



Fourth Sunday of Lent  
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## MAKE YOUR LENT MEANINGFUL

- Pray the Way of the Cross, Friday evenings, 7:30 pm.
- The Creed with Friar Canice, Wednesdays of Lent, 7:30 pm
- Take *A Lenten Journey*, Wednesdays of Lent, 9:30 am
- The Parish Reconciliation Liturgy has been **changed to Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm**  
The theme of the liturgy will be "Climate Change" and God's call to heal our world and ourselves.

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## YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

**Confirmation Preparation**  
*Tuesday, March 23, 7:30 pm*  
All youth preparing to receive this sacrament need to attend.

**Movie Night! To Save a Life**  
*Friday, March 26*  
Grade 8's & teens are welcome to join Friar Rick, Rachel & Jonathan as we take a trip to watch this amazing movie! Email Rachel for details.

**Confirmation Service Project**  
*Saturday, March 27, 8:00 am*  
Are you being confirmed? Join us as we support Canadian Food for Children by packing a container of food for a developing country. Email Rachel to book a spot on the bus!

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## ADULT FAITH FORMATION

**Secular Franciscans**  
*Monday, March 15, 7:30 pm*  
Join the Seculars for spiritual nourishment, formation in Franciscan spirituality and fellowship. New members and guests are welcome.

**Theology & Tea**  
*Tuesday March 16, 9:30 am*  
Join the faith dialogue with Friar Mark.

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## PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY



**ShareLife**  
**2010 Community Challenge**

**Join now and increase the impact of your contribution to ShareLife!**

**All new & increased gifts to the 2010 ShareLife Campaign will be matched.**

March 21, is ShareLife Sunday. Help make a difference in the lives of those needing care, shelter and assistance. You can work wonders! [www.sharelife.org](http://www.sharelife.org)

**Chile Earthquake Relief**  
ShareLife is accepting donations

- at [www.sharelife.org](http://www.sharelife.org)
  - by phone, 416.934.3411
  - by cheque, payable to St. Bonaventure/Chile.
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**Your Casseroles for the Hungry**  
Casseroles are due at the Ministry Centre Sunday, March 21. Contact Eva Trace, 416.447.3040, if you have any questions.

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**COMMUNITY LIFE**

**Seniors' Club**

*Thursday, March 18, 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm*  
Join the seniors for a movie and refreshments. Contact: Linda Dean, 416.444.0161

**CWL Lenten Retreat**

*Saturday, March 20, 9:30 am to 12:00 pm*  
All are welcome to participate in this morning of reflection led by Friar Tom Purcell OFM Conv. Come for spiritual nourishment and light refreshments.

**Easter Cards That Make a Difference!**

Sending Franciscan Easter cards means that the recipients will be remembered in the prayers of the friars and the proceeds will support outreach to the poor. Cards are available at the

Ministry Centre, by calling Franciscan Ministries, 416.690.5611 or after mass (1 for \$3, 5 for \$12, 10 for \$20)

**Life Skills Workshop for Women**

*Wednesdays, April 21 to June 2, 7:30 pm*  
This workshop will help participants identify new behaviours for managing negative feelings and messages using role play, small group discussions and individual exercises. Details are on the website. Registration starts April 10. Contact: Ginny Doty 416.444.6841

**Prayer Requests**

Call Grace Regis, 416.444.9569, or Friar Boniface, 416.447.5571, for private prayer.

**New For Parents**

Congratulations to our parishioner, Lianne Castelino, on establishing a new social networking website [whereparentstalk.com](http://whereparentstalk.com). With the great number of new parents in the parish, many may find this site useful. For those who would like to be parents, [canadaadopts.com](http://canadaadopts.com) has proven to be life-changing for those seeking to adopt.

Go to [www.st-bonaventure.ca](http://www.st-bonaventure.ca) for more parish news

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LITURGY		THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH		COMMUNITY LIFE	
9:00 am	† Renata Cravero	<b>Monday</b> March 15	4:30 pm 7:30 pm	Kumon/Bonaventure Room Secular Franciscans/Francis Room	
9:00 am	† Mary McDonell	<b>Tuesday</b> March 16	9:30 am 7:30 pm	Theology & Tea/Francis Room Small Faith Group/Bonaventure Room	
9:00 am	† Patrick Godfrey	<b>Wednesday</b> March 17	9:30 am 7:30 pm 8:00 pm	A Lenten Journey/Old Friary Coffee & Creed/Bonaventure Room Alcoholics Anonymous/Francis Room	
9:00 am	† Dionisio Cinense	<b>Thursday</b> March 18	1:30 pm 4:30 pm	Seniors' Club/Main Hall Kumon/Bonaventure Room	
9:00 am 7:30 pm	Rita Dube Stations of the Cross	<b>Friday</b> March 19	8:00 pm	New Beginnings/Bonaventure Room	
9:00 am 4:00 pm 5:00 pm	† Demetria Cuello Reconciliation † Vince O'Neill	<b>Saturday</b> March 20	9:30 am 9:30 am	CWL Lenten Retreat/Main Hall Christian Meditation/Oak Room	
8:30 am 10:00 am 12:00 pm	† David Paek Parishioners † Agnes Hayes	<b>Sunday</b> March 21	11:00 am 2:00 pm 2:00 pm	Sunday Coffee Bad Girls of the Bible/Francis Room Hula Lessons	
Sanctuary lamps: Marieta & Eryln Baliwas, Carlos & Lucy Veneracion					

## The Spirit of Assisi Vision

*St. Bonaventure Parish, the Franciscan Friars and Secular Franciscans working together to respond to the spiritual hunger of the community by becoming an oasis of peace, prayer and service; a little bit of Assisi in Toronto.*



### Eucharist

SUNDAY 8:30 am, 10:00 am, 12 noon  
SATURDAY 9:00 am, 5:00 pm (for Sunday)  
MONDAY-FRIDAY 9:00 am (10:00 am on Civic Holiday)

### Baptism

*Celebrated on Sunday afternoons, except during Lent, by appointment. Parents need to be registered in the parish and practice their faith on a regular basis.*

### Reconciliation (CONFESSION)

SATURDAY 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm or by appointment

### Marriage

*Contact the Ministry Centre at least one year before the date you would like to be married. The bride or groom must be a registered member of the parish and both need to practice their faith on a regular basis.*

### Sacrament of The Sick

*Call for the anointing of those who are seriously ill, preferably before entering the hospital.*

## Our Parish & Community

### The Parish Ministry Centre

416.447.5571

MON-THURS 9:00 am - 12:30 pm;  
1:30 pm - 4:30 pm  
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm  
FRIDAY Closed  
SATURDAY 9:00 am - 6:30 pm - Limited Services  
SUNDAY 9:00 am - 1:30 pm - Limited Services

PASTOR *Friar Rick Riccioli, OFM Conv.*  
PARISH MANAGER *Connie Durante*  
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*Friar Canice Connors, OFM Conv*  
PASTORAL ASSOCIATE *Friar David Suckling, OFM Conv*  
PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY *Lina Gagliardi, MSW, RSW*  
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