# 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**

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

#### **DEVOTIONS**

#### Rosary

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday:

@ 8am before 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.

#### **M**ARRIAGE

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

#### PARISH SCHOOLS

**ST. AGATHA** - **416-393-5302** 49 Cathedral Bluffs Drive, M1M 2T6

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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.□	Name(s) and date(s) of Birth of Child/Children:
	NAME(S) DD/MM/YEAR
Last Name	-
First Name(s)	
STREET# AND NAME/APARTMENT# OR UNIT #	ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH? WOULD YOU LIKE ENVELOPES?  YES  NO  YES  NO  YES  NO
CITY POSTAL CODE	- Would You Like To Be Contacted About Parish Involvement? YES □ NO □
TELEPHONE#	ONCE REGISTERED, ENVELOPES WILL BE AVAILABLE BY ENTRANCE OF CHURCH.
EMAIL ADDRESS	_

#### SEPTEMBER 11TH, 2022 24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CYCLE C (LUKE)

**Seeking the Lost: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Twenty- Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

Readings: Exodus 32:7–11, 13–14 Psalm 51:3–4, 12–13, 17, 19 1 Timothy 1:12–17 Luke 15:1–10

The episode in today's First Reading has been called "Israel's original sin." Freed from bondage, born as a people of God in the cove-



nant at Sinai, Israel turned aside from His ways and fell to worshipping a golden calf. Moses implores God's mercy, just as Jesus will later intercede for the whole human race. Just as He still pleads for sinners at God's right hand and through the ministry of the Church. Israel's sin is the sin of the world. It is your sin and mine. Ransomed from death and made His children in Baptism, we fall prey to the idols of this world. We remain a "stiff-necked people," resisting His will for us like an ox refuses the plowman's yoke (see Jeremiah 7:26). Like Israel, in our sin we push God away and reject our divine sonship. Once He called us "my people" (see Exodus 3:10; 6:7). But our sin makes us "no people," people He should, in justice, disown (see <u>Deuteronomy 32:21</u>; <u>1 Peter 2:10</u>). Yet in His mercy, He is faithful to the covenant He swore by His own self in Jesus. In Jesus, God comes to Israel and to each of us—as a shepherd to seek the lost (see Ezekiel 34:11–16), to carry us back to the heavenly feast, the perpetual heritage promised long ago to Abraham's children. "Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners," Paul cries in today's Epistle. These are the happiest words the world has ever known. Because of Jesus, as Paul himself can testify, even the blasphemer and persecutor can seek His mercy. As the sinners do in today's Gospel, we draw near to listen to Him. In this Eucharist, we bring Him the acceptable sacrifice we sing of in today's Psalm—our hearts, humbled and contrite. In the company of His angels and saints, we rejoice that He has wiped out our offense. We celebrate with Him that we have turned from the evil way that we might live (see Ezekiel 18:23).

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



#### SEPTEMBER 10TH TO SEPTEMBER 17TH

Sat Sep 10th 5:00pm - Benjamin, Cecilia & Jeffrey Lugost

Sun Sep 11th 7:30am - Maude, Harry & Neville D'Sat

9:00am - Mr. and Mrs. Felix's family

10:30am - Giovanna & Cristino Vigna†

12:00pm - People of the Parish

Mon Sep 12th 8:30am - Danielle Paes

Tue Sep 13th 8:30am - Valentin Lopez†

Wed Sep 14th 7:30pm - 40th Birthday Thanksgiving for Immanuel F. Lanzaderas; Birthday thanksgiving for Maricor I. Ferrer; Personal Intention for Philip & Josephine Lavacchia

Thu Sep 15th 8:30am - Thanksgiving for Graydon Bracelon

Fri Sep 16th 7:30pm - Gertrude Stanislaus†

Sat Sep 17th 8:30am - Rosauro Lusterio †; Felomina Calia†; and Muriel Hessing†

#### **OUR SICK:**

Ramiti Parekh, Mara Ezgeta, Fredrick Martyn, Vernon Pingol, Fausto Turino, John Rodriguez, Sabrina Achaibar, Sharon Garisto, Elizabeth Singh, Pichard Podriguez, Kenny Gonsalves, Kris

