

UPDATED REFUGEE FAMILY WISH LIST

Heartfelt thanks to those parishioners who have donated or purchased home furnishings and household items. Your help with outstanding items is greatly appreciated. Kindly refer to the UPDATED list below and share it with friends and family.

FURNITURE & HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

Contact: Kay Selecky ~ 416-674-1064

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1 dresser	dish towels
4 night tables	dish cloths
1 computer desk	iron
3 bedroom lamps	ironing board
3 twin blankets	broom
1 twin comforter	dust mop
1 area rug	dust pan
clothes hangers	mop and pail
5 new pillows for beds	vacuum cleaner
kitchen garbage pail	baking pans
dish rack	tea kettle
drain board	frying pan
dish pan	

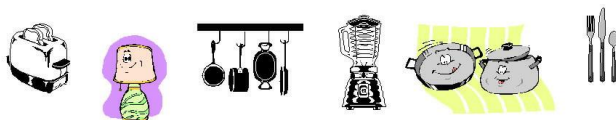
The St. Vincent de Paul Society
is holding

Bundle Sunday

on the weekend of

Jan. 12th - 13th

We will be collecting good, clean women's men's and children's clothing, household appliances and accessories.



A truck will be available in the parking lot

St. Augustine's Lay Spiritual Formation Program Presents... Year of Faith Workshops

Saturday January 26

10:00 am – 2:30 pm

St. Augustine's Seminary,

2661 Kingston Road,

Scarborough, ON M1M 1M3

Cost: \$40 Lunch is included

The workshop includes the following sessions:

The Catechism of the Catholic Church

by Dr. Janine Langan

What happened at Vatican II? 50 Years Later

by Dr. Josephine Lombardi

To register contact: loftsas@rogers.com

or call 416-261-7207 X235

The VISITATION



Join us for an evening of adoration, praise and worship, reflection, confession, live music, snacks, refreshments and fellowship!

Held every second Friday of the month, our next Visitation evening will be on

January 11

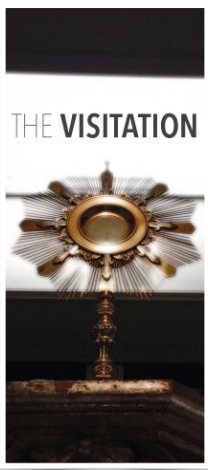
7:00 pm in church

For more info, visit

www.stbenedicts.ca/events.aspx

or email us:

salesianym.toronto@gmail.com



**A limited quantity of YOUCAT
are available for sale
at the parish office
\$20 each**

YOUCAT

Praying for Salesians in Formation

Please keep in prayer

Br. Steven DeMaio

Sherman, CT

26 years old

Philosophy & Post Novitiate



Br. Steve was drawn to Salesian

Spirituality when he spent six months in Zambia with the Salesian Sisters helping finish a sports project there.

Prior to this he also lived in Spain for a year where he taught English and worked for a nonprofit organization, which actually paid for his flight to Zambia.

**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
CHRISTMAS 2011**

Thank You

Our Christmas deliveries took place on Saturday, December 22nd this year. Ninety-nine families including fourteen seniors were served. One hundred and three children received toys, and thirty seven young teens received gift certificates. We would like to particularly thank the manager and staff of the Real Canadian Superstore for helping us to provide each family with a turkey and produce.

Once again this year, Food Drives were held at St. Benedict, St. Stephen, Rivercrest Public School and West Humber Jr. Middle School. The food collected from these drives played a large role in our success. Holy Child School sponsored eight families and provided food and gifts. We thank the staff and students at each of these schools for their much needed help.

Monsignor Johnson High School sponsored families and provided both food and gifts which were delivered from the church on Saturday. Similarly, Don Bosco High School sponsored families and delivered hampers, turkeys and fruit to them on Dec. 19th. Loopstra Nixon LLP and a few parishioners also sponsored individual families.

Our appreciation is also extended to those that gave cash contributions which provided the turkeys and produce. We would like to extend a special thank you to the Knights of Columbus, the Daughters of Mary, the Youth and Adult Choirs, the 55+Club and the Neighborhood Watch. We also appreciate the generous parishioners who donated the toys and gift certificates that made the children's Christmas enjoyable.

We thank everyone who participated in this year's campaign: the food collectors – the Knights of Columbus and six strong students from Monsignor Johnson, the sorters, the packers, the drivers, the "breakfast" staff, toy givers and cheque writers. A special thank you is extended to the Squires and the students from St. Marcellinus School in Mississauga who helped to deliver.

We also thank the people who regularly deposit money in our boxes at the Church entrances. This money is the foundation for helping the needy during the year. We also thank those who remember us with Memorial donations in memory of a loved one.

ALTAR SERVERS ~ The next meeting will take place on Saturday, January 12, from 2:00 – 3:30 pm in the Parish Hall.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

SUNDAY OFFERING	\$8,066	NEW YEAR'S DAY	\$6,566
Average Env. Donation	\$13.91		

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 7

8:00am Terence Pereira by Inez

Tuesday, January 8

7:30pm Living Intention Cathy Proietti by Salvina & Antoniette

Wednesday, January 9

8:00am Timothy James by Inez

Thursday, January 10

8:00am Lola Zammit by Sam & Eva

Friday, January 11

8:00am Max Haunn by Jean & family

Saturday, January 12

8:00am Bruce & Valerie by Mom

5:00pm Silvestro & Felicia Pietrangelo by Annette & family

Sunday, January 13

8:00am Jose Villafior by Nestor Senoran & family

9:30am Mario Orlando by Ida & family

9:30am For the People

11:00am Trieste Marcelli by Marcelli family

12:45pm Lester Charles by Mom, family & friends

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DEAD, ESPECIALLY:

GEORGE MACDONALD & IRENE IRENE

Thank you Queen Telecom Support Services Inc.

for your generous sharing of the
Christmas Spirit.

Your \$1,000.00 donation
made Christmas more beautiful
for the 99 families we reached through our
St. Vincent de Paul Society.

God Bless you with continued success in 2013.

OUT OF THE COLD PROGRAM THANK YOU!

A big thanks to all those who contributed towards the Christmas Gifts. We were able to assemble and distribute 48 care packages. Next week we will be signing up volunteers at the back of the Church to help prepare our next meal for 250-300 people on January 20.

Our faith community welcomes

Iya Bridgette Surmava

baptized on Sunday, December 30th

May you always walk in the
footsteps of the Lord.