



Second Sunday of Lent
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LENTEN SCHEDULE *Reflect & Renew*

The Way of the Cross
Fridays of Lent, 7:30 pm
This Franciscan tradition brings the sacred moments of the Holy Land to us in prayer.

The Creed - Evening Session
Wednesdays of Lent, 7:30 pm
Join Friar Canice for an interesting examination of "what we believe as Catholics".

A Lenten Journey
This series shows us the endless possibilities that Lent offers; it is a powerful and uplifting way to enter the Easter season. Friar Canice will join us on this Lenten journey featuring the Father Michael Himes DVD of the same name. Join us for fellowship and lively discussion beginning Wednesday, March 3 at 9:30 am in the Old Friary. To register contact Carol or Bob Adams at 416.385.9763, caadams@msi.net

Reconciliation Service
March 24, 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.

*Visit our website for other
Lenten resources.*

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

Junior Youth Meeting
Youth grades 5 to 8
Wednesday, March 3, 6:30 pm
Join us for a table tennis tournament and a chat about life in Lent!

Taize Style Prayer Service
Youth 13 - 25 years of age
Friday, March 5, 6:00 pm
If you like music, this night is for you! Join this trip to Holy Rosary Church for an incredible experience.

Reach Out
Youth 13 - 25 years of age
Thursday, March 11, 6:30 pm
If you want to serve others join us. We will meet and volunteer once a month.

Lead the Way of the Cross
Youth 13 - 25 years of age
Friday, March 12, 7:30 pm
We need 10 volunteers. No experience necessary. If you can't lead, come and pray this Franciscan tradition with us.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Theology & Tea
Tuesday, March 2, 9:30 am
Join Friar Mark for insight and discussion.

Jamaica Mission

Friar Rick and Jonathan Nix, our Franciscan postulant, are visiting our friars' mission in Above Rocks, Jamaica, a poor, remote community, one hour north of Kingston. Friar Rick is doing pastoral ministry and Jonathan is tutoring in the school.

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PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

Your Casseroles for the Hungry



We will be using a new chicken and rice recipe beginning in March. You will receive a copy of the recipe when you pick up your casserole pan. Copies are available in the cupboard at the back of the church. Contact Eva Trace, 416.447.3040, if you have any questions. Casseroles are due at the Ministry Centre Sunday, March 21.

COMMUNITY LIFE

Limber Up with Hula Classes

Sundays February 28 to May 16
Children 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm
Teens 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm
Adults 5:00 pm

To register contact Linda 416.510.0264
lindaetzkorn@rogers.com

CWL General Meeting & Guest Speaker

Tuesday, March 9, 7:00 pm

Friar Rick will lead Lenten Prayers followed by guest speaker Dr. Mireille Norris, Internist Geriatrician at Sunnybrook Hospital who will talk about signs of memory loss and dementia. This discussion will be of special interest and benefit to those who have aging parents. All women of the parish are welcome. The CWL will be collecting donation of pens and paper for women of the Good Shepherd Centre.

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.

Register Now for Baseball

Registration Deadline: March 14

Details and forms are on our website. The St. Bonaventure Baseball League welcomes children of all skill levels from JK to grade 9.

Prayer Requests

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

Go to www.st-bonaventure.ca for more parish news
Find us on Facebook

LITURGY		THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH		COMMUNITY LIFE
9:00 am	† Kwai Yeung	Monday March 1	4:30 pm	Kumon/Bonaventure Room
9:00 am	† Marie Gorrie	Tuesday March 2	9:30 am 7:30 pm 8:00 pm	Theology & Tea/Francis Room Small Faith Group/Bonaventure Room New Beginnings/Francis Room
9:00 am	Erna Fabi	Wednesday March 3	6:30 pm 7:30 pm 8:00 pm	Junior Youth/Main Hall Coffee & Creed/Bonaventure Room Alcoholics Anonymous/Francis Room
9:00 am	† D'Souza Family	Thursday March 4	4:30 pm	Kumon/Bonaventure Room
9:00 am 7:30 pm	† Annamaria Della Rocca Stations of the Cross	Friday March 5		
9:00 am 4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Alf Cockburn Reconciliation † Ian Wilson-Smith	Saturday March 6	9:30 am	Christian Meditation/Oak Room
8:30 am 10:00 am 12:00 pm	Parishioners † Betty Mitchell † Patrick Wren	Sunday March 7	11:00 am 2:00 pm 2:00 pm	Sunday Coffee Bad Girls of the Bible/Francis Room Hula Lessons

Sanctuary lamps: † Ron Nazareth; Normenie Arraji
Vigil Candle: † Vicky Galas

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

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