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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 & CONFIRMATIONPlease 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.□	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.
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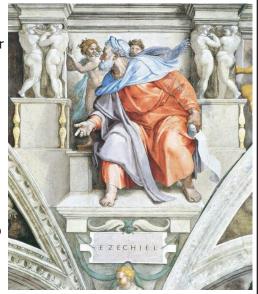
SEPTEMBER 10, 2023 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CYCLE A (MATTHEW)

To Win Them Back: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Ezekiel 33:7-9 Psalm 95:1-2, 6-9 Romans 13:8-10 Matthew 18:15-20

As Ezekiel is appointed watchman over the house of Israel in today's first Reading, so Jesus in the Gospel today establishes His disciples as quardians of the new Israel of God, the Church (see Galatians <u>6:16</u>). He also puts in place procedures for dealing with sin and



breaches of the faith, building on rules of discipline prescribed by Moses for Israel (see Leviticus 19:17–20; Deuteronomy 19:13). The heads of the new Israel, however, receive extraordinary powers—similar to those given to Peter (see Matthew 16:19). They have the power to bind and loose, to forgive sins and to reconcile sinners in His name (see John 20:21–23). But the powers He gives the Apostles and their successors depend on their communion with Him. As Ezekiel is only to teach what he hears God saying, so the disciples are to gather in His name and to pray and seek the will of our heavenly Father. But today's readings are more than a lesson in Church order. They also suggest how we're to deal with those who trespass against us, a theme that we'll hear in next week's readings as well. Notice that both the Gospel and the First Reading presume that believers have a duty to correct sinners in our midst. Ezekiel is even told that he will be held accountable for their souls if he fails to speak out and try to correct them. This is the love that Paul in today's Epistle says we owe to our neighbors. To love our neighbors as ourselves is to be vitally concerned for their salvation. We must make every effort, as Jesus says, to win our brothers and sisters back, to turn them from the false paths. We should never correct out of anger or a desire to punish. Instead, our message must be that of today's Psalm—urging the sinner to hear God's voice, not to harden their hearts, and to remember that He is the one who made us, the rock of our salvation.

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 9TH TO SEPTEMBER 16TH 2023

Sat Sep 9th 5:00pm - Philomena Noronha †

Sun Sep 10th 7:30am - People of the Parish

9:00am - Lourdes Sievert +

10:30am - Philomena Carriere +

12:00pm - Alana Maurica Gerardine

Mon Sep 11th 8:30am - Giovanna and Cristino Vigna †

Tue Sep 12th 8:30am - Valentin Lopez †

Wed Sep 13th 7:30pm - Yvonne Middlecoat +; Audrey Knapp †; and

Thanksgiving for Keshan Rupersinghe

Thu Sep 14th 8:30am - Souls in Purgatory †

Sep 15th 7:30pm - Susana Atchico † Fri

Sat Sep 16th 8:30am - Ludwina Sebastian+;

Birthday Thanksgiving for Wilter Bugante; Birthday Thanksgiving for Belen Yu; and Healing for Bob &

Linda Morgan



OUR SICK:

Maria Johanna Tizon, Bob & Linda Morgan, Sally Benadetto, Martin Tadena, Maverick Valle, Richard Stockman, Don O'Shaughnessy, Alana Maurica Gerardine, Bette McDermott, Josephine Lavecchia, Romeo Dimalanta, Mara Ezgeta, Fredrick Martyn, John Rodriguez, Sabrina Achaibar, Sharon Garisto, Elizabeth Singh, Richard Rodriguez, Kenny Gonsalves, Kris Gonsalves, Carlo Tomasi,

