

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS:

AA Group

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament Altar Servers Altar Society Baptism Team **Bingo Volunteers** Catholic Family Services https://cfssc.ca/locations/barrie/ Catholic Women's League Coordinator of Deaf Ministry Decorations Development and Peace Elim Prayer Group Eucharistic Ministers Evangelization Finance Council Holy Rosary Society/Polish **Kids Help Phone** Knights of Columbus Lectors: Polish Lectors Marriage Encounter M.E.R.C.Y. Gr. 1-4 Ministry of the Sick & shut-ins "Open in the Spirit" Prayer Group Out of the Cold Parish Library Parish Council Polish Liaison Committee R.C. I. A. Sacraments Sacristians / Liturgy Committee School Rosary Apostolate Screening Committee Serra Club Shared Ride – City of Barrie St. Mary's Cemetery St. Vincent de Paul – holyspirit.stvdp@gmail.com Ushers Polish Ushers Youth Ministry

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday –Thursday 9:00am–4:00 pm Friday - closed Rectory: 22 Wildflower Crt., Barrie, Ont. L4N 4G3

MASSES

Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 noon (Polish)

Weekday Masses: Tuesday 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday 9:00 a.m. Thursday 7 p.m. (Polish) Friday 9:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation: First Friday 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. Saturday 4:00 – 4:45 p.m. or by appointment Baptism: Please contact Deacon Stephen Booth (705) 896-7729 or 705-722-3771 ext.3 sa.booth@rogers.com Marriage: Please contact us at least one year prior to marriage The Anointing of the Sick: Please notify the Parish Priest or the Parish Office

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FIRST COMMUNION

We thank those families who were part of our Corpus Christi procession. A reminder about the upcoming Mass on Tuesday June 4th @ 7pm for all families who celebrated First Communion this year. An opportunity to come and celebrate together, get a group picture and receive certificates.

CONFIRMATION

Over the next few weeks June 1/8 we will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation with candidates from our parish at the 5pm Mass. Please continue to pray for them in the final weeks of preparation.



GRADUATION MASS

We invite everyone to a Mass on Monday June 10 @ 7pm . Grade 8 students from all of our parish schools will be gathering to celebrate their graduation. We ask you to pray for them and their families.

WALKING PILGRIMAGE

This year our theme is "LORD TEACH US TO PRAY" The pilgrimage will take place from August 5-11. A group from our Parish is being formed and they will leave on Tuesday August 6. Come out for one day , or join the pilgrimage for the whole week, More information will be given in the coming weeks. To register pleased go to www.pielgrzymka.ca

VACATION BIBLE CAMP (MARK YOUR CALENDARS)

We are happy to announce our Vacation Bible Camp-COME TO THE TABLE. This is open to all children ages 4-10. July 8th-12th 9:00-12:30 pm. Great activities, prayer time, story time, and lots of snacks. We are inviting a \$60 donation to cover the costs of materials. Please use the following link to Register: COME TO THE TABLE **REGISTRATION. (ONLINE). Volunteers** are also needed, (high school students, university students) We need help with activities as well as with snacks. Contact John for more information.

CYCLE OF CATECHESIS. VICES AND VIRTUES. FORTITUDE

Dear brothers and sisters, good morning! Today's catechesis is dedicated to the third of the cardinal virtues, namely *fortitude*. Let us begin with the description given in the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* : "Fortitude is the moral virtue that ensures firmness in difficulties and constancy in the pursuit of the good. It strengthens the resolve to resist temptations and to overcome obstacles in the moral life. The virtue of fortitude enables one to conquer fear, even fear of death, and to face trials and persecutions" (1808). This is what the Catechism of the Catholic Church says about the virtue of fortitude. Ancient thought did not imagine a man without passions: he would be a stone. And passions are not necessarily the residue of a sin; but they must be educated, they must be channelled, they must be purified with the water of Baptism, or better with the fire of the Holy Spirit. A Christian without courage, who does not turn his own strength to good, who does not bother anyone, is a useless Christian. But let us now look for an existential description of this important virtue that helps us be fruitful in life. The ancients — both the Greek philosophers and Christian theologians — recognized a twofold development in the virtue of fortitude: one passive, another active.

