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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASS INTENTIONS

SAT 22	
4:30 pm †	Gilda & Francesco Bilotta
SUN 23	3rd Sunday of Easter
8:00 am	In Thanksgiving
9:30 am	<i>Pro Popolo</i>
11:00 am †	Josephine Quintiliani
12:30 Am	In Thanksgiving to St. George
6:00 pm †	Primo & Carolina Gatto
MON 24	St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen
8:30 am †	Joaquim Rebello
TUES 25	St. Mark, Evangelist
8:30 am †	Antonio Ricciardi
WED 26	
8:30 am †	Alexandra Nazareth
THUR 27	
8:30 am †	Margaret Palmer
FRI 28	
8:30 am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>
SAT 29	St. Catherine of Siena
9:00 am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Today, the 3rd Sunday of Easter, we're still at this wonderful part of Eastertide when our Sunday readings are recounting to us the different Resurrection appearances of the Lord to His disciples.

This Sunday we have the long but significant account of the road to Emmaus, and I want to draw two applications from this:

- First, that the Lord is walking at **OUR** side, even if Unseen, just as he walked by their side, initially unrecognised by them;
- Second, that the Lord has something to **SAY** to each of us, just as He spoke to them, he spoke so powerfully that they said, *"Did not our hearts BURN within us as he talked to us on the road?"* (Lk 24:32).

Together with Fr Anish, Deacon George and all the staff, I wish you, your family and friends a blessed Easter. ~ Fr. Paul Dobson

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEXT SHARELIFE SUNDAY 2023 – April 30

ShareLife changes Lives

We are called to care for one another – and especially for those in need. One of the ways we do this is through our support of ShareLife. We express this love and care by supporting the work of ShareLife-funded agencies. Through their programs and services, we are able to fulfill this commandment.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS - Friday, May 5

On May 5th please pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood and religious life and for endurance in vocations already committed.

A BIBLICAL EXPLANATION OF THE MASS with Brant Pitrie

Using Sacred Scripture and ancient Jewish tradition learn the biblical roots of the various parts of the Catholic Mass. Find out why we stand, sit and kneel; say the responses we say, and make the signs we make? And why we enter and exit the assembly as we do. Knowing the roots of our timeless worship will deepen our faith, increase our awe, and see how our participation connects us across centuries and continents to the great cloud of witnesses. Drop-in Monday May 8th at 7pm or Tuesday May 9th at 9 am -Free-

STUDENT MISSIONARY BAKE SALE May 6/7 after all Masses

A group of local High School students will be traveling to Dominican Republic with the **Sisters of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus** for a 2 week MISSION IMMERSION to work with children and help with the needs of the local Parish. To raise funds for the parish and help with the cost of the trip please support the students and pick up some treats or leave a donation. All support is greatly appreciated!

POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION - May 13

The Papal Charities allow the Pope to contribute to various charitable causes around the world, particularly toward aiding the victims of war, famine and natural disasters.

LIFETEEN | Are you in grades 9-12 and looking to grow in faith & friendship? **LifeTeen** will include food, games, talks, small groups & prayer time, and will take place two Saturdays of the month following the 4:30 pm Mass! Register →

For more info email Megan at ym.stjosephMI@gmail.com



OUR LADY OF FATIMA PROCESSION
Saturday May 13, 2023
Following the 4:30 pm Mass

SPIRITUAL WALK-IN MINISTRY

Deacon George is available to answer questions, lend spiritual assistance, listen to your difficulties, make referrals, and give support in a generally Catholic approach. Tuesdays 11 am -2 pm & Thursdays 5 - 8 pm. Drop-in or register →



MINISTRIES

Totus Tuus Camp will take place from July 30th - Aug 4th.

There is a daytime program for children in grades 1-6 & an evening program for those in grades 7-12. The cost for the daytime program is \$120 per child for the entire week; the evening program is \$25 per youth for the entire week.

Contact Megan at ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com for more info. Register at the parish office or QR code → or at: <https://forms.gle/g7BzdHrs1oQWnqHNA>



OTTAWA MARCH FOR LIFE 2023

Thursday, May 11th - Catch the bus!

