, by Lina Setacci & family

Sunday, September 12

8:00am Irma & Volde D'Alessandra,
by Chiarina Di Biase
9:30am Amedeo Amato, by Amato Family
9:30am For the People
11:00am Mar Johnstone, by Adult Choir
12:45am Antonio Garito, by Maria Garito & family

Daughters of Mary First meeting of the new year will be held this Tuesday following the 7:30pm Mass. It will be a coffee and cake occasion, no speaker. The October meeting has been cancelled due to the relic of St. John Bosco at the parish. Our lunch will be held on Sunday, October 17 in the hall, at noon. All members will be contacted about attending.

Yoga Exercise for all the family at St. Benedict parish hall every Tuesday from 6:05 – 7:05 pm Sept (7, 14, 21, 28) and Oct (5, 12, 19, 26). Become aware of your breathing; learn gentle stretches; and enjoy relaxation. Exercises can also be adapted for those who prefer the chair. Two months pre-paid \$55 or per class/walk-in = \$8. Wear comfy clothing, bring a mat, and bring a friend. Enquiries: Mary 416-745-2906 or maryfay@rogers.com. All are welcome!

BOTH CHOIRS ARE GEARING UP!

“Come sing & worship with us!”

Registration packages are available in the foyer of the church for both choirs. Please pick one up if you are interested in either enrolling your child in the youth choir or you yourself would like to join the adult choir! Both choirs are in session from September to June. Registration deadline for both choirs is **Tuesday, September 7th**. Please read carefully and if more information needed contact Tammie Cancelli at 416-746-2941 tcancelli@treblestef.com

