



## Mass Intentions For the Week

### Monday, March 9

8:00 am † Krisztina Sturm (*Behon Family*)

### Tuesday, March 10

7:15 pm † Barbara Joan Nelson (*Willenberg Family*)

### Wednesday, March 11

8:00 am † Angelita Galicia (*Margaret David*)

### Thursday, March 12

8:00 am † Dorothy & Claude King (*Daphne King*)

### Friday, March 13

8:00 am

7:15 pm † Armando Galvao (*Galvao Family*)

### Saturday, March 14

9:00 am For the People

5:00 pm † Rosie Bonanno (*Bonnano Family*)

### Sunday, March 15

10:00 am † Krisztina Sturm (*Margaret David*)

11:30 am † Giovanni & Rosaria Cornacchia  
(*Carmelo Cornacchia & Family*)

1:00 pm Traditional Latin Mass

### Let Us Pray

#### *For Our Sick*

Esp. Phoebe Rupp, Marjorie Franker, Nancy Lea, Geraldine Barrier, Corrine MacGrath, Beverly Elliot, Mary Abbott, Chelsea Rabago, Nicomedes Dres & Juanito Villanueva

#### *For Our Deceased*

Esp. Gina Villalon-Pobre, Mildred Briddie, Ruben Ozoa, Krisztina Sturm, Armando Galvao



### Lenten Friday Mass & Stations of the Cross

Starts at 7:15 PM

Request for mass intentions are accepted.



### Dates to Remember

March 14 – Lenten Day of Reflection

March 15 – Parish Council Meeting

March 18 – Healing Mass

March 28 – Confirmation Class

March 29 – ShareLife Sunday – First Offering

March 29 – Family Gathering - First Communicants

### Healing Mass

March 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm. Confessions at 7:00 pm

Celebrant: Rev. Fr. John Baskaran

## Daily Lenten Reflections

### Monday of the Second Week:

*Now the chief priests and the whole council were looking for testimony against Jesus to put him to death; but they found none. For many gave false testimony against him, and their testimony did not agree. Mark 14:55-56*

**Pray:** Sometimes I pretend to be innocent and free of any guilt, but, Jesus, you really were. Help me to be honest with you and truthful in all I do and say.

### Tuesday of the Second Week:

*Some stood up and gave false testimony against him, saying, "We heard him say, 'I will destroy this temple that is made with hands, and in three days, I will build another, not made with hands.'" But even on this point, their testimony did not agree. Mark 14:57-59*

**Reflect:** What are the truths that make me most uncomfortable? Do I understand why?

### Wednesday of the Second Week:

*Then the high priest stood up before them and asked Jesus, "Have you no answer? What is it that they testify against you?" But he was silent and did not answer. Again the high priest asked him, "Are you the Messiah, the Son of the Blessed One?" Mark 14:60-61*

**Pray:** Dear Jesus, I want to seek you in sincerity, but sometimes I'm more interested in comfortable answers than in your Word. Please help me to accept even the difficult truths of my life.

### Thursday of the Second Week:

*Jesus said, "I am; and you will see the Son of Man seated at the right hand of the hand of Power, and coming with the clouds of heaven." Then the high priest tore his clothes and said, "Why do we still need witnesses? You have heard his blasphemy! What is your decision?" All of them condemned him as deserving death. Mark 14:62-64*

**Pray:** The Psalmist gave us a prayer for every day of Lent: "If today you hear God's voice, harden not your hearts."

### Friday of the Second Week:

*Some began to spit on him, to blindfold him, and to strike him, saying to him, "Prophesy!" The guards also took him over and beat him. Mark 14:65*

**Pray:** Lord, heal me of the abuse I have endured and forgive me for any cruelty I have been a party to. Heal all victims of abuse, especially children, and change the hearts of those who cause others to suffer.

### Saturday of the Second Week:

*While Peter was below in the courtyard, one of the servant-girls of the high priest came by. When she saw Peter warming himself, she stared at him and said, "You also were with Jesus, the man from Nazareth." But he denied it, saying, "I do not know or understand what you are talking about." ...Then the cock crowed. Mark 14:66-68*

**Reflect:** Someone you know could benefit from hearing about your relationship to Jesus. Next time you get the chance, tell him or her.

