

Week Liturgy: Monday to Friday, 9:00 am
Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Saturday, 4:00 pm
Sunday Liturgy: Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm
Sunday, 8:30 am, 10:00 am
and 12 noon

Ministry Centre Hours
Monday to Thursday: 9 am to 4:30 pm
Friday: 9 am to 3 pm
Closed for lunch: 12:30 to 1:30 pm
Saturday: 2 pm to 6:30 pm
Sunday: 9:30 am to 1:30 pm

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Join Us!
Saturday, August 17, 2019
8:00 am – Registration
9:00 am – Walk Starts

[Register@www.stclareinn.org](http://www.stclareinn.org) or
at 416-690-0330
\$25/adult \$15/youth
Free/12 and under

Free T-shirt and BBQ lunch
included with registration



St. Clare Inn

Helping Homeless Women with Mental
Health Challenges Rebuild Their Lives!

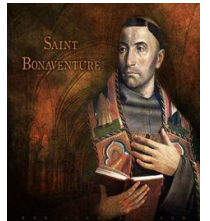
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YOU ARE ALWAYS WELCOME AT ST. BONAVENTURE

GROWING IN SPIRIT, COMMUNITY AND SERVICE
*Inspired by St. Francis we seek to live and proclaim the gospel in
our daily lives, responding to the spiritual hungers of the community
and becoming an oasis of peace, prayer and service.*



July 21, 2019
Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time



The tradition of welcoming the stranger and the friend at the dinner table runs deep in human history. It is a good thing. We see Abraham engaging the entire household in the rushed preparations to served unexpected guests. We see Martha bustling about. We see Mary sitting at the feet of Jesus. Then Martha engages Jesus in getting Mary's help with the preparations, and it does not turn out the way she hopes!

Luke does not say how Martha responded. However, we can choose to hear Christ's words spoken not as rebuke, but as a tender invitation to approach more closely, live more deeply, love more richly. Each of us can make the conscious choice to frame today around Jesus Christ, and then we will experience the rest of our world take shape around that choice. Tomorrow we can make the same choice again.

Marilyn Sweet,
Halifax Nova Scotia

And Now, A Word from Our Patron Saint

In God alone is true joy and in all our joys it is this joy in God that we are seeking.

St. Bonaventure

Join our Parish: Pick-up a registration form at the back of the church, Ministry Centre or download online.

Baptism of Infants: One Sunday every other month. Request forms are on the website, at the back of the church or at the Ministry Centre.

Becoming Catholic (RCIA): For those not baptized, those baptized in another Christian tradition and those baptized Catholic but have not completed their initiation, a process of becoming Catholic involving prayer, inquiry and study is available. Please contact **Greg**, our Lay Pastoral Associate.

School-aged Children: Preparation of children for the celebration of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation is provided through our Parish Program. Further information will be provided in the bulletin during the school year.

Marriage: Contact **Friar Dennis** or **Friar Peter** at least one year before the desired date. Couples need to participate in a Marriage Preparation Course.

Religious Life: Discerning a call to the consecrated religious life please see one of the friars.

Pastoral Care: Ministers of the Eucharist bring Communion to the homebound. Contact the Ministry Centre to make arrangements.

Private Prayer: Contact **Friar Boniface** at [416-447-5571](tel:416-447-5571) ext. 500

Spiritual Direction: Contact **Friar Mark** at friarmsteed2015@gmail.com

Prayer Network: Members pray daily for intentions held in confidence. Contact **Linda Etkorn** at [416-510-0264](tel:416-510-0264)

Funeral: Please contact the Ministry Centre and we will assist you in planning the liturgical services.

Psalm 15 ~ The just will live in the presence of the Lord.

