

HOLY ROSARY PARISH
TORONTO, ONTARIO
Second Sunday of Easter

A NOTE OF THANKS

ON BEHALF OF THE ENTIRE PARISH, Father Chui and the pastoral team extend a heartfelt "thank you" to the individuals and groups who made our Triduum and Easter liturgies especially beautiful this year: the choirs, the flower guild, the ushers, the lectors, the Eucharistic ministers, the altar servers, the special-events committee and other volunteers. You did much to make our solemn festivals meaningful and moving for everyone.

Baptism Preparation



The next Baptism Preparation class will take place on **Saturday, May 29 (1 to 3 p.m.)**. Parents requesting baptism for their child must have been parishioners of Holy Rosary for at least three months and be practising Catholics. Contact Lindsay at 416-923-8471.



SHARELIFE . . .

Christ's resurrection fills our hearts with wonder, love and joy; the many organizations supported by ShareLife bring that joy to the needy of the Archdiocese. **Silent Voice**, for instance, serves the deaf—children, youth and adults—and their families in an approach grounded in Catholic values. Your donation makes it possible for **Silent Voice** and other such organizations to continue their good work. A complete list of these organizations can be found in the brochure at the entrances of the church.

2nd ShareLife collection – April 25, 2010

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Ideas

"The Priest of Spring"

The Resurrection is the defining event of Christianity. As such it has excited the interest and the imagination of Christians over the centuries. In this week's IDEAS, the famous Catholic writer G.K. Chesterton examines its significance in a typically ingenious fashion.

Consult IDEAS on the parish website:
www.holyrosary.ca.

EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

The Welcome Committee and Development & Peace will co-host A LIGHT LUNCH followed by DIRT! THE MOVIE on Sunday, April 25, 2010 from 12 to 2 p.m.

The film shares the stories of experts from all over the world who study and are able to harness the beauty and power of a respectful and mutually beneficial relationship with soil.

Every parishioner is invited. We extend a special invitation to our many new parishioners who have joined us in 2009/10. Cost: \$5.00 (for lunch). Please call Anneliese at 416-964-1462 for further information and to order lunch.

HOLY ROSARY DISCUSSION CLUB
"BOOKS AND MOVIES"

Meetings are held on Wednesday evenings from 7:30-8:30 p.m. in room 1, Holy Rosary Parish Hall. Everyone is welcome. Currently we are reading G.K. Chesterton's *The Innocence of Father Brown*. For more information consult the parish web page or telephone Father Callam at the parish office.

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY 2010

The rally will be held on Saturday, April 24, from 8:00 a.m. till 6:30 p.m. Among those featured will be his Grace, Archbishop Collins. Also present will be Marcus Grodi and Teresa Tomeo (from EWTN), Ralph Martin, Sister Ann Shields and Peter Herbeck. Events will include confession and Mass, and a separate youth event. For tickets and more information please go to www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.org. You may telephone 416-251-4255 or 905-270-2510. The mailing address is: Catholic Renewal Ministries; 5845 Yonge Street; P.O. Box 45018; Toronto, ON; M2M 3V0.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

At 2 p.m. on April 11, the second Sunday of Easter, designated by Pope John Paul II as Divine Mercy Sunday, there will be devotions at Saint Patrick's Parish in Makham. For more information, contact parish@stppatrick.on.ca or telephone 905-294-5955.

SEEDS OF HOPE

A reflection on the spiritual writings of Henri J. M. Nouwen will take place from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 10 at The Gathering Place, 186 Floyd Ave., Toronto. The topic: **"BEFRIENDING DEATH: LIVING IN THE LIGHT OF THE RESURRECTION"** Admission is \$30—or a free-will offering.

Briefly Bin

Bible Classes take place on **Thur. at 7:30 p.m.** Please call the office at 416-923-8471 for the location.

