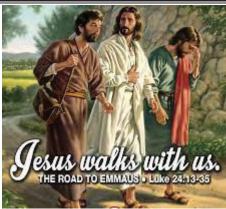


#### 3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER



First Reading: ACTS 2:14,22-33

Peter and the apostles announce that Jesus has been raised from the dead.

Second Reading: 1 PETER 1:17-21

You were saved by Christ's sacrifice.

Gospel: <u>LUKE 24:13-35</u>

Jesus appears to two disciples who are walking to Emmaus.

#### **FAMILY CONNECTION:**

Families, as the domestic church, have the opportunity to make the family meal a time of prayerful encounter with one another and with Jesus. At a family meal we share our experiences of the day and connect them with the experiences of others in the family. We can also enjoy the meal as an opportunity to reflect upon our family life in light of Scripture. At their best our family meals can connect us to Jesus too.

Choose a family meal this week to share one another's experiences of the week in a special way. Perhaps invite family members to plan and prepare the meal together. Begin the meal by reading today's Gospel, Luke 24:13-35. As you eat, talk together about how the disciples discussed their experiences in Jerusalem and how they came to understand them differently when Jesus interpreted those events in the light of Scripture. Then invite each family member to share the things that are going on in his or her life. Consider what Jesus might say to each person if he were sitting at your dinner table. Conclude with a special prayer after your dinner. Pray a prayer of blessing for each family member, asking that Jesus continue to be present in each person's life, helping each one to be a better follower of Jesus. Conclude with a Sign of Peace.



Saturday APRIL 22, 2023

9:00 AM WILFREDA BERCASIO (†)

**REGINA OLAGUERA-GIL (†)** 

**ILONA D'SOUZA (†)** 

5:00 PM ASSUNTA MENDONZA (†)

Sunday APRIL 23, 2023

9:30 AM SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF

**BRANDYN D'SOUZA** 

11:15 AM FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF

ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS

Monday APRIL 24, 2023 WHOLE DAY – PASTOR'S REST DAY

Tuesday APRIL 25, 2023
8:30 AM MINDA BEREDO (†)
Wednesday APRIL 26, 2023
8:30 AM IRENEO NERY (†)
Thursday APRIL 27, 2023

**Thursday** APRIL 27, 2023 8:30 AM RON MACLENNAN (†)

Friday APRIL 28, 2023 8:30 AM NAZARIO CONCINA (†)

BURNING THIS WEEK: SANCTUARY LAMP:

SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF RICHARD RIVERA



Interview

April 29, 2023 (Saturday)

3:00pm-4:30pm

**April 30, 2023 (Sunday)** 

12:30pm-1:30pm

Fr. Fernan will provide the appointment this weekend.



We are now booking Mass Intentions for 2024.

### **APRIL 23, 2023**

### 3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER



# 50 Golden Jubilee CELEBRATING GOD'S FAITHFUL BLESSINGS

Plans/Projects/Activities for our Jubilee Celebration are underway:

- 1. To honour and appreciate all priests who served the parish we have their photo collage at the Narthex.
- 2. New **statue of St. Michael the Archangel** was donated by the weekday Golden Girls Club and friends.
- 2. Shirts and totes to commemorate our celebration are now available for purchase. Order forms are in the lobby.
- 3. The Jubilee Heritage Wall will be unveiled on May 14, 2023 after the 11:15am Mass.
- 4. Advance Feast Day Mass with Bishop Vincent Nguyen as well as the former priests and deacons on August 20, 2023 at the 11:15am Mass
- 5. Picture taking for the souvenir program will be on May 2-5, 2023 starting at 2:30pm until 8:30pm. Registration required. Sign-up sheets available in the office (office hours Tuesday-Friday 9am-12:30 or 1:30-3:00pm) or at the Narthex (before or after each Mass)

More activities are being lined up. Watch out for it.



#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE after all weekend Masses on: Sat. Apr.22 & Sun. April 23.

If there are errors or mistakes in the bulletin we are humans too. Nobody is perfect. FZS

## From the Paston Desk

As I have announced and promised last weekend the total proceeds for the Jubilee Heritage Wall is **\$57210**. This excludes the expenses. This is a substantial amount added to our Building Fund. As we continue to recover from the pandemic. I thank those who participated and supported our Parish Jubilee Campaign.

Indeed the Parish Jubilee Heritage Wall will be a timeless way to remember your active part in building our faith community at St. Bartholomew Parish throughout the years.

#### FREE ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR

Saturday May 6, 2023 at 9:15 AM

An estate planning kit will be provided at no cost **Location:** Christ the King Catholic Cemetery, 7770 Steeles Ave East, Markham, ON. (Entrance to the cemetery off Reesor Rd.) Refreshments will be provided.

**RSVP:** Frank Jannetta, Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services 416-733-8544 ext. 2023 or info@cc-fs.ca





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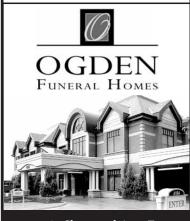
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