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Charles Borromeo Giving Communion to the Plague Victims
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*IF WE WISH TO MAKE ANY PROGRESS IN THE SERVICE OF GOD
we must begin every day of our life with new eagerness. We must keep ourselves
in the presence of God as much as possible and have no other view
or end in all our actions but the divine honor. – Carlo Borromeo*

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Parents who wish to have their child baptized must complete a Baptism Preparation Program. Please contact the Parish Office for registration information.

MARRIAGE: Couples planning to be married must contact the Pastor at least ONE YEAR in advance of the anticipated date and participate in a Marriage Preparation Course.

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION): Confessions are heard every Saturday, from 3:30pm to 4:00pm.

PASTORAL TEAM

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OFFICE HOURS

MON / TUE / THU / FRI 9am to 3:00pm
WED 9am to 12:30pm
SAT 9am to 12pm

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

MON to FRI	8am	Italian
	12:05pm	English
SAT (SUN VIGIL)	4:30pm	English
SUN	8am	Italian
	9:30am	English
	11am	Italian
	12:30pm	English

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION

On the first Friday of the month, the Holy Rosary is prayed at 6:30pm, followed by the celebration of the Holy Mass, Holy Hour, and Confession.

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Catholic Women's League
Coro Adulti (Italiano, 11am)
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**MESSAGE FOR THE ARCHDIOCESAN DAY
FOR PALLIATIVE CARE
HIS EMINENCE FRANK CARDINAL LEO
METROPOLITAN ARCHBISHOP OF
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I am writing to you in anticipation of the upcoming Archdiocesan Day for Palliative Care which was introduced last March and to be observed on the last Sunday of October (October 26) throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto. This new observance is born out of a deep pastoral concern for those who suffer and for those approaching the end of life. It is my hope that this day will inspire every parish community to pray, reflect, and act with renewed compassion toward those in need of comfort, dignity, and accompaniment in their final journey. It is imperative that we raise awareness and encourage prayerful dialogue among the faithful and the larger community about what to do when someone we love is suffering, especially in a life-threatening manner. With its proximity to the month of November when we remember those who have gone before us, the Archdiocesan Day for Palliative Care connects the suffering of this world and in our bodies and souls, with the hope that we have in the world to come.....

Just as those who are suffering need to know they are not alone, families and parishes need to recognise they are not alone. The larger archdiocesan family is here to help, I am committed to ensuring that help and support, care and comfort reach those who are most vulnerable. Part of our support is the ongoing "Horizons of Hope" program which encourages all the faithful to deepen their understanding of end-of-life issues and to accompany others with faith and tenderness. When it comes to euthanasia and assisted suicide, there are a lot of myths surrounding what we believe and encourage. I want everyone to know the truth, to be "Good Samaritans" who stand beside their brothers and sisters in their most vulnerable moments and effect to them the compassion of the Lord and his gift of life, both earthly and heavenly. May the Lord bless all who are facing end-of-life decisions and those who accompany them and may Our Lady wrap you all in her mantle of love and care.

(Excerpt from His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo's letter for the archdiocesan day for palliative care available at www.archtoronto.org)

ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOULS DAY

All Masses on November 1 will be celebrated for all saints and on November 2 they will be celebrated for all souls. If you wish to have someone special remembered, you may use an "All Souls" offertory envelope and deposit it in the collection basket. These envelopes will be placed on the altar and prayed for at all the Masses during the month of November. You can find this envelope inside the box of Sunday offertory envelopes. Extra envelopes can be found at the vestibule of the church.



Next Sunday, November 2, daylight saving time ends! Please remember to turn your clocks **BACK** by one hour on the evening of Saturday, November 1.



Pizza and Bingo Night!

The St Charles Borromeo Catholic Women's League is thrilled to present our Third Bingo Night with 50/50 raffle on **Thursday, October 30** in the Parish Hall open to ALL parishioners. Dinner starts at 6pm with pizza, salad, one beverage and a bag of chips followed by coffee and dessert. Additional beverages will be \$1.00 each. Bingo starts at 7pm sharp to 9:30pm. Tickets are \$30.00 and can be purchased in the parish office. The cost includes one dinner meal and 5 Bingo cards. Last day to purchase tickets in office will be on Wednesday, October 29. **No tickets will be available at the door on Bingo night.** We are looking forward to enjoying a delightful evening with great fun and lots of prizes.

CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

The Confirmation Enrolment Mass will take place on Tuesday, November 4 at 7:00PM. All Confirmation Candidates, parents and sponsors are expected to attend.

