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Bonnie News

Franciscan Church of St. Bonaventure



Are you a supporter of publicly funded Catholic Schools?

Archbishop Collins invites all parishioners to designate their support of the Catholic school system on their property tax assessment. You may not be aware that if you move, your assessment status defaults to that of a public ratepayer. Your support helps to maintain an accurate registry of Catholic ratepayers, determine the number of Catholic Trustees to govern our schools, and most importantly, allows you to participate in the voting process to elect School Board Trustees. The next election will take place this October in municipalities throughout our Archdiocese.

Step 1 - *If you are unsure whether you are registered as a supporter of publicly funded Catholic schools*, please check your most recent municipal property tax assessment for this information. If this information is not accessible, please call the school board and they will be able to tell you if you are currently supporting publicly funded Catholic Education. If you currently support Catholic schools through your municipal taxes, thank you.

If you do not, please proceed to step 2. If you are unsure, a tenant or own a residence where one owner is non-Catholic, please contact:

Sandra Vitale
(416) 222-8282 x 2666 or by email at sandra.vitale@tcdsb.org

Step 2 - *If you are not currently a supporter of publicly funded Catholic schools*, please complete (in full) the assessment form provided and ensure that this form is returned to the TCDSB:

**Voter Registration Department -
80 Sheppard Ave. East, Toronto,
ON M2N 6E8**

NEWS OF THE FRIARS

The friars are in the midst of their "chapter" process whereby they make decisions about their life and ministry together. The next session of the chapter gathering will take place from June 14-18 in Buffalo. As part of this process Friar Justin Biase, the Minister Provincial of the friars, has asked Friar Rick to remain as pastor at St. Bonaventure for another term (4 years) and he has also asked Friar Mark to become the director of the National Shrine of Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha in Fonda, NY. Friar Tom has been asked to continue as Executive Director of St. Clare Inn. We will share more information as it is confirmed.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Interfaith Dialogue: What it Means and Why it Matters

Sun, June 20, 3-5 pm, Noor Cultural Centre. Admission \$5

An afternoon exploring Christian and Muslim perspectives with Mr. Roberto Catalano of the Focolare Movement and Dr. Timothy Gianotti the 2008-2010 Noor Fellow in Islamic Studies at York University.

YOUTH FORMATION

We Need Your Books!

Our teens are putting on our Annual Charity Book Sale in July to get you started on your summer reading! Please bring in your books to the back of the Church. Proceeds will go to an organization that helps victims of human trafficking in Toronto; www.walk-with-me.org

Human Trafficking in Toronto

Saturday, June 19, 11am, FREE
Timea E. Nagy, of 'Walk with Me', a survivor of Human Trafficking in Toronto will be coming to speak to our teens about this serious issue. Bring your friends and help us raise awareness about human trafficking happening in our community.

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

Need wool, knitting needles etc.

June 13
Bring a donation of *wool, knitting needles and/or thread* to church next weekend to support the work of Dr. Simone's Canadian Food for Children.

St. Vincent Boys & Girls Camps

For children who otherwise would not be able to experience summer camp. Contact the Ministry Centre, 416-447-5571.

COMMUNITY LIFE

Baseball Championship Day

Sunday, June 27th after the noon Mass.
Championship Day will be a party for the kids to remember with fun and games for the whole family including races, balloon tosses, hot dogs, soda, beer garden, etc. Everyone is welcome to this fun-filled afternoon.



Campaign Update

Current Campaign total: \$2,151,715
The Building & Maintenance Committee is still in the process of finding an architect to lead our projects for Caring for our Future.

STRATFORD Shakespeare FESTIVAL

Wednesday, October 13

All parishioners, family and friends are welcome. The cost (\$110) includes bus, a buffet lunch and theatre tickets to *Kiss Me, Kate*, Contact Lina Gagliardi, 416.441.1916 to reserve your tickets today.

Family Golf Day at ParkView Golf Club

Saturday, June 26
Tickets are available from George Della Rocca at giorgiomdr@rogers.com, 416.449.1175, or 647.500.8975
www.remingtonparkview.com

Prayer Requests

Call Joan Pape, 416.444.6981, or Friar Boniface, 416.447.5571, for private prayer.

LITURGY		THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH		COMMUNITY LIFE	
9:00 am	† Clarita de Gala Dayot	Monday June 7	4:30 pm	Kumon/Bonaventure Room	
9:00 am	† Frank Baxter	Tuesday June 8	9:30 am 7:30 pm	Coffee & Creed/Francis Room Small Faith Group/Bonaventure Room	
9:00 am	† Hugh Canning	Wednesday June 9	7:00 pm 8:00 pm	Life Skills for Women/Oak Room Alcoholics Anonymous/Francis Room	
9:00 am	† Margaret Badali	Thursday June 10	4:30 pm	Kumon/Bonaventure Room	
9:00 am	† Friars, Sisters and Benefactors of the Order	Friday June 11			
9:00 am 4:00 pm 5:00 pm	† Bill Young Reconciliation † Mary Collins	Saturday June 12	9:30 am	Christian Meditation/Oak Room	
8:30 am 10:00 am 12:00 pm	Parishioners † Jeffrey Lobo John Hutchison	Sunday June 13	11:00 am	Sunday Coffee	

Vigil Lamp: Andrew family

The Spirit of Assisi Vision

St. Bonaventure Parish, the Franciscan Friars and Secular Franciscans working together to respond to the spiritual hungers 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 Holidays)

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 sick; 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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 DEACON *Rev. Mr. Sal Badali*
 ASSOCIATE PASTOR *Friar Mark Steed, OFM Conv. Friar Canice Connors, OFM Conv. Friar David Suckling, OFM Conv.*
 PASTORAL ASSOCIATE *Lina Gagliardi, MSW, RSW*
 PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY *Friar Boniface Reinhart, OFM Conv.*
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