

SACRAMENT PREPARATION PROGRAMS

2014 – 2015

FIRST RECONCILIATION “Celebrating God’s Love” (Grade 2)	FIRST EUCHARIST "Invited to the Feast" (Grade 2)	CONFIRMATION “Anointed for Mission” (Grade 8)
REGISTRATION in the Church (parents only) Tuesday, Sept. 23, 7:00 pm (please bring a \$30 fee for program expenses and a photocopy of your child's Baptism Certificate)		REGISTRATION at the Church (parents & children) Tuesday, Oct. 7 at 7:00 pm (please bring a \$35 fee for program expenses and a photocopy of your child's Baptism Certificate)
PARENTS' MEETING in the Church (parents only) Tuesday Sept. 30, 7:30 pm		
<p>Note that registration for the sacraments this year will take place on these dates <u>only</u>. Late registrations will be deferred to the Fall of 2015. Please make sure these dates are on your calendar.</p>		
<p>It is mandatory that all children who do not attend Catholic school participate in the Parish Home Catechism Program for <u>TWO</u> years prior to receiving each sacrament.</p>		



JOIN US!
PARISH CORN ROAST
SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 13, 2014
 At 6:00 pm.
PARISH CENTRE
Advanced tickets
On sale in the foyer after Mass
Aug 30/31, and September 6/7
\$4/single, \$6/couple, \$12/family



CWL SEPTEMBER GENERAL MEETING

Our Catholic Women's League parish council's September general meeting will be held on Thursday September 18th at 7:30 in the parish centre. All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend.

If you have any questions, or require a ride, please contact Iris McNulty at irismcnultycwl@hotmail.com or at 905-668-3218.

ST. JOHN'S CHOIR

The choir is welcoming new members. Must be at least high school age. Rehearsals are Tuesdays at 7:30 in the parish hall. Come out and serve the Lord through music. Contact Kevin Dashney at 905-432-1173



MARK THE DATE!

CWL 75th ANNIVERSARY

COMMUNION LUNCHEON

Our Catholic Women's League parish council will be holding a Communion Luncheon in celebration of our 75th anniversary as a CWL council on **Sunday September 28th, after the 11:00 a.m. mass, at Bella Notte Ristorante** in Whitby. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

The theme of the celebration is “Ignite the Spark ... Nurture the Flame.” Our guest speaker will be Margaret Ann Jacobs, President-Elect of the CWL national executive.

Tickets will be on sale at the back of the church after all masses this weekend. \$20.00 per ticket includes a sit down lunch. If you have any questions, or wish to purchase a ticket, please contact Iris McNulty at irismcnultycwl@hotmail.com or at 905-668-3218.

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Parish Directory
The Parish Directories will be distributed again after Mass on Sept 13/14.

Catholic Homeschoolers in Durham Region

Are you a Catholic Homeschooler or interested in Catholic Homeschooling? There are a group of Catholic homeschooling mothers who meet in Durham Region. Contact annashughes@yahoo.ca for more information.

Catholic Teachers' Guild of Durham
The Challenges of Catholic Education

On Wednesday October 1, parents and Catholic Educators of St. John the Evangelist are invited to hear Cardinal Collins speak on the important topic of "Challenges for Catholic Education in the Current Culture". Cardinal Collins is an engaging, witty and inspirational speaker who has a deep love for our Catholic schools and the transmission of our faith.

This inaugural event is sponsored by the Catholic Teachers Guild of Durham.

Doors open at 6:00 pm, Event begins at 7:00pm at St. Leo the Great Catholic Church 130 Watford Street Brooklin. Refreshments will be served.

Contact durham@catholicteachersguild.ca for more information and to reserve a seat.

Made with Love - Christmas Magic
CWL Parish Bazaar

Your donated items of completed sewn or knitted items for children (hats, mitts, scarves, baby sets, bibs, sweaters, etc.) for family & home, made with your love, will be gratefully received. If you have any questions or require supplies, please contact Lynne Childerhouse at 905.668.5206



Masses For The Week

Sat. Sept 13 – 5:00pm

+Illuminada Quemel
req. by Her Family

Tues. Sep 16 – 8:20am

+Dennis Allard
req. by Ray & Elaine Ayotte

Wed. Sep 17 - 7:00pm

+Juan Amor Musngi
req. by The Mohamed Family

Thur. Sep 18 – 8:20am

+Hermina Van de Ven
req. by Her Family

Fri. Sep 19 – 8:20am

+Jim McCarroll
req. by Anne Finan & Family

Sat. Sep 20 – 5:00pm

+Giovanna Ruggeri
req. The Ruggeri Family

St. John's Prayer Group

Come and join our Prayer Group at St John the Evangelist every Wed afternoon at 1 o'clock beginning September 10th, in the Parish Centre for a time of Scripture reading, a 30 min teaching, singing, and prayer followed by

fellowship and refreshments. All are welcome, hope to see you there. If you would like more information call Klara at 905 668 9579



"STEAKS 4 RENOS"
Friday September 19, 2014
Cocktails - 6:15 PM
Dinner - 7:00pm

Knight's of Columbus Hall
 133 Brock St. N Whitby ON

Salad, Rolls & Butter, Steak, Baked Potatoes,
Vegetables, Dessert,
Tea & Coffee
Cash Bar

\$20.00 per person – available after Mass Sept 13/14
Proceeds to St. John's Renovations

Life Chain Sunday

October 5, 2014

2pm to 3pm

Dundas St E & Thicksen Rd.

Please join us to witness for the millions of unborn lost in Canada through abortion and to silently and prayerfully intercede to the Lord to end abortion and heal our nation. We meet at the south-east corner at 1:45pm.

Archdiocesan Rosary Sunday

Held at the Martyrs' Shrine Sunday September 21, 2014. Outdoor mass at the papal altar, confessions, procession of the Blessed Sacrament, the Living Rosary and Benediction. The celebrant is Thomas Cardinal Collins. The Durham Regional CWL is chartering a bus. Tickets are \$15 and departs Whitby at 8:45am, returns from the Shrine at 3:30PM. Call 905-668-3218.

Looking Ahead

Sat/Sun Sept 13/14

Directories distributed
 CWL Luncheon tickets
 Knights Steak tickets

Wed Sept 17

1pm Prayer Group, PC main
 6:15 – 7:15pm PHCP, PC all, St. Alb/Jos Rms
 7:30pm Baptism Prep, PC1

Thu Sept 18

7pm RCIA, PC1
 7:30pm CWL General Meeting

Tue Sept 23

7pm Registration for First Reconciliation/First Eucharist, in the church