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Fifth Sunday of Lent  
21 March 2010

# Bonnie News

*Franciscan Church of St. Bonaventure*

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## LITURGY

### Reconciliation Service

*Thursday March 25, 7:30 pm*

Celebrate God's mercy and forgiveness. After a common reflection there is an invitation to briefly confess our sins, receive absolution and sing God's praise.

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## HOLY WEEK & TRIDUUM



### Mass of Chrism

*Tuesday, March 30, 11:00 am*

*At St. Michael's Cathedral*

Archbishop Collins will bless oil used in the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Orders and the Sick which will then be brought to our parish.

### Holy Thursday – April 1

*No 9:00 am mass*

8:00 pm: Mass-Lord's Supper

### Good Friday – April 2

*No 9:00 am mass*

3:00 pm: Passion of the Lord

### Holy Saturday – April 3

*No 9:00 am mass*

*Please note the new time!*

8:30 pm: Easter Vigil

### Easter Sunday Liturgy – April 4

8:30 am, 10:00 am & 12:00 noon

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## PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

### Change a Young Man's Life

A good friend of Friar Rick's, Brother Tony Clark, an Australian Marist brother who works in East Timor, wrote this note about a young man he knows who is studying English. *"Chico is about 26. He comes from a very poor family. He has no money at all and is currently living in the shell of a burnt out house in the centre of Dili. He's managed to borrow some money to at least put a roof on a section of the building. There is no toilet or washing facilities. He has to walk about 100 metres to another house to use their facilities. I got some money to help cover his registration and first semester costs. He doesn't have much in the way of food. In short, if a generous donor, were willing to give \$1,000 US a year for the next 5 years that would see him through. It would mean he could at least rent a room, buy food, books, photocopy articles and pay course fees."* If you want to help change this young man's life, contact Friar Rick.

### 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.



A generous parishioner in the Archdiocese of Toronto has pledged to match all new and increased gifts up to \$500,000. [www.sharelife.org](http://www.sharelife.org)

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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*

Friar Rick, Rachel & Jonathan invite grade 8's & teens to join them for a night out to watch this amazing movie!

#### 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.

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### ADULT FAITH FORMATION

#### Coffee & Creed

*Tuesday, March 23, 9:30 am*

Explore the Apostles' and Nicene Creeds with Friar Canice.

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### COMMUNITY LIFE

#### 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 and Franciscan Ministries, 416.690.5611

#### 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.

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	† Michael Mocak	<b>Monday</b>	4:30 pm	Kumon/Bonaventure Room	
9:00 am	Cathy Hubel	<b>Tuesday</b>	9:30 am	Coffee & Creed/Francis Room	
		<b>March 23</b>	7:30 pm	Confirmation Preparation/Main Hall	
			7:30 pm	Small Faith Group/Bonaventure Room	
9:00 am	† James Angelos	<b>Wednesday</b>	9:30 am	A Lenten Journey/Old Friary	
		<b>March 24</b>	7:30 pm	Coffee & Creed/Bonaventure Room	
			8:00 pm	Alcoholics Anonymous/Francis Room	
9:00 am	† Charles Azzarello	<b>Thursday</b>	4:30 pm	Kumon/Bonaventure Room	
7:30 pm	Reconciliation Service	<b>March 25</b>			
9:00 am	† Basil Hall	<b>Friday</b>	8:00 pm	New Beginnings/Bonaventure Room	
7:30 pm	Stations of the Cross	<b>March 26</b>			
9:00 am	Mary & Ivan Perusco	<b>Saturday</b>	9:30 am	Christian Meditation/Oak Room	
4:00 pm	Reconciliation	<b>March 27</b>			
5:00 pm	Kristina Perusco				
8:30 am	Parishioners	<b>Sunday</b>	11:00 am	Sunday Coffee	
10:00 am	† Annette Tardif Cadrin	<b>March 28</b>	2:00 pm	Bad Girls of the Bible/Francis Room	
12:00 pm	Recto & Cristy Bantoc		2:00 pm	Hula Lessons	

## 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.*  
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*Rev. Mr. Sal Badali*  
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*Friar David Suckling, OFM Conv*  
PASTORAL ASSOCIATE *Lina Gagliardi, MSW, RSW*  
PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY *Friar Boniface Reinhart, OFM Conv.*  
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