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SEDER MEAL

This year in anticipation of Holy Week we will celebrate our annual Seder Meal on Thursday April 10 at 6:00PM in the Church Hall. The Seder is a family meal which celebrates Passover. It follows an ancient Jewish ritual which was celebrated by Our Lord and the apostles at the Last Supper. Through the Seder meal our parish will celebrate the fulfillment of the promise of the Passover, the resurrection. Please join us in celebrating this special feast. Everyone is welcome. Bring family and friends. Share this unique opportunity to deepen our understanding of our heritage and the origins of our Mass. The cost is \$45.00 per person (Roasted Lamb, Roasted Chicken, Rapini, Potatoes, Salad and Dessert). Tickets are available in the church office. **There are only a few tickets left.**

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA

The Daughters of Isabella are excited to announce our 2nd annual Pasta and Scopa Card Night. Join us with your family in the church hall on April 25/25. Enjoy a sumptuous meal and a fun-filled evening of card playing for \$30 per person. Playing cards will be provided. Doors open at 5:30pm. Dinner starts at 6:00pm sharp. Tickets available after each mass on March 29, March 30, April 5 and April 6. If you have any questions, please call Rose at (416) 781-7033.

4:30PM MASS YOUTH CHOIR

The Saturday 4:30pm choir is looking for new voices. If you are interested in joining, please email nicholas.rita_mail@yahoo.com

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the souls of George Wrobel, Diane Iacobucci, Adelina Nardi, Ettore Siciliano whose funerals were celebrated this past week in our Church.

FIRST FRIDAY

First Friday Mass and Holy Hour April 4 at 7 PM. All are welcome to come and spend some time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE PARISH

Stations of the Cross

Fridays at 7:00PM in English
Starting with
6:30 PM praying of the Chaplet of the Precious Blood
No mass during Friday evening except on First Friday, April 4

Day of Confession

Tuesday, April 1
8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m.
6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

SHARELIFE

This weekend is ShareLife Sunday! ShareLife Sunday marks the first collection for our parish's annual campaign. But ShareLife is more than a parish collection. It is how we, as Catholics in the Archdiocese of Toronto, bring the hands of Christ to those in need. From children to seniors, and everyone in between, more than 40 ShareLife agencies are there each step of the way. As a family of faith, we lift each other up from our lowest moments. Nick's life had an easy start – he came from a good home, where he was raised with a strong work ethic and he welcomed a son. But living with a mental illness, he struggled more than some. Deep inside, he felt like something was missing, and he devastatingly fell into addiction. With your helping hand, he rose up through the DARE Program at Good Shepherd. "By the grace of God, I am still alive," he proclaims. "I'd love to be able to give back what was so freely given to me. I am taking roles of service, giving back as much as I can. I was afraid I'd never be able to feel the way I feel. I am very grateful that I have been given this opportunity to be sober." Thanks to your support, he is no longer just surviving—he is thriving, with a heart full of hope and a future filled with promise.

MARCH 30, 2025

PROSSIMI EVENTI IN PARROCCHIA

La Via Crucis

Martedì alle 7:00PM in Italiano

Missione Italiana

Aprile 1-3 at 7:00PM

Giorno delle confessioni

Martedì 1 aprile

8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.

12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

SHARELIFE

Questo fine settimana abbiamo la Domenica di ShareLife. La Domenica di ShareLife di questo fine settimana rappresenta la prima raccolta fondi della nostra annuale campagna parrocchiale. Ma ShareLife è molto più di una raccolta fondi parrocchiale. Rappresenta come noi Cattolici dell'Arcidiocesi di Toronto tendiamo le mani di Cristo ai bisognosi. Chi ha bisogno, dai bambini agli anziani e tutti gli altri, può contare su oltre 40 agenzie di ShareLife a sua disposizione per ogni evenienza.

Siamo una famiglia di fede e come tale ci sosteniamo a vicenda nei momenti più difficili. La vita di Nick ha avuto un inizio sereno; nato e cresciuto in una buona famiglia con una forte etica di lavoro, egli accettò con gioia l'arrivo di un figlio. Tuttavia non era facile vivere con una malattia mentale, e Nick ha incontrato gravi difficoltà.

Nel profondo dell'animo aveva la sensazione che gli mancasse qualcosa e, in modo devastante, è caduto nella tossicodipendenza. Ma tu gli hai steso una mano d'aiuto e Nick si è ripreso frequentando il Programma DARE presso l'agenzia Good Shepherd.

"Per grazia di Dio, sono ancora vivo," afferma Nick. "Desidero tanto donare ad altri tutto quello che così gratuitamente mi è stato dato. Mi sono impegnato nel servizio al prossimo, cercando di dare ad altri quanto è stato donato a me. Avevo tanta paura che non sarei mai più riuscito a sentirmi come mi sento ora. Sono immensamente grato dell'opportunità che mi è stata data di tornare ad essere sano." Grazie al tuo sostegno, Nick non solo sta sopravvivendo, ma è una persona piena di vitalità, con un cuore colmo di speranze ed un futuro ricco di nuove promesse.

Si prega di donare generosamente! Le buste sono nella vostra Offertory Box; buste ShareLife extra sono disponibili all'ingresso della chiesa.

PASTO SEDER (Cena Pasquale)

Quest'anno in preparazione alla Settimana Santa, vogliamo celebrare il "Pasto Seder", giovedì 10 aprile ore 6:00 p.m., nella nostra sala parrocchiale. Il Pasto Seder, è una cena che festeggia la Pasqua Ebraica. Questo evento viene da un'antica tradizione ebraica, dove il Nostro Signore celebrò l'ultima cena con gli apostoli. Tramite questo pranzo Seder, la nostra parrocchia celebrerà l'adempimento della promessa della Pasqua, della Risurrezione. Vi invitiamo tutti a celebrare questo evento speciale. Condividiamo questa unica opportunità per meglio capire le nostre origini cristiane della Santa Messa. Il prezzo è di \$45.00 a persona, e i biglietti sono disponibili all'ufficio della parrocchia.

Masses of the Week

SATURDAY, MARCH 29

4:30PM Adelina Carvalho & Deceased Family Members

SUNDAY, MARCH 30

8:00AM Domenico Di Vizio

9:30AM Pro Populo

11:00AM Luca Curalli, Mario & Maria Tamburrini, Santo Zito, Giovanni e Caterina Licandro, Davide De Luca, Valentino Napoleone, Nicolina Di Vincenzo, Carlo Di Ruscio, Maria Vitale, Salvatore & Giovanna Perruzza

12:30PM Dora Carrabs, Giovanna & Angela Spagnuolo

MONDAY, MARCH 31

8:00AM Defunti Iscritti Alle Messe Perpetue

12:05PM In thanksgiving for Lucy Birthday

7:00PM Rosa Marrelli

TUESDAY, APRIL 1

8:00AM Defunti Iscritti Alle Messe Perpetue

12:05PM Oscar Bruno

6:30PM Via Crucis

7:00PM Italian Mission

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2

8:00AM Anna & Luigi Iannacci

12:05PM Mario Gentile

7:00PM Italian Mission

THURSDAY, APRIL 3

8:00AM Defunti Iscritti Alle Messe Perpetue

12:05PM Julia

7:00PM Italian Mission

FRIDAY, APRIL 4 First Friday

8:00AM Michele Corvinelli

12:05PM Fatima Moniz & Fatima Silva

7:00 PM First Friday Mass and Stations of the Cross

SATURDAY, APRIL 5

4:30PM Blessing for Jose De Silva

Vittoria Iozzo, Maria DaLuz Pereiri & Family

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