

St. Boniface Church

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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am; 9:00 am; 10:30 am; 12:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:45 pm to 4:45 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday: 8:30 am
Wednesday & Friday: 7:30 pm

DEVOTIONS

ROSARY

Tuesday & Thursday:
following morning Mass

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesday: 7:00 pm

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

First Friday: 7:00 pm

ADORATION AND DIVINE MERCY

Every Friday after evening Mass

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Registered parishioners are invited to pick up a Baptism information package from the Parish Office.

COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION

Please contact Parish Office for program start dates.

MARRIAGE

Couples should contact the Parish Office ONE year in advance. At least one party must be a registered and practicing member of St. Boniface.

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Welcome Visitors and New Parishioners

A very warm welcome to all new parishioners and those who are visiting St. Boniface Parish this weekend. New parishioners are asked to fill out registration form below and put it in the collection basket or drop-off at office.

PARISHIONER INFORMATION SHEET

MR. & MRS. MR. MRS. MISS MS.

Last Name

First Name(s)

STREET# AND NAME/APARTMENT# OR UNIT #

CITY POSTAL CODE

TELEPHONE#

EMAIL ADDRESS

NAME(S) AND DATE(S) OF BIRTH OF CHILD/CHILDREN:

NAME(S) DD/MM/YEAR

ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH? WOULD YOU LIKE ENVELOPES?
YES NO YES NO

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE CONTACTED ABOUT PARISH INVOLVEMENT?
YES NO

ONCE REGISTERED, ENVELOPES WILL BE AVAILABLE BY ENTRANCE OF CHURCH.



MAY 9 2021 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

CYCLE B (MARK)

Begotten By Love: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Sixth Sunday of Easter

Readings:

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48
Psalm 98:1-4
1 John 4:7-10
John 15:9-17

God is love, and He revealed that love in sending His only Son to be a sacrificial offering for our sins. In these words from today's Epistle, we should hear an echo of the story of Abraham's offering of Isaac at the dawn of salvation history. Because Abraham obeyed God's command and did not withhold his only beloved son, God promised that Abraham's descendants, the children of Israel, would be the source of blessing for all nations (see [Genesis 22:16-18](#)). We see that promise coming to fulfillment in today's First Reading. God pours out His Spirit upon the Gentiles, the non-



Israelites, as they listen to the word of Peter's preaching. Notice they receive the same gifts received by the devout Jews who heard Peter's preaching at Pentecost—the Spirit comes to rest upon them and they speak in tongues, glorifying God (see [Acts 2:5-11](#)). In His love today, God reveals that His salvation embraces the house of Israel and peoples of all nations. Not by circumcision or blood relation to Abraham but by faith in the Word of Christ, sealed in the Sacrament of Baptism, people are to be made children of Abraham, heirs to God's covenants of promise (see [Galatians 3:7-9](#); [Ephesians 2:12](#)). This is the wondrous work of God that we sing of in today's Psalm. It is the work of the Church, the good fruit that Jesus chooses and appoints His Apostles for in today's Gospel. As Peter raises up Cornelius today, the Church continues to lift all eyes to Christ, the only one in whose name they can find salvation. In the Church, each of us has been begotten by the love of God. But the Scriptures today reveal that this divine gift brings with it a command and a duty. We are to love one another as we have been loved. We are to lay down our lives in giving ourselves to others—that they too might find friendship with Christ and new life through Him.

Thank you to Dr. Scott Hahn and the St. Paul Center for the use of the weekly Mass reflections. More resources are available at www.stpaulcenter.com



MAY 8TH TO MAY 15TH 2021

- Sat May 8th 5:00pm - Eleanor Guevara †
- Sun May 9th 7:30am - Benjamin, Cecilia & Jeffrey Lugos †
- 9:00am- People of the Parish
- 10:30am- Jerome Lorenzo †
- 12:00pm- Gloria & Federico Gatila Sr. †
- Mon May 10th 7:30pm - Special Intention for Catherina Meane
- Tues May 11th 8:30am - All Souls in Purgatory
- Wed May 12th 7:30pm - Marie Gabrielle Milton †
- Thur May 13th 8:30am - Cardinal and all clergy at the Archdiocese of Toronto
- Fri May 14th 7:30pm - In Thanksgiving for Giovanni Devaraj
- Sat May 15th 8:30am - Gordon Schwab



OUR SICK:

