

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

**HOLY ROSARY PARISH**  
**TORONTO, ONTARIO**  
Fifth Sunday of Easter

**HR YOUTH!**

A big THANKS to HR Youth! who very generously raised money for ShareLife through their Lenten donations.

*Baptism Preparation*



The next Baptism Preparation class will take place on **Saturday, May 30, 2009 (1 to 3 p.m.)**. Parents requesting baptism for their child must have been parishioners of Holy Rosary for at least three months and practising Catholics. To register, please contact Lindsay Moore at 416-923-8471.

**ALTAR SERVER TRAINING**

Boys and girls who will be in grade 4 or higher in September who are interested in becoming **Altar Servers** are invited to attend a training session on **Thursday, May 21** from 3:30-4:30 p.m. in the church. Contact Lindsay to register (416-923-8471).

**HR YOUTH! & ALTAR SERVERS' PARTY**

HR Youth! and the Holy Rosary Altar servers are having a party! On May 31, join us for the 12:30 p.m. Mass where our youths will celebrate the end of a great year, followed by a pizza party from 1:30-3:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. All youth group members and altar servers are invited. Please sign up in the sacristy by May 24 if you are able to join us. Pizza, pop, prizes and fun! See Lindsay for more information.

**OFFER MOTHERS ON THE ALTAR TODAY**

We offer this Mass on Mother's Day for all our mothers whether they are alive or have gone to their eternal reward. We also thank God for all mothers in this congregation and offer them on the altar. There is a beautiful Spanish proverb: "An ounce of mother is better than a pound of clergy." The "mom" is synonymous with sacrificial love in its purest form as given by Jesus in his farewell speech: "Love one another as I have loved you." On this Mothers' Day, let us gratefully admit the fact that none of us is able to return to our mothers, in the same measure, all the love that they have given us. Hence let us thank our mothers today by lavishing our love on them if they are alive and offering our prayers for them if they have gone for their eternal reward.

**Please pray for all who are ill,** especially for Len Pagniello, Sue Hussey, Mary Moreno, Eva Bilmer, Lynn Duhaime, Don Daynard, Therese Marion, Raul Corre, Goaquin Lumagbas, Margaret-Mary McKenzie, Fr. Paul McGill, C.S.B., Rose Page, Bogo Avsec and Fr. Ivan Plazar.

***IDEAS on Website***

This week's topic:

**"Residential Schools"**  
at [www.holyrosary.ca](http://www.holyrosary.ca)

**SHARELIFE SUNDAY**



**IT'S A WONDER! THE SILENT CAN BE HEARD...!**

Somewhere, a mother is trying to ask her family for help but isn't understood. Tomorrow, a boy will try to get his sister's attention from across the room, to no avail. In 2007, **Silent Voice** offered 311 one-week placements for deaf and hearing youngsters in its Sign Language Summer Program, giving them an opportunity to be better understood at home, at school, and in the community.

**3<sup>rd</sup> ShareLife Collection – June 7, 2009**  
**You can do WONDERS!**

***ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING***



All parishioners are urged to attend the Annual General Meeting that will take place in the parish hall on 14 June at 2 p.m. The major topic of the meeting will be the future of our parish hall. One plan is to renovate the current facility, at considerable cost. Another possibility is under consideration, namely, to replace the present hall with a high-rise apartment building that would provide space for parish use as well as for a number of residents. This use of the property would actually generate income for the parish. Mr. Thomas Payne of KPBM Architects will attend the meeting to describe the second of these alternatives and to answer any questions that you may have. Please plan to attend.

**SUMMER GUITAR CLASSES**

Summer guitar classes for children will be offered on weekdays from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. For adults, classes will be held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 6 – 7 p.m. Courses will run from June 29 to July 24 and July 27 to August 21. Topics covered will include note reading, basic chords and accompaniments for a variety of songs. Location: Holy Rosary Parish Hall. Information: Contact Mila Djurdjevic at 416-885-6159. [djurdjevicmila@hotmail.com](mailto:djurdjevicmila@hotmail.com).

**Briefly:**

**Bible Classes** are held on **Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.** Please call the office at 416-923-8471 for the new location.