Richard Rodriguez, Kenny Gonsalves, Kris Gonsalves, Carlo Tomasi, Anna Tomasi, Joan Plouffe, Evelyn Gatila, Judith Ritch, Rita Clemenz, Estela Pett, Elena Sipin, Steve McAuley, Margaret Horvath, George Paramby Varghese, Edward Kaminski, Emmanuel Carpio, Ligaya Carpio, Ursula Solomon, Holly MacInninis, Norma Diso, Jennifer Solomon, Bill Filipchuk, Kathleen Filipchuk, Colleen Balgobin, Dionne Hastings, Sonia Miranda, Kevin Andrey Morales, Rhaquel Elizabeth Jojan, Ramona Labo, Ruth Claire Alinas, Andre Baksh, Alicia Alvarés, 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, 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, Sher-yl Watson, Stanley de Freitas, Peter Pinto, Marina Sequeira, Ofelia Magat, Paul Swoffer, Minol Paul, Offe Ayuson, Isabel Grosvenor, Clera Uy Cruz, Marie Herrera, John Germain, Ms. Dalhoo, Carla Di Cecco, Virgina 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, Datriel Data, Dobra Formandes, Nida Carandana, Marie Patrick Doty, Debra Fernandes, Nida Carandang, Marie McPherson, Marina Jose, Frances Schober, William Schober, Marie Dignum, Maria Anna Diandra Rivera, Natalina Fernandes, Erlinda Balita, Ela Sicat- Angeles.



#### **ROSARY APOSTOLATE**

The Rosary Apostolate has been faithfully coming to St. Boniface School once a month to pray the Rosary with students for more than 20 years. We are seeking volunteers who have a great love for the Rosary and are willing to

visit any of the parish schools:

St. Boniface, St. Agatha and St. Nicholas, to pray the Rosary with the children once a month for a total of only 8 days a Year, from October to May.

Volunteer training, screening and materials will be provided.

For more information, please call or email:

Maysie Bautista @ 647-619-6878 email: maysiepbautista@gmail.com

Dolores Marquez @ 416-269-2478 email: dprincipem@yahoo.ca





## GOOD SHEPHERD THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Please help provide meals for homeless and at-risk individuals in our community.

The following items are needed:

- Tomato sauce
- Canned tomatoes
- Soup and stews
- Mayonnaise
- Jams
- Granola bars
- Mustard
- Beans, chickpeas
- Canned corn
- Breakfast cereals
- Peanut butter

Canned items can be dropped off at the back of the church. A representative from Good Shepherd will pick them up from our parish.

Please contact 416-869-3619 ext. 277 or email cindy@goodshepherd.ca

Thank you for your generosity.



#### **BEQUESTS TO PARISHES**

A bequest in your Will to our Church is an acknowledgement of your returning to God a portion of the gifts God has bestowed on you during your lifetime. Charitable bequests can also have a favourable impact on your overall estate plan.

Bequests are NOT only for the wealthy! Consider including your parish or any of the archdiocesan charities or departments in your Will. Let your Will reflect your Catholic values.

We have a free estate planning guide to help you make your plan. The Archdiocese of Toronto also maintains a list of advisors across the GTA who are available to assist in your estate planning and the preparation of a Will.

Please contact us at <u>Development@archtoronto.org</u> for a list of Catholic estate advisors in your area. Remember about the importance of using the **correct legal names** when arranging bequests or other planned gifts.

For further information, contact the Development Office at 416-934-3400 Ext. 561/519 or email at development@archtoronto.org.



#### **ROSARY RALLY**

Canada Needs our Prayers too!

Please join the Knights of Columbus Maharlika Council and the Legion of Mary St. Boniface Parish in a rosary rally to pray for world peace, on **Saturday**, **October 15th 2022 @ 12 noon in front of the grotto** (weather permitting).

## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Are you or someone you know thinking of becoming Catholic?

The RCIA program is for those who wish to become Catholic; baptized and confirmed.

The program begins in the Fall.

(Must be 18 years old or older)

For further information, please contact the parish office at 416-261-5983.





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