

Virtue of the Month: Gratitude

Our 1st Wednesday monthly mass is an occasion for our school communities to gather at St. Benedict church with the worshipping community to celebrate daily mass together. Join in: **Wednesday October 6 @ 8:00 am**



We'll be starting our second season of **EDGE** this November!

Interested in volunteering?

Email us at:
edge@stbenedictyouth.ca

Registration for Edgers will begin
mid-October

Election 2010

As a Catholic community, we are encouraged to attend Catholic School Board Trustee All-Candidate Meetings. Let's be informed voters. Plan to attend the meeting for Ward 1, our ward:

October 13, 2010

Msgr. Percy Johnson Secondary School
2170 Kipling Ave.
7:00 pm

Toronto Catholic District School Board
Trustee Candidates

Ward 1

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Sunday October 3
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm
Our location is Dixon/Kipling

Please come and join us in silent witnessing to the sanctity of life on behalf of the most vulnerable members of our society.

"Will you not watch one hour with me?"
(Mark 14:37)

Plenary Indulgence for All who Visit the Don Bosco Relic

On May 12, 2009, Pope Benedict made known that he would grant a plenary indulgence to all those faithful who participate in the pilgrimage of the urn containing Don Bosco's relic.



What is a Plenary Indulgence?

In Catholic theology, an indulgence is the full or partial remission of temporal punishment due for sins which have already been forgiven. The indulgence is granted by the Catholic Church after the sinner has confessed and received absolution. The belief is that indulgences draw on the graces of Jesus' sacrifice on the cross and the virtues and penances of the saints. They are granted for specific good works and prayers.

How to Obtain the Plenary Indulgence during the Don Bosco Relic Tour

The Holy Father grants a full plenary indulgence to the faithful, who, with a penitent heart, meet these conditions during the pilgrimage of Don Bosco's relic:

- Sacramental Confession (*on the day of the visit of the Don Bosco relic or as close as possible to this day, before or after Oct 5*)
- Receive Holy Communion (*on the day of the visit of the Don Bosco relic or as close as possible to this day, before or after Oct 5*)
- Pray for the intentions of the Holy Father
- Participate in a sacred function held in honour of Don Bosco or at least pause in the presence of the relic to reflect prayerfully, concluding with the Our Father, Apostle's Creed and a prayer to the Blessed Virgin and St. John Bosco

CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN Effective immediately, St. Benedict Parish will not accept clothing for Dr. Simone's organization. Regretfully, we do not have the personnel in the parish to continue this function.

DO NOT DROP ANY CLOTHING AT THE SIDE DOOR OR FRONT DOORS OF THE CHURCH, AS WE CANNOT DISPOSE OF IT.

We are happy to accept **FOOD DONATIONS**, which will be given to the St. Benedict Parish SVDP society to help the less fortunate within our parish boundaries. **THANK YOU.**



Baptism

The faith community of St. Benedict welcomes these new members

Congratulations!

**Nicholas A. Fabiano, Ohemaa Darkowaa-Gyebi,
Arjun J. Companion, Matthew T. Bonham,
Liam J. D'Souza, Leo D. Faelis**

May you always walk in the footsteps of the Lord.

New Beginnings: Widow/Widower Support Group: Looking for hope and guidance after the death of a spouse? In an informal setting we meet for seven weeks, where we share and learn from each other. Time: Friday Evenings: Oct. 15th to Nov. 26th at 7:30 p.m. Location: St. Margaret of Scotland, 222 Ridley Blvd, Toronto Ontario. Facilitator: Mary Muir; Enquiries Deacon James Shaughnessy 416-921-1163 ext 2246

The **St. Benedict's Bible Study Group** will start its FALL SESSION on **WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 6TH** in the **Church Hall** from **7:30 - 9:00 p.m.** Subsequent dates, along with the issues and topics we will explore will be made available on the parish website. All parishioners are warmly invited to attend.

**COME AND SEE WEEKEND ON NOVEMBER 5TH TO 7TH
ST. AUGUSTINE SEMINARY,**

"The Love of Christ urges us on" to radically respond to His call to follow Him whole-heartily. Jesus is inviting you to spend time with Him so that you may discover His call. There will be an opportunity for young men of 18 years or older to spend a weekend for time of prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples through the Catholic priesthood.



Blessings on your Marriage

**As a parish community,
we keep in prayer**

Daniela Ferrante & Gianni Marin
who will be married on **October 9th, 2010**

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

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

Sunday Offering	\$9,150
Average Envelope Donation	\$15.11
Needs of the Canadian Church	\$2,181
Thank you for your generous support!	

Pray for the Dead



Araceli Espiritu
Tullio Celseti
Domenico Stalteri

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 4

8:00am no intention

Tuesday, October 5

7:30pm no intention

Wednesday, October 6

8:00am Favours received from Our Lady of the Snows
by T. McIntosh

Thursday, October 7

8:00am May Smith, by Ruberto & Demelo families
9:15am St. Benedict School Mass

Friday, October 8

8:00am Florence Bengert, by Ernie & family

Saturday, October 9

8:00am Pasqua & Nicola D'Andrea
by Aldo & Marisa D'Andrea
5:00pm Theresa, Marshall & Anthony Fernandes
by Anne Fernandes

Sunday, October 10

8:00am Fiori Costantini, by family
9:30am Fiorina Sassi, by Valerio & Bianca Sassi
9:30am For the People
11:00am Ted & Anne Jansen, by Adult Choir
12:45am Lucchitti & Farina families, by Lucchitti family

De La Salle College (131 Farnham Ave.), a Catholic co-educational, private school for students in grade 5 to 12, will be hosting an **OPEN HOUSE** on **Wednesday, October 20th** from **7 pm to 9 pm** for prospective students and their families for the academic year 2011-2012. Contact Office of Admissions at 416-969-8771 for more information.

Holy Name of Mary College School, a university preparatory private Catholic school for girls (Gr. 5-12), is holding an **OPEN HOUSE** on **Saturday, October 16th**, from **10 am to 2 pm** at 2241 Mississauga Road. All are invited to attend. More information can be found on www.InspireYourDaughter.com or call 905-891-1890.



**PLEASE PRAY FOR
THE SICK, ESPECIALLY:**

Peter Calzavara, Matthew Murdoch, Griffin Brown, Margot Low, Dorita Hilder, Flora MacDonald, Bill Batulis, Nellie McGlynn, Rebecca Bautista, Vincenzo Macri, Bernardino Pede, Marie Demers, Robert Cellupica, Helen Bondi, Rhoel Val Rodrigo, Ronald Campbell, Patricia Waters-Holst, Sean Waters, Joe Borg, Beverley Martin, Jean Bradbury, Thelma Noronha, Nathan Bertucci, Jonathan and Sarah Pupulin, Aidan Downey, Helen Dryshak, Severino Bucci, Stephanie Thomas, Bridget Savage, Maureen Timms, David Quimet, Margarida Fernandes, Paul Sheppard, Janice Rama, Olga Evangjeli Gheciu, Victoria Titi Idowu, Rita Birch, Evellin Gleciu, Bernadette Arulthasan, Donna Gillespie, Jameel Giscoombe, Kay Brodie, Eva Periera, Paul Mati Lincoln, Irene Furbacher, Vittorio Rovito, Savannah Lewis (3 yrs old), Safie Defend, George Ellul, Ray Track, Evelyn Cletus, Amy Hallett, Teresa Calabria, Mary White, Helen Brunning, Giuseppe Miceli