

FIRST EUCHARIST

"Invited to the Feast"

(Grade 2)

FAMILY DAY

Sunday, April 14, 1:00–3:30 pm
for children celebrating First Communion on
Apr 20 – 21 - 28
(one parent – one child)

CELEBRATIONS

Saturday, April 6, 13, 20 at 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, April 7, 14, 21 at 9:00 & 11:00 am
Sunday, April 28 at 11:00 am

MINISTRY FAIR**– Social Sunday MAY 5th**

If you are interested in joining a ministry or want to find out more information about the many ministries available in our church, please join us in the Parish Centre after the 9:00 and 11:00 am masses on Social Sunday, May 5th. If you have any questions, call Kathie at 905 666-4210.

905.668.5205

lchilderhouse@hotmail.com

Our 2013

SHARELIFE GOAL**\$148,000****750 DONORS****HELP US REACH OUR TARGET**

Together, we can respond to the challenge and reach our goals!

All cheques should be made payable to: ShareLife - St. John the Evangelist Church

You may submit post-dated cheques for your donation, however, these cheques must be dated **no later than July 31, 2013**, as funds are forwarded directly to ShareLife on that date and the Parish Campaign is closed.

Working wonders for people locally and around the world...

Because of ShareLife, everyone in our region has access to a *Catholic Family Services* counselling office, regardless of their background. Housebound seniors receive care from *Society of Sharing* volunteers. ShareLife helps our brothers and sisters overseas through *Development & Peace*, *Canadian Food for Children* and the *Pastoral Mission Fund*. Immigrants and refugees are helped through *Catholic Cross-Cultural Services* and the *Office for Refugees*. Priests, deacons and religious workers are educated with ShareLife support at *Serra House*, *Redemptoris Mater* and *St. Augustine's* seminaries. **With ShareLife, our community is a brighter, happier and safer place for us all.**

Second ShareLife collection – April 21, 2013

or **Please give generously. You can work wonders!**

PARISH DIRECTORY

Group Ministry pictures for the Directory will be taken on Saturday April 13th and Sunday April 14th (if necessary). If you are a Ministry Coordinator and you have not been contacted, please call Kathie at (905) 666-4210 as soon as possible.

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL COUNCIL

invites all interested to attend **"IMSWAMPED" !**

(I'M SWAMPED = I AM Staying Well Always Mentally Physically Emotionally Durable)

The event takes place in the school library on **Thursday, April 11, 2013, 7:00pm** and will feature a variety of presenters providing insight into the variety of challenges our youth encounter in maintaining their mental, physical and emotional health. The seminar is open to all interested regardless of school affiliation. Your pre-registration is appreciated as it will help in planning, but is not required to attend. Pre-register at imswampedseminar@gmail.com

***There is a Special Feast Day on Monday April 8th, The Annunciation of the Lord. Mass will be at 8:20am**



Masses For The Week

Sat. Apr 6 – 5:00pm

+Drago Krajinovic
req. by Kaya Batinic

*Mon Apr 8 – 8:20am

Special Intention**Ray Hayes Memorial Music Night For Natuashish**

Presented by

Knights of Columbus

St John the Evangelist Council 4895

Knights North Committee

FEATURING MUSICAL TALENTS WITHIN THE KNIGHTS' AND PARISH FAMILIES.

Saturday April 13, 2013**Knights Hall - 133 Brock St N Whitby ON**

Doors Open at 6:45pm

Performances Begins at 7:30pm

Prizes - Snacks - Cash Bar

Tickets - \$15.00 per person**For Tickets & Information Contact****Mark McGowan - 905-668-0959**

Knights North is a multi-year project supporting Father Chris Rushton OMI and the youth of the Innu of Natuashish, Labrador (formally Davis Inlet)

CWL General Meeting

Our next meeting will take place on Thursday, April 18th, 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Centre. We will review the two resolutions coming up to our Diocesan Convention and the candidates who are running for positions on our CWL Diocesan Executive. If you require transportation or have any questions, please contact Lynne Childerhouse at

req. by Maria Borg
Tues. Apr 9 – 8:20am

+Giuseppe Morra

req. by Mr. & Mrs. A. Morra

Wed. Apr 10 - 7pm

+Oscar Roga

req. by Denise Roga & Family

Thur. Apr 11 – 8:20am

+Maria Wasylyk

req. by Jim Corrigan & Ann Belej-Corrigan & Family

*Fri. Apr 12 – 8:20am

+Anna Maggio

req. by Lucy Rinaldi

Sat Apr 13 – 5:00pm

+Tec Hughes

req. by Kathie & Linda

Looking Ahead

Sat/Sun Apr 6/7

Social Sunday after 9am & 11am Masses
5pm, 9am, 11am 1st Eucharist Celebrations

Mon Apr 8

7:30pm SVDP Mtg, PC main

Wed. Apr 10

1pm Prayer Group, PC main

6:00 – 6:50pm PHCP, Gr 1-8, PC all, St.