Mass Intentions

July 22	Monday	9:00 am	†Magdalena Mantaring
July 23	Tuesday	9:00 am	†Katz Tierra
July 24	Wednesday	9:00 am	†Bertha D'Souza
July 25	Thursday	9:00 am	Ana Dilcia Sanchez Santos
July 26	Friday	9:00 am	Thanksgiving Intentions Souls in Purgatory †Vincenzo Baldasara †Carolyn Silay †Nuala Ward †Tony Buonaiuto †Omar Lopez
July 27	Saturday	5:00 pm	†Mark VanSteen
July 28	Sunday	8:30 am	Intentions of the Parishioners
		10:00 am	†Pui-Huen Cheng
		12:00 pm	†Jean Peters & †Noel Thomas

Prayer Intentions:

Sanctuary Lamp: Personal Intentions

Vigil Lamp: † Fe Superiaso

For the Sick: Margaret Fernando, Josephine Jenkinson, Maria Gogela, Rosalita Prospero, Christine Wojnicki, Victor and Deanna Andrew, Alfonz Pavli, Raymund Fung, Teresita Peiris, Kay Corner, Dorothy Lord, Michael Morra, Mary DiGregorio, Liliana De Las Mercedes Vazquez, Mabel Lim, Fernando DiBona, Pina Aristodemo and Sarah Dunphy.

Stewardship: A Way of Living

July 14th, 2019 Offertory Collections

Thank you for your generous donations.

Regular Collection	\$ 7,358.25
Maintenance Fund	\$ 3,810.70
Pre-Authorized Giving	\$ 2,926.00
Donate Now	\$ 328.00

Second Collections:

11 August ~ Canadian Missions Collection

24 – 25 August ~ Mission Co-Op/COAR Peace Mission

Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time ~ July 21, 2019
Living the Gospel by supporting victims of domestic violence

When a woman endures domestic violence, she may require a number of services all at once—counselling, legal aid, children's aid services, and childminding. The Safe Centre of Peel brings these and other services together in one secure location, helping hundreds of individuals every year. ShareLife funding of Catholic Family Services of Peel-Dufferin, one of 10 onsite agencies, helps ensure adults and children receive compassionate care in their time of need.

The ShareLife parish campaign ends on July 31.
Please make a sacrificial gift to ShareLife through your parish or sharelife.org

This Week in Our Parish Hall

Tuesday, July 23

9:30 am Ministry with Maturing Adults-Summer Film & Book Club/Francis Room

Wednesday, July 24

7:00 pm Alcoholic Anonymous/Francis Room
7:00 pm GRASP/Oak Room

Saturday, July 27

9:30 am Christian Meditation/Oak Room
9:30 am Al Anon Group/Bonaventure Room

Sunday, July 28

10:00 am Liturgy of the Word for Children/Francis Room

News from the Society of St. Vincent de Paul

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus affirms that to be a disciple we must also sit at His feet and listen to Him. St. Vincent de Paul taught that it is only in prayer that we can give selfless loving service to those who are in need.

This week, please say a special prayer each day for the needy and lonely in our parish and community. Thank you for your continuing support and generosity.

Casseroles for the Good Shepherd Centre

This month's deadline is this Sunday, **July 21st, 2019**. Next month's deadline is August 25, 2019. Drop off your casseroles at the Ministry Centre. If you can spare some time to make a casserole each month, contact **Eva Trace at 416-447-3040. (to get your pan and recipe)**

Parish Barbeque Ticket Winners, Door Prizes Not Claimed at the Event (July 14, 2019)

Door Prizes Not Claimed:

- #246 – Wine Bottle
- #441 – Dairy Queen Gift Card
- #436 – Via Cabo Dining Certificate
- #030 & #413 – Vin Garage Winery Certificate
- #048 – Fly GTA for 2 people
- #412, #307 & #278 – Heli-Tours of Toronto for 2 people

Raffle Prizes Not Claimed:

- #855079 – Wine Bottle
- #625985 and #625926 – Ultimate Dining Gift Card
- #855140 – Chiropractic Massage
- #855191 – Heli-Tours of Toronto for 2 people

Winners please contact **Gerald Lamoureux** at **416-696-9151** or at glamoureux@rogers.com

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

~July 21, 2019

Adults: Which response to God's call is more natural – prayer or action?

Children: In the past week, when have you prayed and when have you done good things for others? Which could you do better?