---- Excerpts from *Keeping Watch with Jesus* by Mark Neilsen

### Choir Volunteers Wanted!

We are inviting parishioners to **join the Choir during the Easter Triduum masses.** We need volunteers to actively lead in singing the liturgical music during **any one** of the Triduum masses, namely, **Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil on Saturday, and Easter Sunday.** Rehearsals are scheduled every Thursday from 7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. For more information, please call Claudio or Ania at 416-264-2081.

### Community Events

#### 40 Days for Life Campaign

**March 15<sup>th</sup>, 3:00 pm, St. Charles Borromeo Church**  
Join the **mid point Rally** of the 40 Days for Life Campaign in Toronto and participate in the Mass for the Unborn celebrated by Archbishop Thomas Collins. For more information, please contact Campaign Life Coalition at 416-204-9749 or email [clc@lifesite.net](mailto:clc@lifesite.net).

#### St. Patrick's Day Mass

**March 17<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am at St. Michael's Cathedral**  
Principal Celebrant is Archbishop Thomas Collins. Also in attendance will be His Excellency, Mr. Declan Kelly, Irish Ambassador to Canada. Liturgical music will be provided by the Irish Coral Society.

#### St. Joseph's Day Latin High Mass

**March 19<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 pm at Holy Cross Church**  
For more information please contact Fr. Howard Venette at 416-421-5225 or [www.fssptoronto.com](http://www.fssptoronto.com).

#### Lenten Meditations 2009 Series

**Wednesdays, 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm**  
**Scarboro Missions at 2685 Kingston Road**  
March 11: *Reflection on St. Teresa of Avila Part 1*  
By Nada Conic, Univ. of Toronto, Manresa  
March 18: *Reflection on St. Teresa of Avila Part 2*

#### Living with Separation and Divorce

**Thursdays, 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm (March 5 – May 14)**  
**1155 Yonge Street (Yonge & Summerhill)**  
Catholic Family Services of Toronto is offering a 10-week group program for adult men and women who are dealing with the many struggles involved in the process of separation and divorce. Participants will receive support and guidance as they navigate this difficult period of transition. For more information, call Ian Singer at 416-921-1163.

#### Reminder

Quite a number of **Donation/Tax Receipts** have not yet been claimed. Don't forget to pick them up from the table behind the last pew on the south side.

### Jubilee Corner



#### Lenten Day of Reflection

**Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup>, Parish Hall, 9 am – 3 pm**

**Speaker: Fr. Gerard Fleming, C.S.S.R.**

Cost is \$15 inclusive of lunch and materials. To reserve a seat, please call Bruce Burry at 416-724-9894 or the parish office. Seats are limited.

#### 75<sup>th</sup> Jubilee Monthly Mass:

➤ **Sunday, March 15<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 am Mass**

**Celebrant: FR. GERARD SHERRY**

*Scarboro Foreign Missions*

The Mass will be followed by light refreshments and fellowship in the Parish Hall. Everyone is invited!

#### Grazie!

A big thank you to all who made our 75<sup>th</sup> Jubilee affair last Saturday, dubbed “*An Evening in Assisi*” a great success. Some 130 people savored the pasta, and meatballs, while enjoying the Italian music and the company of friends, old and new. Our appreciation goes to the Women’s Group and the Knights of Columbus for organizing, setting up and cooking. Also, thank you to the students of Neil McNeil CHS, for volunteering to serve us.



**It's a wonder children in isolated regions receive sacramental training...**

“Last year, we approached **Pastoral Mission Fund** with an application requesting financial help for a faith formation program at Govindapuram mission parish (India). On the concluding day, the Holy Eucharist was celebrated by our bishop. He administered the sacrament of Confirmation on 64 children. It was a memorable day for our people, especially the children. This was all possible because of your generous contribution. Thank you.”

— Fr. Kanmury Niranjan  
St. Mary's Church, Govindapuram

**Our Parish Goal this year, assigned by the ShareLife Office, is \$36,800.**

**ShareLife Sunday – March 29, 2009**

*You can work wonders.*