

Last weekend to sign up

**NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE
OTTAWA
THURSDAY MAY 9, 2013
CHARTERED BUS TO
MARCH FOR LIFE, OTTAWA
THURSDAY MAY 9**

Departure from St. Benedict: 5:30 a.m.
Departure from Ottawa: 4:00 p.m.

*To secure a seat on the bus, complete this form and
enclose it in an envelope with \$45. Deliver it to the
parish office or in the collection basket
by MONDAY MAY 6.*

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**SUMMERDAZE
25th Anniversary
The Ultimate Talent Show**



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Just a friendly reminder that tickets
for the **Saturday June 15th** event are on sale after all masses
this week. They are \$20/person or \$50 for a family of 4.
Children under 5 are free (just let us know they are coming).
To acquire tickets after this weekend please contact us at:
summerdaze25anniversary@gmail.com.

Marian Day of Prayer

*“Do not labour for the food which perishes,
but for the food which endures to eternal life.” (Jn 6:28)*

Saturday May 18

9:00am - 6:00pm.

Canada Christian College
50 Gervaise Drive, (Don Mills/Eglinton),

Speakers include:

Fr. Steven Szakaczki

Part One of the Catechism: Death, Judgment, Heaven, Hell

Fr. Paul Nicholson

Part Two of the Catechism: The Sacraments & Holy Eucharist

Fr. Alphonse de Valk

Part Three of the Catechism: The Moral law

Dr. Gloria Polo

Testimony on being struck by lightning and private judgment

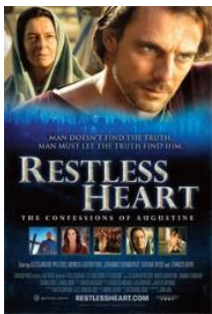
For tickets/info: www.MarianDay.ca,
or call 416-251-4245



Pray for our Salesian Deacons
Miguel Suarez & Jim Zettel
who are preparing
for Priestly Ordination
on **Saturday, June 29, 2013**

They are currently studying at
Salesian Ratisbonne Monastery in Jerusalem.

Coming to a Theatre near you...



RESTLESS HEART uses a historic
backdrop to tell the true story of
Augustine of Hippo -- one of the
Catholic Church's most beloved and
well-known Saints. It is the story of
one who pursues fame and fortune
without a moral compass and of his
mother Monica who endured a
difficult marriage yet prayed faithfully
for over 30 years for his conversion.

It also chronicles the collapse of the Roman world and
how Augustine laid the intellectual foundations of what
became Europe.

Monday May 20th

2:00 pm Matinee

Odeon Sheppard Cinemas (Cineplex)

**4861 Yonge Street
Toronto, ON, M2N 5X2**

**Tickets, \$10, will be sold after
the weekend masses on May 4 & 5.**
Tickets are not for sale at the box office



THE VISITATION

This past Friday we held our last Visitation evening of
the year. It has been a blessing to have the opportunity
to gather as a prayer community and we look forward to
bringing the Visitation back next year!

We would like to take this opportunity to express our
deepest gratitude to all those who have helped in
making the Visitation evenings a reality: the volunteers,
sponsors and particularly the Visitation Choir who
dedicated their time and talents to help animate the
evenings.

The choir will be bringing their voices to Ottawa to lead
worship for the March for Life mass next week. We ask
that you pray for them and for all those attending March
For Life!

Sunday May 5th, 2013 – 6th Sunday of Easter

Third ShareLife collection ~ May 26, 2013

Working wonders for our faith...

Men from all walks of life have decided to respond to God's call to dedicate their lives to His service and the salvation of souls. They come from different backgrounds, skill sets, ethnic communities, ages and economic situations. At ShareLife-funded agencies such as *Serra House, Redemptoris Mater, and St. Augustine's Seminary*, they undergo extensive theological education and practical field training. Through ShareLife, you are helping sustain the vocations for priesthood and inspire discernment for God's call. **In 2012, ShareLife helped support over 70 priests and seminarians in their formation studies.**

Please give generously. You can work wonders!

DOUBLE THE IMPACT OF YOUR SHARELIFE CONTRIBUTION!

Through the generosity of a parishioner in the Archdiocese, all new and increased gifts to the 2013 campaign will be matched up to a total of \$800,000. For example, a new \$20 gift will create \$40 in new contributions to the work of our agencies; an increase in your gift of \$15 will mean that \$30 new dollars will be raised. Together, we can reach the target that this parishioner has indicated they will contribute against new and increased gifts. Help to make a significant impact toward the work of our agencies—make a contribution toward the ShareLife campaign today!

THE POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS ~ Today's second collection is the annual diocesan collection for The Pope's Pastoral Works. Thank you for your support.

DAUGHTERS OF MARY ~ The last meeting of the season will be on Tuesday, May 7th, following the 7:30 p.m. Mass.

PRO LIFE WEEKEND ~ At the Church exits **this weekend** you will find members of the Knights of Columbus distributing Roses for Pro Life. The Knights will be accepting free will donations that will be sent to Pro Life organizations to help continue the fight against abortion and euthanasia.



Blessings on your Marriage
As a parish community,
we keep in prayer

Robert DiPede & Stéphanie Roesler
who will be married on *May 11, 2013*

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

St. Benedict Parish Capital Campaign

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN / OUTSTANDING DEBT as at March 25, 2013	\$225,945.00
LESS LOAN REPAYMENT	\$ (3,462.50)
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN / OUTSTANDING DEBT as at May 1, 2013	\$222,482.50

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

SUNDAY OFFERING \$9,323 AVERAGE ENV DONATION \$14.61

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 6

8:00am Salvatore Zavaglia by Rosa Zavaglia & family

Tuesday, May 7

7:30pm Daughters of Mary both living & deceased members & CWL by Daughters of Mary

- Francois Tenke by Kemayou family
- Leonarda Catalano by Catherine Mercuri
- Dubravko Sondic by Sondic family
- Vincenzo & Addolorata Leone by Leone family
- Special Intention – by Garcia family

Wednesday, May 8

8:00am Salvatore Zavaglia by Rosa Zavaglia & family

Thursday, May 9

8:00am Patricio Ignacio by Jake & Teresa Villahermosa

Friday, May 10

8:00am Gabriele Di Cintio by Terri, John, Andrew & Lauren

Saturday, May 11

8:00am Living Intention ~ Gordon family by Celia & family

5:00pm Gaetano Bucci by Cascioli family

Sunday, May 12

8:00am Susan Checca by Checca family

9:30am Maria & Anna Capretta by Carmelina & family

9:30am For the People

11:00am Peter Wilson by Pat & Doug Tarsay

12:45pm Leonard Catania by Neil



PRAY FOR THE DEAD

PETER GANESH

Holy Name of Mary College School

Open House on May 11 ~ 10:00am-2:00pm

A distinctly Christ-centered learning environment designed exclusively for girls in grades 5 to 12. We invite you to take a closer look at our school, and the university preparatory programme we provide. For more information visit

www.InspireYourDaughter.com

or call 905-891-1890.

ORGANIX 13 ~ Music Festival

From **May 6 - June 7** hear solo and ensemble performances from some of the world's finest organists and instrumentalists. Toronto once again plays host to an international music festival unlike any other. **Produced by Our Lady of Sorrows music director Gordon Mansell**, you will find all the details at his festival website.... www.organixconcerts.ca or phone 416-769-3893.

MEN'S ACT RETREAT

May 30- June 2

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre, Mississauga

Come deepen your faith through Adoration, Community, Theology, and Service. Contact Anthony 416-859-0687 or the Centre 905-278-522.