Guardian Angels Paris

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WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.; 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES: Monday to Friday: 7:30 a.m. First Friday: 7:30 p.m. (after the 6 p.m. Holy Hour & First Friday Devotion)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. Sunday: 30 minutes before Masses

BAPTISM IS CELEBRATED

Only for those parishioners of this parish who are currently practicing their faith. Pre-Baptismal instructions are required.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married must contact the parish priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. This means that you must take a marriage course.

OUR SCHOOLS: Guardian Angels 905-595-0909 Principal: Maria Limarzi 62 Heatherdale Dr., Brampton, ON L7A 2H4

St. Angela Merici 905-840-1505 Principal: Diana Linardic 83 Edenbrook Hill Dr., Brampton, ON

St. Bonaventure 905-970-9069 Principal: Tom Condotta 35 McCrimmon Dr., Brampton, ON L7A 2Z5

St. Edmund Campion 905-846-7124 Principal: Maria Locicero 275 Brisdale Dr., Brampton, ON L7A 3C7

St. Lucy 905-840-3121 Principal: Laurie Condo 25 Kanata Road, Brampton, ON L7A 3R2

905-840-3042 St. Aidan Principal: Adrienne Dalli 34 Buick Blvd., Brampton, ON L7A 3B9

St Daniel Comboni 905-495-4621 Principal: Monica Thompson 120 Veterans Drive, Brampton, ON L7A 3Z7

PARISH MINISTRIES, COMMITTEES & LAY ORGANIZATIONS

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Guild Altar Server Eucharist Lector Music

OTHER MINISTRIES

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) Marriage Preparation Course Sacramental Preparation Lay Pastoral Visitor Youth

COMMITTEES

Building Maintenance Collection Counters Finance Council Fundraising Committee Joint Stewardship Council and Volunteer Screening Committee

LAY ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Women's League Knights of Columbus Legion of Mary Rosary Apostolate

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MASS INTENTIONS



Sunday, April 7

9:00 a.m. No Mass Intentions
10:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions
12:00 p.m. Spec.Int.-Angeles Mindo by Gerard & Joy Del Castillo Spec.Int.-J.Lucas Keegan Divinagracia by Ma. Socorro Pangantihon Thanksgiving of Ma. Socorro Pangantihon +Alain Meneses by Gerard & Joy Del Castillo +Vincenzo Multari by Joanna Multari & family +Rufina Magbanua by Ma. Socorro Pangantihon +Alberto Pangantihon by Ma. Socorro Pangantihon

Monday, April 8

7:30 a.m. Rita Meneses by Greeta Gomes

Tuesday, April 9

7:30 a.m. Judy Mcinnis by Greeta Gomes

Wednesday, April 10

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions

Thursday, April 117:30 a.m.+Jules Misa by Ely Misa

Friday, April 12

7:30 a.m. No Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 13

5:00 p.m. Spec.Int.-Lanaka & Brendan Prosper by Brenda Prosper +Apolonia Periera & Deceased Pereira Family

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY YEAR B

"The readings for Divine Mercy Sunday (2nd Sunday of Easter) for Year B show us that the mercy of God is given to all of us, even though we turn away again and again. In the gospel for this Sunday Jesus appears to the disciples. Then he comes back and lovingly helps Thomas overcome his doubts. *(www.young-catholics.com)*

THE LORD'S PROMISE:

"...through this belief you may have life in his name."

Easter! Resurrection and new life; a new life shared from an earthen tomb. This has been the meaning of life for Christian people for two thousand years. There is nothing more secure, nothing more lasting. Come and share the thrill of proclaiming this truth through your life as a priest, religious or deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at

416-968-0997, vocations@archtoronto.org,

www.vocationstoronto.ca

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS



O God, Who wills not the death of a sinner, but rather that he be converted and live, grant we beseech You, through the intercession of the Blessed Mary ever Virgin, Saint Joseph her spouse, Saint Junipero Serra,

and all the saints, an increase of labourers for Your church, fellow labourers with Christ to spend and consume themselves for souls, through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God forever and ever. Amen.

