

# 22 March 2015

## A few thoughts from the Pastor:

*A big thanks! In fact, a million thanks!! Our parish goal of \$620,000 was surpassed on our commitment weekend as we received pledges and donations that total over \$915,000.00. As we continue to receive pledges we should be able to raise \$1,000,000.00! Any future pledges may be dropped off at the office. There are forms available at the office and on the display shelves if you would like to make a pledge.*

*The generosity and sacrificial giving of our parish is amazing. I am humbly grateful to you all! Special thanks to our Family of Faith volunteer team whose committed enthusiasm in communicating the merits of the Family of Faith Captial Campaign have brought success to our parish efforts. We are really a church when our contributions can come together in a communal way to accomplish "good deeds" for the Lord.*



ShareLife

Fifthth Sunday of Lent  
March 22, 2015

**Working wonders for children with special needs...**

We have always tried to expose our deaf children to both communities. As their parents, we have talked to them and tried to answer their questions when they saw someone using sign language and they had basic sign language books. Then one day our oldest son, Ethan, said he would like to learn sign language. We discovered Silent Voice's Sign Language Summer camp and enrolled him in the program. The following year Gavin joined his older brother and they both want to go again. We also put our name in for the Family Communication program because we wanted to support our children. These opportunities increased the boys' awareness of the deaf community and also helped them gain respect for different ways of communication. They enjoyed both experiences as did we. We all hope to take part in the Family program again. Last year more than 600 deaf children received support through Silent Voice's Sign Language Summer Camps.

**Next ShareLife Sunday – April 12, 2015**  
**Please give generously. You can work wonders!**



**Monday, March 23, 2015**

*St. Turibius of Mogrovejo*

7:00p.m.

Intentions:

Nimalraad Joshua in Thanksgiving

†Maria D'Souza

†Jorge Legarda

†Stefan Kotnjek

†Vittoria Cunsolo

**Tuesday, March 24, 2015**

*Ferial*

9:00a.m.

Intention:

†Abel D'Souza

**Wednesday, March 25, 2015**

*Annunciation of the Lord*

9:00a.m.

Intention:

†Caterina & Eugenio Moscon

**Thursday, March 26, 2015**

*Ferial*

9:00a.m.

Intention:

†Philip LaPenna

**Friday, March 27, 2015**

*Ferial*

9:00a.m.

Intentions:

Joe & Marlene Gomes  
in Thanksgiving

7:30p.m.

†Joe Kotnjek family

**Saturday, March 28, 2015**

*Ferial*

9:00a.m.

Intention:

†Austin Paul Pereira



Anna Maria Casiello Leona King  
Fareeda Mongrue Luigi Cusano  
Darcie Camilleri Joseph Digby  
Shannon Grant Corie Abuyuan  
Maya Balkarra Esther Phillips  
Yeenin Anam Ricardo Paul  
Puinin Anam Harvey Grant  
Saverid Racanelci Amelia Tolosa  
Kathleen O'Brien Paul Ropp  
Anita Aquilina Roy Tower  
Msgr. Roger Formosi



There are a lot of youth in our parish who are heading to high school next year or are already there.

This message is for you and your parents.....this summer at the Steubenville Toronto Youth Conference, about 2400

Catholic high school youth from all over the province will be getting together for something exciting.

We are inviting teens into a life-changing relationship with Jesus and His Church. These conferences are high-energy events featuring inspiring guest speakers, dynamic worship through music, and profound encounters in the Sacraments.

Our parish has reserved a number of spots at this sold out event. So Youth in Grades 8-12 are welcome to join in this awesome experience.

There are information sheets for you to take home on the tables in the foyer.

**ANNUAL MASS FOR LIFE – WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25**  
ST. ANNE’S CHURCH  
115 VODDEN ST. E. BRAMPTON TEL. 905-453-1303

6:30PM ROSARY  
7:00PM MASS (INCLUDING A SPECIAL BLESSING FOR UNBORN BABIES, THE DISABLED AND THE ELDERLY)  
  
PRESIDER: BISHOP JOHN BOISSONNEAU  
8:00PM SHORT FILM (CRESCENDO – FEATURING PATTIE MALLETTE, JUSTIN BEBER’S MOTHER)

RECEPTION IN THE STEPHENSON ROOM – *BABY SHOWER* – YOU ARE INVITED TO BRING A BABY SHOWER GIFT TO BE DONATED TO BIRTHRIGHT BRAMPTON.

**EASTER MASS SCHEDULE**

**PALM SUNDAY**

Saturday, March 28 Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday, March 29 8:15 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.

Palms will be distributed during Mass

**EASTER TRIDUUM**

**HOLY THURSDAY** 7:00pm Mass and exposition of the  
April 2 (no 9:00 a.m. Mass) Blessed Sacrament until 10:00pm

**GOOD FRIDAY** 12:00 noon Service  
April 3 (no 9:00a.m. Mass) 3:00 p.m. Service

**HOLY SATURDAY**  
April 4 (no 9:00a.m. Mass) 8:00 p.m. **EASTER VIGIL MASS**

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11:00 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.

**Fridays during Lent**



7:00pm Stations of the Cross  
7:30pm Mass

**Fifth Sunday of Lent**  
**22 March 2015**

Unless a seed first dries out and dies, it cannot be planted in the earth to grow. Unless we die to our selfish ways, we cannot expect to be people who will “lay down our lives for our friends”. If you think God is calling you to lay down your life as a priest, religious or deacon for His Church, call Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto: 416-968-0997

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