George Paramby Varghese, Edward Kaminski, Emmanuel Carpio, Vernon Pingol, Cora Kraus, Ligaya Carpio, Ursula Solomon, Holly MacInnis, Norma Diso, Jennifer Solomon, Sheila Wilson, Kathleen Filipchuk, Colleen Balgobin, Dionne Hastings, Sonia Miranda, Kevin Andrey Morales, Rhaquel Elizabeth Jojan, Ramona Labo, Ruth Claire Alinas, Paul Chamberlain, Andre Baksh, Georgina DaCosta, Alicia Alvares, Anna Ardurini, Lolita Ramos, Rose Marie Sorbera, Alice Rego, John Jansen In De Wal, Mary Foulkes, Lorraine Fraser, Jean Griffin Davis, Stephanie Solomon, Shirley Ecclejton, Kathleen Copeland, Silvia Emma Rossi, Conchita Estolano Paran, Giacomina Genova, Frosa Karakolis, Rosa Lim, Vera Conway, Joe D'Souza, Claudio Borgono, Lilia D. Perez, Jennifer Young, Glenda McNeil, Naty Germain, Liam Matthews, Benigno Jose Jr., Jean Schofield, Irene Bituin, Leonisa G. Albaran, Sr. Cecilia Marie Ching, Sr. Theresa Ching, Innes Potgieter, Rebecca C. Baltazar, Dina Sorbera, Monica Bouchard, Harold Hunt, Adeline Noronha, Antonio Sorbera, Julia Genova, Christina Lochan, Ronaldo Maravilla, Lucas Sorbera, Sheryl Watson, Stanley de Freitas, Peter Pinto, Marina Sequeira, Ofelia Magat, Paul Swoffer, Minoli Paul, Offe Ayuson, Isabel Grosvenor, Ciera Uy Cruz, Marie Herrera, John Germain, Ms. Dalhoo, Carla Di Cecco, Virginia Johnson, Wynn Young, Mary Rocha, Eric Hudder, Marguerite Watson, Nelie Sicat, Teofilo Mondala, Duverney Family, John Jarman, Mr. & Mrs. Cerami, Simon Fernandes, Arnold Uy Cruz, Charles Gill, Ellen Jarman, Patrick Doty, Debra Fernandes, Nida Carandang, Marie McPherson, Marina Jose, Frances Schober, William Schober, Marie Dignum, Maria Anna Diandra Rivera, Natalina Fernandes, Erlinda Balita, Colleen Balgobin, Joan Crowley, Ela Sicat-Angeles.

NEW ASSOCIATE PASTOR AT ST. BONIFACE



Fr. Sherwin is the eldest of three siblings. He was born in the Philippines and entered the seminary in 1994. In his last year of studying Philosophy in the seminary, he was recruited to study for the Archdiocese of Toronto. He immigrated to

Canada in 1999 and studied Theology at St. Augustine's Seminary. He was ordained a priest May 14, 2005. He looks forward to serving the community of St. Boniface Parish in the best of his capacity and thanks everyone for the welcome they have given him since he has arrived in the parish in January. Fr. Sherwin will take on his role as Associate Pastor starting June 30th 2021.

SEMINARIAN IN RESIDENCE



Hi, my name is Daniel Lee and I was born in Seoul, South Korea, and moved to Toronto in 1999. My whole family was baptized at Easter Vigil in 2000 at St. Andrew Kim Korean Catholic Church in Toronto. I was then involved in the youth group and served at Mass at the parish during my high school years. When I was in grade 11, I had a chance to visit St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto and learned about

the priesthood for the very first time. After such an unforgettable experience, I began spending more time in prayer, which led me to encounter God's call to the priesthood. I entered formation at St. Augustine's Seminary in 2016 – I have never felt so blessed ever since. I will be on my internship this September. Please keep me and my brother seminarians in your prayers. God bless.

**MOTHER'S DAY
SUNDAY, MAY 9TH**
We wish all Mother's a very happy Mother's Day. May God's wondrous love be yours this Mother's Day and always. Let us remember our Mother, living or dead, in our prayers today and thank her for the gift of life and thank God for giving us our Mother.



Archdiocese of Toronto to Celebrate the Ordination of two Priests



On **Saturday, May 8, 2021 at 10 a.m.**, His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, will ordain our two transitional deacons, Rev. Mr. Arthur Lee and Rev. Mr. Andrew Taylor, with the Sacrament of Holy Orders as they become priests to the Archdiocese of Toronto. This wonderful event will take place at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica and the faithful are all encouraged to join us via [the cathedral's livestream](#).

Rev. Mr. Arthur Lee was born in Quebec, moved to Oakville where he grew up. He attended Queen's University to study Mathematics and Engineering. Upon returning home from university, he became more involved in his church, St. Andrew Kim Parish, through the Choice Weekend, choir, Legion of Mary and bible study groups. He was asked by the associate priest if he ever thought about becoming a priest? Arthur entered St. Augustine's Seminary in 2014.

Rev. Mr. Andrew Taylor, the fourth of eight children, was born in Barrie and grew up in Aurora in a home where the importance of faith, prayer and the sacraments were strongly emphasized. He attended Brebeuf College School. While in grade 10, Andrew encountered Christ through the Sacraments of Reconciliation and the Eucharist and began to hear a call to the priesthood. He began his formation at Serra House in 2011 and then joined St. Augustine's Seminary in 2015.

As a community of faith, let us offer our prayers for Arthur and Andrew as they are ordained to the priesthood. Let us also continue to pray for all those who are currently in formation to the priesthood at [St. Augustine's Seminary](#) and at the Redemptoris Mater Missionary Seminary.

To watch the livestream of the ordination, please go to: stbonifacesc.archtoronto.org and scroll down to latest news and click on the link.



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