REFLECTION ON PASSION SUNDAY

They Saw and Believed

By Scott Hahn

Excerpts from young-catholics.com

"Three times in today's Psalm we cry out a victory shout: "His mercy endures forever."

Truly we've known the everlasting love of God, who has come to us as our Savior. By the blood and water that flowed from Jesus' pierced side (see John 19:34), we've been made God's children, as we hear in today's Epistle.

Yet we never met Jesus, never heard Him teach, never saw Him raised from the dead. His saving Word came to us in the Church—through the ministry of the apostles, who in today's Gospel are sent as He was sent.

He was made a life-giving Spirit (see 1 Corinthians 15:45) and He filled His apostles with that Spirit. As we hear in today's First Reading, they bore witness to His resurrection with great power. And through their witness, handed down in the Church through the centuries, their teaching and traditions have reached us (see Acts 2:42).

We encounter Him as the apostles did—in the breaking of the bread on the Lord's day (see Acts 20:7; 1 Corinthians 16:2; Revelation 1:10).

There is something liturgical about the way today's Gospel scenes unfold. It's as if John is trying to show us how the risen Lord comes to us in the liturgy and sacraments.

In both scenes it is Sunday night. The doors are bolted tight, yet Jesus mysteriously comes. He greets them with an expression, "Peace be with you," used elsewhere by divine messengers (see Daniel 10:19; Judges 6:23). He shows them signs of His real bodily presence. And on both nights the disciples respond by joyfully receiving Jesus as their "Lord."

Isn't this what happens in the Mass—where our Lord speaks to us in His Word, and gives himself to us in the sacrament of His body and blood?

Let us approach the altar with joy, knowing that every Eucharist is the day the Lord has made—when the victory of Easter is again made wonderful in our eyes."

WHAT EVERY CATHOLIC SHOULD KNOW ...

MARRIAGE LAWS OF THE CHURCH

- Not to marry someone non-Catholic or unbaptized (unless permission is granted from the Bishop)
- Not to marry someone within close relation
- Not to marry outside of the Catholic Church (unless permission is granted from the bishop and a priest is present to bless the marriage)
- Not to marry without two witnesses
- Not to solemnize marriage at forbidden times

APRIL 7, 2024

For the schedule of the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion, please visit our parish website.

SAINT JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE

Patron of Teachers Feast Day: April 7 Canonized on May 24, 1900 by Pope Leo XIII

"St. John Baptist de La Salle was born in 1651, in Reims, France. He was the eldest son of wealthy parents. At the age of eleven, La Salle was committed becoming a priest. At the age of sixteen, he was named Canon of Reims Cathedral. At the age of eighteen, he received a master's degree in classical literature and arts, as well as philosophy.

Sadly, La Salle's parents died within a year of each other in 1671 and 1672. La Salle had to manage his parent's estate which included educating his four brothers and two sisters. Once this was done, he was ordained to the priesthood on April 9, 1678. He was 26 years old. He continued his studies until he received his doctorate in theology.

During this time, La Salle also worked with the Sisters of the Child Jesus to educate girls, serving as chaplain and confessor for their school. While performing this work, he met Adrian Nyel, who was himself a supervisor of teachers at a boys school in Reims. Through Nyel, a wealthy woman asked La Salle to be involved with the endowment of a new school for poor children. She provided the money, as long as La Salle agreed to help run the school.

La Salle gradually became preoccupied with work at the new school. He was aware that teachers needed training and direction, and that the children had few opportunities for success. He calculated that if he lent his talents to the school, and worked with both teachers and students, he could improve their lives.

La Salle worked with the teachers to educate them and teach them manners. He invited them to live in his home where he provided them with direction. This made them more effective with the students, and in turn improved outcomes for them.

There was a larger problem. Poverty was widespread in France during this time, and few families could afford to educate their children. La Salle felt the best way to approach this problem would be to establish a community devoted to the education of children, regardless of their ability to pay. He resigned his post as Canon at the Cathedral, left his comfortable family home to live with the teachers, and established the Brothers of the Christians Schools.