TUTTI I SANTI E COMMEMORAZIONE DEI DEFUNTI

Tutte le Messe del 1° novembre saranno celebrate per tutti i santi e quelle del 2 novembre per tutti i defunti. Se desiderate ricordare qualcuno di speciale, potete utilizzare una busta per le offerte "Tutti i defunti" e depositarla nel cestino delle offerte. Queste buste saranno deposte sull'altare e pregate per loro durante tutte le Messe del mese di novembre. Potete trovare questa busta all'interno della scatola delle buste per le offerte della domenica. Buste extra sono disponibili nell'atrio della chiesa

FESTA DI SAN CARLO BORROMEO

Arcivescovo di Milano, Cardinale-Sacerdote del Titolo di Santa Prassede Segretario di Stato Pontificio, sotto Pio IV, e uno dei principali leader della Controriforma cattolica. Nacque nel Castello di Arona, una città sulla sponda meridionale del Lago Maggiore nel nord Italia, il 2 ottobre 1538; morì a Milano il 3 novembre 1584.

Il suo emblema è la parola latina "humilitas" (umiltà), che è una parte dello scudo Borromeo. Di solito è rappresentato nell'arte con le sue vesti, a piedi nudi, mentre porta la croce come arcivescovo, una corda attorno al collo, una mano alzata in segno di benedizione, ricordando così il suo lavoro durante la peste.

La sua festa si celebra il 4 novembre. San Carlo è il santo patrono di vescovi, catechisti, cardinali, seminaristi, guide spirituali.

Vi preghiamo di unirvi a noi lunedì 4 novembre per la messa in onore del nostro Santo Patrono, San Carlo Borromeo alle:

8:00AM Italiano

12:05PM Inglese

SERATA PIZZA E BINGO CWL

La St Charles Borromeo Catholic Women's League è lieta di presentare la nostra terza serata di Bingo con lotteria 50/50 giovedì 30 ottobre nella sala parrocchiale, aperta a TUTTI i parrocchiani. La cena inizia alle 18:00 con pizza, insalata, una bevanda e un sacchetto di patatine, seguita da caffè e dessert. Le bevande aggiuntive costeranno 1,00 \$ ciascuna. Il Bingo inizia alle 19:00 in punto e termina alle 21:30. I biglietti costano 30 \$ e possono essere acquistati presso l'ufficio parrocchiale. Il costo include una cena e 5 cartelle del Bingo. L'ultimo giorno per acquistare i biglietti in ufficio sarà mercoledì 29 ottobre. **Non saranno disponibili biglietti all'ingresso la sera del Bingo.**

Non vediamo l'ora di trascorrere una piacevole serata con tanto divertimento e tanti premi.

CAMBIO DI ORARIO!

Domenica prossima, 2 novembre, si torna all'ora solare. Sabato sera, prima di andare a letto, non dimenticare di spostare la lancetta dell'orologio di un'ora indietro!

Mass for the Intentions Week

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

4:30PM Mass Association

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26

8:00AM Rocco Tacconelli

9:30AM Adelia Tomei, Maria Quinto Salonga, Elisabeth, Michele, Cristina & Nicolina Giannantonio, Nieves Galingan

11:00AM Antonio e Francesco Macri, Leonilde e Saviero Coiro, Defunti Famiglia Coiro, Concetta Marcello e Domenico Dinatolo

12:30 PM Ida Conte

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27

8:00AM Defunti Iscritti Alle Messe Perpetue

12:05PM Josè Grillo & Fatima Moniz

7:00PM Antonietta Di Carlo

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28

8:00AM Defunti Iscritti Alle Messe Perpetue

12:05PM Thanksgiving for Bonifacio & Family, All Deceased Family Members Giang

6:00PM Vincenza Paterna Santoro

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29

8:00AM Defunti Iscritti Alle Messe Perpetue

12:05PM All Souls In Purgatory

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

8:00AM Defunti Iscritti Alle Messe Perpetue

12:05PM Sebastiano Montoni, Antonietta Di Carlo

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

8:00AM Filomena Di Iulio

12:05PM 80th Birthday of Dina Sasuman, For the Souls of Adriano Quinto Domingo & All Souls In Purgatory

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

4:30PM All Saints

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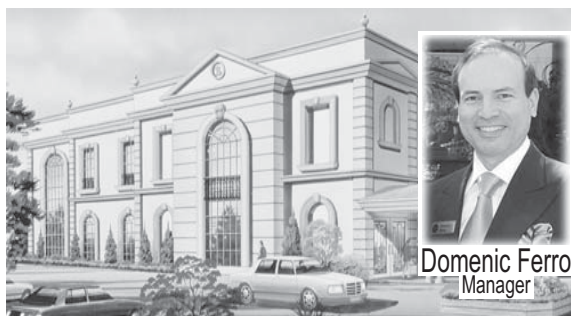
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