**Holy Rosary Charismatic Prayer Group**: meets every Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall, Room 2 (in its 39<sup>th</sup> year). All are welcome.

**Tagalog Mass**: celebrated at Holy Rosary Church at 6 p.m. on the **4<sup>th</sup> Sun.** of each month. The next Mass will be on **May 24<sup>th</sup>**. The Joy of the Lord Prayer Group holds regular prayer meetings on **Sun. at 5 p.m.**

**Development & Peace meetings**: held on the **3<sup>rd</sup> Mon.** of each month in the Parish Hall, Room 4 at **7:30 p.m.**, with the exception that the next one will be on **Tuesday, May 19.**

**May 12 (7:30 p.m.) – an Introduction to the Dead Sea Scrolls**: a free lecture at Newman Centre Chapel, 89 St. George St. The Dead Sea Scrolls are coming to the Royal Ontario Museum at the end of June. The aim of these talks is to explore with the community, especially students, the significance of these important writings.

**May 14 – Celebrate Life at the National March for Life**: At noon everyone will gather on Parliament Hill. Join pro-life people from across Canada to proclaim that all human life is sacred. For information call Campaign Life Coalition, 613-729-0379 or visit [www.marchforlife.ca](http://www.marchforlife.ca).

**May 16 (9 a.m. – 6 p.m.) – Marian Day of Prayer**: at Convocation Hall, U of T, 31 Kings College Circle. The event features an exhibition of the Shroud of Turin by the Fraternity of the Holy Face including an exact replica of the Shroud of Turin. For tickets/information: (416)251-4245 or (800) 663-MARY; [www.marianDay.ca](http://www.marianDay.ca)

**May 16 – Mary: Model of Motherhood**: A Marian Celebration for the whole family & evening candlelight procession takes place at The Basilian Marian Shrine of Gratitude, 3100 Weston Road (at Sheppard). For Information please call 416-654-9810.

**May 23 (10 – 2 p.m.)– Holy Name of Mary College School Open House**: Location 2241 Mississauga Rd. Details: [www.holynameofmarycollegeschool.com](http://www.holynameofmarycollegeschool.com)

**June 13 (9 a.m. to 5 p.m.) – Seeing with the Heart**: a Day of Reflection for Catholic Parents of Lesbian Daughters and Gay Sons at Scarboro Missions, 2685 Kingston Road. Lunch is included. For brochures & information, call John Montague at 416-523-6449.

**INVITATION FROM SR. SUSAN MORAN**  
**SUNDAY, MAY 24 FROM 3 – 4 P.M.**

Sr. Susan is inviting family and friends of the Out of the Cold program to take part in an hour of gratitude through prayer and music at the Newman Centre, 89 St. George Street. All are welcome. For information, please Sr. Susan Moran at 416-926-1621.

**Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**5:00 p.m.** Deceased members of the Shwaluk & Kirkwood Families (+)

Requested by Eleanore Kirkwood

**Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**8:00 a.m.** Holy Rosary Parishioners

**9:30 a.m.** Diane Csanadi (+)

Requested by M. A. Radovan

**11:00 a.m.** Mary Bruce (+) & Monnie Bruce (+)

Requested by Family

**12:30 p.m.** Michael Erdman (+)

Requested by Mother

**Monday, May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**12:10 p.m.** Katherine Fleming (+)

Requested by Anne-Marie Fleming

**Tuesday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**12:10 p.m.** In Thanksgiving

Requested by Amelie Wong

**Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**12:10 p.m.** Frank Sullivan (+)

Requested by Kevin Sullivan

**Thursday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**12:10 p.m.** Bonifacio Clarito Sr. (+)

Requested by Amy Clarito

**Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**12:10 p.m.** Tenie Zucena in Thanksgiving

Requested by Liana Tedtokusumo

**Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**5:00 p.m.** Maurice Bondy (+)

Requested by Alma Sternik

**Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**8:00 a.m.** Holy Rosary Parishioners

**9:30 a.m.** Pauline Holmes (+)

Requested by M. A. Radovan

**11:00 a.m.** Robert Theodore (+)

Requested by Marilyn Theodore & Family

**12:30 p.m.** Maria Agatha Purwadaria (+)

Requested by Liang K. Tan