Surprisingly, this approach brought resistance from both the secular education system and the Church. The Church was initially opposed to the foundation of an order committed to education, and the secular educators were opposed to the elimination of tuition. They felt it would reduce the prices people would be willing to pay them.

Nonetheless, La Salle was successful. He even expanded his school to offer teaching to young men.

In 1685, La Salle established the first school for the training of educators in Reims.

La Salle worked as an educator all his life. He lived until 1719, when he died on April 7, which happened to be Good Friday." *www.catholic.org/saints/*

PARISH FUNDRAISING EVENTS

Saturday/Sunday, April 20 & 21	Bake Sale
Saturday, May 11	Spring Dinner & Dance
Sunday, May 12	Mother's Day Roses (Youth)
Sunday, June 23	Summer BBQ
Saturday, September 22	Guardian Angels Walk
Sunday, October 13	5th Anniversary Mass -
·	Parish Consecration
Sunday, October 27	International Food Festival
Saturday/Sunday, November 23/24	Bake Sale
Saturday, December 7	Christmas Concert
Saturday, February 8, 2025	Valentine's Dinner & Dance

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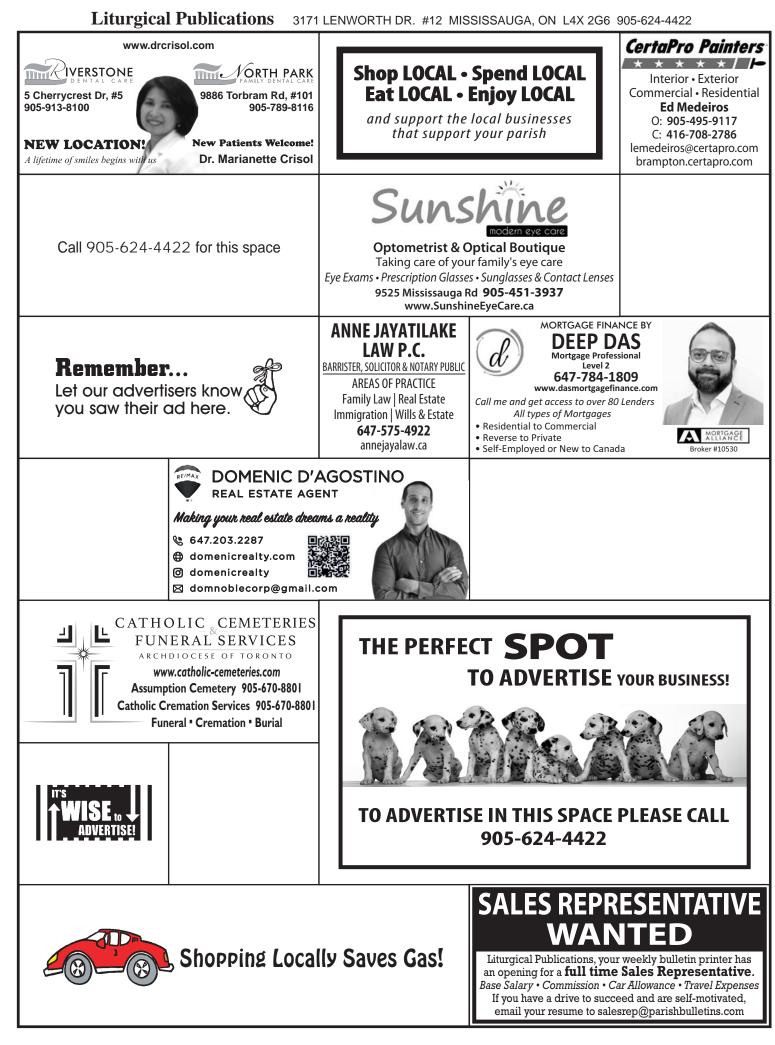
PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING (PAG) Email the form with a void cheque or bank information to

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