Community Life

St. Bonaventure's Ministry with Maturing Adults
Upcoming Events



SUMMER FILM AND BOOK GATHERINGS

Tuesday, July 23rd, 9:30 am to 12:00 pm
Francis Room with coffee and treats

All are invited to attend the showing of the wonderful and deeply moving documentary "Won't You Be My Neighbour?" Please bring your summer guests, and neighbours who would enjoy this excellent exploration of the loving kindness of Fred Rogers "an unassuming minister, puppeteer, writer and producer of his beloved television program, Mister Rogers' Neighbourhood." This children's show ran for over thirty years and managed to stay relevant to a wide range of topics and cultural changes that swept across the America landscape.

For more information please contact Maureen McDonnell, 416-4475571 ext. 550 or maureen@st-bonaventure.ca

Toronto Botanical Gardens, Parking Update

Toronto Botanical Garden launched a paid parking program in the lot adjacent to the gardens. This started on July 3, 2019. **If you park at the gardens, please be aware that you will be ticketed if you haven't paid.** The fee for parking in the lot is \$2.50 per hour. Paid parking is enforced 24 hours per day. Overnight parking is not permitted. Payment may be made by credit card, coin or via mobile app.

There is a designated drop-off in front of the building. This may be used as a 15-minute drop off, loading zone for parents and student drop off. As long as your car is there for a short time, you will not be ticketed.

Proceeds from the parking fees will directly support the Toronto Botanical Garden, including the maintenance of the grounds and costs associated with the delivery of programs that they offer to the community. Considered becoming a TBG member. As a valued member or volunteer, you will receive complimentary parking. If you have any questions, please contact parking@torontobotanicalgarden.ca

Orfe Eco-Art Summer Camp
July 29-Aug. 2

Children create masterpieces with recycled materials discovering the potential of their creativity! Orfe teaches children concepts such as environmental awareness and social responsibility. Few spots available. www.orfeart.com; phone – 647-625-5459.

And Now, A Word from Our Pastor

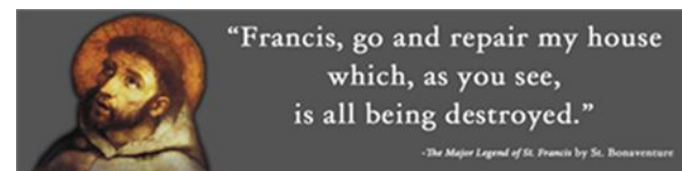
The day was delightful, the experience enjoyable. Thanks to all who were able to come to our Parish Barbeque to celebrate St. Bonaventure's Feast day. Our gratitude to the Knights of Columbus, St. Francis Council, for sponsoring the event, to Bob Klegg and Band who provided music, to the many helpers who set up, sold tickets, assisted, and cleaned up. Our weekend prayers and song to St. Bonaventure and our Barbeque were a wonderful example of praying, working and playing in unity.

Recently, the ShareLife Office sent a letter acknowledging a donation of \$1,000 from the children of St. Bonaventure School. Thank you, girls and boys, for your example of generosity. And thanks to your parents, teachers and school staff who are teaching you about loving God and loving others.

Thanks also to all who have been able to participate in ShareLife. The program continues until July 31, 2019. The work of Jesus continues through our hands.

P.S. ~ I never thought I'd say this, but after this week's humidity, I can't wait until next winter!

Congratulations to *Christopher John Jalsevac* who is given new birth by water and the Holy Spirit and welcomed into God's Holy People through Baptism.



Vocation Seeds ~ Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
~ July 21, 2019

We are like Martha. There's plenty to be anxious about but only one thing that is required of us. For five minutes today to be like Mary; rest with Jesus and ask Him what He requires of you. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, visit the website: www.vocationtoronto.ca; www.franciscans.org or speak with one of the friars.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land
September 16-27, 2019 led by Friar Dominic Lim, OFM Conv. \$4,090. Arrangements by International Heritage Tours. **Contact Stan at 647-463-9507.**