Mass will be celebrated at 6 am by Fr Anish who will accompany us. The bus will leave St. Joseph at 6:25 am and return around 9:30 pm and it will be a day to remember! **Cost is now \$40.** If you cannot make it consider sponsoring a pilgrim. Register or sponsor in the parish office starting April 12th.



Please consider being part of this Witness to Life.

KNIGHTS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus Council 8661 will be having a membership drive during the weekend of **April 22/23.**

Please talk to a brother Knight at the exits after mass to see how you can be a part of a brotherhood and give back to our parish and community.

ST. JOSEPH MINISTRIES SAVE THE DATE:

Next Coffee Hour	Wednesday	May 3
CWL Mother's Day Fundraiser		May 13/14
Knight's Bottle drive for Seminarians		May 27/28
SVDP Bundle Up Sunday		June 10/11
CWL Father's Day Root Beer sale		June 17/18

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Prayer Meetings every **Wednesday** - Parish Hall at 7 p.m.

In Preparation For The

"PENTECOST NIGHT OF PRAYER"

9-DAY NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Friday May 19 to Saturday May 27, 2023 – 6.30 p.m.

(Except: Saturday 5.30 pm – Wednesday 6 pm

"They devoted themselves to constant prayer, the disciples with Mother Mary." (Acts 1:14)

HOLY MASS WITH INNER HEALING SERVICE

Wednesday, May 24, 2023 – 6.45 p.m.

"The Lord heals the broken hearted and binds up their wounds." (Psalm 147:3)

"PENTECOST NIGHT OF PRAYER"

WITH HOLY MASS Wednesday, May 31, 6.45 p.m.

How much more the Heavenly Father will give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him." (Luke 11:13)

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Around The Arch

PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY&MEDJUGORJE Aug 5th - 19th

Accompanied by our associate pastor Fr Anish Alex. Visit: The Vatican, John The Lateran, Mary Major, Lanciano, St. Francis Basilica, Turin, Venice & Medjugorje. See posters at both entrances or email Nicoli 905-840-6803 of Jetwing Holidays for more information.

WHAT IS LIFE INSURANCE

Hosted by the Knights of Columbus Council 8661

Save The Date. Our Knights are pleased to invite you to a no cost presentation on the important topic of **"What is Life Insurance"**. A virtual presentation with speaker Jason Nelligan; Fraternal Benefits Advisor with the Knights of Columbus will be held at **7:00 pm on Thursday May 4.** To register for this WEBEX presentation use link <https://kofcagents.webex.com/kofcagents> or Meeting number /code): 2630 124 2983 - password: Knights!! (Kindly register in advance by entering council as "8661" when prompted) or to join by phone: 1-877-668-4490

PICK OF THE WEEK



April 23, 2023

Science Supports Belief in God

Fr. Robert Spitzer | Chris Stefanick Show 32 min

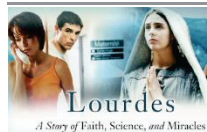
Some of the evidence is stunning: reports from near-death experiences (NDEs) show people recognizing long-dead relatives, seeing objects they had never experienced, and even meeting God. Even better, people often lose their fear of death completely afterwards.

THIS WEEK ON FORMED



He Is Risen! The Power of the Resurrection
Brother Francis 29m

Join Brother Francis as he celebrates the power and splendor of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ in this moving and instructive animated presentation! Steeped in Scripture and instruction, Brother Francis: He Is Risen! is a wonderful reminder of the reality of God's power and presence!



Lourdes: Story of Faith, Science, & Miracles
Movie 3 hrs

A non-Christian French journalist, is assigned the job of doing a story on Lourdes in the late 1990s. This intriguing film uses the pages of the manuscript to trace the stories of three lives—Bernadette, Henry, and Bernard—whose lives intertwine as they pursue parallel journeys according to the designs of Providence.

THE BIRTH OF JESUS CHANGED THE COURSE OF HUMAN HISTORY.

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Smile for the week:

Why couldn't the butterfly go to the dance?

Answer:

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