Development & Peace meetings: The next meeting will be on Apr. 19 in the Parish Hall, room 4 at **7:30 p.m.**

Holy Rosary Charismatic Prayer Group: meets every **Thur. at 7:30 p.m.** in the Parish Hall, room 2.

Tagalog Mass: celebrated at Holy Rosary Church at 6 p.m. on the **fourth Sun.** of each month. The next Mass will be on **April 25.** The Joy of the Lord Prayer Group meets every **Sun. at 5 p.m.**

Apr. 14 (7:30 p.m.) R.C.I.A. – Mass of Thanksgiving: at St. Michael's Cathedral. His Grace, Archbishop Thomas Collins will preside and preach at this Eucharist of thanksgiving.

Apr. 14 (Wednesdays from 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.) – Exploring Jewish Ethics: at Scarboro Missions, 2685 Kingston Road, Scarborough. Rabbi Baruch Frydman-Kohl, Senior Rabbi, Beth Tzedec Congregation, Toronto, will talk about Jewish Ethics and Family Life.

Apr. 20, 27, May 4, 11 (7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.) God, Sex and the Meaning of Life Workshop: at St. Dunstan's Parish, Scarborough. Admission is free; a study guide is \$10 (optional). Discover why God created man as male and female. Everyone welcome, bring a friend. For information, contact Rose Heron at 905-683-9055 or Jan Noonan at 905-420-8696. The e-mail address: stbreg@gmail.com. You may also wish to consult the group's web page at: www.godsexandthemeaningoflife.com.

Employment Workshops Saint Philip Neri Church, in partnership with Catholic Family Services, is offering a series of EMPLOYMENT WORKSHOPS for those who have been laid off and are struggling to find work. Please call the parish office for exact dates and times: 416-241-3101.

Spring Fling: Dinner Dance: Sat. May 8, starting at 6 p.m., sponsored by the Knights of Columbus at Saint Timothy's Church (21 Leith Hill Road, Toronto). Dress: formal; cost: \$25 per person. Seats are limited, so please book as soon as possible. For tickets and more information telephone Lalit Lobo at 416-494-4227, Gabriel Lobo at 416-493-8721, or Stephen Lewis at 416-499-8705.

VOCATIONS

Thomas believed because he saw Jesus. What will it take for you to respond to God's call to priesthood or consecrated life? If you feel that God may be calling you, contact Fr. Hansoo Park at 416-968-0997.

e-mail: vocations@vocations.ca.

web page: www.vocationstoronto.ca

**Saturday, April 10, 2010**

5:00 p.m. David Morris (+) & Family
Requested by Jennifer & Edwin Chiu

Sunday, April 11, 2010

8:00 a.m. Holy Rosary Parishioners

9:30 a.m. Mary Davis (+)

Requested by Joanne Davis

11:00 a.m. Deceased Family Members (+)

Requested by Diana Quon

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

Requested by Mother

Monday, April 12, 2010

12:10 p.m. Colette Moher (+)

Requested by Development and Peace

Tuesday, April 13, 2010

12:10 p.m. Ignatius de Souza (+)

Requested by Ivan de Souza

Wednesday, April 14, 2010

12:10 p.m. Frank & Helena Lukac (+)

Requested by Theresa Lukac

Thursday, April 15, 2010

12:10 p.m. Special Intention

Friday, April 16, 2010

12:10 p.m. Special Intention

Saturday, April 17, 2010

5:00 p.m. Dr. & Mrs. Knowlton (+)

Requested by Knowlton Family

Sunday, April 18, 2010

8:00 a.m. Holy Rosary Parishioners

9:30 a.m. Comilia Abenojar (+)

Requested by Gloria Aliwalas & Tessie Abenojar

11:00 a.m. Virginia DeLeon (+)

Requested by the Family

12:30 p.m. Dr. & Mrs. Knowlton (+)

Requested by Knowlton Family

Extended Schedule for Masses

Monday to Friday – 7:15 am; Saturdays & Holidays – 9am
(Marian door entrance – northwest corner of the Church)