The first is directed within ourselves. There are internal enemies we must defeat, which go by the name of anxiety, anguish, fear, guilt: all forces that stir in our innermost selves and in some situations paralyse us. How many fighters succumb before they even begin the challenge! Because they are not aware of these internal enemies. Fortitude is first and foremost a victory against ourselves. Most of the fears that arise within us are unrealistic, and do not come true at all. It is better, then, to invoke the Holy Spirit and face everything with patient fortitude: one problem at a time, as we are able, but not alone! The Lord is with us, if we trust in him and sincerely seek the good. Then in every situation we can count on God's providence which shields and armours us. And then there is the second movement of the virtue of fortitude, this time of a

more active nature. In addition to internal trials, there are external enemies, which are life's *trials*, persecutions, difficulties that we did not expect and that surprise us. Indeed, we can try to predict what will happen to us, but to a large extent reality is made up of imponderable events, and in this sea sometimes our boat is tossed about by the waves. Fortitude, then, makes us resilient sailors, who are not frightened or discouraged. Fortitude is a fundamental virtue because it *takes the challenge of evil in the world*

seriously. Some pretend it does not exist, that everything is going fine, that human will is not sometimes blind, that dark forces that bring death do not lurk in history. But it suffices to leaf through a history book, or unfortunately even the newspapers, to discover the nefarious deeds of which we are partly victims and partly perpetrators: wars, violence, slavery, oppression of the poor, wounds that have never healed and continue to bleed. The virtue of fortitude makes us react and cry out "no", an emphatic "no" to all of this. In our comfortable Western world, which has watered everything down somewhat, which has transformed the pursuit of perfection into a simple organic development, which has no need for struggle because everything looks the same, we sometimes feel a healthy nostalgia for prophets. But disruptive, visionary people are very rare. There is a need for someone who can rouse us from the soft place in which we have lain down and make us resolutely repeat our "no" to evil and to everything that leads to indifference. "No" to evil and "no" to indifference; "yes" to progress, to the path that moves us forward, and for this we must fight. Let us therefore rediscover in the Gospel Jesus' fortitude, and learn it from the witness of the

saints. Thank you! JUNE - THE MONTH TO HONOR THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

The Practice of the First Fridays

The pious practice of the first Fridays of the month derives from the "great promises" made by Jesus to St. Margaret Mary. At a time when sacramental communion was very rare among the faithful, the first Friday devotion contributed significantly to a renewed use of the Sacraments of Penance and of the Holy Eucharist. In our own times, the devotion to the first

Fridays, even if practiced correctly, may not always lead to the desired spiritual fruits. Hence, the faithful require constant instruction so that any reduction of the practice to mere

credulity is avoided and an active faith encouraged so that the faithful may undertake their commitment to the Gospel correctly in their lives. They should also be reminded of the absolute preeminence of Sunday, the "primordial feast" (*Sacrosanctum Concilium*), which should be marked by the full participation of the faithful at the celebration of the Holy Mass.

Twelve Promises of Jesus to Saint Margaret Mary. In the apparitions to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Jesus gives these twelve promises for

those who are devoted to His Sacred Heart.

- I will give them all the graces necessary for their state of life. 1.
- 2.
- I will establish peace in their families. I will console them in all their troubles
- 3. 4. They shall find in My Heart an assured refuge during life and especially at the hour of their death.
- I will over abundant blessings on all their undertakings. Sinners shall find in My Heart the source of an infinite ocean of mercy. 5. 6.
- Tepid souls shall become fervent. Fervent souls shall speedily rise to great perfection. 7. 8.
- I will bless the homes where an image of My Heart shall be exposed and honored. I will give to priests the power of touching the most hardened hearts. 9.
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- Those who propagate this devotion shall have their names written in My Heart, 11. never to be effaced.
- 12. The all-powerful love of My Heart will grant to all those who shall receive Communion on the First Friday of nine consecutive months the grace of final repentance; they shall not die under my displeasure, nor without receiving their Sacraments; My heart shall be their assured refuge

at that last hour.

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

R. I will take the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord.

LOVER OF THE EUCHARIST

Carlo Acutis, an Italian teenager and computer prodigy who earned the nickname "God's influencer," is set to become the Catholic Church's first millennial saint, that called **the Eucharist his "highway to heaven**."From his adolescence, Carlo prayed the rosary daily and in addition to other devotions, frequently spent time in Eucharistic adoration. He said **when "we face the sun we become tan... but**

when we place ourselves in front of the Eucharistic Jesus we become saints."



ROSARY APOSTOLATE

Are you willing to dedicate 2 hours a month to pray the Rosary with school children at schools? If yes please contact Anne Gariepy at 705-305-0911.

PRAYER REQUEST FOR:

Esther, John, Piotr, Randall, Włodzimierz, Neil, Rocky, Nina, Ela, Louise, Zofia, Kasia, Mary, Mirosława, Stefania, Teresa, Donna, Franio, Angela, Juraj, Kazimierz, Cris, Marilyne, Deacon Stephen, Paul-John, Jacob, Volodymyr, Jacek, Mirek, Teresa, Dylan, Jacek, Adelaine, Andrea Emilia, Cáceres, Rios, Alonso, SantaCruz families, Linda, Krysia, Darek, Giovanna, Rose, Jozef, Stan, Jan, George, Jim, Blossom, Andre, Virginia, Tessie,Liviu.

