

PIZZA PARTY SUNDAY JANUARY 23

In the parish hall
after the 12:45 Mass

TICKETS
\$10 each or
\$40 for a family of 4 or more



ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE BOILER FUND

The polenta party that was held in October was such a success; we decided to do it again.

This time we will be serving authentic homemade pepperoni or vegetarian pizza, with salad, assorted desserts, and coffee, tea or juice.

Tickets are available after all the masses on January 8 & 9 and 15 & 16 or call Liana at 416-788-4063. Tickets are not available at the door.

Mass Schedule Mary, Mother of God

Friday December 31st
5:00 pm

Saturday January 1
8:00 am
9:30 am Italian
~~9:30 am English cancelled~~
11:00 am
~~12:45 pm cancelled~~

5:00 pm cancelled

Eucharistic Adoration Schedule

Friday December 31st
Open until 12 noon

Sunday January 2
Open at 2:00 pm

Priests for Life Canada Joins the Real Estate for Life program

support our pro-life activities at no cost to you

Here's how it works:

- You, your family, or a friend decides to purchase or sell a home anywhere in North America.
- Call Real Estate for Life first, before you call a real estate company (i.e., Century 21, Remax, etc.), and they will make the necessary arrangements to market your home (using your preferred real estate company or agent if you wish).
- One phone call and you will be supporting the pro-life efforts of Priests for Life Canada.
- With that one call, a portion of the money that is already being spent on the services of a professional real estate broker will be donated to Priests for Life Canada.

1-877-543-3871

www.RealEstateForLife.org

- This program makes it easy for you to save lives by using funds your Real Estate company has already earmarked for commission fees at no extra cost to you.
- Under real estate law, Real Estate for Life will receive a referral fee.
- 100% of the profits of that fee will be donated to Priests for Life Canada.
- Will your property be sold as part of your estate? Please consider
- indicating in your last will and testament your preference for selling the property using the Real Estate for Life program with Priests for Life Canada as beneficiary.

Real Estate for Life, an arm of Residential Property Consultants, was formed for the explicit purpose of giving donations to support Pro-life activities.

Your name is never sold, ever!

WHAT ARE THE OTHER FEAST DAYS AND HOLY DAYS DURING THE CHRISTMAS SEASON?

In addition to Feast of the Immaculate Conception, Christmas and Mary, Mother of God, Catholics celebrate:

The **Feast of the Holy Family**, honoring Jesus, Mary and Joseph as a family. It is celebrated on the Sunday after Christmas.

The **Epiphany**, the oldest of the Christmas feasts, is also known as Three Kings Day for the three magi who found the Christ Child after following a star to Bethlehem. It is the major holiday of the Christmas period in the Eastern Church.

The **Baptism of Our Lord** brings the Christmas season to a close. It is celebrated on the first Sunday after the Epiphany.

*Lord, clarify my vision
that I may see You in others
and sense You within my own soul.*



**MICHEAL CASTALDO IN CONCERT AT ST. CLARE'S
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29TH AT 7:30 P.M.**

Come and celebrate the Joy of the Season with a musical concert benefiting our parish. Enjoy an evening of great music. A reception to follow in the church hall... Tickets on sale now (\$20 per person). Offer them as Christmas Gift to a friend who has everything...

MERCOLEDI, 29 DICEMBRE ALLE 7:30 P.M.

Venite a celebrare la gioia delle feste con un concerto di musica a beneficio della nostra parrocchia. Venite e godete una bellissima serata di musica. Rinfreschi saranno serviti nella sala subito dopo... Biglietti sono ora in vendita (\$20 a persona). Offriteli come regalo di Natale per qualcuno che ha tutto...

Father Vito Marziliano, Pastor
ST. CLARE'S PARISH,
1118 St. Clair Avenue West Toronto

*Young Adult Ministry of St. Benedict Parish
welcomes you to*

Witness

A Catholic faith-based group for young adults
(ages 19-39)

Witness serves to nurture the commitment of Catholic young adults to be witnesses of God's love through prayer, fellowship, and action.

Information session: **Sunday January 30**
Parish Hall 5:00 - 6:00pm

Contact: Sabrina Marcelli witness@stbenedictyouth.ca

**ST. BENEDICT SCHOOL
JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION
FOR SEPTEMBER 2011 WILL BEGIN JANUARY 11- 15**

Extended registration hours will be on January 12 (evening registration) from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. Your child must be born in 2007 and be 4 years old by December 31, 2011.

Please bring the following documents:

- ✓ Roman Catholic Baptismal Certificate
- ✓ Birth Certificate
- ✓ Immunization record and Health Card
- ✓ Proof of residence (lease, deed, bill)
- ✓ Doctor's name and phone number
- ✓ Emergency contact name and phone number

Please call the school to make an appointment.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

Sunday Offering \$9,228
Average Env. Donation \$13.98
Second Collection \$810.50

Thank you for your generous support!

CAPITAL FUND TARGET:

\$760,000.00

as of December 20th \$191,882.35

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, December 27

8:00am Olga Vucko
by Natalia & family

Tuesday, December 28

7:30pm Healing Paties family
by family

Wednesday, December 29

8:00am Brother Malachi
by Benedict Malloy

Thursday, December 30

8:00am Frank Tierney
by Mary McLellan

Friday, December 31

8:00am Terry Ouellette
by Rose & family
5:00pm Cathy Mildazys
by husband Victor

Saturday, January 1

8:00am Florence Bengert
by Bengert family
9:30am Ralph Mascetta
by family
11:00pm Chiara Lucchitti
by Lucchitti family
12:45pm cancelled

Sunday, January 2

8:00am In thanksgiving to God
9:30am Beniamino Fantin
by Stefania Fantin
9:30am For the People
11:00am Maria Hubert
by Bzoma family
12:45pm Georgina & John McRae
Kathleen Zorzi & family

**PRAY FOR THE DEAD
ROSE ANNA MCCONNELL**

KOLBE EUCHARISTIC APOSTOLATE

Saturday, January 8th Kolbe Eucharistic Mini-Retreat will be held from 2:00 to 4:30p.m. at St. Brigid's Church (300 Wolverleigh Blvd., Toronto). All are welcome. For more information www.kolbeapostolate.com



**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 Pedo, Marie Demers, Robert Cellupica, Helen Bondi, Rhoel Val Rodrigo, Ronalda 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, Savanah Lewis (3 yrs old), Sofie Defend, George Ellul, Ray Track, Evelyn Cletus, Amy Hallett, Teresa Calabria, Mary White, Helen Brunning, Giuseppe Miceli, Maria Mastromarco, Debra Ferguson, Jeannette Gregory, Anne Misquitta, Denzil Smith, Kate Bachinski