

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER – May 4<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Mass  for the Intentions  for the Week

**NOTE: There will be NO MASS TODAY Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup> to Thursday May 9<sup>th</sup>.**

**Fr. Gerard is away at the Priest retreat**

**Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am** *Soul of Jose Barcena*

Req. by: Teresa & Pastor Alvaro

**Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup>,**

**5:00 pm** *People of the Parish*

**SUNDAY, May 12<sup>th</sup>,**

**9:00 am** *Soul of Daniel Ciardullo*

Req. by: Lucy & Mario Ciardullo

**11:00 am** *A Personal Intention*

**PLEASE NOTE:**

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON THURS. MAY 9<sup>th</sup>.**

**THE CHURCH WILL NOT BE OPENED FOR PRIVATE PRAYER THIS WEEK.**



**PRAY FOR THE SICK**

**Dianne Gordon, Daniel Berardi, Olier Caron, Fran Pelletier, Gladys Turton, Steffan**

**Brunette, Cindy Steffoff, Frank Ethier, Margaret Swindells, Susan, Nolan Davis, Fr. Joseph Rodrigues, Ricki Keyzers, Bill Paterson, Patrick Kellachan, Karen Larocque, Jim Roche & Reine Assinck .... Also please pray for those who take care of them.**



**DEVOTIONS TO OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP**

Every Wednesday after 8:30 am Mass. All are welcome.

**May 9, 2024 in Ottawa. Theme of the 2024 National March for Life is "I Will Never Forget You." PRAY THAT HEARTS WILL BE CHANGED**



**Our Sanctuary Lamp burns For the Good Health of Carmel Johnston**



**POPES PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND – MAY 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

These funds are passed on to the Holy Father for immediate response in countries stricken by war, famine and natural disasters. The Pope’s Pastoral Works displays Christ’s love and compassion for people in desperate need. Please give generously



**ShareLife: Live the Gospel by supporting our vulnerable brothers and sisters** - The next ShareLife Sunday is June 2, 2024 and we call upon your compassionate hearts to support ShareLife. Through your love, Catholic agencies bring the hands of Christ to the most vulnerable members of our community. **To-date we have raised \$20,044.10 toward our parish goal of \$33,500.** Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate). **Thank you for living the Gospel through ShareLife!**

**CONFIRMATION 2024**

Please pray for the children of our parish who will receive their Confirmation this weekend. Congratulations and may God bless you all.

**INTERNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS SEPT 8-15, 2024**



**Join the Archdiocese of Toronto Delegation! This year’s event will take place in Quito, Ecuador from September 8-15, 2024. Limited spaces are available for pilgrims from the Archdiocese of Toronto to join with other Canadian delegates to travel to Ecuador. To learn more about the pilgrimage, visit [www.archtoronto.org/iec](http://www.archtoronto.org/iec). Registration deadline is June 6 with early bird pricing available until May 6, 2024**

**Fr. Gerard crowned Our Blessed Mother on May 2<sup>nd</sup>.**

*May is a special month in our Catholic tradition to celebrate the “Queen of Heaven”*



**SUMMER PARTY**



**SUMMER SOIREE**

The Knights of Columbus cordially invite you to join us for an unforgettable Summer Soirée Church Dance on June 8th at Sacred Heart Church Hall! Indulge in delicious cuisine from Anina’s Bakery, dance to lively music by a professional DJ, and enjoy the fellowship of our church community. **Don't miss out on this opportunity for fun and celebration! Tickets are available after Mass until May 25<sup>th</sup>**

**COMMUNITY SOUP KITCHEN WED. MAY 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

Please join us for a hot delicious lunch at St. Andrew Chalmers Church this Wednesday, May 8th from noon to 1pm. Pay by donation, all proceeds go the Loaves and Fishes Food Bank.



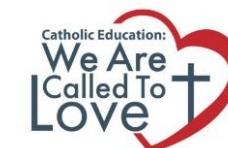
**MENTAL HEALTH SUNDAY – MAY 5**

Mental Health in the Faith Communities Awareness Sunday throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto. This day is intended to raise awareness in our parish communities of the importance of mental health, how we need to look after it and how important it is to get help if we are struggling. Increasing awareness helps people living with mental health issues to feel less alone. Visit <https://www.archtoronto.org/mentalhealth>

The greatest love story that ever happened: God’s continuing love for His people. All God asks is “Love one another as I have loved you”. The world really needs to see people who are trying to love others with all their hearts. Priests, religious and deacons can be excellent examples of this love. If you are willing to answer God’s call to be a priest, religious or deacon, Visit [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)

**JESUS NEEDS YOU, DON'T SAY NO!**  
*Vocations Are Everybody's Business*

Catholic Education Week 2024 begins on Sunday, May 5, 2024. This year’s Catholic Education Week theme is, “We are called to love.” The Durham Catholic schools in our parish will engage in a series of events to celebrate the ongoing gift of publicly funded Catholic education. You are invited to learn about the various celebrations that are happening by visiting our website at [cdcsb.ca/CatholicEducationWeek](http://cdcsb.ca/CatholicEducationWeek). Publicly funded Catholic education has existed in Ontario since 1841 and its graduates have served Ontario and Canada very well. The current generation of students in our publicly funded Catholic schools will serve with the same spirit and generosity as their previous generations.



Year of Prayer Video In advance of the Jubilee Year taking place in 2025, the archdiocese has created a video series which will highlight the importance of prayer in our lives. The series will focus on the seven petitions of the Lord’s Prayer as found in the fourth part of the Catechism of the Catholic Church. The first video, an introduction to the Year of Prayer by Archbishop Leo, is available for viewing now on the archdiocesan website as well as on the archdiocesan YouTube channel at <http://www.youtube.com/@archtoronto>