POPE'S FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTION FOR JUNE For Those Fleeing Their Own Countries

Let us pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys fraught with danger and violence, may find welcome and new living opportunities in their host countries.

FAREWELL PARTY FOR FR. BARTEK

As you know, we are saddened with the news of Fr. Bartek leaving Holy Spirit Parish on June 26th. As a way of thanking him, wishing him God's blessing in his new responsibility, and bidding him farewell, there will be a Parish BBQ on Saturday, June 15 after 5 p.m. Mass. Please bring your favorite salad or dessert to share with others. Thank you!

HOLY SPIRIT WALKING GROUP

All Parishioners are invited to join the walk on **Tuesday at 9:30am June 11th** Will meet at the "Southshore Parking lot (by the Lakeshore) – at the bench. This group will walk with you every Tuesday.

NATIONAL "PRIDE" FLAG WALK-OUT DAYS MAY 31st – JUNE 4th!

If you have children in a public or Catholic school where the Pride flag will be flown, you can plan to keep your kids home of the day of the flag raising (May 31 & June 4).



The 27th Annual ShareLife Golf Tournament. On Monday, June 10 at Royal Woodbine Golf Club in

Etobicoke Registration for the Golf Tournament is \$475 per individual and \$1,900 for a foursome. Your registration includes golf, cart, BBQ lunch, snacks, 3 complimentary drink tickets for use on the course or in the club house, and dinner with wine. To confirm your participation, please register or <u>download your registration form</u> at <u>sharelife.org/golf</u>. Tax receipts will be issued for the maximum eligible amount.

Thank you for your contribution to ShareLife -\$19,167.73



MASS INTENTIONS SATURDAY,JUNE 1st 4:00pm Confessions 4:30pm LifeTeen 5:00pm Sunday Mass & Confirmation • For healing & God's blessing for Victoria Cislo-Zdzisława Cisło & family 7:00pm Youth Adoration

CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY, JUNE 2nd ShareLife Collection

8:00am Sunday Mass For Parishioners 10:00am Sunday Mass

† Saverio & Salvatore Strangis-Rose Strangis <u>11:00am CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION</u> 12:00pm Polish Mass



- † Władysława Jackowska-Mira Barcicka
- † Grzegorz Pierzchała-Szpiech family
- † Maria, +Józef Domaradzki-son and family

† Franciszek Zygmunt-Mira Barcicka
† Piotr Kuzma – Maria Czaplewski

- For God's blessing for Maś & Zajkowski families
- For God's bless. for Krystyna Maś-Jenny & Andrzej Mas & fam.
- MONDAY, JUNE 3RD, St. Charles Lwanga & Companions

7:00pm Prayer Group (fpr) TUESDAY, JUNE 4th

7:00pm Daily Mass † Laurenso Thuan Nguyen-Van Huynh

7:00pm Children from First Communion – Group picture

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5th, St. Boniface 8:15am Graduation Mass (at JOA School)

9:00am Daily Mass ◆ For God's blessing for Gavina-Meril & family 12:00 CWL Executive Meeting (r#1) 7:00pm Choir practice (church) 7:00pm K of C (hall)

THURSDAY, JUNE 6th, St. Norbert

7:00pm Polish Mass † Kazimierz Paradiuk-J.Z. Cislo

FIRST FRIDAY, JUNE 7^{th –} All Day & Night Adoration The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priest 9:00am Memorial Mass † Antonio Diadamo-Jiovanna Diadamo 6:30pm Divine Mercy Prayers 7:00pm Daily Mass • For God's blessing & protection for Pawel-family

SATURDAY, JUNE 8th

The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00am Daily Mass

† Anja Ivic-The Rosary Apostolate

4:00pm Confessions

- 5:00pm Sunday Mass & Confirmation
- In thanksgiving for graces received by Tota Family

10TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JUNE 9th Coffee Sunday

- 8:00am Sunday Mass
- † Dao Van Dieu-Thuv Le
- **10:00am Sunday Mass** \blacklozenge For Parishioners

12:00pm Polish Mass

- † Bronisława & Henryk Sepko-family
- † Marianna, Czesława & Franciszek Kurpiewski-Mira Barcicka
- † Pawel Guzik-Bozena Guzik
- † Henry Piekarski-Bialo family
- † Szorc, Zajkowski, Cyzio families
- For God's blessing for Marek Jaszczur on his birthday-family
- •For healing & God's blessing for Zbigniew Patyk-Bialo family
- 3:00pm OSĞ Prayer Group (fpr)

