

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

*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 be parishioners of Holy Rosary for at least three months and practising their faith. Contact Lindsay at 416-923-8471.

**KEY DATES FOR CONFIRMATION**

- May 6: Retreat, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. in the Parish Hall;
- May 12: Rehearsal, 7 p.m. in the Church;
- May 13: Mass, 7 p.m. in the Church (arrive at 6:30 p.m.).



**The wonders of self-worth . . .** "Our Place has changed my life by my being more self-confident and able to do volunteering, able to work behind the counter and serve others. The staff here

have always been helpful and they always encourage me to be able to accomplish, giving me a sense of self-worth. I like *Our Place* because it allows me to meet new people and keep in touch with my old friends. . . . I am more confident in knowing how to deal with people and their different backgrounds."

—As written by Mike, who sought help at *Our Place* Community of Hope, a ShareLife-funded agency.

**3<sup>rd</sup> ShareLife Collection – May 31, 2010**  
**You can work WONDERS!**

**Ideas**

**"Blessed Marie of the Incarnation: A Canadian Mystic"**

Last Friday, April 30, was the feast of Blessed Marie of the Incarnation (1599-1672), who came to Canada from France in 1639. In this week's IDEAS Father Charles Principe, C.S.B., of Saint Michael's College, describes her legacy and its significance in his review of a biography by Pierre Gervais, S.J. IDEAS on the parish website — [www.holyrosary.ca](http://www.holyrosary.ca)



**Colombian jewellery made from "tagua"** will be on sale at today's COFFEE SUNDAY.

**Today, May 2**, at 8 p.m., Salt + Light Television will feature a talk between Fr. Thomas Rosica and Luke Stocking, the Central Ontario animator for Development and Peace, about the work of this Canadian Catholic aid agency, as well as what draws a young man to dedicate his life to helping others.

**SAVE THE DATE:** The next training session for new **ALTAR SERVERS** will take place **Wednesday, May 26** from 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. in the Church. All young people in grade 4 and higher are welcome to attend training, *including those who will be in grade 4 in September*. Call Lindsay at 416-923-8471 for more information.

**"CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK  
- REJOICING IN HOPE"**

Catholic Education Week will be celebrated from May 2 to May 7th. This year's theme comes from St. Paul's letter to the Philippians: **"Rejoice in the Lord always . . . and the God of peace will be with you."** (Phil 4:4-9). During this week, Holy Rosary School along with other Catholic schools will be celebrating the gift of Catholic Education with special prayers and presentations. We ask that the Parish continue to pray for our Catholic schools, that they may be marked by God's hope and joy.



**CHURCHES ON-THE-HILL**  
presents  
**THE EVE OF ASCENSION  
A CELEBRATION IN WORD AND  
SONG**

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 2010 (7:30 p.m.)**  
at Yorkminster Park Baptist Church  
1585 Yonge St., Toronto

An evening of hymns, anthems and prayers with the laity, clergy and combined choirs of the 9 COTH churches

Preacher: Rev. William G. Ingram,  
Sr. Minister, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church  
An offering will be received for the Churches-on-the-Hill Foodbank.  
Please plan to attend!

## Roses for Mother's Day



The Catholic Women's League and ShareLife will be selling roses after all the Masses next Sunday, Mother's Day. Here is an opportunity to honour your mother--and all those other "mothers" in your life.

### NEIGHBOURHOOD INTERFAITH DINNER

Rabbi Baruch Frydman-Kohl, Senior Rabbi from Beth Tzedec Congregation will speak at the dinner on **SOME FAITHFUL REFLECTIONS ON REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS**; Thursday, May 6; reception at 5:45 p.m. Location: Temple Sinai, 210 Wilson Avenue (Wilson Ave., E of Bathurst St.); [www.templestinai.net](http://www.templestinai.net). Tickets are \$50. Please contact Holy Rosary Church office at 416-923-8471 or e-mail Deacon Daniel G. Gana at [danielgana@holyroary.ca](mailto:danielgana@holyroary.ca).

### CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

When children need us, we need you! The Catholic Children's Aid Society of Toronto has an urgent need for foster families of all races, cultures and languages. We have a particular need for foster homes in the Filipino, Spanish, Portuguese, Vietnamese, French, African and West Indian communities. Please call CCAS at 416-395-1500 or visit our website at [www.torontoccas.org](http://www.torontoccas.org).

### 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 **May 17<sup>th</sup>** 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:** The May Mass will be on **May 23<sup>rd</sup>** at 6 p.m. After May's Mass, there will be no more Masses until further notice. The Joy of the Lord Prayer Group holds regular prayer meetings on **Sun. at 5 p.m.**

**The Catholic Women's League's** Line Dancing sessions will be held in our Parish Hall on Thursdays (6:30 – 8:00 p.m.) and, beginning April 25, on Sundays (1:30 – 3:00 p.m.) For more information, please call Amy Domingo at 416-654-6415.

**May 14 – 16 – Marriage Encounter:** for married couples; the event offers the privacy, hospitality and program that inspire couples to continue exploring their lives together. For information, call 416-694-1742 or register at Queen of Apostles: 905-278-5229.

**May 29 (2:00– 3:30 p.m.) – Art, Religion and the Spiritual:** a lecture by Fr. Dan Donovan at St. Michael's College, Room 400, Muzzo Family Alumni Hall, 121 St Joseph St. For more information, call 416-926-2339; or visit [www.utoronto.ca/stmikes/alumn-dev](http://www.utoronto.ca/stmikes/alumn-dev).

### FAITH CONNECTIONS' THEOLOGY ON TAP

On Monday, **May 17** at 7 p.m., young adults (19-39) are invited to a discussion on "*Risking God: Living the Sacramental Life.*" Location: Duke of York Pub, 39 Prince Arthur Ave., Toronto. Please call 416-222-1426, X276 or visit [www.faithconnections.ca](http://www.faithconnections.ca).



#### Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010

**5:00 p.m.** In thanksgiving for favours, blessings, and good health & for living and deceased members of the Cantor-Ambre families

Requested by Mr. & Mrs. Chris Ambre

#### Sunday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2010

**8:00 a.m.** Sheila Shotton (+)

Requested by Belinda Morin

**9:30 a.m.** Holy Rosary Parishioners

**11:00 a.m.** Ivy and Walter Lazaro (+)

Requested by Their daughter Loretta Lazaro

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

Requested by Mother

#### Monday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2010

**12:10 p.m.** Peggy Delaney(+)

Requested by Michael & Eithne Heffernan & Family

#### Tuesday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2010

**12:10 p.m.** Out of the Cold home cooks, students & adult volunteers and clients of OOTC program at Holy Rosary

Requested by Co-ordinators Jackie Jensen & Linda Russell

#### Wednesday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2010

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

Requested by Theresa & Family

#### Thursday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2010

**12:10 p.m.** Peace of mind for the family of Bobo Li

Requested by Roca

#### Friday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2010

**12:10 p.m.** Helen Spencer (+)

Requested by Pierre Ouellet

#### Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2010

**5:00 p.m.** 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Assunta & Ciro Faiella

Requested by Joanne Di Rocco

#### Sunday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2010

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

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

Requested by Joanne Davis

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

Requested by Family

**12:30 p.m.** Cicelio (+), Paula Rosalia (+) & Narciso Nuevo

Requested by Adelaida De Leon & Family