Jos/Alb Rms

7:30pm Pastoral Council, PC main

Fri. Apr 12

10am Mass at Fairview Lodge

Sat/Sun Apr 13/14

5pm, 9am, 11am 1st Eucharist Celebrations

Friday, April 26th at 8pm. Tickets
\$15. Call Elaine (905) 668-9026



RECYCLE YOUR UNWANTED BIKE!

Donate your bike to Africycle and help provide quality, affordable, sustainable transportation to the people of Malawi, Africa.

Saturday April 20, 2013

**St John The Evangelist
Parking Lot
8:00am- 12 Noon**

Make a cash donation of \$20 or more and help ship more bikes to the people of Malawi.

Unable to deliver – Call Fred Shady
At 905 668-1081 to arrange for a Pick-up.

www.africycle.org



St. John's Ladies Golf League

If you would like to learn to play golf in a welcoming environment and enjoy the company of other parishioners – have we a golf league for you! Our golf league has space available and we invite all ladies of the parish to consider joining us. We play Tuesday evenings 4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at Deer Creek Academy, an executive 9-hole course. We have lots of fun and we do improve our game. There is a maximum number of golfers that we can accommodate. If you are interested in joining us, please come to our meeting on Wednesday, April 17th at 7:30 p.m. in the main room of the Parish Centre for our kick-off meeting. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Lynne Childerhouse at 905-668-5206 or lchilderhouse@hotmail.com or Karen Stacey at 905-683-8155 or mcgitts@hotmail.com.

EASTER FLOWERS

Please help us offset our costs of the Easter flowers by donating to our Flower Fund. Envelopes are available on the back counter, or ask an usher to assist you.

Weekend of Prayer and Reflection
Sponsored by the Sisters of St. Joseph
For Single Women
May 3 to 5, 2013
At a summer home in Orillia
Cost: \$150 (subsidies available)

To register or for more information, contact Sr. Dorothy, dschweitzer@csj-to.ca or (416) 927-0720
Registration is required by April 19 and a \$50 deposit by April 26th

St Vincent de Paul is currently in need of canned fruit to replenish the pantry this month. Please drop off non-perishable donations in the grey bin provided in the foyer.

Holy Family Parish welcomes the Whitby County Town Singers on



The Sunday after Easter is now called **Divine Mercy Sunday**.

In order to promote devotion to the Divine Mercy, there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 3 – 5 p.m. on Sunday, April 7,

concluding with Benediction. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be recited at 3 p.m. and the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available from 3:30 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. All are welcome.

PARISH DIRECTORY PHOTOGRAPHS

We have added four more dates for parish photographs - April 26, 27, 29 & 30th. These will be the final sessions. Go to the parish website www.sjewhitby.ca and click on the link to reserve your appointment. Or reserve a spot in the foyer Apr 20/21. Remember, you get a free 8x10 family photograph and a copy of the directory.

For any questions, please call: Ken Chapman 905 668 7081
Linda Calder 905 493 3034

- Visit of the Relics of the North American Martyrs & St. Kateri Tekakwitha
Wednesday April 17 – Feast of St. Kateri Tekakwitha (Presentation to the parish immediately following the 7pm Mass)
- Fr. Gilles Mongeau, S.J.:
"Ite, missa est" – Moving from participation in the mass to the New Evangelization
Thursday May 2, 2013 @ 9pm in the Parish Centre

**Day of Recollection
St. Bernadette's Parish**

Bayly & Harwood
May 11, 2013 9am to 3pm
Hosted by Legion of Mary
Theme: Year of Faith
Refreshments served – Bring your own lunch
Free will donation of \$5 suggested.
To register, call Theresa (905) 428-1024 prior to May 3