

19th January 2014

A few thoughts from the Pastor:

We know we are loved by God because we were created by God's love and sustained by God's love. We live our lives constantly in the sight of a loving God.

With the eyes of faith we look with love upon God. When John the Baptist pointed to Jesus and declared "here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world", he showed us the way to behold God.

The spirituality that we live in real faith is not nebulous. It is directed always to the person of Jesus Christ. We testify with John that the Lamb of God is our Saviour who is the "Son of God".

We Welcome to the Christian Community through Baptism

Ethan Dakota Brown-Grimaldi





Steubenville YOUTH Conference Toronto July 4-6, 2014 "God is"

2014 CONFERENCE THEME

"Behold, God is my salvation, I will trust and not be afraid; For the Lord God is my strength and song, And He has become my salvation." Isaiah 12:2
Registration opens January 13, 2014 CALLING ALL YOUTH (Grades 8-12)

INFORMATION NIGHT FOR PARENTS - Saturday, Jan 25th after our 5:00pm Mass at St. Anthony's.
Early registration is recommended as there are limited spots available.

Visit:

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 steubenvilletoronto.com

Is there a God? ...February 7, 2014 at 7:00pm at Isabel Bader Theatre (Victoria University) 93 Charles St. West, Toronto.
Speakers: Fr. P. Cleevly, C.O. Catholic Priest & Philosophy Prof. and Justin Trottier, Atheist & Founder of Centre for Inquiry Canada.
Moderator: Stephen LeDrew, CP24 Register: ocytoronto.org

Ministers of Care Training (Caregivers)

This training program will help parishioners grow in their understanding of the Gospel's call to lovingly serve those in need and help them in living out the Catholic Social Teaching in their family, workplace and parish community. It is designed to prepare parishioners to become involved in various caring (outreach) ministries in the parish such as: Ministry with the Sick, feeding the poor, social justice committee, bereavement, etc. All are welcome. The training will be here at **St. Anthony's Parish**, beginning on **Saturday, January 25 to March 1, 2014** from 9:30am-3:00pm. There is **no cost** to attend. Registration forms are located in the church foyer. For further information please contact Pauline Murphy at (905) 793-8030, ext. 102.



MASSES OF THE WEEK

Monday, January 20, 2014

St. Fabian/St. Sebastian
7:00p.m.

Intentions:

✠Santina Diana

✠Wayne Miller

✠Alphonsus Lambe

✠Caterina & Eugenio Moscon

Teepie family in Thanksgiving

Tuesday, January 21, 2014

St. Agnes
9:00a.m.

Intention:

✠Helen O'Malley

Wednesday, January 22, 2014

St. Vincent
9:00a.m.

Intention:

✠Rocco Morabito

Thursday, January 23, 2014

Ferial
9:00a.m.

Intention:

✠Caterina & Eugenio Moscon

Friday, January 24, 2014

St. Francis de Sales
9:00a.m.

Intention:

✠John Byrne

Saturday, January 25, 2014

Ferial
9:00a.m.

Intention:

✠Martha Coelho

Pray for the sick....



Darcie Camilleri

Manuelpillai Stanislaus

Theresamma Stanislaus

Sandra Cirilli

Norah Mount

Leona King

Percy D'Souza

Rheta Jobes

John Miller

Marian Lopes

Helen Miller

Roy Tower

Gerry O'Brien

BLOOD DONOR CLINIC

Monday 20th January 2-8pm
Bramalea Baptist Church

Sponsored by: Knights of Columbus
Contact: Frank O'Neill 905-793-1332

UNPACKING THE CREED...

"I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins."

St. Paul affirms in Ephesians 4:5: "One Lord, one faith, one baptism." Why "one" baptism? Because it does not need to be repeated once validly prescribed. Baptism claims us for Christ and leaves an indelible mark on our soul that erases original sin. It does not need to be repeated, even when we sin again, there is another sacrament for that.

To believe in "one" baptism distinguishes the sacrament and marks it off as the entry into the Christian life. We enjoy an elevated state as God's children. It is the sacrament "par-excellence" that allows us to be Christ-like and live out our Christian calling even from an early age. The other sacraments build on baptism, bringing to completion what was begun by water and the Holy Spirit. In this sense it is truly "one"; unique, unrepeatable and definitive.

Valentines Fundraiser Dance

We are family-- one heart beating
for one God!!

A Valentine's Day Dinner and Dance!!!
St. Anthony Catholic Elementary School
950 North Park Dr., Bramalea

Saturday, February 15, 2014

Doors open at 6:00pm until 11:00pm

This fund raising project is to assist our parish in extending help to the people in need and expand church projects and activities.

Tickets are available at the parish office:
\$20 for 13yrs. and up; \$10 for 6yrs.-
12yrs. old; free for 5yrs. and below.

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Thank You! Lester B. Pearson Catholic School for your
generous donation of \$342.90 for the Philippines Typhoon Haiyan
Humanitarian Relief.

Marriage Sunday 2014 - February 8/9

The Archdiocese of Toronto will celebrate once again this year!
In addition to local parish initiatives, there will be a special Mass
and reception with Cardinal Collins to be held on Sunday
February 9th at 4:00pm at St. Paul's Basilica (83 Power St.).

All couples celebrating a significant milestone anniversary
anytime in 2014 (25th, 40th, 50th or 60+) along with their
family and friends are encouraged to attend.

All are welcome.

www.archtoronto.org/marriage

sponsored by Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Alpha Course Invitation – Do you have a desire to explore your faith more deeply, but don't know where to start? The Alpha Course will challenge you to take a fresh look at our faith in Jesus Christ, no matter if you are skeptical of religious faith or a life long believer!

What is Alpha? Alpha is a worldwide phenomenon. It's found in over 160 countries. It's run in tens of thousands of schools, prisons, homes and churches of all denominations. It is an opportunity for anyone to explore the Christian faith over 11 weekly sessions. It's relaxed, non-threatening, low key, friendly and fun. There is a meal together at the beginning of each session which gives you an opportunity to get to know each other, listen, learn, discuss and discover. And ask anything. Alpha is a place where no question is too simple or too hostile. Many find Alpha to be truly life changing!

What will it Cost? There is no charge for the Alpha course. Where possible, donations to help cover the cost of the meal are welcome.

Starts: Wednesday, January 22nd and ends Wednesday, April 2nd, 2014

Time: 6:30-9:00 pm

Location: St. Marguerite d'Youville Church, 2490 Sandalwood Pkwy E. Brampton.

To register please call Simona (905)792-9315 or smdyalph@gmail.com

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There will be a Secular Franciscan
meeting on
January 21, 2014 at 7:00 pm.
All are welcome.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity January 18-25

**Has Christ been divided?
(1 Corinthians 1:13)**

Prayer Service with
His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins
& Anglican Archbishop Colin Johnson

Sunday 26 January at 3pm
St. Paul's Basilica

Homilist: Anglican Bishop Right Rev.
Mark MacDonald
(Canada's first National
Indigenous bishop)

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