Anna Tomasi, Joan Plouffe, Évelyn Gatila, Júdith Ritch, Rita Clemenz, Estela Pett, Steve McAuley, George Paramby Varghese, Edward Kaminski, Emmanuel Carpio, Ligaya Carpio, 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 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 Eccleton, Kathleen Copeland, Conchita Estolano Paran, Giacomina Genova, Frosa Karakolis, Rosa Lim, Vera Conway, Joe D'Souza, Claudio Borgono, Jennifer Young, Glenda McNeil, Naty German, Liam Matthews, Benigno Jose Jr., Irene Bituin, Leonisa G. Albaran, 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, Marie Herrera, John Germain, Ms. Dalhoo, Carla Di Cecco, Virginia Johnson, Wynn Young, Mary Rocha, Eric Hudder, Marguerite Watson, Duverney Family, Mr. & Mrs. Cerami, Simon Fernandes, Arnold Uy Cruz, Charles Gill, Patrick Doty, Debra Fernandes, Marina Jose, Frances Schober, William Schober, Marie Dignum, Ahilla Kissoon.

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

SACRAMENTS OF FIRST RECONCILIATION
AND
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Parents of children in **Grade 2** please note the dates and times below regarding information and registration for the sacrament of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

1 - Parent Information Meeting (Held in Church) (Child not required to attend)

Thursday September 14 at 6pm OR

Sunday September 24 at 1pm (after 12pm Mass)

2 - Registration (Held in the Hall) Thursday September 28 at 6pm OR

Saturday September 30 at 10am

Students in **Grade 3 and up** who have not yet received these sacraments and would like to register are also invited to attend one of these meetings.

Registration Requirement: Please provide a recent copy of the baptismal certificate at the time of registration. There is a registration fee of \$45.

For further information please contact Kimberly at **st.bonifacesacraments@rogers.com**

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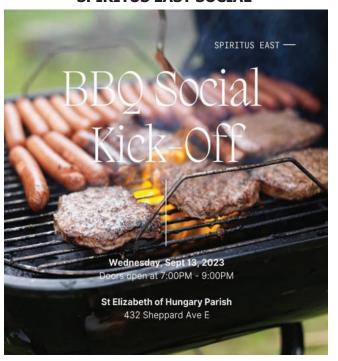
The Knights of Columbus Maharlika Council 7488 is sponsoring a mini retreat on September 16,2023 at the Parish Hall from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. With the focus on the challenges facing Catholics today, the principal retreat master will be Fr. Peter Marr. If interested in joining, please contact Schubert Restituto at bertieres@gmail.com or his cell phone 416 821 6584. Thank you.

Celebration of the Solemnity of St. Michael the Archangel & Conferral of the Pallium upon the Most Rev. Francis Leo Friday, September 29th @ 5:30 p.m. – St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica

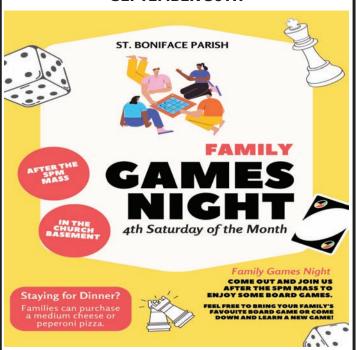
The Archdiocese of Toronto celebrates the feast day of our archdiocesan patron, St. Michael the Archangel on Friday, September 29, 2023. Archbishop Francis Leo will celebrate Mass, with music from St. Michael's Choir School. Apostolic Nuncio to Canada, the Most Rev. Ivan Jurkovič will confer the Pallium on our archbishop, a symbol of his role as Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto and shepherd to the faithful.

Following Mass, there will be an informal reception with light refreshments in the St. Michael's Cathedral atrium and courtyard. Seating will be first come, first served. All are welcome to join.

SPIRITUS EAST SOCIAL



FAMILY GAMES NIGHT RESUMES SEPTEMBER 30TH



FR. SHERWIN'S FAREWELL RECEPTION

Fr. Sherwin's last day at St. Boniface Parish will be on Sunday, October 1st. We will be having a farewell reception for him in the parish hall on Sunday, October 1st after the 12 noon Mass.

If you are able to help with donation of food or drinks, please call the parish office and let us know.

Thank you for your generosity!



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